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The Newsweek

All The News For The Western Thumb ■ Tuesday, November 8, 1994

Be sure to vote today...

Tuesday, Nov. 8 is General Election Day in Michigan and the U.S., as dozens of local, state, Congressional and other races are decided.

Voting times are 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. in Michigan, where some of our 38 state senators and all 110 state representatives are up for election.

Each State Senator represents about 240,000 people and each Representative serves 84,000 people. Senate terms are four years and Rep. terms are two years.

Michigan voters will choose one of the two U.S. Senators to represent the state in Washington, D.C., for the next six years. The other will be chosen in 1996.

Also, all 16 U.S. House Representatives will be chosen, for two-year terms. Persons must be 18 years of age to vote.

State races are — **Governor:** incumbent Republican John Engler is seeking his second four-year term, being challenged by Democrat Howard Wolpe, a member of the U.S. House 1978-1992.

U.S. Senate: incumbent Donald Riegle (D-Flint) is retiring after 18 years. Democrat U.S. Rep. Bob Carr and Republican Spencer Abraham, former state GOP chairman, are seeking Riegle's six-year term.

U.S. House: In the Thumb, incumbent Rep. James Barcia (D-Bay City) is seeking election for a two-year term. He is challenged by William Anderson (R-Auburn) and two other candidates, for the 5th District seat.



LOOKING FOR THAT special gift this Christmas? Consider a "Gift of Love" by purchasing a light on the new blue spruce in front of Scheurer Hospital. Sponsored by the Scheurer Hospital Auxiliary, the project will continue to grow as long as the tree grows. People can purchase a light to honor a living special person, or in memory of a loved one, says Auxiliary President Gloria Lewis. A special lighting ceremony will be at 7 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 1, but lights can be purchased until Dec. 31. Hot chocolate, coffee and refreshments will be served after the ceremony. All proceeds from the Gift of Love program will go to the Auxiliary. **HERE, Rosemary Hoffman, Jo Champagne, Virginia Thiel and Lewis string the lights on the tree.**

State Senate: Incumbent Joel Gougeon (R-Bay City) is seeking a full four-year term and is challenged by Dennis Hayes (D-Bay City) in the 34th District.

State House: Two challengers are seeking the two-year seat vacated by the retiring Republican Dick Allen of Caro. The 84th District candidates are Russell Davis (D-Vassar) and Mike Green (R-Mayville.)

Ballot proposals: Four will be decided Tuesday:

PROPOSAL A would convene a convention to redraft Michigan's 30-year-old Constitution.

PROPOSAL B would eliminate the automatic right to appeal convictions for criminals who plead guilty. A judge would have to give the okay for an appeal.

PROPOSAL C would change state no-fault auto insurance laws, rolling back rates about 16% for at least six months. It would eliminate unlimited medical coverage, requiring motorists to buy at least \$1 million in coverage.

PROPOSAL P would establish an \$800 million endowment fund to maintain and improve state parks.

Other state and local races, as covered in the Nov. 1 Newsweek, include Secretary of State, Attorney General, Supreme Court, Court of Appeals, State Board of Education, three university Boards, plus

County Commissioners, Huron County Probate Judge, plus several other ballot or candidate proposals.

Officials estimate about 45% of Michigan's 5.8 million registered voters will vote.

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NEWS ROUND-UP

More Akron resignations

Musical seats continue on the Akron Village Council with yet another council member's resignation. Clerk Raylene Reder resigned to accept a full-time job out of the area.

Council members are expected to officially appoint Patricia VanDorn at the 7:30 p.m. meeting Tuesday, Nov. 15. Reder has been training VanDorn to take over.

The appointment will make the the fifth council change in three months.

During the October meeting Robert Hill was selected to replace Council member Marge Steffek, who resigned in September because she is moving out of the village limits.

Also, in September, Jim Volk was appointed as a trustee to replace Reva Samson and Sherry Duke was appointed to replace Council member Mike Krause. He was appointed president to fill the vacancy created when Marie Scott resigned. Samson and Scott resigned in August citing personal conflicts with other Council members over procedures.

— By MARY DRIER



M!CHIGAN "by the numbers"

HOW MUCH DO WE MAKE (part 3): Here are local (Western Thumb) and state household income figures as of 1989, as reported by the U.S. Census Bureau. These figures show what percentage of families earn these amounts:

Amount	Thumb	Michigan
Less than \$5,000	7.0%	5.9%
\$5,000 to \$9,999	12.6%	9.6%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	10.2%	8.6%
\$15,000 to \$24,999	21.3%	16.4%
\$25,000 to \$34,999	20.3%	15.3%
\$35,000 to \$49,999	17.5%	18.7%
\$50,000 to \$74,999	9.0%	16.3%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	7%	5.4%
\$100,000 or more	1.4%	3.8%

They basically show Thumb families are generally paid less than the state average, and that the Thumb has less than half the "high-level" paying jobs compared with the state average.

Investigation is underway

An investigation is underway to determine whether one of the Tuscola County Board of Commissioners' committee meetings Oct. 11 violated the state Open Meetings Act. Detective Sgt. Allan Ogg of the Caro State Police Post declined to comment further.

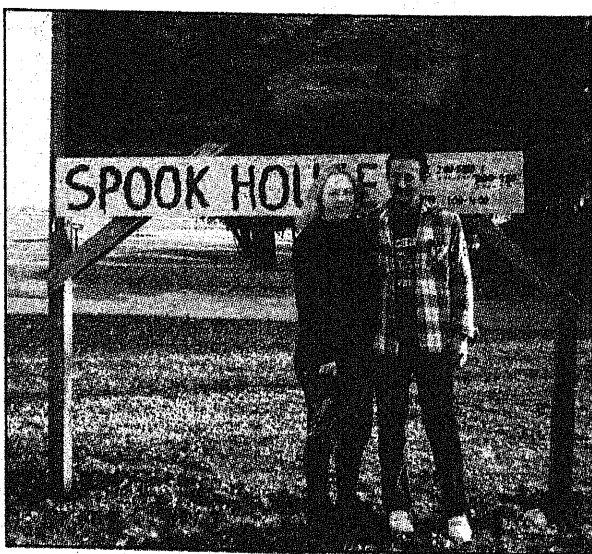
Courthouse employees Clayette Zechmeister and Susan Jensen claim action during the Oct. 11 personnel meeting violated the Open Meetings Act. The meeting may have involved discipline, observers say, but county officials say it did not. Ogg could not give a date for completion of his investigation.

Help for crisis center

United Way of Tuscola County has allocated \$8,000 to the 1994-95 operations of the Thumb Area Assault Crisis Center. Purpose of the center is to provide safety, support and prevention services to victims of domestic and sexual violence.

Services include a 24-hour crisis hot line — 1-800-292-3666 — and a 24-hour emergency shelter to residents in Huron, Tuscola, Sanilac and Lapeer Counties. Other services includes counseling, therapy, support groups and legal assistance.

SEE ROUND-UP Continued on Page 3



FINAL CLABUESCH SPOOK HOUSE: After 20 years of scaring people half out of their wits on Halloween, Jim and Linda Clabuesch of Pigeon finally put away their fright masks and costumes. This year's Spook House was the final one in the Clabuesch's proud history of providing thrills and chills for young and old alike.

It all started down in Union Lake, when the couple set up an informal haunted house. They've been sponsoring the Spook House behind their Pigeon home for the past 17 years, completely transforming Jim Clabuesch's electrical workshop into a maze of gory and frightening scenes.

Visitors to their Spook House have always been encouraged to make a donation when they enter, and all the money collected during the years has been donated to a variety of charitable causes. And Linda Clabuesch has a list of over 100 people who've volunteered to don makeup and costumes and entertain visitors.

This year, a "skeleton crew" of volunteers were on hand, Linda Clabuesch said, with tongue firmly in cheek...

— By AMY HEIDEN — NEAL EICHLER PHOTO

Inside: TUESDAY IS ELECTION DAY. DEER WIDOWS GET BARGAINS!

USA Drama runs Nov. 18-20

Courtroom trials on daily television have caught the interest of the American public as few other topics have.

However, the public has never been able to peek into "The Jury Room"—until now. The public is invited to experience the secretive process of jury deliberations in a murder trial on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 18, 19 and 20, when the USA Drama Club presents "The Jury Room."

The play deals with arguments that eventually lead up to the consensus and the verdict. The audience may not agree with the outcome, but an exciting adventure is assured, says Joan Hofmeister, director.

Presentation of "The Jury Room" is at USA Middle School at 7:30 p.m. on Friday and Saturday, and at 1:30 p.m. on Sunday. The play is not recommended for very small children who have difficulty distinguishing between make-believe and reality, she says.

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Trinity UM Bazaar is Nov. 19 in Sebewaing

Sebewaing Trinity United Methodist Church will hold its 31st annual Holiday Bazaar, Bake Sale and Luncheon on Saturday, Nov. 19, beginning at 11 a.m. Everyone is invited to enjoy the best luncheon, featuring hot turkey sandwiches, homemade soups, bread and pies, members say.

A wide variety of baked goods, Christmas crafts, homemade gifts, white el-

Sebewaing Subway to open

New Subway restaurants will soon open in Sebewaing and in Caro.

Site of the Subway in Sebewaing is in the former Sears building, 614 S. Unionville Road (M-25). It is scheduled to open by the end of the month.

The Caro location is in the former Midas Muffler Shop, 884 S. State Street (M-81). It should open in early December.

Subway restaurants offer a variety of hot and cold sandwiches and salads made fresh for each customer.

Submarine sandwiches are made with Subway's own Italian or wheat bread, which is baked fresh daily in the store and served with a variety of toppings.

The restaurants are owned by Bruce and Ron McCormick of Caseville and Pigeon.

The McCormicks also own the Subway restaurants which opened in Vassar and Cass City earlier in the year. Some of the offerings include: a Cold Cut Combo—with low-fat, low cholesterol turkey-based bologna, salami and ham, the BMT with ham, Genoa, turkey and ham, or meatball and steak sandwiches, plus many more.

Subway is the fastest growing franchise for six years in a row according to "Entrepreneur" magazine, said Bruce McCormick.

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Worldwide pen pals finally meet, after 30 years...

By MARY DRIER

Paula Nicholas and Wendy Korsten have been friends for over 30 years.

They met for the first time last week.

Nicholas of Sebewaing and Korsten of Australia have been pen pals for over three decades—and finally had the opportunity to meet face-to-face last week, when Korsten and her husband George were visiting the U.S. They stayed with the Nicholas family while in the area.

Their friendship began as a high school English assignment and came about as an accident.

"We were assigned to write to a Australia student," Nicholas recalls. "Actually, I wrote to a different girl who got too many letters and gave my letter to Wendy."

"We have been writing ever since."

Nicholas is a 1966 graduate of Sebewaing High School.

The two women admitted they were worried about meeting for the first time because the experience could ruin a long friendship—spending 10 days together might make or break the friendship.

"The visit could make a really great personal friendship out of a pen pal friendship or it could have ended something that had gone on for years if we didn't like each other or get along," says Nicholas.

"We have gotten along great. It feels like we have all known each other really well for years and years."

Both agree the visit has cemented the friendship. Some cultural differences were noted during the visit. The Korstens had an oppor-

tunity to participate in Halloween for the first time.

"We don't do the tricks or treat things, and we don't use pumpkins," says Wendy Korsten with a notable Australian accent. "It's a grand holiday."

Also, the Australian couple thought Thanksgiving was celebrated with the same fanfare in which the 4th of July is commemorated here.

They were surprised to learn Thanksgiving celebration is mainly a large meal with family and some friends.

Another difference is the design of homes. Australian homes are all single-story—and they marveled at the number of two- and three-story homes in America.

Main topic of the letters over the years has been family. And, it is uncanny now the lives of the two women parallel each other: they each have four children with birth dates very close to each other, their careers and the careers of their husbands are similar, and several similar events have happened to each.

Nicholas and her husband Lloyd were married in the first part of July 1966 and Korsten and her husband were married at the end of that month. The birthdays of three of the boys in each family are close.

"It seemed like one of us would write that they were pregnant and the other would soon be writing saying 'me too,'" says Nicholas.

The Australian pen pal became a nurse. The Sebewaing pen pal planned to go to nursing school too, but married instead—and became an Emergency Medical Technician.

The similarity in family ties



WORLDWIDE PEN PALS Wendy Korsten of Brisbane Queensland, Australia, left, and Paula Nicholas of Sebewaing met last week for the first time during their 30-year correspondence.

Korsten brought Nicholas a lambskin as a gift, used as a bed mat. Australia is a major world wool producer.

MARY DRIER PHOTO

continued after the birth of the three boys, when the Korstens adopted a foster child and the Nicholas had a fourth child.

"It's been really unusual how how lives keep crossing," said Korsten.

Also, Lloyd Nicholas is employed at General Motors.

Saginaw Division and does a lot of work on computers. George Korsten is an independent engineer who works with computers doing drafting.

"The men also found a great deal in common because they can talk about computers," says Nicholas.

Buckle up, baby



CINDY SMITH and her one year old son Scott of Bad Axe take home a toddler car seat from the Huron County Health Department - one of 24 new infant and toddler seats made available from the Michigan Department of Public Health. These seats are available for just pennies a day rent, to ensure that no child in Huron County be without a proper safety seat. An infant seat may be traded in for a toddler seat, if one is available.

Michigan law requires ALL children under age one to be in a child car seat, and children from age one to four in a car seat in the front or a safety belt in the back. All children from age four to 16 must be in safetybelts whenever they are in a car.

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In addition, both of the women's parents died within a short time of each other also.

"It's almost to the point where you don't want to write about anything bad for fear it will happen to the other," Korsten says.

As part of the visit, the couples toured Niagara Falls, Frankfort, and did lots of shopping.

Main purchase items the

Australians zeroed in on were Reebok shoes and blue jeans. In Australia, the cheapest pair of Reeboks are about \$80 and jeans about \$85.

The Australians couldn't believe the amount of goods offered and the low prices here.

The Korstens left Friday—and although the friendship between the two women came about by accident, both say it will continue for many years to come.

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Continued from Front Page

A-F oks staff contracts

A contract has been approved for Akron-Fairgrove School secretarial and kitchen staff, which features 2.5% raises. Board of Education members approved a one-year contract with 2.5% wage increase for the district's four secretaries, and a one-year contract with a 2.3% wage increase for the district's five cooks and meal servers.

Also, transportation coordinator Shirley Fox received a 2.5% raise as transportation coordinator and 2.3% as an aide.

Supt. Kenneth Tahfs did not have a total of how much the increases would cost the district.

In other personnel matters, several new staff members are: Derek McLane as a special education teacher in the high school, Jim Fox is custodian for Fairgrove Elementary and Dave Dewald is custodian at the high school. Mike Kropewnicki is an aide for Akron Elementary.

Court proceedings

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

■ Daren K. Brown, 26 of Dearborn, pled guilty to driving while license suspended, following a recent incident in Caseville; ordered to serve 10 days in Huron County Jail and pay \$200 fines and costs;

■ Ray A. Deering, 25 of Bay Port, pled guilty to impaired driving, second offense; 25 days in jail, 24 months' probation, \$985 fines and costs and loses driver's license for one year;

■ Donald J. Martin, 42 of Valrico, Fl., pled guilty to impaired driving, following a recent incident in Port Austin; \$535 fines and costs and loses license 90 days;

■ Joshua L. Neal, 18 of Port Austin, pled guilty to contributing to the delinquency of a minor; four days in jail and \$200 fines and costs;

■ Che E. Padilla, 21 of Clio, pled guilty to driving while license suspended and speeding, following a recent incident in Port Austin; \$210 fines and costs;

■ Paul R. Bieri, 23 of Bay Port, pled guilty to two charges of improper license plate and driving with expired license; \$210 fines and costs;

■ Marceline R. Fox, 44 of Sebewaing, pled guilty to excessive barking dog; \$50 fines and costs;

■ Darren R. Fritz, 23 of Unionville, found guilty by jury of impaired driving; \$535 fines and costs, six months' probation and loses license 90 days;

■ Juan A. Guardian, 22 of Caseville, pled guilty to improper license plate; \$60 fines and costs;

■ Matthew L. Hunt, 30 of Swartz Creek, pled guilty to no license in possession and improper plate, following a recent incident in Port Austin; \$170 fines and costs;

■ Dennis H. Harris, 49 of Pigeon, pled guilty to impaired driving, second offense; 40 days in jail, \$985 fines and costs, 24 months' probation and loses license for one year, and

■ Dale W. Muehler, 21 of Pigeon, pled guilty to no license in possession; \$101 fines and costs.

