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Winner of seven Michigan Press Association Awards in 1979

Snow Bonanza finals coming It's Queen Claudia!

Claudia McLean, right, is crowned 1980 Caseville Snow Bonanza Queen by 1979 Queen Robin Pratt, as

more than 100 well-wishers looked on Saturday night at the Queen's Beauty Pageant at the Bella Vista.

More Snow Bonanza photos appear on Page 14 of the "A" section in this week's Progress-Advance.



JILL ROSS

Queen Claudia was sponsored by the Country House Restaurant. First runner up is Jill Ross, sponsored by the Talk of the Town Hair Stylists, while second runner up is Mary Bieri, sponsored by the Bella Vista.

Other contestants were Rosie Gorang, Lori Dufty and Patty Rowe, all of the Caseville area.

In addition to answering several questions, each queen's candidate modeled fashions representing "the four seasons."



MARY BIERI



Huron Casting odor debate continuing

By WANDA EICHLER

Huron Casting, Inc., one of Pigeon's largest businesses, is again facing the threat of being shut down because of neighborhood complaints of excessive odors.

Two representatives of the firm, President Leroy M. Wurst and DeVere Sturm, both of Pigeon, presented an update of their company's ongoing plight to the Pigeon Village Council at its regular February meeting Monday night.

According to stories published in The Saginaw News recently, four Pigeon residents appeared before the Michigan Air Pollution Commission in January with complaints about the "foul odor from the plant that has caused a community nuisance." The newspaper account also claimed that children have developed allergy problems since the foundry began operating in 1977.

Wurst and Sturm told council members that -- as a result of the complaints -- they are being requested to appear before the 11-member pollution commission in Lansing sometime in March, with evidence of community support for the factory which employs about 120 persons and pays about \$2 million in wages annually.

Only second-hand accounts of the pollution commission's previous meeting with community residents are available to Huron Casting, because the firm was not notified of the pollution commission's meeting so they could be present.

In discussing the matter with the Pigeon Village Council Monday, Wurst and Sturm asked for support at the Lansing meeting.

"This meeting could eventually result in the revoking of our operating permits," Wurst said. He requested a resolution favoring the plant or some other sign of support from Council members.

When asked what measures have been taken to prevent or alleviate the occasional odor problem, both men agreed that "probably there will be an odor problem (with this type of foundry anywhere) no matter what." The firm is presently using a top grade of mold sand and spraying the sand with as much deodorant as possible, to minimize odors.

A patented low smoke odor resin is being added to the sand and a scrap pre-heater and high vacuum fans are used in an attempt to lessen the odor, they said.

"The resin burning off the sand causes the odor," according to Sturm. Huron Casting is considering a state Department of Natural Resources request last fall, instructing the firm to erect a 100-foot stack by June, 1981, and exhaust the emissions from the plant via the tall stack.

However, not even Benjamin White, DNR Air Quality Division district engineer of Saginaw, who ordered the stack built, can promise that a stack will solve the odor problem.

In his Aug. 9, 1979 letter ordering Huron Casting to build the 100-foot stack, White wrote: "There is no guarantee that installing a high stack would eliminate the problem, but we are sure that it would reduce the frequency that it is a problem to your neighbors."

Sturm said the firm would build such a stack if it could be assured that the stack would eliminate the odor and satisfy Pigeon residents who are complaining about the smell.

"If you know where you're at, you can make an intelligent decision," Sturm said, adding his firm is understandably hesitant to build the \$100,000 stack since there is no assurance that the problem would then be solved.

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Multi-million-dollar bean expansion eyed for Thumb

SAGINAW -- Bean producers in Michigan's Thumb and Saginaw Valley are looking forward to learning more details of a multi-million-dollar export contract that will be signed with the government of Mexico later this week.

The Michigan dry bean industry has been negotiating terms of the contract with the Mexican government since late November. At that time, Mexico revealed it would be short about 250,000 metric tons of dry beans during 1980.

Local bean industry leaders are not able to detail for Michigan growers the full value of the export contract yet, but they have been assured it will be substantial.