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was dressed as a bowl of fruit) helps Samatha Barringer put on her elephant costume, that her mother spent several hours making.

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IT WAS GHOUL school time at USA Elementary School on Oct. 31, as students donned their costumes for Halloween. Mom Pam Deming helped her daughter Ashley with last-minute touches to her costume.

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The Newsweekly Forum

As we see it

Final election time analysis...

It gives us great pleasure to realize this disgusting election year is nearly behind us. No wonder people don't trust their politicians — they're abusing the information and advertising experience which should help us learn more about them.

Instead, this 1994 election year is known only for the mud-slinging and finger-pointing which predominates all campaign ads this year. But that's all wrong — what we deserve to know from any advertisements is what the candidate WILL DO for us, not what his/her opponent DIDN'T DO for us or to us.

Have you noticed how so many ads tear down the other candidate and show what they did wrongly? What we need instead is a straightforward explanation of what the ad-buying person believes, or will do, or has done. TV and radio commercial time should be used to tell the good about the candidate, not just to complain about the opponent.

How can they spend 30 or 60 seconds to slam their opponent, instead of telling us something positive about themselves? Our grocery or car ads don't take all their time telling us about the bad aspects of the competition's products — they tell us why we should shop there or purchase their models.

Political ads should do the same thing, beginning immediately. Folks should give extra consideration to the very few future candidates who actually use their commercial time to explain their views. In fact, political commercials should be required to be four minutes or longer in length, since you can't explain very much in just 30 seconds.

Rather than catchy phrases or sound bites, we should be able to get some "meat" about people who want to represent us. That's not asking too much.

Politicians are among the least-respected members of American society today. There's a good reason: they've earned that distinction, by insulting our intelligence. Instead of dragging down their opponents, they should build up their own images in their ads.

That's the power of advertising: to make things look good. Our politicians would gain more favor (and votes) if they remembered that simple truth.

Readers' Letters

Consumers are winners in telecommunications fight

By Timothy Hoffman,
President, Telephone
Association of Michigan

Consumers will be the big winners in the battle being fought in the telecommunications industry.

The fact that long-distance providers and cable companies are entering the local telephone service market proves the consumer-oriented Michigan Telecommunications Act (MTA) is working.

One of the major themes of the 1991 MTA legislation was to encourage competition within Michigan's telecommunications industry. The recent filings before the Michigan Public Service Commission to provide basic local telephone service by City Signal, MCI — and most recently the joint efforts of Sprint, TCI, Comcast and Cox — all serve as positive proof of the MTA in action.

Many of Michigan's local exchange telephone companies are eagerly awaiting the flexibility which will allow them to compete in offering cable and other multi-media services to customers.

Michigan's 36 local exchange telephone companies have been providing dependable, affordable telephone

service to Michigan residents for more than 90 years, bringing state-of-the-art technology to their customers time and time again.

The logical next step is to apply that technical expertise and customer service to cable and other venues.

An Aug. 15 article in the weekly publication Electronic Media warned, "If cable companies think their television customers have been intolerant of service outages and occasionally uneven channel-to-channel quality, they'll find them downright violent if they serve up telephone service that's anything less than 99.99 percent A-OK."

As we see it, consumers are in a win-win situation. Competition is going to demand that the new technology be coupled with top-notch customer service.

This is the theme that has historically been the mainstay of Michigan's telecommunications industry.

The Telephone Association of Michigan is comprised of 36 local exchange telephone service providers located throughout Michigan. These companies include 34 independent telephone companies, GTE North, Inc. and Ameritech Michigan.

Election letters...

In keeping with long-standing Newsweekly policy, no letters regarding an election appear the week before or the week of the election, to allow time for final rebuttal if needed. Watch for more letters here next Tuesday.

60 Seconds

Our urgent plea

And they constrained Him, saying, "Abide with us, for it is toward evening, and the day is far spent..." LUKE 24:29

The approaching end of another year turns our thoughts to the passage of time and helps us look to the future. Thus we see our helplessness and we are reminded of the Emmaus apostles' plea to the newly-risen Savior, "Abide with us..."

Such invitations were given in the Bible time after time. Another came when two angels visited Lot at night in the wicked city of Sodom. When they appeared at his door, Lot invited them in, urging them to tarry. That invitation saved Lot, his wife and daughters from an angry mob. The angels struck the mob blind and set Lot's family outside the city. Then the Lord rained down fire, destroying the city completely.

With the passage of our years, we find more and more occasions when we need help and support. At such times we do well to remember the words of the Apostles — "Abide with us" — when, unknowingly, they were talking to Jesus.

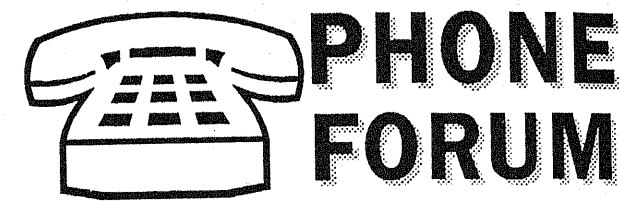
Throughout the Scriptures we find Jesus' invitation to call upon Him on every occasion. What mightier, more-willing Friend can we find anywhere?

"Abide with us" is our response to Him, for it summons The One who can help. Who loves us and Who awaits our call.

On every occasion, at all times, we can tell Jesus, "Abide with us" — and the response comes from Him Who can protect us from every evil, Who directs our way and Who blesses us.

PRAYER: Our thanks to You, Lord Jesus, for abiding with us. Amen.

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Edited by MARK RUMMEL, News Manager

We're already eight days into the November month, and Thanksgiving is just 16 days away — if you can believe it! As you can see, lots of folks have comments on lots of subjects, so here's what's on the minds of your neighbors and friends this week:

D. of Bay Port: Could you possibly check to see what happened to Susan Shaw, the anchor news person on Channel 5? She was there a long time and now suddenly she was gone. Could you check on this? Thank you.
(My understanding about WJEM-TV 5's Susan Shaw is that she took another job as an anchor at WOTV-8 in Grand Rapids. Channel 5 and the other local stations generally prepare news people for "bigger" markets such as that.)

D. from Pigeon: Why would you ever put such a put-down to high school ballplayers in your paper? Those boys work hard for 13 weeks to perform to the best of their abilities on game nights. Have you ever had a son or daughter on a team who has lost an important game? Their hearts are broken. They certainly don't need some adult (?) putting them down.
Yes, the second half of the game as a disappointment but nobody was more disappointed than the boys on the team. If you want to run a put down column, save it to use on adults, not kids.

(Don't shoot the message-carrier, D. As we said in our response last week, we thought those comments were a cheap shot, too. But, we both know some people actually felt that way.)

Mrs. M of Caseville: A while ago there was a big controversy about the Caseville Funeral Home. I can't believe people — this is a beautiful funeral home. All the history is right there, and Mr. Champagne is happy to relate stories about it anytime. Please, oh please, leave things as they are.
(The problem is that the landowners may have other uses for the building and property now being rented by the Caseville Chapel of Champagne Funeral Home. We agree — there's nothing wrong with things as they are, but some folks want to change the current set-up.)

S. of Pigeon: Consumers should pay particular attention to business places that just suck money out of a community and do nothing to improve that community. That also goes for individuals who also suck money out and don't put any time or effort back into any committees to improve that community.

E. F. of Sebawaing: It was NOT Ed Fuerst who wrote about dogs in the neighborhood, in a recent Phone Forum. I want the neighbors to know this.
(It's good for folks to remember those initials which people give aren't necessarily the person you think it is. And, we have no way to know if those initials are real — they're just supposed to help identify people, for future reference...)

I. of Pigeon: I like your idea of one flat 17% tax rate, and the heck with all the forms and figuring. This is the only fair way we could all know we all are paying enough taxes, and equal taxes. But it should go to 40% when you make more than \$150,000 a year.

Felicia of Caseville: I would like to say we'd really appreciate if the Village of Pigeon would put some street lights up at Country Bay Village. It would be much brighter and safer if we had the security of street lights out here. Thank you.
(It's a good point. I'm not sure where project owner Scheurer Hospital's duties end and the Village's duties begin, but we've passed on your comments — and thanks!)

Chris of Sebawaing: This is about speeding trucks and even cars. I think there is an equally dangerous problem, with people driving too slow. I was driving the speed limit of 55 on a road and nearly hit a car that cut in front of me. I looked at my speedometer and noticed the driver was only going 30. I passed when I got a chance, but it was an older driver. I think there should be a law that says people should go at least 45 when the limit is 55. That is dangerous, too.
(I don't disagree, Chris. I have had similar things happen, too, and slow drivers can be a much bigger problem.)

Pete of Sebawaing: I just want to say I have seen "The Day The Earth Stood Still" and it really made me think. It's a great movie, one of the best ever. Everybody should watch it.

Yarns From The Thumb

by Walt Rummel

■ **Today is Election Day**, TUESDAY, NOV. 8, the 312th day of the year, leaving just 53... It's the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, and all U.S. Congressional seats and one-third of all U.S. Senate seats are up for election in the even-numbered years. In Michigan the Governor and state administrative board, and many local officials, are also facing voters... Birthdays today, Dr. Christian Barnard, who performed the first human heart transplant, is 72, actresses June Haver and Katharine Hepburn are 72 and 85, singer Patti Page is 67 and newscaster Morley Safer is 63...

■ **After 28 years** as a symbol of the Cold War, the Berlin Wall began to tumble on NOV. 9, 1989, as East Germany opened all its checkpoints along the wall with West Germany. Pro-democracy demonstrations followed and re-unification of the two Germanys came in the Summer of 1990... Tonight is the 50th anniversary of Kristallnacht (Crystal Night) in Germany as Nazi mobs destroyed thousands of Jewish shops on NOV. 9, 1938. The night got its name from the smashing of glass store windows... Spiro Agnew, the 39th Vice-President, is 76 today and biologist/astronomer Carl Sagan is 60...

■ **The ore carrier Edmund Fitzgerald** broke in two during a heavy storm on Lake Superior near Whitefish Point on NOV. 10, 1975. There were no survivors among the 29 crew members in that worst Great Lakes disaster of the decade... Martin Luther, the Augustinian monk who became one of the leaders of the Reformation and of Protestantism, was born at Eisleben, in Saxony, Germany, on NOV. 10, 1483. He lived to be 62... Dr. Jared Potter Kirtland, for whom the Kirtland Warbler is named, was born on NOV. 10, 1793. The first Kirtland Warbler to be identified and studied was found on his farm near Cleveland, OH, in 1851, where he died on Dec. 10, 1877...

■ **The anniversary of the Armistice** between Allied and Central Powers, ending World War I, was signed on NOV. 11, 1918, in the forest of Compiègne, France, to take effect at the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month. This year will see the 75th anniversary of Veterans' Day, which honors the service personnel of all wars... On NOV. 11, 1938, Kate Smith sang "God Bless America," in a radio broadcast. It was written by Irving Berlin especially for her and it became one of the patriotic favorites of the USA and her most-requested song... Gen. George S. Patton, one of the USA's most colorful and successful generals of World War II, was born in California on NOV. 11, 1885. His specialty was the tank corps, with its swift attacks and maneuverability. He was killed in Heidelberg, Germany, shortly after the close of the war, in an auto crash... actress Demi Moore is 32 today, comedian Jonathan Winters is 69 and golfer Fuzzy Zoeller is 43...

■ **If Grace Kelly were alive** today she'd be 65. The award-winning actress was born in Philadelphia on NOV. 12, 1929, and became Princess Grace of Monaco when she married that country's ruler, Prince Rainier III, in 1956. She died in an auto crash Sept. 12, 1982... actress Stephanie Powers is 52 and gymnast Nadia Comaneci of Romania is 33...

■ **Today, NOV. 13**, marks the beginning of American Education Week... In Germany today is Volkstrauertag — National Day of Mourning — and it comes on the second last Sunday before Advent. Next Sunday is Totensonntag — a Sunday to remember the dead — and the last Sunday of the Old Church Year... Honoring nurses who work in hospital surgeries, today marks the beginning of Operating Room Nurse Week NOV. 13-19... actor Dick Rambo is 53 today...

■ **Robert Fulton, inventor** of the steamboat, was born NOV. 14, 1765, in Lancaster, PA. He had a slogan, "If you see a need, find a means to supply it," and he consciously set out to develop a way of moving boats without the need for sails. He invented many things, most of them in connection with moving cargoes or people... Birthdays today, King Hussein of Jordan is 59, UN Secretary-General Boutros Boutros Ghali 72, Charles, Prince of Wales, 46, actors Brian Keith 73 and McLean Stevenson 66...

■ **Immediately following the death** of 92-year-old Alfred E. Scheiwe several weeks ago, Lorene Zagata, lifelong resident and former student of the late teacher, E-Mailed the information to Dave Bickel, formerly a teacher in Immanuel School, Sebawaing, and for many years a teacher in Hong Kong International School.

Swifter than a flying arrow, Dave responded to Lorene's news. He E-Mailed this message back to Lorene, who is now a teacher at USA.

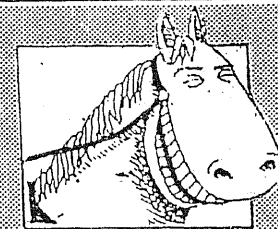
Dave commented: (He [Mr. Scheiwe] is a very special person in my life that went way beyond music. He taught me much in that realm, including insights of appreciation that allow much more enjoyment in the world of music than I otherwise might have never understood, much less enjoyed.

"But it was the spirit, demeanor and behavior of the man that meant so much to me. There are areas of success I enjoy in the teaching ministry and profession that can be directly attributed to my time together with him. Sebawaing will always be special to us because of the Zagatas. Immanuel will always be special to me because of Mr. Scheiwe..."

■ **Senior Citizens' hearing** doesn't improve as the years pass, yet TV commercials are all getting louder and louder. Must be the agencies are making them louder and the networks and stations are playing them louder. Help! Help!

Horsin' Around

by Kate Pickering



Every 15 seconds?

There's a disturbing commercial on TV — which features lovely "Mad About You" star Helen Hunt revealing a very startling fact: every 15 seconds a woman in America is beaten by her husband or lover.

What? To that I can only say, every 16 seconds there had better be a "husband or lover" picking his teeth up off the floor.

Because I believe the only thing that stands between women and the total abolition of spousal abuse is a sharp right hook and good swift kick in the groin!

Now, no little girl grows up hoping she will one day have the opportunity to cultivate a deadly upper cut... but no woman should live in constant fear for the safety and well being of herself and her children either. And if domestic violence is getting so common that it occurs every 15 seconds, I say put down the Barbie dolls and teach your daughters to bob and weave.

Because everyone knows a chicken-livered man won't raise his hand to a worthy opponent... only a defenseless woman, a little child or helpless animal!

It's a concept I just can't grasp to begin with... but I especially can't grasp it at the rate of every 15 seconds. And, as it appears lawmakers are not in any big hurry to change a system that aids battered women with "warnings" and "restraining orders, what's left but to take up karate?

I by no means wish to make light of this very serious and deadly issue... quite the contrary. But I do believe that the societal myths which keep a woman defending herself or finding herself worth fighting for need to be smashed, because they are as prehistoric and moldy as this: "Fighting isn't ladylike" and "I can't make it without him."

Well, fighting may not be lady-like, but beating women and children is not very "manly" either.

Of course, I understand that amazon-like aggression might not be a realistic part of every woman's repertoire... but at least call somebody, for land's sake. Call the police and mean it! File charges, go to a shelter, plead with relatives for temporary refuge, dial 911, get in touch with the Huron County Department of Social Services at 269-9201, call the Thumb Area Assault Crisis Center at 1-800-292-3666 or try The Wellness Network Hotline at 1-800-872-2437.

And if the gloves come off... put up your dukes! Then — together — maybe we can change this so that every 15 seconds a husband or lover things twice!

Recollections Of By-Gone Days

by George Keim



DEAR EDITOR:

In my last article, I wrote about how my teachers didn't have enough cookies to go around and told us boys that we were big enough to go without.

Well, when I was a young boy going to school, my mother used to make candy for people for Christmas. It was called Divinity Fudge.

A lot of people found out about it and she had her fingers full making it! People brought the stuff to make it and she she charged so much for a batch. If I beat my sister to it, I could look out the pans she used to make it in... It was a real treat.

Some people wanted peanuts mixed in it and sometimes they brought more than they needed.

My mother let us have a few of them, but she didn't want us to drop the shells on the floor, so I put them in my pocket. I had quite a few, and then I forgot to throw them into the coal pack.

Well, that day in school, the teacher told us not to throw any peanut shells or gum wrappers in the street.

The next day I got my handkerchief out and those peanut shells fell on the floor. The teacher came back and saw them on the floor, and she got mad and blamed me for eating peanuts during school!

I wasn't dumb enough to throw them on the floor if I would've eaten them, so I told her I ate them at home and she didn't believe it.

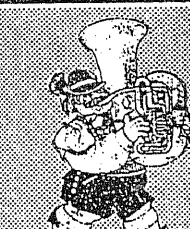
So I said I ate them on the way to school and she said, "You mean to tell me that you stuck the shucks in your pocket?"

Well, I told her that she had said we weren't supposed to throw the shells on the sidewalk so I had put them in my pocket.

She got even madder and said I was lying and that she had a notion to give me a lickin'. If you've ever gotten a lickin' with a rubber hose, you know it stings, so I kept pretty quiet. The teacher told

A Wahre G'schichte

bei Hanswurst



Ein historical record

Was gutes kann man realisieren von einer alten Auction Bill von 1916?

Da Frau Martha Dressler starb recently, hab ich mit ihr Relatives ge-visited und wir haben discussed das Frau Dressler und Herr Herb Dressler haben die Farm gekauft da unsere Grosseltern, Ernst und Amelia Kahlmann und ihre Kinder (unsere Mutter) wohnten.

Lo und behold, in die alte Blade Records von Dezember 21, 1916, war die grosse Auction about die kommende Auction am Dezember 28.

Wir lernten viel about unsere Grosseltern und Mutter die wir nie wussten. Hier sind etliche Facts die wir lernten von die Auction Ad about die Kahlmanns.

Sie hatten 5 Pferde — 1 braunes Team, 11 Jahre alt, 2600 pfunde, und 3 Pferde von 3 bis 12 Jahre alt;

8 Kuehe, von 4 bis 11 Jahre alt, alle erwarteten Kaelber, eine schon am Januar 8;

Schweine und 150 Huehner; Sie hatten ein Keystone Heu Loader, ein Keystone Side Delivery, ein Champion Binder, ein McCormick Mower, ein neuer Bohn Puller, eine Imperial Grain Drill mit Fertilizer, 2 Spring-Tooth und eine Spike-Tooth Harrows, ein Kellogg Beet Lifter;

Wir wunderten viel Dollars alle das Equipment brachten. Nicht viele, das ist sure!

Auch For Sale waren 3 10-Gallon Milch Cans, ein Economy Chief Cream Separator; Feuer trafen hatten Kahlmanns 2 heavy Sleighs und ein light Bob Sleigh und ein Cutter; Es gab viele andere Articles und etliche unusual Dinge auf die List sowie 10 Bienen Hives, viele Harnesses, schwer und leicht, Singles und Doubles, Bohn Straw, Spinning Wheel, 2 Zucker Rueben Forks, und, of course, Manure Forks.

Grossvater Kahlmann hatte ein grosser Busch und das war ge-proved weil auf die Auction Bill waren 2,500 board feet Elm Planks, schweres Lumber fuer Wagen Axles, Tongues und Sleigh Runners.

Die Auction Bill zeigte auch andere Information about der Zeit — Directions zu die Farm waren von Sebawaing, von Unionville und von Kilmanagh described.

Die Sale fing an um 10 Uhr, und Luther and Son waren Auctioneers. George E. Everingham von die local Bank war Clerk.

Irgend Kaufer die ueber \$5 kauften konnten auf Installments ihr Debt bezahlen. Sie hatten Kredit fuer 12 Monaten an "gute bankable Notes," und Interesse war 7%! Das waren andere Zeiten denn Heute, und das hatten die Kahlmanns ge-proved weil die Auction Bill sagte, "Free Lunch at Noon."

Das ist der Proof das diese Sale war long, long ago — mehr denn 75 Jahre ago!

Die Moral in die Lesson ist: Haette Ich nur diese Auction Bill gefunden da unsere Mutter noch am Leben war! Denk einmal was Sie uns haette sagen koennen about die Pferde und Kuehe, die Buggies und der Cream Separator, die Bob Sleighs und Cutter! Ah, die Freude die wir verpasst haben!

me never to lie to her again. **Well, I tried** to watch out to never make any more trouble. There was something wrong with the teacher and once awhile, she'd run out to the bathroom and told us to be quiet while she was gone.

The girls used to feel sorry for her, but we boys didn't and when nobody was listening, we'd say how we'd like to use the rubber hose on her.

Lots of times we'd come to school and there would be a note on the blackboard that there wouldn't be school that day because the teacher was sick. We boys used to laugh and either go home or run around 'til noon.

One thing we knew was that if the teacher knew your mother, you had it made because lots of times some mother would come to visit the school and her kids behaved really well.

Anytime a boy got by with something, the rest of us told them that if the teacher didn't know their mother, they could get by with it.

The Bible says, "Train a child when he's young and when he gets old he'll not depart from it." Well, I remember a lot of things my folks taught me and I'm old now and I'll try to still do what they taught me.

Sincerely yours,
GEORGE KEIM

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Native Jim Meek opens Meek's Land Surveying

By MARY DRIER

James Meek knows the lay of the land around Sebawaing — and for any spots he doesn't know, he can soon find out. Meek is owner of Meek's Land Surveying of Sebawaing and operates the business with his wife Marilyn. Although the couple has lived in several different states, they are originally from Sebawaing. They lived and did survey work in New Mexico, North Dakota and Alaska during the last 12 years.

"We decided to return here because we have family here," says Meek. "Business is picking up. Most of the surveyors in this area busy."

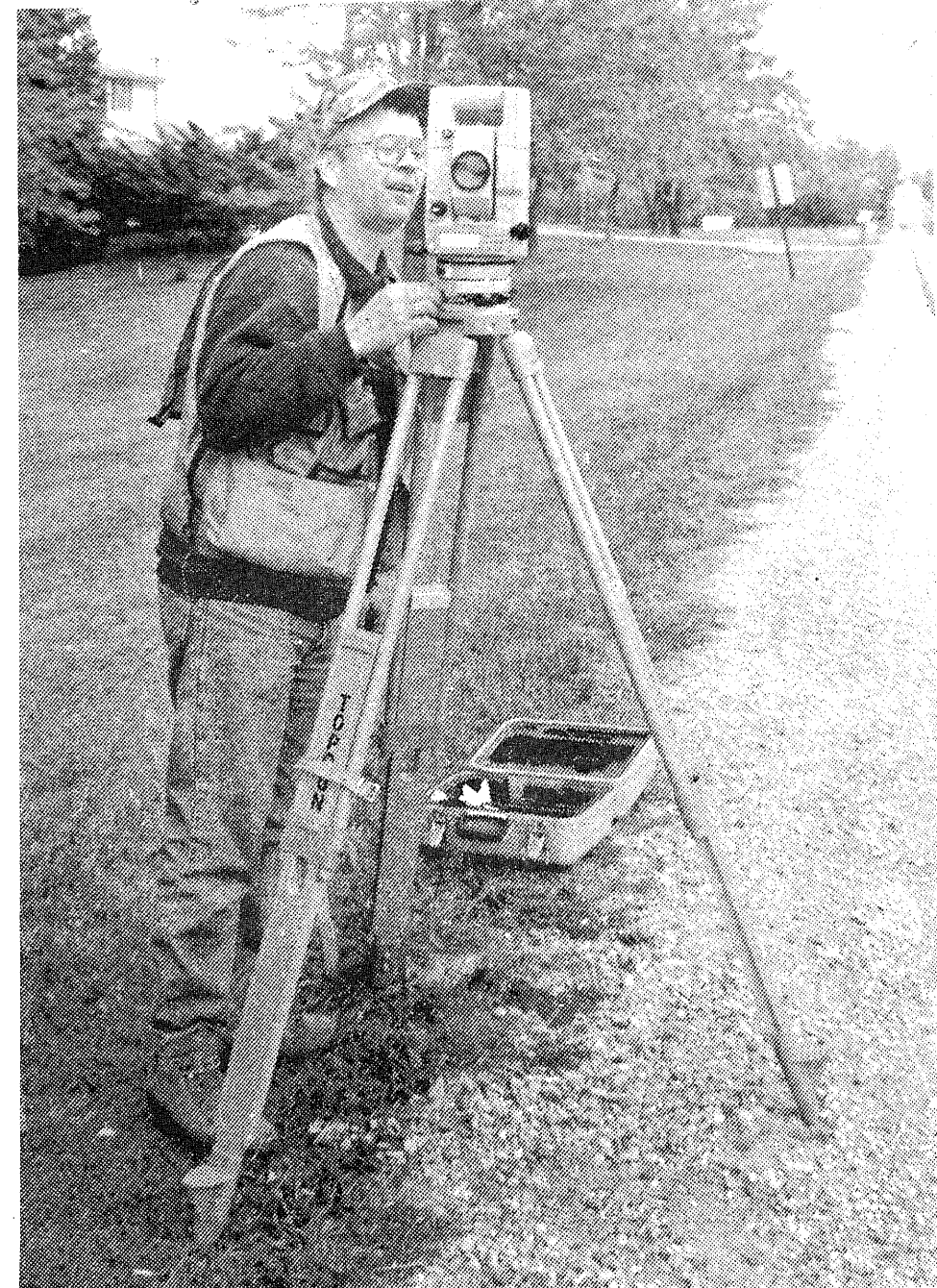
Meek's Land Surveying was recently approved by the Huron County Commissioners to work on the remonumentation of the county, to

do survey work in Sebawaing Township. "Remonumentation is a state program to maintain public-land survey section corners, to designate township boundaries," says Meek. "It's basically a survey maintenance program that had been long overdue." Several surveyors in each of the state's 83 counties are working on the program. Meek also does regular boundary surveys for mortgage reports, subdivision surveys and surveys for flood-plane certification. "I can do any work requiring measuring the land," he says. "We hope to be able to make a living in the area where we grew up." Before returning home, the Meeks most-recently lived in Alaska for six years. He has done surveying for about 15 years. He graduated from the former Sebawaing

High School in 1964, and is a Ferris State University graduate. Meek's parents are the late James Meek, Sr. and the late Gertrude Meek. Marilyn Meek is the daughter of Dorothy Winter and the late Elmer Winter. Phone number for Meek's Land Surveying is 883-2570.

Local news

Alma Stahl of Bay Port and Leona Ballman of Port Hope spent a week with their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Richard (Donna) Molinaro of Wichita Falls, TX. Debra Molinaro and daughter Rachael of Georgetown, TX were weekend guests of her parents, and were visitors at Don Peppel's on Monday. They also spent a few days with Leona's son and family.



JIM MECK USES some of his equipment in surveying an area road. MARY DRIER PHOTO

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Scheurer Hospital marks 50th year with calendar

Just about everything a person would want to know about Scheurer Hospital's 50-year history can be found in the pictorial 1995 calendar celebrating Scheurer Hospital's 50th Anniversary — now available for sale at the hospital's front desk.

Even personal memories and anecdotes, plus hospital dates of historic significance from the past five decades have been compiled into the wall calendar, depicting "50 Years of Excellence" at Scheurer Hospital of Pigeon.

The calendar was designed as the first activity marking

the hospital's Golden Year, and will be followed up with a number of activities in 1995.

Scheurer department heads are "putting their heads together" to make plans in the areas of Hospital Week, Doctors' Day, a parade float, community dinner and more, according to Administrator Dwight Gascho.

"We're all very proud of the accomplishments of the past 50 years," says Gascho, "and want to share that pride with the community."

Jo Champagne, administrative assistant who worked for months to compile and

design the calendar, applauds all the work the community has done to recognize the hospital and in 1995 wants to "turn the tables" so that the hospital and its employees can be involved in the planning of some special anniversary activities.

"The employees are all very excited about helping to plan some events," she says.

The calendar is available right now at the hospital and is nominally priced so that it's affordable for everyone.

"We wanted to have it out in time for gift-giving and in plenty of time for 1995," adds Gascho.



JO CHAMPAGNE and Dwight Gascho look over the new Scheurer Hospital calendar.

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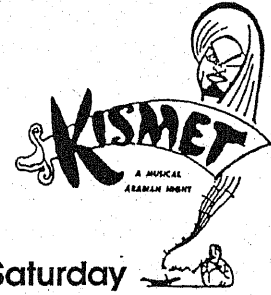
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Vacation to the north goes south...

DEAR MR. ROSS:

What I'm asking for is help with a bus ticket home and food for when I get out of jail. It's a long way to hitchhike from Sault Ste. Marie to Washington D.C.

You see, I went on a two-week vacation with a friend. He borrowed a truck from his friend because we were going to Canada and it had a camper on the back.

Well, on the way back into the U.S. the border patrol stopped us. They searched the truck and found one gram of hash oil, which we didn't know anything about.

So anyway, they took the truck and put me in jail for 103 days because I didn't have \$1,030 to pay the fine.

I'm married with two children. Please give me the break I'm looking for. — Mr. D. G. Sault Ste. Marie, MI

DEAR MR. G.:

How is it you can afford a two-week vacation, but you can't afford a bus ticket back home? If you didn't have a wife and children, I'd turn you down in a New York minute.

I'm going to assume you're a working man if you can afford to vacation, so I'll bail you out this time by way of my forthcoming postal money order.

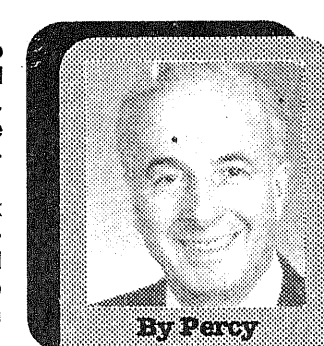
Just remember, I generally only help a person once and you just used yours up.

DEAR MR. ROSS:

It's hard for me to ask for help even though my wife and I need it. I'm 25 and my wife (of seven years) is 55.

She can't work due to health reasons, so I had to take two jobs to try and meet the bills. Even with two jobs we still have a real hard time the old rob Peter to pay Paul thing.

So, one day my wife and I thought about starting our own



By Percy Ross

business. We called around and came up with an amount of \$350 (for insurance and bond) to start a janitorial business.

No matter how hard we try and save something else comes up, like clothes for our grandkids, who we're raising. I've already been told we can have three contracts when we get our insurance and bond. So, if you could see clearly to help us out it would really be appreciated.

If nothing else, it feels good to get this off my chest. — Mr. C. C., Pueblo, CO

DEAR MR. C.:

Writing down your problems can be extremely therapeutic. It helps sharpen your focus.

I'm glad you had an outlet, but I'm even happier about the fact I'm able to get you started with your own business.

Please accept my \$350 for insurance and bond, along with my very best wishes for success.

DEAR MR. ROSS:

I'm a single parent of two daughters living on an income of \$288 a month. Recently I found out my 15-year-old daughter is pregnant and due in about seven weeks.

We're living in a one-bedroom apartment, although I'm on a waiting list for a larger apart-

ment.

I was absolutely unprepared for this child, but I will love it with all my heart.

Babies need a lot of items and I have no extra income other than A.D.C. Now that I have to care for my new grandchild while my daughter goes back to school I won't have any time for much of anything else. I'm asking for your help with getting a crib and a few

other items for the baby. — Ms. P. S., Richmond, IN

DEAR MS. S.:

I'm amazed you just learned that your 15-year-old daughter is seven weeks short of having a baby and you've already moved to acceptance.

What happened to anger and disappointment? I agree babies need a lot — a lot more than all the money in the

world can buy.

I hope you have what it takes because my check for baby items is only the beginning. Best wishes.