The contract will involve colored beans, which can have a considerable impact on navy bean plantings -- as well as on other crop plantings such as soybeans and corn.

Reasons for the sudden demand for Michigan colored beans is based on several situations, industry leaders say. First, there was a severe drought in many

parts of Mexico in 1979, which reduced production severely.

Another is that many farms that formerly produced beans and other grain and row crops have switched to more profitable vegetable crops, such as lettuce, melons and tomatoes.

Still another factor is that many farmers who own only a few acres have given up on their meager agriculture

production and have gone into industrial work in the cities, or moved to the towns which are springing up in Mexican oil field areas.

Individually, such farmers produce only small amounts of beans or grains, but collectively their production becomes huge, experts say.

For background on colored bean production, see Page 7

Pigeon Rotary Club starts scholarships

Valedictorians and Salutatorians of Elkton - Pigeon - Bay Port High School will be the recipients of an ongoing scholarship grant from the Pigeon Rotary Club, according to club President Edwin Eichler.

The unrestricted grant will total \$200 for the Valedictorian and \$100 for the Salutatorian each year, to further the students' education or training.

Eichler says the scholarships will be awarded beginning with this year's Laker High Class of 1980. The club will donate the money to each of the school's top scholars this year, and plans to use interest from savings plans to fund the annual awards in future years.

Eichler says this is the first such ongoing scholarship program established by a service group in the Laker District. "We are happy that the Pigeon Rotary Club is able to begin these scholarships as a method of properly recognizing outstanding Laker students," the president says.

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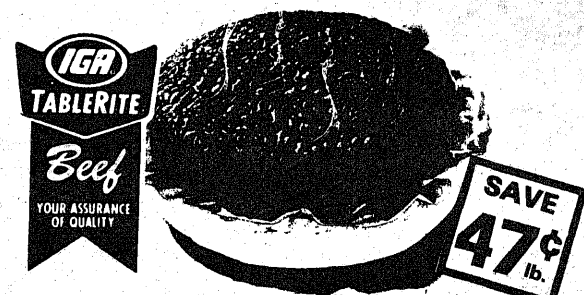
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\$1.7 million school for \$54,615

Laker Board gets a bargain!

It's final and official: Laker School District voters paid the grand total of \$54,615 directly for its new \$1.747 million Laker Junior High School building.

Elkton - Pigeon - Bay Port School District Board of Education Tuesday night accepted the final audit report for the Local Public Works Grant which provided \$1.693 million from an Economic Development Administration grant from the U.S. Commerce Department.

Accountant John Walsh of Anderson, Lynch and Nietzke, Pigeon, told the board that the Laker building immediately west of Laker High School was handled properly and all bills are paid on the structure, which was dedicated May 3, 1979.

Walsh said working in so much federal government tape meant that his firm plowed through more than 4 1/2 inches of paperwork.

In other business, board members discussed the lack of proper immunization shots by as many as 10% of Laker district students. State law requires any students not properly inoculated by Feb. 1 each year to be barred from

school, but that option was not pursued Tuesday night.

Superintendent Harry Brunet and other administrators estimate that 80 elementary and 60 high school students have not had their shots, which must get parental approval before being administered.

The district is considering busing the consenting students to the Huron County Health Department in Bad Axe because, as Brunet said, "we're in violation now."

Alcoholic consumption elsewhere and transporting alcoholic beverages on school property resulted in 13 student suspensions following a Feb. 1 school dance, according to Laker High Principal James Ballard.

Ballard told the board and about 30 other persons present that two- and three-day suspensions were given to the students, who included several varsity cheerleaders.

The cheerleaders were given two-day suspensions for coming to a school dance after consuming alcohol and one additional suspension day for failing to use sound judgement in aiding an in-

toxicated friend at the dance.

A lengthy discussion of criteria for setting suspensions was led by Ballard, who said a student's attitude will help determine the severity of his or her length of suspension.

"We try to treat violators fairly but equally," Ballard said. Sometimes, attending several alcohol abuse seminars will help shorten a suspension, he added.