DEAR MR. ROSS:

Millionaire Percy Ross of Minneapolis is known for his philanthropic work. He offers help and encouragement for those in need. He has earned a fortune and a wealth of knowl-

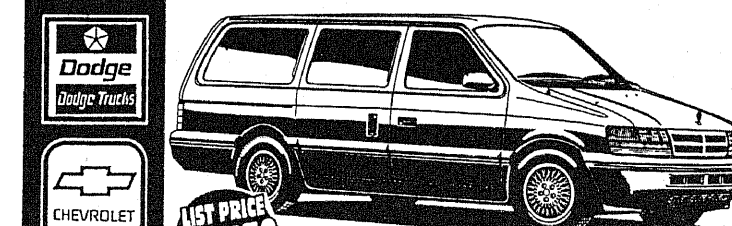
edge during his lifetime and wants to share both. His motto: "He who gives while he lives... also knows where it goes!"

Write Percy Ross, P.O. Box 39000-B, Minneapolis, MN 55439. Include your phone number and say you read it in "The Newsweekly." All letters are read. Only a few are answered in this column.

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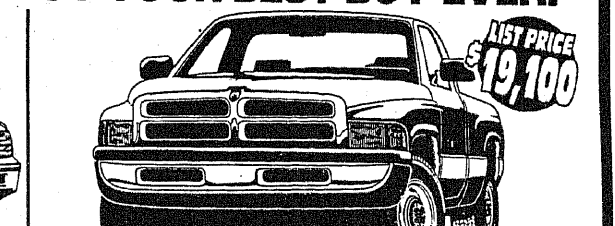
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Down Memory Lane

From The Pages Of The Unionville Crescent

75 YEARS AGO NOV. 21, 1919

Roy Schmidt of Bay City, who has been assisting Karl Black in his barber shop, has returned home.

The creamery is receiving a new dress of cream colored paint which improves its appearance very much.

Clinton Honeywell is building a small addition to his house in which he will install an electric washer and laundry outfit.

William Surine sold his farm Monday to Frank Wagner. Possession will not be given until a year from this fall when Mr. Wagner's lease expires on the Treiber farm.

65 YEARS AGO NOV. 22, 1929

Mrs. Arthur Armbruster is assisting as saleswoman at John Beatenhead's during her husband's absence on his vacation hunting trip. Being old-fashioned is no crime. It is just a joke to the young.

Don Brady, who has been in Detroit for several years, has moved to Saginaw where he has purchased a drug store on Gratiot Road.

55 YEARS AGO NOV. 24, 1939

Henry Kramer is building a new garage, 16x22, on his residence property that fronts Bay Street.

Ten neighbors assisted Theron and Milan Bush Monday in raising their new tool shed on the Bush farm. The new structure is 24x40. Herman Stoll is contractor.

A.A. Eisengruber reports that his brother John of Sebewaing, had luck his 13th trip to camp this year. John bagged his first buck. For 12 years he just "saw one."

The family of Henry Kramer

that has been quarantined with scarlet fever are now over the disease. Tommy, Billy and Donna Lee, all had the fever.

45 YEARS AGO NOV. 11, 1949

Unionville residents will be able to make calls to Akron and Gagetown numbers according to Michigan Bell Telephone Company.

Jeannette Marie VanSteenhouse and Kenneth James McLaren were married Saturday at Moravian Church.

35 YEARS AGO NOV. 12, 1959

Jean Gangler was crowned Homecoming Queen Friday night at the annual dance.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ewald and Mr. and Mrs. Duane Ewald have purchased the former Mary Fisher farm south of Unionville. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dickson of Akron, son, Kipp Donald, Friday, Oct. 30. The mother is the former Caroline Gangler.

25 YEARS AGO NOV. 13, 1969

Pat Sting, Unionville senior, was top vote-getter as he was selected all-conference guard on the Western Thumb Association all-star team.

Three students at Unionville High School have been named Outstanding Teenagers of America. They are Betty Orban, Renee Roller and Marsha Elenbaum.

15 YEARS AGO NOV. 15, 1979

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Roller honored their parents on their 40th wedding anniversary Nov. 11 with a family dinner at the home of their son-in-law and

daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Koch of Sebewaing.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Irion hosted the November meeting of the Lyman Farm Bureau at their home Friday night. Robert Reich chaired the meeting.

An old-fashioned Christmas Bazaar and Bake Sale will be Saturday at Wisner UM Church.

From The Pages Of The Pigeon Progress & Elkton Advance

70 YEARS AGO NOV. 14, 1924

Pigeon High School football team members are the 1924 gridiron champions. Team members include Wertz, E. Hartman, Clabuesch, Paul, Doecker, C. Spence, R. Spence, Morse, Dondineau, Braun, Schumacher, Nienstedt, Leprandt, A. Schumacher and Damm. Coach is Vaughn Garrison.

A box social, preceded by a short entertainment, will be given at Hayes School, McKinley, on Nov. 17. Ladies, please bring boxes. Everyone invited.

Charles F. Sturm, Chandler Twp., has threshed 2160 bushels of beans from 110 acres.

The championship Pigeon football team, accompanied by Coach Garrison and H.O. Paul, attended the Michigan Northwestern football game at Ann Arbor Saturday.

60 YEARS AGO NOV. 9, 1934

Winners in Tuesday's state election were Republicans Frank Fitzgerald, governor; Arthur Vandenberg, U.S. Senator; Jesse Wolcott, congressman; Samuel Pangborn, state senator; Howard Nugent, representative; John Graham, sheriff; John Doyle, clerk; Robert Richardson, treasurer; Ted Schubel, register of deeds; William Steadman, drain commissioner.

First yearly meeting of USA Music Boosters was held Oct. 15 at the USA cafeteria.

St. Paul Lutheran PTL met Wednesday with President Robert Becker presiding.

Unionville Village Council recently received a check for \$8,351.29 from the Unionville Centennial Committee for lights at the ball diamond located at the village park.

dan, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Soldan, Pigeon, pilot of a Liberator bomber, has been awarded the air medal with an oak leaf cluster at his base in England.

Members of the cast of Pigeon High School's senior class play, "Campus Quarantine" are Helen Frank, Verona Luedtke, June Malpass, Lorene Heck, Joyce Richmond, Lois Smith, Ronald Geiger, Ward Clabuesch, Ted Woelke, Arnold Rathje, Art Woelke and Thaddeus Diebel.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Collison, Fair Haven Twp., have been notified that their son, Pfc. Roy Collison has been wounded in action and is now convalescing in France.

Lieut. John Beach, son of Mr. and Mrs. M.H. Beach, Caseville, is somewhere in Belgium.

Mr. and Mrs. David Vollmer have received word that their son, Cpl. John Vollmer, has arrived in France.

40 YEARS AGO NOV. 12, 1954

George Southworth, Elkton, was elected president of Huron County Farm Bureau at a board meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Oeschger, Bay Port. Two new board members are Clifford Richmond, Pigeon, and Arthur Terrill, Bay Port.

Coming to the Gem Theatre, Pigeon, "Gone With The Wind." Now showing, "The

Big Gamble," with Marsha Hunt, Wm. Lundigan plus "Trail of the Vigilantes" with Broderick Crawford and Andy Devine. - ADV.

Seniors on the honor roll at Elkton High School are Jean Diebel, Marilyn Foster, Marge McCarty, Barbara Miller, Wileta Ross, Wayne Schember, Pat Schultz, Donna Tabone, Jim Walsh, Nancy Waterworth and Glen Waterworth.

30 YEARS AGO NOV. 12, 1964

Children of Mr. and Mrs. Judson Steele will honor their parents for their 50th anniversary with an open house Sunday at Bay Port Methodist Church. They have five children, Ruth, Ethyle, Charles, John and Lenore. Their youngest son, Judson Grant Jr. was a WWII casualty at Okinawa.

Peter Dixon, son of Dr. and Mrs. R.C. Dixon, Pigeon, is entering Wayne State University school of medicine.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Finkbeiner, Pigeon, were honored on their 45th anniversary at a family dinner Sunday at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Damm.

20 YEARS AGO NOV. 14, 1974

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Weidman, Pigeon, observed their 50th anniversary Sunday

with a dinner at their home for their immediate family.

Elected to the Pigeon, Windsor, McKinley United Fund Board were Mrs. Lyle Albrecht and Mrs. Bruce Richmond. Wayne Lawrence is chairman and Mrs. Randy Baur was also elected.

10 YEARS AGO OCT. 31, 1984

There won't be a long line of voters at Pointe Aux Barques Township at the northern tip of the Thumb on Nov. 6, when polls open for the 9 registered voters expected to turn out in person in Michigan's smallest election precinct. Actually, there are 39 regis-

tered voters, but only a few reside year-round, and most vote by absentee ballot.

Jaycees of Pigeon are sponsoring the second annual "Help A Child At Christmas" Drawing. Tickets are on sale now from any Jaycee.

Clayton Gemmel gave the invocation for 61 Elkton Senior Citizens when they met Tuesday for their weekly potluck.

Mary and Katie MacAlpine of Town & Country Beauty Shop, Pigeon, went to the Hyatt Regency, Flint, recently for the Jose Eber Style Show.

Births: Twin sons to Mr. and Mrs. Michael (Lorraine) LePage on Oct. 26, Jonathan Lester and Joshua Francis.

From The Pages Of The Sebewaing Blade

60 YEARS AGO NOV. 9, 1934

Mrs. Alfred Neuman, Sebewaing, has been named president of the Tri-County OES Association.

Carl Dudge, 54, was instantly killed while walking on the pavement near the sugar factory when he was struck by an automobile.

50 YEARS AGO NOV. 10, 1944

The large barn on the farm of Clarence Irer, south of Sebewaing, was destroyed by fire Friday. The fire started in a pile of shredded corn.

First Lieut. Kenneth Beck has completed 321 combat flying hours and 47 missions with the "Jolly Rogers" in the Southwest Pacific and will be returned to headquarters. He hopes to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Beck, for Thanksgiving.

William and Albert Mueller, Detroit, have purchased Hotel Hannah from Mr. and Mrs. William Evers. Franklin Roosevelt has been

elected to a fourth term as U.S. President; Harry Kelly is re-elected Michigan governor.

40 YEARS AGO NOV. 11, 1954

The Herring Run is on, tons of fish, hundreds of fish buyers and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Engelhard of Bay Port gave a demonstration of how to make those tasty herring sandwiches over a state-wide TV hookup last weekend.

Roger Gremel and Marjorie Oldenkamp were crowned King and Queen at the Sebewaing High School Carnival.

A Band Boosters Club has been organized at Sebewaing High School with 14 charter members: Mrs. Carl Tredup president, Mrs. Nick Schmidt vice president, Mrs. S.O. Bradbury secretary and Mrs. O. J. Buss treasurer.

30 YEARS AGO NOV. 12, 1964

Bernett Volz, a 1962 graduate of Sebewaing High School

recently graduated from the School of Practical Nursing in Bay City and is presently employed at Mercy Hospital. She is the daughter of Mrs. Florence Volz.

Maxine Wissner became the bride of Vern Winter Saturday Oct. 17, at St. John's Lutheran Church, Kilmanagh.

Some 21,727 Huron County persons received the Sabin polio vaccine Sunday at the second phase of "Operation Sugar Cube" at 12 centers.

20 YEARS AGO NOV. 14, 1974

Prominent Sebewaing businessman, Roland Krauss, 59, died Nov. 8, following a short illness. He is survived by his widow, Geraldine, two sons and one daughter.

Coming from behind for the fourth time in nine games, USA pulled out a near miracle finish to down Harbor Beach 22-18 and take the Big Thumb Conference championship.

Sherry Lee Fritz was honored on her seventh birthday with a party attended by her friends.

10 YEARS AGO NOV. 13, 1984

ACW Ambulance crew member Bill Owens presented Barbara Parsell with the organization's CPR Life-saver Award Wednesday at Unionville Village Hall. Parsell's action credited her with saving her father, Elmer Prime's life.

Sebewaing Lions Club members celebrated the club's silver anniversary Saturday at Annabelle's restaurant as charter members Arnold Lutz, Fred Brandenburg, Ray Werschky, Bill Zemke and Lewis Easlick received recognition from local members

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as well as representatives from Lions Clubs in Pigeon, Owendale and Gagetown.

Sunday's unexpected heavy snowfall set the sugar beet delivery schedule back a few

days. Officials are still confident 5% of the final crop will be delivered by Thursday.



IN DAYS GONE BY, it was easy to identify the men of the Black Family. They all sported the same hairdo.

The late Preston Black, who was bald, had eight sons... who were also bald. At left is Preston Black, and his sons Byron, Carl, Don, Floyd, Emmett, Ovid, Elwin and Fenton Black, all who have passed away, too.

The elder Black also had three daughters, Mille Ostrander, Jenny Moyer and Zella Hovey, who too are deceased.

Preston Black was a Tuscola County Supervisor, farmer and a school board member. He was born May 5, 1863, in Wisner Township, where he was supervisor for 14 years.

The photo is courtesy of Millie Ainsworth of Unionville, who is a niece to the Black Family and estimates the picture was taken about 1938.



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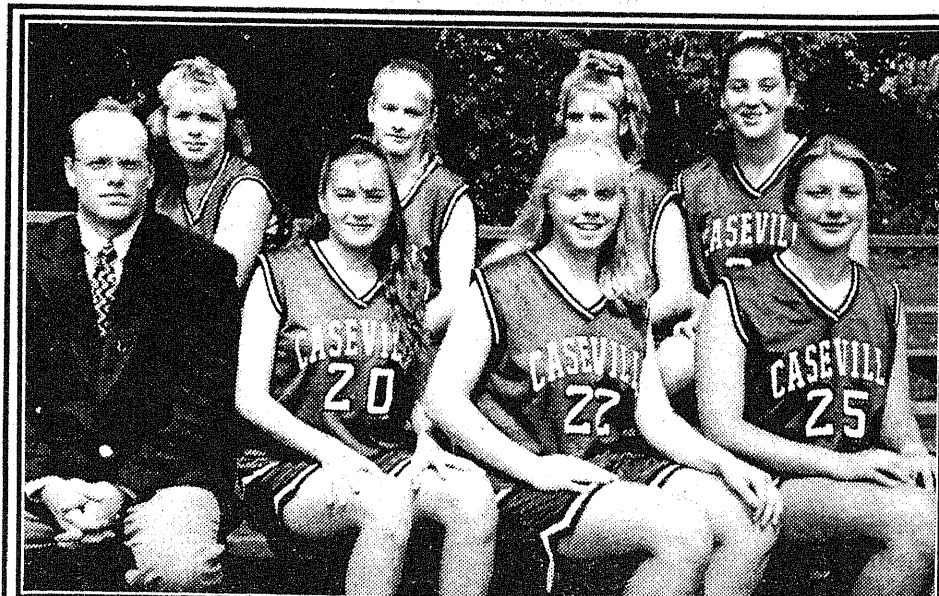
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ONE OF THE CLEARER, neatest (and maybe oldest) photos in The Newsweekly files is this remarkably-fine picture of M.R. Steele Harness Maker business. It's been in old Sebewaing Blade files for many years, but the question is: Where WAS the M.R. Steele Harness Maker shop located?

Some people said it was in Kilmanagh, and the background could make it appear that way. Now, while some of the old timers are still around, can anyone give us the right information?

Where was this shop, and who knows any information about it. In advance, The Newsweekly says, "Thank You!"



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Achievements

USA High School's Future Farmers of America Chapter will bring home honors after this week's national convention in Kansas City, Mo. USA's FFA chapter is slated to receive a Gold National Outstanding Chapter Award to designate it as the top chapter in the nation, a Silver National Award for Building Our American Community, and a Silver National Safety Award.

Also, Mike Hoagg, Kyle Fiebig, Sarah Zagata and John Stoekle will compete for the National Dairy Judging Team Award during the convention.

The National FFA Convention will run until Saturday.

Huron Memorial Hospital of Bad Axe hosted an open house last Sunday showing its newly-renovated facilities. The hospital has completed its \$4 million, 15,000 sq. ft. addition which includes three operating suites, two minor surgery examination rooms and a new ambulatory surgery area. The operating-room suites are about 50% larger than the old suites. The hospital was originally built in 1970.