Board member Bruce Baur said, "Perhaps all students should be subjected to the alcohol rehabilitation program. Probably 50% of our students do drink occasionally."

In further business, the board watched a demonstration of the new video cassette recorder purchased with Title IV-B funds by Laker Junior High. Educational programs may be taped from commercial broadcasting stations and shown on the color TV portion of the recorder.

Seventh and eighth graders will first use the machine to watch "Roots" for social studies work. Cost of the unit is about \$1,300 and reusable six-hour magnetic tapes are about \$14, according to Laker Principal Bob Drury.

ALL THE NEWS THAT FITS WE PRINT

OBSERVATIONS BY THE EDITOR AND OTHERS
GIDEON GOSPEL - Budd Elenbaum of Pigeon spoke at our church this past Sunday about the Gideons, who supply Bibles and Christian literature throughout the world. We were surprised and impressed with the range of operations this volunteer group has undertaken.

The Gideons are working at bringing the Gospel to 120 countries today. In their work, they pass out one million Bibles every 21 days. In Huron County, Gideons work with prisoners and spread the Gideon message to other people in other lands. Local men (including Elenbaum) will travel to Haiti in April to again pass out Bibles (which are used as textbooks there).

Gideons witness and set an example, Budd said, and they ask for whatever help can be given. Information is available from Budd Elenbaum, John Leipprandt, Alfred Dietzel (all of Pigeon) or any other Gideons.

WHAT? US WORRY? - A new Louis Harris survey indicates that despite Iranian problems and Afghanistan fighting, Americans mostly name inflation as our number one national problem.

Number two is "making the U.S. more self-sufficient in energy," followed by "keeping U.S. military strength at least as strong as the Russians." Fourth is helping the poor, elderly and others hit by inflation, while fifth place is "electing a real leader" to the White House.

Next come cutting federal spending, stronger crime control laws, standing up to the Russians everywhere and tax relief for overtaxed taxpayers.

ED, SWACKHAMMER SETS RECORD - Huron County Clerk Ed Swackhammer stopped in to say hello last week and admitted that he's looking forward to not seeking the office he's held for 34 years.

Now, the longest-serving county clerk in Michigan, Swackhammer is also proud of being the "longest-elected and undefeated official in Huron County." While he won't admit how old he was when he first became clerk right after World War II in 1946, he says with a smile, "I WAS in my 20s." Good luck when the time comes, Ed, you deserve some relaxation!

LOTS OF FOOD - The Cooperative Extension Service estimates that 1,450 pounds of food per year are bought for each average person in the U.S. For a family of four, that's almost SIX TONS annually!

TV-19 BOOSTERS - Local families which have supported WUCM TV-19 in the past month include the Brad Haists, the Dave Neuendorfs and Leona Salter of Sebawaing, Paul Richards and Frederick Ballard of Elkton and the Clarence Terrills of Bay Port. Your gift may be sent to TV-19 in care of University Center, Mich., 48710.

WISH I'D SAID THAT - If you're dieting, it isn't what you eat between Christmas and New Year's Day that will hurt you - it's what you eat between New Year's Day and Christmas!

By WANDA EICHLER

Two new ordinances were adopted and new railroad leases were approved by the Pigeon Village Council at its regular monthly meeting Monday night.

A revised version of the tree ordinance which has been discussed since December was adopted. The ordinance names approved species of trees which may be planted on village property adjacent to personal property. These include Little leaf linden, white ash, hard maples, soft maples except California maples, and locusts except thorn and podded varieties.

The ordinance will also govern planting of shrubs, trees and bushes on private property where clear sight lines are maintained at intersections and where disease or insect infestation are a problem.

The special assessments ordinance which was also approved allows the village to set up special assessment districts to construct curb and gutters, pave roads and otherwise improve village streets. The ordinance allows more payment options for homeowners in reimbursing the village for improvements.

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council to stop planned improvements now become advisory only. The ordinance also does away with the Board of Determination process which was previously used for okaying village improvements.