Former Sebawaing resident **Gerald Backus** participated in one of the largest drug busts California's Santa Barbara County has ever recorded. Backus, a member of the U.S. Coast Guard currently stationed in California, participated in a drug seizure of 3.5 tons of marijuana that had an estimated street value of \$51 million.

According to a California newspaper Backus mailed to his mother, June Schulz and step-father Omer Schulz, the seizure was the largest bust in the Santa Barbara area in 20 years.

Law enforcement officials confiscated 129 bales of marijuana and arrested seven people allegedly involved in the operation that may have originated in Columbia.

The raid came about when sailboat carrying the illegal cargo came near shore to load the drugs in a rental van.

Backus was among 50 various agency members to participate in the raid, including the federal Drug Enforcement Agency and U.S. Customs Service.

During the bust, Backus and other Coast Guard members carried guns for protection. While Backus is no stranger to danger, gun-toting is a new duty, he said in the story.

Before being transferred to California, Backus was stationed at the Coast Guard Station at Bay City. He participated in several rescues, searches and assisted in the Jupiter disaster on the Bay City River.

Errol, 22, is a Filion native and a recent Central Michigan University graduate with degrees in broadcasting and political science.

Before coming to the station, Errol was an intern at TV-5 in Saginaw.

Caseville School gets new \$25,000 Earthvision computer

By AMY HEIDEN

Environmental data—plain facts about weather and soil—can be broken down and expressed in mathematical equations.

And a team of Caseville teachers and students are doing just that, and entering those equations into the school's new Silicon Graphics computer, a high-tech piece of equipment costing about \$25,000.

The students are using the computer to do environmental research in the Earthvision program, administered by the Environmental Protection Agency.

After spending several Saturdays last spring studying environmental science, the team was selected to participate in the summer research program at the National Environmental Supercomputing Center in Bay City.

There, they learned to turn raw facts in mathematical equations the computer could use, to predict the effects on the environment of man's activities.

The team chose as their project "Comparison of Weather Data and Crop Water Demands for Shebeon-Kilmanagh Soils in Huron County." Simply put, the team took 30 years of weather data, including rainfall, wind and temperature readings, turned that data into a math equation, and fed it into the computer.

The research done by the team, says Huron County Ag Extension Agent Jim LeCureux, can help farmers decide whether or not to add expensive irrigation equipment to their farms.

Supt. James Stahl signed the official documents last week to take possession of the computer from Dr. Ralph Coppola, Earthvision Project Di-

rector from Saginaw Valley State University.

The Earthvision team isn't working in a vacuum, according to Caseville science teacher Linda Lenar, who with Pam Roth, leads the team.

The whole school, right down to elementary classes, will be involved with the research and the team next year.

Sociology classes will study the impact of the environment on society, the art class will design a logo, and math

classes will help make the mathematical equations.

Next year, a committee made up of school and community members will choose a research project for the team.

"The research done here could lead to a high level of national interest in the not-too-distant future," says Coppola.

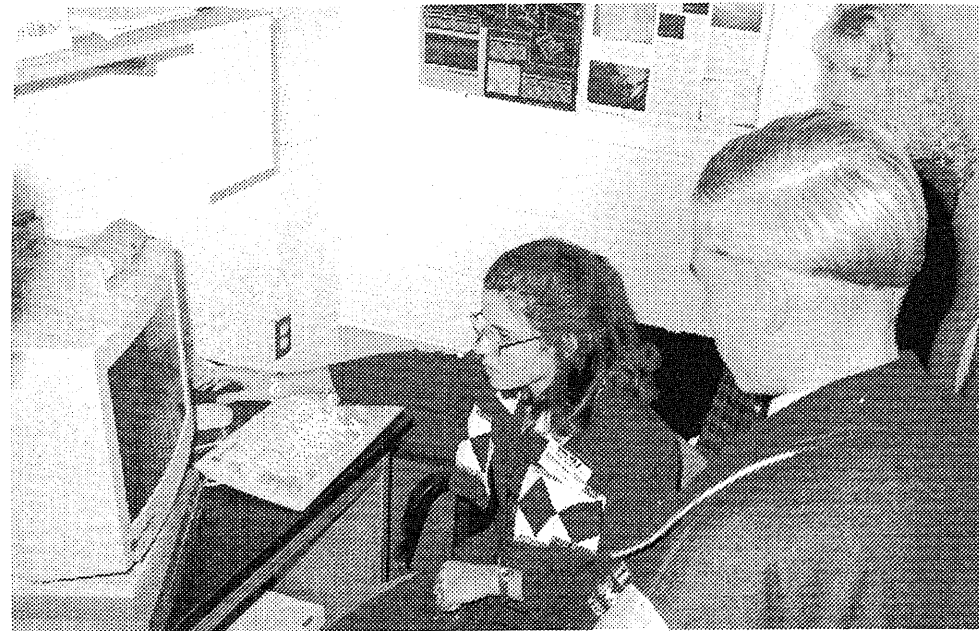
Caseville Earthvision members include students Stephanie Maust, Ashley Harrison, Nathan Lenar and Nicole Campbell.

High up there...



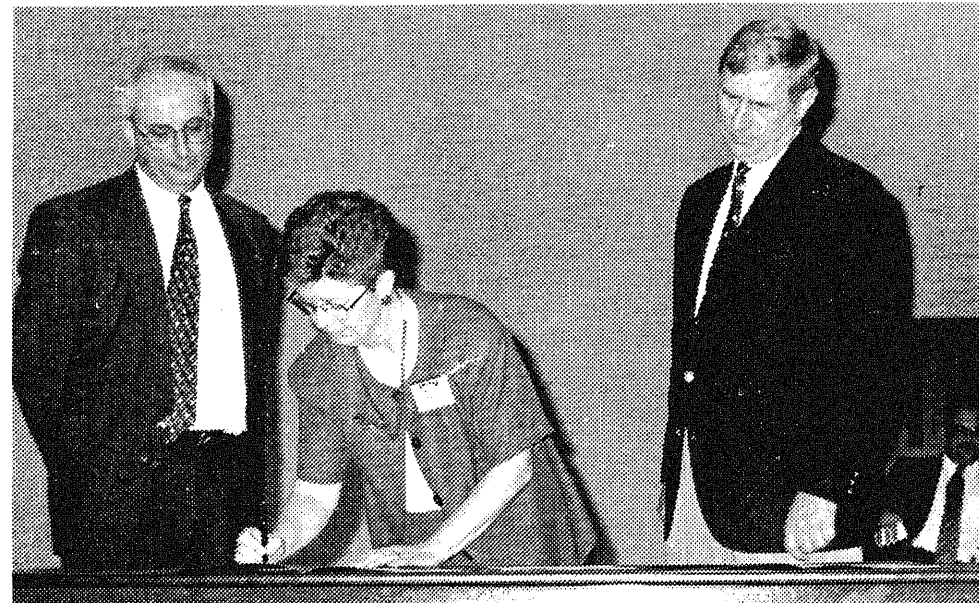
SEBEWAING'S DPW WORKER Joe Eisengruber has been active doing last-minute maintenance work before Mother Nature makes it too cold for outside chores.

MARY DRIER PHOTO



EARTHVISION TEAM member Ashley Harrison demonstrates Caseville School's new Silicon Graphics computer to a group of interested visitors. The team uses the computer to access the EPA's supercomputers in Bay City and Saginaw, and to help test theories about the environment.

AMY HEIDEN PHOTO



CASEVILLE EARTHSTATION team co-leader Linda Lenar adds her signature to documents accepting ownership of the school's new Silicon Graphics computer. Project Director Dr. Ralph Coppola and Caseville Supt. James Stahl look on.

END OF AN ERA USA plays last football game on old field

By MARY DRIER

The recent USA football game against Mayville marked the end of an era, as it was the final football game played on the Cartwright McCormick field in Unionville.

The Patriots did the moment proud with a 48 to 12 victory over the Wildcats.

The football field was named after two of Unionville's long-time former coaches—Robert Cartwright of Unionville and Frederick "Mike" Mc-

Cormick, now of Montana. Cartwright was coach from 1947 to 1959 and athletic director from 1960 to 1975. McCormick was coach from 1956 to 1976.

Cartwright had one last opportunity to be on the field during game. He crowned 1994 USA Homecoming Queen Janelle Keyser because 1993 Homecoming Queen Rachael Dinsmore was not available.

"I didn't have any particular reaction about the last

game. I was pleased that they thought of me to crown the queen," said Robert Cartwright.

"I have no regrets. I'm tickled to death about the new field coming.

"I have a lot of good memories from the field. It was fun while it lasted, but the party is over now let's start the next party."

Cartwright still is an avid football fan and attends as many of the Patriots games as possible.

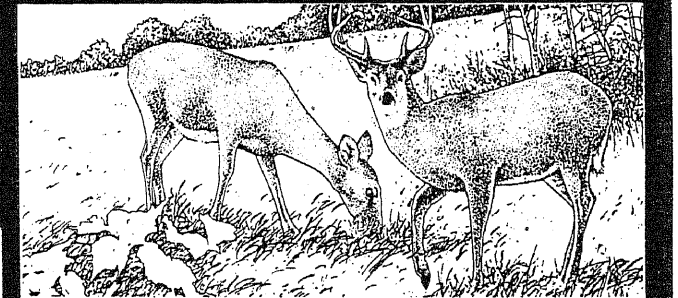


LAST GAME: USA Head Coach Tim Travis far left and Assistant Coach Gary VanSumeren give the Patriot Varsity Football team a quick pep talk after the last game that will be played on the field.

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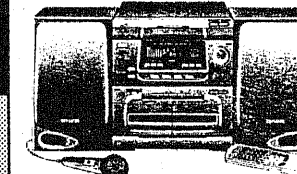
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NOT A DAY FOR DUCKS: These three Laker cross-country runners show exactly what field conditions were like this past weekend, at the state finals.

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OH DEAR! OH DEER! OH DEAR! OH DEER! OH DEAR! OH DEER!

Top-notch pheasant hunting

Tyler, Mike's 3 1/2-year-old German Shorthair, was locked up tight in a classic pose usually reserved for the cover of a gun dog magazine.

"Whoa," Mike cooed, as he approached the quivering dog "Whoa, boy."

Jim had circled in from the left while Steve and I were just to the right of Mike as he slowly moved in behind the dog's point.

"Get ready boys," Mike said, as he stepped in front of the dog and kicked at the grassy mound.

The rooster pheasant exploded in a tangled debris of flying grass and dislodged feathers, caught a wing-full of air and made a mid-air turn which sent him overhead, neatly splitting the distance between Steve and me.

Instinctively, I threw the gun to my shoulder and tried to catch up with the fast departing bird.

"Bam!" I felt the satisfying tug at my shoulder, but immediately knew the shot was too far back — and although slumping in the rear, the rooster shoved it into second gear.

My second shot centered the bird in a full choke pattern of high brass 6's and he folded when I pulled the trigger.

His momentum carried him into the tangled undergrowth of the tree strip we had just driven. I headed for the bird, but Tyler beat me to the punch.

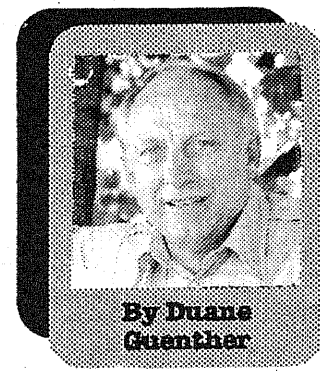
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Woods & Waters



By Duane Guenther

nimble shorthair covered the distance in a couple of seconds — and before I could react, he was heading back to Mike, the rooster clenched firmly but gingerly between his jaws.

Mike was the sixth cock pheasant we had knocked down in an area not much larger than my backyard. Jim had started the action when he folded a beautiful rooster the minute we emerged from the tree strip. Mike had followed by downing a couple we had walked over in our haste to get at the flushing birds.

Shortly after, Jim and Steve knocked down another which we thought was lost, and Mike wounded one that flew to a nearby tree strip and became the target of a swooping hawk.

When the dust cleared, Mike had managed to mark and find that wounded bird.

Returning to the grassy field, he set Tyler in search of the remaining lost bird, cooing softly, "Dead bird, dead bird."

I, like everyone else, was sure the big, gaudy cock had eluded us. It had been more than 10 minutes since Jim and Steve sent him tumbling — and the fact that the dog could not find him immediately gave us reason to believe the rooster was, by now, running for parts unknown.

Just then, Tyler went on point again. Mike moved in, reached down, and plucked the wounded bird from its hiding place under a pile of grass.

As Mike held the rooster high in the air and sang praises to his German Shorthair Tyler, I looked at my watch.

We had been hunting for just 30 minutes and already six birds of our daily quota of 15, were stuffed in our game bags.

We were in the last day of a spectacular South Dakota pheasant hunt. The first couple were spent with a rather large group of hunters driving corn fields.

While this is the most traditional way of hunting during the early part of the season, and it does produce more than its share of birds, I'm

one of those who prefers to hunt narrow strips of cover with a dog.

So, I was happy when most of our hunting party had to fly out and get back to their jobs. That left Jim and Steve, a couple of Bay City boys, Roy and Mike, our local guides and me.

To me, dog work is 99% of pheasant hunting, and I think both Jim and Steve agreed. We were fortunate to have Tyler and Fritz, a couple of young, exuberant German Shorthairs to work with.

Their owners Roy and Mike had done their homework when it came to me dogs.

Both dogs performed beautifully, pointing and holding birds until flushed, making retrieves and best of all, nosing out wounded birds.

During the last two days of

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Western Thumb Sports Report

Brown City nips USA, 20-16

By AMY HEIDEN

For most of the game, it looked as if the USA Patriots could be playing on into November.

But with 1:39 left on the clock, the Brown City Green Devils managed to add the game-winning touchdown to take a 20-16 win, in Saturday's district tournament game at Brown City.

"It was a tough loss," Patriot coach Tim Travis said. "I think our kids felt we were a better team. It was a disappointing loss."

"But the season was great. The nice thing was we made the playoffs and the kids felt like they could do something when they got there. They weren't just happy to be here and I liked that attitude. They're hurt and they knew they should have won."

Brown City got on the scoreboard with 10:27 on the clock in the first quarter, when quarterback Chris Kreiner connected with Doug Furlley in the end zone. Scott Weiss added the two extra points and the Green Devils won the 8-0 lead.

But after trading punts with Brown City, Craig Vermeersch found plenty of running room and blasted 36 yards to move the Patriots within scoring range.

Then Vermeersch ran from eight yards out to give the Patriots their first TD. Greg Trebello added the extra two points to tie the game at 8-8.

Arebello picked off Kreiner just as time ran out in the first quarter, and after the break, the Patriots capitalized on it by moving to Brown City's 14-yard line.

A penalty brought the ball down to the seven, and Ver-



USA'S JEFF ERTMAN prepares to handle a Brown City defender as teammate Craig Vermeersch carries the ball for some yards. AMY HEIDEN PHOTO

meersch then added another six points to the scoreboard on a short TD run. Shawn Gainforth grabbed an Aaron Eulich pass to add the two extra points, and the Patriots were up 16-8.

Eulich was taken out of the game early in the second half with a knee injury, a move that cost the Patriots some momentum, Travis said. Sophomore Dan Sweetman, playing with an injured hand, took over the quarterback spot.

"That took away our continuity," Travis said. "It kind of put us between a rock and a hard place. But Sweetman did a pretty nice job."

Brown City got their second TD of the day when Jeremy Bissett and Kreiner teamed

up for a 32-yard score with 4:14 left in the third quarter. The PAT failed, leaving the Patriots with a short 16-14 lead.

The Patriot defense kept the team clinging to their lead, forcing a couple of turnovers in the second half, a fumble picked up by Jeff Ertman and an interception by Chuck Drier.

"I thought our defense did a good job, and our linebackers did a heck of a job all day," Travis said.