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The second lease, a \$100 annual agreement with the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Co., gives the village control of an irregularly-shaped piece of land just north of the Pigeon Inn (formerly Pigeon Hotel) building, but south of the C&O tracks.

The Council has expressed interest in leasing the land to maintain a clear fire lane along the hotel property that would service that downtown block of buildings.

Joe McArdle seeks register of deeds post

Joseph J. McArdle of Pigeon has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination as Huron County Register of Deeds.

McArdle is the owner of Joe's Refrigeration Sales and Service and has run the business for 24 years. He is seeking nomination in the Aug. 5 countywide primary election.

An active life member in the Tip of the Thumb VFW Post No. 2236 in Pigeon, McArdle also serves on the Veterans Memorial Home Association. He served in the U.S. Air Force in World War II and is a member of the Pigeon Conservation Club.

Married and the father of seven children, McArdle is a lector and Parish Council member of St. Francis Borgia Catholic Church,



Pigeon. He is a lifelong area resident, and was born and raised in Chandler Township.

Varner named field rep for Terminal

Dennis Varner has been named Field Representative for the Thumb Cooperative Terminal of Elkton, according to General Manager James Bollenbacher.

Varner, a native of Breckenridge, will be available to help local farmers having problems with storage of grain.

He will check grain bins, discuss forward contracting and set up marketing procedures for Thumb Terminal members. Bollenbacher says Varner will be on call to help with all other types of problems, too, the manager says.

Varner is a graduate of Michigan State University's Elevator and Farm Supply Short Course. Prior to accepting his new position, he has been employed at the B & W Cooperative in Breckenridge and will be moving to this area soon.



Pigeon Council adopts ordinances

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In other business, Police Chief Mark Nieschultz noted in his monthly report that more than \$3,600 was collected of more than \$4,437 in bad checks written in the village in 1978.

Nieschultz's report also showed that Huron County Sheriff's deputies who patrol the village as auxiliary police several nights weekly have received a 75 cent raise to \$7 per hour, effective this month.

Council members discussed the high cost the village incurs to keep the local recreation program in operation. The possibility of recreational aid from township sources was mentioned. Last year, Pigeon received \$2,000 in recreation funds from Winsor Township.

Village election will be conducted on Monday, March 10. Four candidates are running for the three trustee seats open on the council.

Seeking election are Republicans Dryden Haist, Bob Brueggeman and Dave Geiger plus Democrat Robert Tennant. Haist, Brueggeman and Tennant are incumbents, while Geiger is seeking his first term.

All other village positions are uncontested. No one has filed for village assessor, according to Village Clerk Norman Schulze.

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As we see it editorially

Judge election is foolish

Perhaps there are lots of things that need correcting more than this, but our ongoing system of electing non-partisan judges needs to be intelligently and permanently changed for the better.

Consider this typical example, as outlined recently to us by State Supreme Court Chief Justice Mary Coleman.

Any person who desires to become a judge in Michigan must first align himself or herself with a political party, since nominees are chosen in August primary elections. This is the only way funding is easily available to nearly all candidates, except those who have large financial resources of their own.

Once a candidate wins the party nomination, he or she must "legally erase" all ties to that party -- and magically be transformed into a non-partisan candidate for the upcoming general election in November.

That "now I'm partisan" and "now I'm non-partisan" approach makes absolutely no sense from our viewpoint. But this is the type of foolishness which has evolved into the laws of our land.

And, the process of electing judges is another poor step in the wrong direction. How many of us truly know the qualifications of any judge we are allowed to vote for? Whether on the county or state level, most of us lack any sound background in knowing who would be good or bad judges.

While the same claim might be made that we don't adequately know enough about most of the people we vote for -- village councilmen, county board members, state or national legislators or the presidency itself -- we can understand those partisan jobs much better than mysterious and often hidden legal ways.

Chief Justice Coleman favors what she calls "a sound system of appointment" for judges, but that would surely follow the same pattern established on the U.S. Supreme Court. Conser-

vative or liberal presidents often seem to appoint similarly-minded candidates who match well the beliefs of the appointing presidents.