After Drier's interception, the Green Devils' defense forced the Patriots to punt. But the Patriot defense forced punts, too, and it wasn't until 4:03 was left in the game that Brown City could mount a successful march to the end

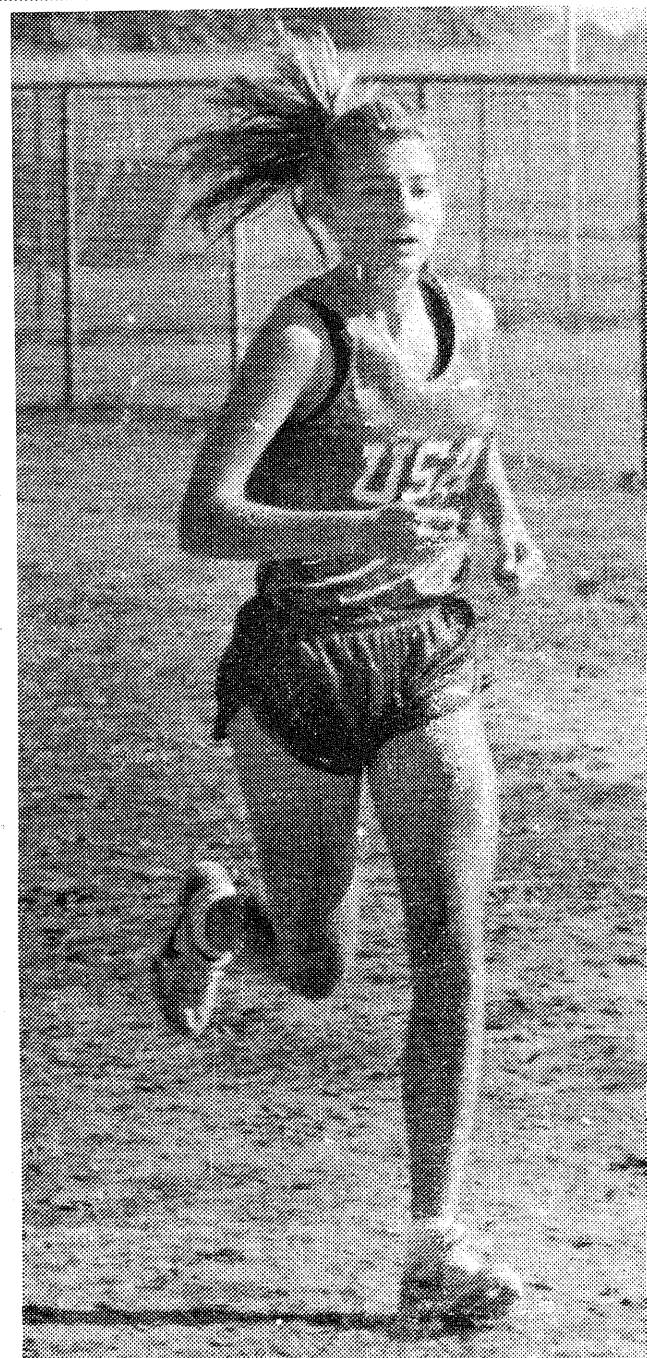
zone.

Helped by a 15-yard USA penalty, the Green Devils marched to the 10-yard line, then Hurley added another TD for the go-ahead score. The PAT failed, but the Green Devils had the 20-16 lead.

The Patriots had one more chance to score late in the game, but with 16 seconds left, a Sweetman pass was picked off by Hurley.

"Brown City did what they had to do," Travis said. "It was a disappointment to lose."

Vermeersch ran for 135 yards in 21 carries for the Patriots. The Patriots end their season with a 7-3 record, plus a share of the Thumb C American Division title.



SHE'S AN ALL-STATE RUNNER!

CHRISTIE ACHENBACH battled the mud and rain on her way to a second place finish at the state cross-country finals in Lowell Saturday. She finished nearly a minute in front of the third-place finisher after a long race up and down the hills. DAVE HARMON PHOTO

USA'S ACHENBACH EARNS SECOND IN STATE

The rain played havoc with the state cross-country meet at Lowell Saturday, making for an extremely muddy course which led to slow times for all runners.

But USA's Christie Achenbach, running for her second consecutive title, picked her way through the mud to finish second in the Class C state finals, in a time of 20:55.

She was 18 seconds behind Kimberly Browning of Onsted. The two runners were evenly matched until the last half mile, then Browning went on for the win.

Achenbach received All-State honors for the second consecutive year for her finish. Jesse Karls was the lone male runner for the Patriots, and he finished in 31st place in 19:03. He finished in front of six of the runners that beat him in the regional run.

LAKER CROSS COUNTRY COMPETES IN STATE

The Laker Cross-Country Team made a credible showing at the state meet in Lowell Saturday, with the boys' team finishing 21st overall.

Leonard Young was the top runner, finishing in 11th place in 18:14 and receiving All-State honors. Jason Young was 66th in 19:22, Nathan Gulash was 113th in 20:17, Shawn Diebel was 117th in 20:19, Bryce Haley was 118th in 20:36, Ben Sturm was 126th in 20:36, and Brian Koehler was 142nd in 22:13.

For the girls, Sarah Krebs was 46th in 24:20.

CASEVILLE WINS FIRST GAME OF SEASON

The Caseville Lady Eagles picked up their first win of the season with a 54-50 victory over Kingston, in their final game of the season.

"This will help us build some momentum for districts next week," said Coach Peter Newman.

Karla Pittenger led the Eagles with 14 points, with Melissa Leach right behind with 13. Amie Cieslinski and Amy Stahl each added 10 and Stephanie Maust scored seven.

The Eagles will travel to Kingston next week for district competition.

Laker playoff hopes end

By AMY HEIDEN

Last year, after a great season, the Lakers found themselves without a playoff berth.

This year, after another good year, they earned a spot on the playoff roster, only to find themselves facing Orchard Lake-St. Mary's, which has gone through the season undefeated. Not an inviting prospect.

But the Lakers went into the game knowing that an upset could happen. The mighty have fallen before.

Orchard Lake, though, was too tough for the Lakers, and will go on to the regional title game after winning the game 43-14.

The Eagles scored on their first drive of the game, with Everett Morris getting the points. The kick after the TD was good and OLSM led 7-0.

The Lakers scored next, when Matt Keefer grabbed the ball. He broke a tackle at the St. Mary's 40-yard line and went on to score. Quarterback Nate Gotts connected with Heath Krohn for the two-

point conversion to give the Lakers the 8-7 lead.

But OLSM wasn't done, as they scored on Diallo Johnson's short run, with Phillip Martin added the conversion for the 15-8 lead.

Malcolm McInnis scored

again before the first quarter ended to lift the Eagles to 23-8 before the quarter ended.

And Morris scored twice more before the half ended, and Michael Godoshian added a kick to put the Eagles up 36-8 at halftime.

After the break, Morris again scored in the third quarter.

After a 20-yard run by Don Osentoski, Keefer scored his final touchdown of the season in the fourth on a four-yard run to end the game at 43-14 when the PAT failed.

Keefer rushed for 138 yards in 18 carries while scoring twice. Osentoski had 49 yards in six carries and Matt Esch had 24 yards in six carries.

"We gave it our best shot," Coach Bill McLellan said. "They're probably the best team in the state but we hung in there."

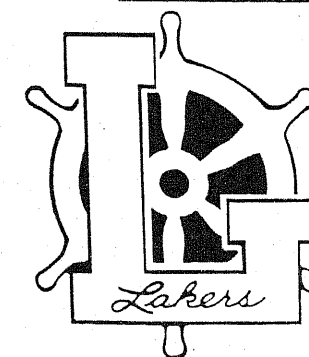
"They're very fast and that's what hurt us the most."

The Lakers end their season with a 7-3 record.



MATT KEEFER Scored 2 Laker TDs

GOOD LUCK, LADY LAKERS



Lakers vs. Harbor Beach

Wednesday, November 16

6:30 p.m. Bad Axe High School

Class C Basketball Districts

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- Pigeon Auto Supply - Pigeon
- Pigeon Clinic, PC - Pigeon
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- Village Qwik Stop - Pigeon
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Western Thumb Bowling Scores & Standings

FRIDAY NITE MEN'S

Pigeon 10/28/94

Berkley Ind.	17
Albrecht Auction	16.5
Co-op	15
Active Feed	14.5
High team series and game: Albrecht Auction 2259, Co-op 826.	
High individual series and game: T. Gunden 527-193, J. Gunden 514, J. Smith 513, J. Schember 197, N. Libka 195, C. Basinger 513-185.	
Splits: C. Kauffman & D. Deering 3-10, B. Stahl 5-10, N. Libka 5-6-10.	

MON. NIGHT SLAMMERS

Sebewaing 10/31/94

Sporty's	40
Millerwise TV	30
Peoples' Choice	29
Ben Franklin	27
Scheurer Hosp.	27
Tree Haven	22
Sattler's Stars	18
High individual series and game: M. Gettel 572-216, B. Schamber 535-185, F. Hornbacher 503-176, S. Gremel 495-187, S. Lutz 492-191, S. Buschlen 481-182, R. Finkbeiner 479-192, M. Eisen-gruber 473-180, A. Bach 460-166, B. Graf 184, K. Ignash 178, L. McCarthy 174, E. Saenz 171, G. Vasquez 170, R. Linzner & K. Holmister 168, A. Finkbeiner 165, C. VanHooft 162, L. Eberlein 161, C. Taschner 160.	
Splits: L. Rathje & S. Gremel, C. Krupa 3-10; K. Ignash 5-7, S. Lutz 5-6-10.	

WED. AFTERNOON LADIES

Sebewaing 11/2/94

Go Getters	40
Lucky Strikes	35
Tri County	28
Four Rollers	23
High team series and game: Lucky Strikes 1643-577.	
High individual series and game: D. Welther 438-160, M. Sigmund 434-170, M. Reithel 431-165, D. Grueth 411, M. Elenbaum 406, H. Schaler 156.	
Splits: M. Reithel 5-10.	

THURSDAY NITES

Pigeon 11/3

J & B Pkg. & Htg.	27
Gerry's Distrib.	22
Village Barber & Styl.	22
Lee's Landscaping	19
Michigan Directory	17
Clark Hardware	13
High team series and game: J&B Pkg. & Htg. 2202 (739), Lee's Landscaping 2156 (775-742), Village Barber & Styling 2131.	
High individual scores: G. Smith 519 (203-180), A. Buschlen 512 (181), A. Albrecht 503 (183-181), J. Otto 493 (191), H. Thack 490 (175), D. Swartzendruber 483 (220), J. Gots 482, C. Damm 172.	
Splits: 5-6-10 K. Schulz, B. Long, 5-6 L. Wolfgram; 2-7 S. McBride; 3-10 B. Smith, C. Damm.	

TUESDAY CLASSIC

Pigeon 11/1

*Farm Crest Foods	33
*Peoples Choice Mkt.	31
Pigeon Lumber	30
*Steinman Insurance	21
*Osentoski Equip.	16
Dutch Kettle	16
High team series and game: Peoples Choice Mkt. 2669 (923).	
High individual scores: T. Koch 567 (227), J. Chioti 554 (222), L. Smith 550, J.D. Gunden 209, R. Swartzendruber 208, L. Steinman 204, D. Smith 201.	

MONDAY MAJOR

Pigeon 10/31

Damm's, Inc.	36
Lee's Landscaping	28
*Osentoski Farm Equip.	26
*J.O. Wurst	25
*Bay Port State Bank	25
Edward D. Jones	24
*Pigeon Lanes	24
*C.D. Sandblasting	23
Village Quik Stop	20
High team series and game: Damm's, Inc. 2614 (901).	
High individual scores: T. Damm 591 (219-218), M. Swartzendruber 581 (245), Todd Gunden 577 (204), V. Smith 230, T. Drabek 228, R. Damm 219, Troy Gunden 210, J.D. Gunden 207.	

MONDAY NIGHT LADIES

Unionville 10/31/94

Thomas Marine	22
Amer. Legion Aux.	16.5
Schmidt's	13.5
Deister's	12
High team series and game: Thomas Marine 2139-751.	

High individual series and game: G. Norington 524-192, A. Vermersch 522-191, 177, S. Sella 428.

Splits: G. Norington 5-7.

TUESDAY NITE LADIES

Unionville 11/1/94

Hare Shop	21
VanBevern's	20
Lee's Own	17
Ed's Bar	17
Paul's Serv/Mkt.	14
Trapper's	13
FBI Gals	13
Social's	12
High team series and game: Hare Shop 2250, VanBevern's 802.	
High individual series and game: M. Verschoore 499-174, 170; R. Sakon 487-182, S. Schwarz 485-172, M. Martinez 475-182, G. Karnath 472-169, C. Kala 173, R. Rasch 171, J. McLaren 190.	
Splits: C. Schember 5-10, R. Rasch 5-7, C. Socier 5-7-9, 3-7.	

TUES. USA SR CITIZENS

Sebewaing 11/1/94

Signature Bank	20.0
Luke's Market	18.5
Jackie's Flowers	17.0
Dinkel-Juengel	16.5
High team series and game: Signature Bank 1759-835.	
High individual series and game: H. Krauss 508-178, 169, 161; R. Hughes 471-158, 158, 155; O. Bauer 445-182, 143; M. Adlam 153, D. Gettel 150, M. Reithel 150, 147.	
Men's high individual series and game: R. Dehmle 484-184, 153; R. Krauss 166, E. Welther 141.	

SUN. NITE GOODTIMERS

Unionville 10/30/94

Sakon-Barriger	16
Singer-Strieter	11
Coones-Aumock	11
Lowthian-Karnath	10
Norington-Vermersch	10
Gockey-Spielman	8
Achenbach-Strieter	8
Thomas-Southgate	7
High team series and game: Coones-Aumock 1933-678.	
Women's high individual series and game: G. Norington 507-214.	
Men's high individual series and game: T. Balzer 536-191, D. Barriger 527-203, J. Gockey 509-208.	
Splits: B. Coones 5-7 (2), K. Strieter 4-5-7.	

SUN. MIXED 4 P.M.

Alma Lanes 10/30

Elkton Power Wash	11
Finkbeiner's Farm Equip.	10
Amie's Petroleum	10
Helper's Computer Store	8
McCormick Motors	7
Christner Farms	7
Souletown Farms	6
Neeb Corp.	5
High team series and game: Amie's Petroleum 1946, McCormick Motors 679.	
High individual scores: S. Forster 526 (188-183), M. Ewald 508 (196), T. Ney 553 (224-170-5 cones, strikes), K. Cox 528 (191-165), C. Finkbeiner 500 (190), C. Finkbeiner 514 (181-180), A. Russell 489 (190), T. Elenbaum 177, M.A. Finkbeiner 175.	
Splits: 4-7-10 3-10 T. Leipprandt; 5-10 S. Siver; 4-5 S. Bannick; 5-6 D. Wozniak; 3-10 G. Fagone, M.A. Finkbeiner.	

THURSDAY NIGHT LADIES

Elkton 11/3

Elkton Food Center	22
Ron's Party Store	19
Haist Flowers	14
Echelon Kennels	9
High team series and game: Ron's Party Store 1656, Haist Flowers 590.	
High individual scores: D. Schuetz 510 (171).	
Splits: 3-10 I. Shepherd, L. Schember, G. Finkbeiner; 5-6-10 J. Swiastyn.	

WEDNESDAY NITE LADIES

Pigeon 11/2

Bay Port Construction	27 1/2
McCormick Motors	23 1/2
Bay Port State Bank	23
Niebel Pkg./Htg.	22 1/2
Pigeon Telephone	20 1/2
Damm's, Inc.	19
Finkbeiner Farm Equip.	17
Gumby's	17
Cloud of Dust Ceramics	16
Bay View Country Inn	14
High team series and game: McCormick Motors 2174 (767), Bay Port Construction 2139 (764), Niebel Pkg./Htg. 726, Bay View Country Inn 715, Pigeon Telephone 715, Finkbeiner Farm Equip. 701.	

High individual series and game: A. Gotham 508

(219), B. Anklam 491 (175), D. Fuerst 487 (171), P. Kuhl 173.

Splits: 4-7-10 D. Kuch; 4-5-7 P. Holt; 3-9-10 D. Yahn; 5-7 A. Kleinfield, R. Seemann; 2-7 K. Christner; 3-10 T. Henne, D. Deming; 5-10 C. Swartzendruber; 4-5 S. McLean.