But Justice Coleman has some disturbing facts to back up her belief that the system must be changed. In 1972, only 69% of those persons who voted at all cast ballots for judicial candidates. People don't adequately know the persons who seek judicial office, and she says the appointment system still seems to be the most fair, as it corrects most ills of present elections.

While she also favors public funding for candidates to eliminate the need for links to political parties, Justice Coleman sees problems there, too.

While we favor judicial appointments as does Justice Coleman, we'd like to see such appointments be made for a specified period of time. Appointing judges for life seems shortsighted and harmful when a candidate might misbehave or do a less than adequate job. Perhaps appointment until the age of 55 and then -- if no shortcomings are seen -- another 10-year term before retirement might be workable.

But nearly any change would be an improvement in our judicial system, one that badly needs repairs and improvements, for the good of all.

PETE PROGRESS SAYS --

"A wedding ring gives the bride something else to wrap around her finger -- besides the groom!"



By Mavis Pechette

Vacation Time

"Are you going, or have you been?" That's a question we've been hearing lately as people inquire about a Florida trip. The answer now is, "We are there."

The unseasonable weather in Michigan this year has made the winter quite bearable. In fact, many think it has been downright pleasurable. I agree, to a certain degree. (Maybe that day in January when the mercury reached 50 degrees!)

I don't agree, however, with those who tell me the winter has been so great that I don't need to go to Florida. My response to that is that 80 degrees sound so much better than 40. And even the 40 seemed nice when I looked at the thermometer a week ago at Grayling. It checked out at 18 below zero that morning. When I saw that I was ready to start packing.

It takes a few trips to learn how to get ready for a Florida vacation. Would you believe we've had our airline tickets since the first week of December? We feel quite smug as we read the travel section of the Sunday newspapers and realize that the cost of the tickets has gone up about 7% since then.

We've also learned how to pack some warm clothes along with summer outfits. One morning the TV weatherman informed us that Tampa, Fla. had a lower temperature than Juneau, Alaska. We've experienced some days like that in Florida in years past. So, we are ready this time with sweaters, heavy jackets, gloves and longjohns. There'll be no keeping us off golf course because we don't have the proper clothes. Of course, we had to get a larger suitcase to take all that along with golfing outfits, shorts and swimsuits. Those are just in case we do get nice, warm, sunny days.

From other trips we've also learned about playing in the pro-am golf tournament at Bent Tree in Sarasota. There is not so much fear and trepidation this time as we approach that. The excitement and anticipation of the event is still felt as we prepare to be a part of the LPGA tournament.

But the past experience has eased some of the anxiety of not quite knowing what it's all about. Now we just wonder whom we will draw for a partner. There are so many pleasant, skilled and friendly lady pro golfers it will be a delight to play with any of them.

Another event of vacation time will be the Huron County Florida picnic. This annual affair is held in Bradenton and is attended by many west-county residents who spend winters in the sunny south. We've been told they come from all parts of the Sunshine State to visit and catch up on the news from

home. We'll have to see how many copies of The Progress-Advance show up at the reunion to be shared. We'll let you know later.

'Nuff Said 'Easy' openings aren't

By Audrey Collins

That's easy for them to say. The people who invented the so-called "easy open box" probably have a whole trunkful of words with which to convince us that their packages can be opened by a 96-pound weakling using only his pinky.

But we veterans of that war know better. Some packages were invented just to look at and were never intended to be opened, we believe.

That new box of laundry detergent withstood concentrated invasion techniques for a good 15 minutes before I resorted to brutal tactics and got out the crowbar.

A sharp knife was the only tool that would finally allow admission to my last box of rolled oats.

Repeated jabs with the end of a spoon were required before I could get at my macaroni noodles.

And have you ever had a headache -- a real wallbanger of a headache -- and had to open the aspirin bottle by yourself? The strain and concentration are likely to result in several broken blood vessels. Aspirin may be a real pain killer, but the containers are definitely hazardous to your health. How people with arthritis get them open, I'll never know.

Press thumb along dotted line, that's what the package directions will tell you. What they won't tell you is that you have nine chances in 10 to break a fingernail in the process.

What really grates me is those great heavy mailer cartons for sending photographs and other stuff that you don't want destroyed by the postal service. You practically have to shred them in order to get into them.

Handy re-usable container? That's another good one. If you don't decimate them in the attempt to open them, either the top will crack or the bottom will spring a leak. About the only thing which eventually gets recycled is your temper tantrum.

Pickle jars and ketchup bottles are famous for being difficult to open. Can openers are notoriously balky. People expect to get red in the face and drag out the cuss words when faced with the sort of obstacle.

History will prove, moreover, that only after cans, bottles and easy-open packages were invented did marriage become an important -- no, indispensable -- institution. It takes two people to open all the containers.

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From Under the Willow

By Wanda Eichler

Woodstove update

So many of you have slyly asked me how our woodstove venture is proceeding that I thought that I might entertain you for one week with an update on the Eichler woodburning stove energy conservation project (which is saving more money than energy now!)

First I'll brush the ashes off the keys of my typewriter. Next I'll turn in the damper on the stove before I roast to death in my own dining room and then I'll begin to tell you that a woodstove is dirty. Your older friends and acquaintances have known that all along and so you've just chuckled when we gloated over our new stove's efficiency.

Otto Baur who writes an occasional "Letter to Cousin Gus" in The Progress-Advance even inquired one day by phone if we had a long stovepipe running across the ceiling of our living room. When I replied that we did not, Otto chuckled and said that then we didn't really know what was dirty as far as woodburning stoves are concerned.

Then there's the matter of carrying wood. You know the old adage, "The Spirit is willing but the flesh is weak." Well, woodburning stove people have a change to make in the phrasing of that statement. The spirit is usually willing to get some more wood, but occasionally the flesh gets weak when thinking (flesh can think?) about the physical labor involved in splitting the logs and lugging the firewood round to the front door.

Some days the fire stays glowing with only a log or two pitched in the firebox now and then. Other days are a trial to the soul when the chimney drafts play havoc with the fire and no matter how I tend those coals, I cannot get logs to burn properly.

Those are the days when I abandon my disdain for matches and light off newspaper twists in a cheating effort to keep warm. On good days, however, I can add a little newspaper to the coals, top it with dry kindling and a log or two, and blow on the hot coals, to start the fire again. I sure felt adept at fire tending the first day that I didn't use any matches.

My adeptness didn't last long, however, and I was soon back to matches and sore knees again.

Then there is the matter of the woodpile. I feel fortunate that our wood is delivered by a young man who takes great care in piling the wood just right. I won't mention his name but his efforts on the Eichler behalf are much appreciated. If only we could keep it that way! The logs on the bottom always look drier and shorter and more appealing than the logs on the top. So it's pile and repile, ache and reach.

Speaking of aches, wielding an axe to split wood produces aches in muscles that never before hurt at this time of the year. After a session with the axe, I feel like I hoed all of the vegetable garden on one day and bicycled four miles besides. It is a satisfying feeling, though, to see a log split after two strikes of the axe when four weeks ago it might have taken me five or six strikes to split the wood. (I know, I know. It's colder now so the wood splits better. My muscles are probably as weak as ever!)

There are some benefits to this black cast iron monster that warmly eats wood and paper in our living room now. For instance, the last oil bill came to slightly over \$40. You may remember that I was griping about \$200 oil bills when I reported that the stove was being installed.

Surprisingly enough, wood is still readily available and at a reasonable cost, too. We had hoped to recap our investment in three years and it now looks like we'll be able to shorten that savings time considerably.

There's a warmth to the soul that is gained from pulling up a chair beside the woodstove, too. "We had a woodstove when I was a kid," people will tell me with a nostalgic glint in their eyes for those good old days when kids dressed by the fire and mothers cooked over it.

Our kids like to hear their bedtime story by the fire and even on bothersome days, little nodding-off naps come easier in the afternoon by the warmth of the stove that seems to dispel even the nerviest of tensions.