THURSDAY NITE MEN'S

Unionville 10/27

McAlpine Ins.	22
Roy's Cigo	22
Ed's Bar	18
Trapper John's	17
Paul's Serv/Mkt.	16
Trapper Jr.	12
Sebewaing Auto	8
High team series and game: Roy's Cigo 2493-883.	
High individual series and game: D. Roy 601-212, 201; L. Mascorro 235, C. Vermersch 218, D. Barriger 211, D. Poole 201.	

SATURDAY MORNING JRS.

Sebewaing 10/29/94

Bowling Devils	19
Spartans II	16
Pin Rockers	15
Gutter Busters	13
Bowling Busters	13
Terminators	13
High team series and game: Pin Rockers 1434-523.	
High individual series and game: T. Genow 415-169, M. Koch 410-186, J. Saenz 393-153, C. Pommerenke 365, 145, T. Vasquez 338-134, S. Hodder 324-120, J. Guillet 303-145, C. Genow 311-124.	

WEDNESDAY NITE LADIES

Sebewaing 11/2/94

Sebewaing Lanes	50
Kauffman Ins.	36
Sporty's	35
Michigan Sugar	32
See and Sea	28
Sebewaing Tool & Engr.	28
Nitz Valve Hdwe.	23
Mr. B's Custom Frames	20
High team series and game: Kauffman Ins. 2414-887.	
High individual series and game: V. Eberlein 537-236, P. Bunick 536-188, P. Bauer 521-202, G. Vasquez 492-180, M. Haag 484-200, M. Gettel 481-191, R. Hughes 478-203, L. Engelhardt 476-171, B. Gremel 474-169, L. Fuerst 472-180, D. Sonntag 458-169, D. Haist 166, K. Fritz 165, S. Lutz 452, K. Champagne 450-178.	
Splits: J. Heck & G. Vasquez 4-5-7, P. Bauer 2-7, 2-7; M. Haag & L. Ackerman 3-10, P. Holland & S. Lutz 5-7, T. Weichner 2-7.	

MONDAY LADIES

Pigeon Lanes 10/31

Terra	17
Meyersieck-Bus. FH	16 1/2
Split Makers	16
Town & Country Beauty	14
LaFave Steel	13
Gascho Furniture	13
Caseville Sm. Anim. Cl.	12
V&B Crafts	11
Beachy Eggs	10
Caseville IGA	10
Pigeon Lanes	9 1/2
High team series and game: Caseville Small Animal Clinic 1838 (842).	
High individual scores: T. Lewandowski 495 (216).	
Splits: 7-2 L. Melhargie; 3-10 T. Lewandowski, M.J. Meininger, D. Quirk, D. Deming; 4-5 C. Turt, B. Anklam; 5-6 C. Poisson, D. Newkirk; 3-7 V. Hyde; 7-5 V. Doyle; 2-7 J. Christner, R. Voss, A. Kleinfield; 9-10 G. Gunden.	

SUN NITE MIXED SQUARES

Sebewaing 10/30/94

The 4 Swingers	21
Bolzmann-Bolzmann	18
Hagen Ford	17
Houell-Pavlichek	17
McBrayer-Apollod	16
Linzner-Koch	16
Finkbeiner-Engelhardt	15
Roemer-Ertel	14
Finkbeiner-McCarthy	14
Williamson-Rieman	11
Guides-Ewald	11
Ertman-Finkbeiner	10
Pitcher-Rievort	9
Prime-Spannagel	9
Ewald-Bitzer	9
High team series and game: Wolverine Rollers 2043-696, Prime-Spannagel 1904-706.	
Women's high individual series and game: J. Williamson 514-223, S. Stevenson 504-212, C. Guilds 501.	

Men's high individual series and game: R. Koch 618-230, T. Howell 558-217, D. Engelhardt 539-204.

MERCHANTS "A"

Sebewaing	31
Berger & Co.	27
Pommerenke Bldrs.	27
Culligan	26
Ben Franklin	25
Sebe, Concrete	25
Hair & More	16
High team series and game: Berger & Co. 2744-972, 946.	
High individual series and game: C. Dutcher 587-213, D. Genow 220, R. Warschky 577-229, R. Euler 578.	

MERCHANTS "B"

Sebewaing	33
Kohtz Floor	33
Dave's Collision	29
Mr. Chips	27
American Legion	27
Sebewaing Lanes	19
High team series and game: Kohtz Floor 2339, Mr. Chips 806.	
High individual series and game: J. Kuhl 610-214, 214.	

SUN. NITE MIXED ZOMBIES

Sebewaing 10/23/94

Ewald-Werschky	23
Terrill-Myers	16
Gaeth-Schultz	15
Stevenson-Tallman	15
Vaughan	15
Vandiver-Vogel	14
Bauer-Bunick-Kuhl	13
Myers-Wittse	12
Gregory-Kroll	4
High team series and game: Stevenson-Tallman-Vaughan 2020-710.	
Women's high individual series and game: P. Vaughan 434-192, 189; J. Vandiver 485, L. Kroll 479-192, J. Schultz 190.	
Men's high individual series and game: R. Warschky 582-214, 201; N. Gaeth 535-185, D. Myers 533-200, J. Bauer 529-211, P. Schultz 528-190, 187; L. Kuhl 525-188, B. Haist 187.	
Splits: R. Warschky 3-10, F. Gregory 5-10.	

USA SR. CITZ. FRI. MIXED

Sebewaing 10/28/94

Deisler Funeral Home	20
Balzer Insurance	19
Mutual Savings	18
Kundinger & Kroll	12
Ben Franklin	11
High team series and game: Deisler Funeral Home 1593-680.	

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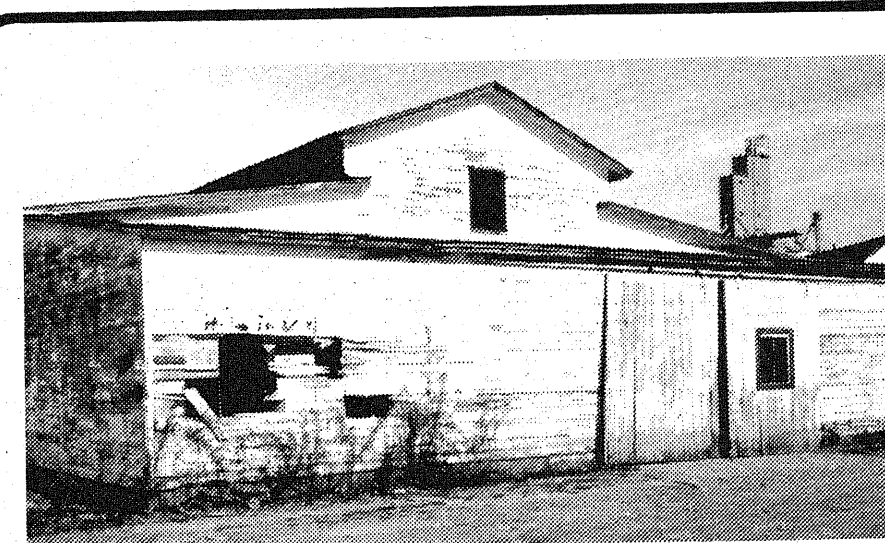
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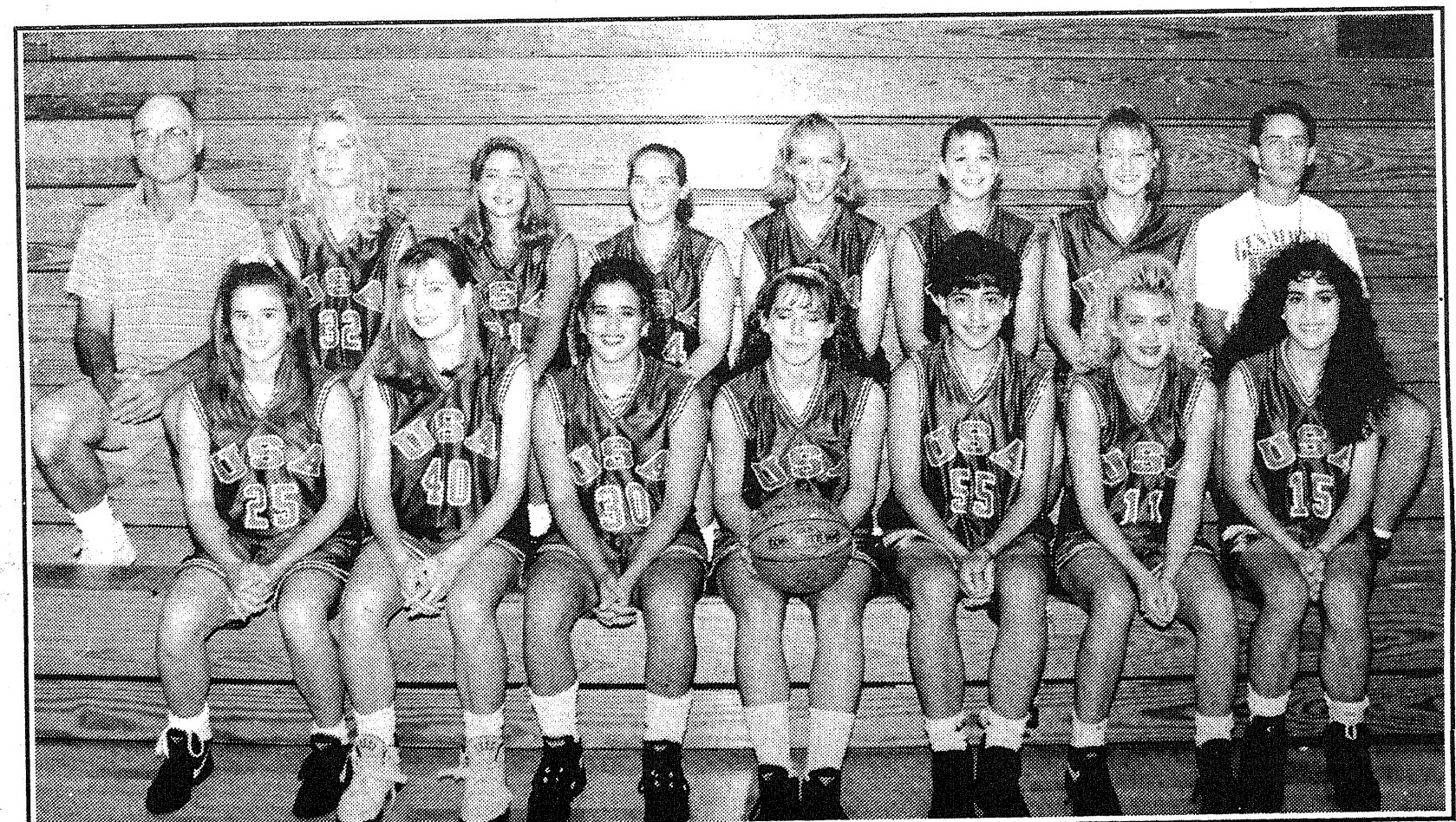
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Senior help given Wednesday at Pigeon

The Pigeon District Library will host a communications skills workshop this Wednesday, Nov. 9, for persons ages 55 and over.

The 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. workshop, "Reaching Your Full Potential In Communications," focuses on how the mature work force can en-

hance communication skills for employment, training, education and daily life. Co-sponsors are Thumb Area Consortium and Green Thumb Inc. The program will outline various opportunities available in Huron County. Reservations are necessary and are possible by calling Rose at 1-800-772-5550.



BY KIDS-FOR KIDS is a project sponsored by the Lutheran Laymen's League whereby children are enabled to purchase and package school supplies along with a Russian Bible storybook and send them to schools in St. Petersburg, Russia. Approximate cost of one school kit is \$10.

Immanuel Lutheran School has committed to assembling 200 kits. Second and third graders have recently decorated and delivered 1,543 cupcakes/muffins which generated close to \$600 to support this project.

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TLM Hymn Sing set this Sunday night

A number of area Christian musicians will perform this Sunday, Nov. 13 at 7 p.m. at the Pigeon River Mennonite Church, as a fund raiser for Top of the Thumb Leisure Ministries.

On the musical agenda will be the Pigeon Mens' Community Chorus, One Accord, Elkton Missionary Church Choir, Cross Lutheran Church Choir, Salem United Methodist Hand Bell Choir, accompanied by pianist Nola Kauffman with the offertory by Brian Beachy.

The public is invited to attend.

Early USA let- out Nov. 23

USA Schools will be dismissed early on Wednesday, Nov. 23, for Thanksgiving vacation, according to USA Supt. William Dodge.

Hot lunch will not be served, and morning kindergarten will not meet. Afternoon kindergarten students will attend school in the morning. Skill Center students will not attend the afternoon session.

Dismissal schedule is: Elementary School (walkers and shuttles) 11:05 a.m. (late buses) 11:20 a.m. Middle School (walkers and shuttles) 11:10 a.m. (late buses) 11:20 a.m. High School 11:15 a.m.

Judy Buffum speaks this Saturday

International conference speaker and concert/recording artist Judy Buffum will be guest speaker of "His Perfect Love Ministries" on Saturday, Nov. 12 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Laker High School, Pigeon, hosted by area Christian women.

Men and women are in-



JUDY BUFFUM

vited (no small children, please), and a love offering will be taken. A chicken salad luncheon will be served.

For more details, contact Bernice Shupe, 269-8443, Patty Schulze, 453-2558 or Leanne Smith, 856-4241.

Women 40-plus need cancer screening tests

Women over 40 in need of a pap test or mammogram may contact the Huron County Health Department to participate in the Breast and Cervical Health Screening Program.

While the Health Department has run special promotions to encourage women to get pap test and mammograms, an article run in The Newsweekly last week about free lunch and grocery certificates had information

about the program which had already expired.

If you are a woman over 40 without a doctor or without insurance to cover a pap test or mammogram, call the Health Department at 269-9721 or 1-800-833-8550 to set up an appointment.

The program will include a pap test, pelvic exam and clinical breast exam done by a nurse practitioner and a mammogram at an area facility.

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Pigeon District Library

PRESCHOOL STORY HOUR

"Indians" will be the theme of Tuesday, Nov. 15 Story Hour at the Pigeon District Library, with stories "Granny, the Baby and the Big Gray Thing" and "Friendship First Thanksgiving."

Story Hour consists of stories, games, flannelgraphs, songs, fingerplay activities and creative movement for

independent listeners age three to five. Sessions are held at 9 and 10:30 a.m.

CHILDRENS' BOOK WEEK

Kindergarten through sixth graders are invited to participate in National Children's Book Week fun Nov. 14-19.

"Please come in and receive a book summary page and sign-up for a door prize," in-

vites Librarian Naomi Jantzi. Youngsters must check out at least one book during that week and read it, to be able to join the program.

Readers' progress will be marked on a thermometer "goal meter," seeing how fast the temperature rises during one week's time.

ENRICHMENT HOUR

"Holiday Crafts" presented by Jeri Nofs will be the theme of the two Enrichment Hours planned for 9 to 10 a.m. and from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 15.

Patrons are encouraged to come and bring a friend.

SENIOR FILM FEST

"The Story of Charles Lindbergh" will be the featured film when seniors gather Thursday, Nov. 17 at the Pigeon District Library community room.

"Little Rascals on Parade" will also be shown. Seniors are invited to bring friends and enjoy fellowship.

CIRCULATION

Circulation for the month of September 1994 was up 99 items, compared to September 1993. A total of 5,471 items were checked out, including 2,380 adult books, 940 junior adult, 1,278 children's, two AV pieces, 23 toys and 848 videotapes. A total of \$283.30 was brought in on copies, \$156.70 in fines and \$9.00 in fax transmissions.

Four Story Hour sessions gathered 174 children together.

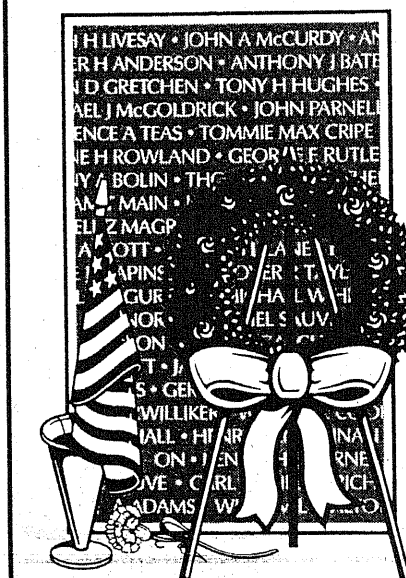
Thirty-six new registrations for the month included eight from Caseville, four from Fair Haven, two from Oliver, one each from Lake and Sebawaing, three each from Chandler and McKinley and seven each from Winsor and outside area townships.

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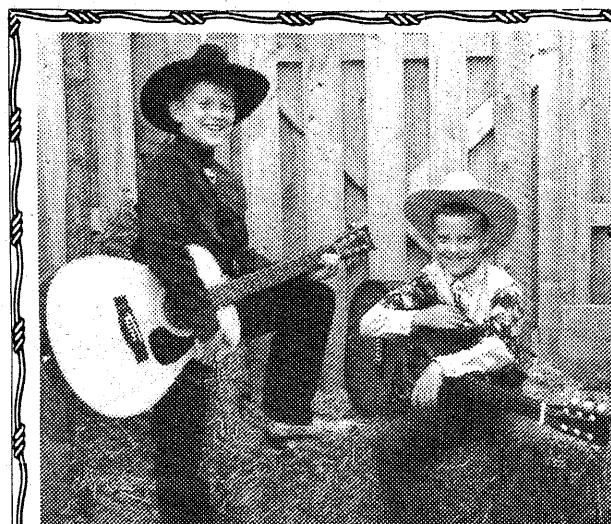


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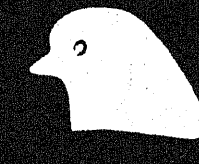
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Lady Lakers win title share

In their lone game of the week, the Lady Lakers captured at least a share of the Thumb C National Division title with a 58-48 win over Bay City All Saints.

The Lakers were outscored 16-15 in a real battle of the three-point shooters in the first quarter, and trailed 28-26 at the half. Carolyn Bollenbacher's three triples kept the Lakers close during the first half.

The second half was more to the Lakers' liking, with a

fast break offense giving the Lakers 13 points in that stanza, and a better defense allowed the Cougars only four points.

In the fourth, both teams turned on the offense but the Lakers prevailed, outscoring their opponents by three.

For the evening, the Lakers were led by Betsy Drury with 14 points, followed by Angie Weidman with 13, Jenny Smith with 12 and Bollenbacher with 11. The team connected on 18 of their 28

shots from the three throw line.

This win, the Lakers 14th against only four losses, gives Coach Paul Beachy's squad at least a share of the title, and they can capture the title outright with a victory over Bad Axe next Thursday.

Should they win the title, that would be the first conference title win since 1989 for the Lakers, although they have been district champions for the past two years.

JUNIOR VARSITY: The JV team lost to All Saints 36-24. Kim Elenbaum led with eight points, while Marie Hurren and Deanne Jaworski each had six.

FRESHMEN: The freshman team repeated with a win over Bay City All Saints 32-28.

After winning an earlier contest over the Cougars by one point, the Lakers knew this return matchup wouldn't be easy. The key to victory was a balanced scoring attack, which featured each member of the squad contributing to the scoring.

Leading the scoring was Rebecca Kolar with eight points, followed by Tessa Henne with six, Richelle Miller with five, and Kami Shaw and Shannon Pionk with four each.

Lake-Chandler

David and Sheila McBride and sons Ryan and Brett were Sunday guests of Ann and Fred McBride.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Simmons attended the funeral of a cousin, Emma McKenney at Harbor Beach on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Hal Conkey took their sister, Ben and Donelda Meske of Port Hope out to dinner on Monday to celebrate the Meske's 30th Wedding Anniversary.

Lady Pats drop 2 games

By AMY HEIDEN

The USA Patriots are gearing up for district competition this week, with just two game left on their schedule. But first they had to contend with two important Thumb C American Division rivals, and both rivals handed the Patriots a loss.

Harbor Beach came first, and defeated USA 54-31. The Patriots outscored the Patriots 29-11 in the first half, and continued to play spirited offense the entire game.

"Harbor Beach is one of the quickest teams we've played this year," Assistant Coach Todd Kramer said.

"We had a difficult time getting off shots against their defense and we had a hard time getting a good look at the basket."

Jamie Collon led the Patriots with nine points, followed by Leah Collon with eight. Linda Davila grabbed 12 rebounds.

On Thursday, the Patriots hosted the Ubyl Bearcats, who were looking to avenge an earlier loss to USA. This time around, the Bearcats notched the 51-38 win.

"They wanted to prove something to us," Kramer said. "We did play well and in the fourth quarter, we tried to make a comeback."

Both teams got off to a rather slow start in the first period, with Ubyl leading by only seven points, and holding a 24-17 halftime advantage.

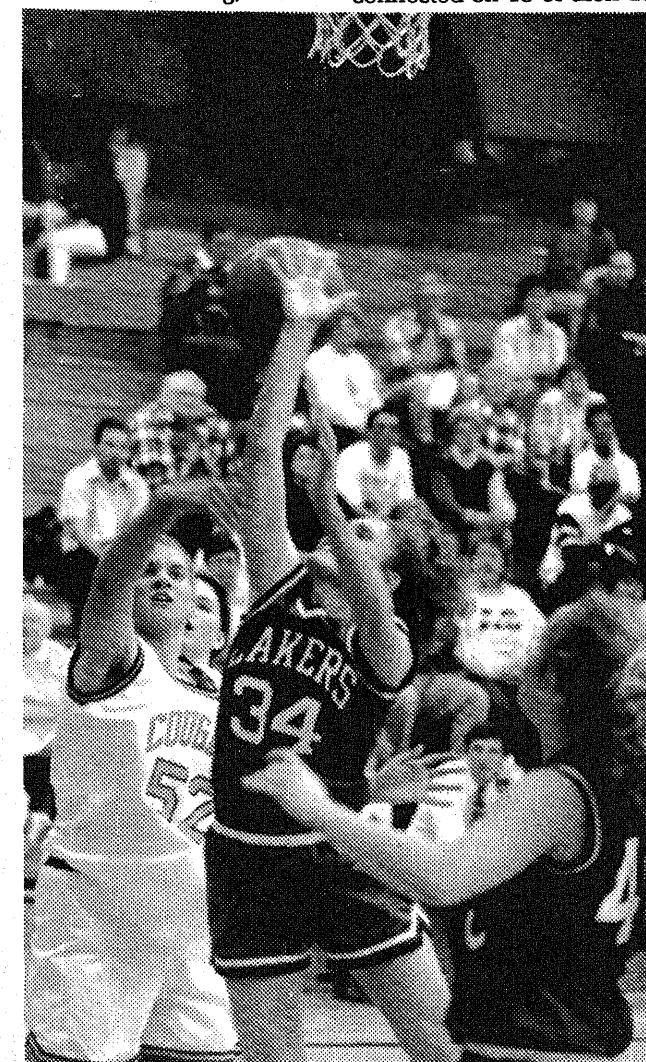
A seven-point third quarter by the Patriots, compared to Ubyl's 19 for the period, seemed to be the key to the game. Never say the Patriots give up, though, as they mounted a rally in the fourth, outscoring the Bearcats 14-8. But Ubyl's advantage was simply too big to overcome. Leah Collon led with 11

points, with Davila getting 10 points and 12 rebounds. Toni Mitchell had seven rebounds.

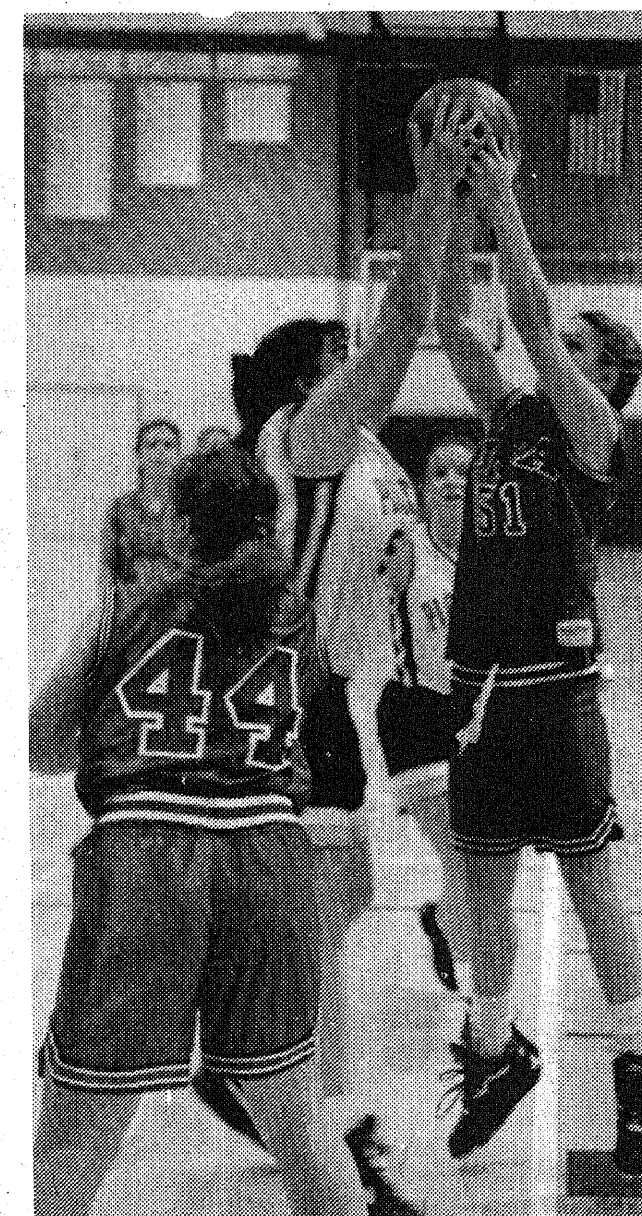
"I think we're playing well right now and we feel real good going into the last week of the season," Kramer said. "The girls have really come

together and the effort and desire is there."

The Patriots will travel to Sandusky on Tuesday, then host Mayville on Thursday for their final game of the season. Next week, they'll be playing in the district playoffs at Bad Axe.



LAKER NICOLE KOLAR battles All Saints' Kimberly Biskup for a rebound.
AMY HEIDEN PHOTO



USA'S TONI MITCHELL (51) battles for the rebound, in a recent Patriot game.
AARON GROTH PHOTO

The Newsweekly's Thumb Area CALENDAR

Now through Nov. 10 - Girl Scout Cookies

Cookie Sales will take place in the Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port-Caseville Service Unit area. Details: Suzanne 453-3223.

Every Thurs. night - Co-ed Volleyball

Co-ed adult volleyball is played from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Elkton Elementary gym. Details: 375-2733.

Wednesday, Nov. 9 - USA Band Boosters meet

USA Band Boosters meeting 7:30 p.m. at USA High School Band Room, second Wednesday of the month.

Wednesday, Nov. 9 - Senior communications session

Pigeon District Library will host the workshop, "Reaching Your Full Potential In Communications." 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. for area residents ages 55 and over. For reservations, call Rose at 1-800-772-5550.

Thursday, Nov. 10 - USA dismisses early

USA Schools will dismiss early for parent teacher conferences. Dismissal times range from 11:05. to 11:20 a.m.

Thurs.-Sun., Nov. 10-13 - "Hello Dolly!" performed

Tickets are available for the Thumb Area Center for the Arts' dinner theatre production of the musical comedy "Hello Dolly!" in Caro. Details: 673-5266 or 673-2703.

Thursday, Nov. 10 - Meet Cong. Barcia's aide

Aide for Congressman James Barcia (D-Bay City) will hold constituent hours 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at the courthouse annex in Caro, and 10 a.m. to noon in the Huron County Building.

Friday, Nov. 11 - USA K of C Fish Fry

Unionville-Sebewaing Knights of Columbus are sponsoring a Fish Fry at USA High School Cafeteria, 4:30 - 7 p.m. All you can eat!

Fri.-Sat., Nov. 11-12 - Crisis center training

The Thumb Area Assault Crisis Center needs volunteers and will offer programs on training. Training sessions are planned 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday and Saturday at the Human Development Commission's Outreach Office in Bad Axe. Plus, there are training sessions 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Nov. 18 and 19, at the HDC office in Caro. Details: Charlotte at 1-800-292-3666.

Friday, Nov. 11 - LaLeche League program

The LaLeche League of Bad Axe will host a program on "The Art of Breast-feeding and Avoiding Difficulties" 9:30 a.m. at

the Huron County Health Department, Bad Axe. All mothers or mothers-to-be are welcome to attend. Details: Karen at 269-2269.

Saturday, Nov. 12 - Judy Buffum at Lakers

"His Perfect Love Ministries" presents this dynamic Christian speaker from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. (lunch provided with small charge), at Laker High School. Details: 269-8443.

Saturday, Nov. 12 - Mistletoe Madness

A Holiday Craft Show will be held at the Port Austin Middle School from 9 to 3, with lunch served from 11 to 1. Details: 738-8748.

Saturday, Nov. 12 - A.B.A.T.E. bingo fund-raiser

The American Bikers Aiming Toward Education group holds its first bingo-a-thon from 12 noon to 12 midnight at the Marlette VFW Hall, co-hosted with the Marlette VFW, with all proceeds to student scholarships in Thumb Schools.

Sunday, Nov. 13 - TLIM "Evening of Song"

Top-of-the-Thumb Leisure Ministries will present local mu-

sical groups in concert at 7 p.m. at Pigeon River Mennonite Church. Public is invited to attend (and sing-along...)

Wednesday, Nov. 16 - Career Days

Career Days for students not considering college will be held at the Bad Axe High School auditorium at 7 p.m., sponsored by the Huron County Chapter of the Michigan Association of Retired School Personnel.

Thursday, Nov. 17 - Senior movie in Pigeon

Pigeon District Library will host a film fest for seniors with the video "The Story of Charles A. Lindbergh." Free admission.

Thursday, Nov. 17 - Special Thanksgiving dinner

Bad Axe Jaycees will host their third annual fund-raiser Thanksgiving Dinner 4 to 6:30 at Oswald Hall, next to the Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Bad Axe. Details: Kathy Collings at 269-7752 after 6 p.m.

Calendar deadline: 5 p.m. each Thursday

Lake-Chandler folks travel and visit, as November cools...

By MILDRED BALLAGH
Dates to remember:

Huron Computer Club seeks new members

A new club is forming for computer buffs.

The Huron Computer Club meets 7 p.m. the last Sunday of the month at Great Lakes Junior College, Bad Axe. Next meeting is 7 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 27.

There is no age limit for club members, but there is a small fee for adults and students to join.

For more information, call 1-800-852-4925.

■ Nov. 9-Worthy Study Club meets in the home of Mona McBride.

■ Nov. 9-"Happy Birthday, Mary: Glad you take The Newsweekly!"

Pat and Michelle Ryan of New Hampshire celebrated their anniversary by flying to Tri-City and rented a car to come to Caseville, where they visited grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Hal Conkey. Weekend guests were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Conkey of Toronto.

Beth Ann Henry returned to Ann Arbor after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Simmons were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ashmore at Tawas. They all attended the funeral of a cousin, Beatrice Grunch at Charlevoix.

Mr. and Mrs. William Blaylock of Bad Axe and Gladys Wallis of Akron were Tuesday callers in the William

Ballagh home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McBride and daughter Bridget of Gaylord were weekend guests of Mona McBride and other relatives.

Recent guests of their mother, Mrs. George Southworth were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wakefield of Adrian and Mr. and Mrs. Duane Wakefield of Flint.

Diane Krabbe of Mungerville visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gross last week.

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On Air Drawing Monday, November 14

GRAND PRIZE

Winchester 30-30 Rifle from Sports Outfitters of Standish
Premier Insulated Parka, Bibs, Gloves, Hat and Red Ball Boundry Quad
Pac Boots from Randy's Hunting Center of Bad Axe
Custom Built Deer Blind from Bernard Building Center of Hale
5 Cases of Pepsi (YOU MUST LISTEN TO WIN!)

SECOND PRIZE

Amish Handmade Solid Oak 8-Gun Cabinet from Gifts Etc. of Gladwin

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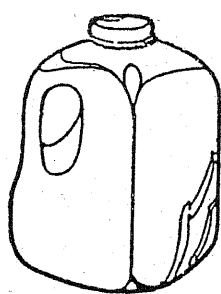
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