Give up our dirty, ash-flying, back-breaking, muscle-aching cast iron living room woodstove? Not while the winter winds blow and oil prices to a dollar a gallon. I'll take the aches and the warmth, the work and the pleasure of a wood-burning stove right now.

Thank you, sir:

P.S. For those of you worried about our safety (and that included my mother) we did have a plumbing firm do the chimney installation, are careful about maintaining the 36-inch clearance from all combustibles, and have added an aluminum safety ladder and a smoke detector to our second floor bedroom area. Safety comes first and we're respectful of the source of heat that a woodstove represents.



Recollections of by-gone days

By George Keim of Bay Port

Cement & beans in the 30s

Some time ago Ted Heine and I were visiting and we talked about the good old days back in 1931 when we worked on the road from Caseville to Bay Port which is now M-25. We worked 10 hours a day in the hot sun, sometimes it was in 100° in the shade.

We shoveled sand and dumped cement for the big wages of 25 cents per hour. There were always lots of men standing around to take your place if you played out, because the depression was on at the time.

There were times when we killed as high as five snakes a day and some city guys got poison ivy from sitting in it, they just didn't know what it was and it almost made them wild.

Ted and I then got talking about the time we thrashed beans at Bill Shultz's place. It was hot and dusty and everybody was so tired we couldn't keep the machine going. Ted said we need some air in here and he knocked some boards out of the barn.

Fred Ohlrogge stopped the machine and Bill brought up some wine and beer and pop and sandwiches. We rested about 15 minutes and went to work again. I don't know if it was the fresh air or the refreshments but we almost covered up the machine from then on.

Once won silk stockings!

When I won the electric welder at the Gettel Implement Company during the Farming Frontiers program, I was too surprised to really know what it was all about. I have won a few things before but never the big Prize at a public drawing.

I once won a pair of ladies' silk stockings. I gave them to my sister because my mother didn't wear them and I was only 16 years old so I had no girlfriend to give them to.

When I was going to school the teacher offered a prize to the one who had the highest average. There was a girl in school who was always studying and always got good marks and we were all sure she'd get it. But when everything was said and done, I won by about 10 points.

The teacher had already gotten a girl's present so she had to get another one for a boy. The present was a book about Boy Scouts and I still have it.

As for that smart girl, she failed in history and geography which were my favorite subjects and it made her so mad she didn't talk to me for two weeks.



Raccoobuck tracks sighted Monday!

These tracks were made by the elusive Raccoobuck, according to a Pigeon farmer who called The Progress-Advance about 7 p.m. Monday night after seeing the supposed cross between a raccoon and deer run behind his house.

After seeing the Raccoobuck walk quietly on his land, the farmer said he had hoped to get a photo of the animal. All he saw, though, were these tracks.

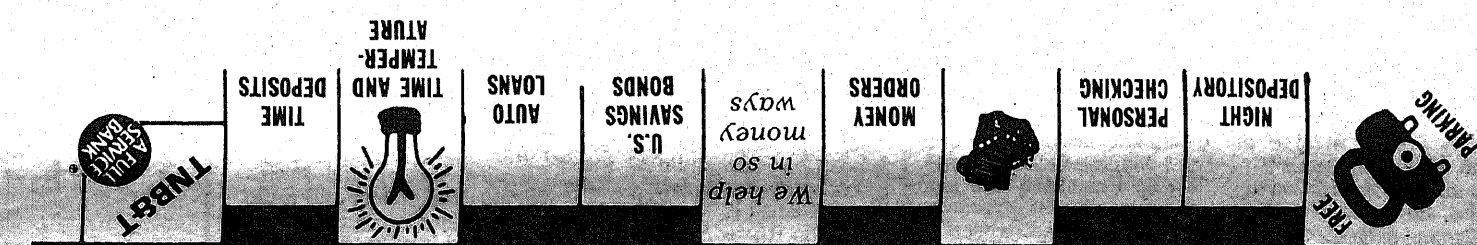
"They don't quite look like coon tracks and they sure don't look like deer tracks, maybe they ARE a combination of both -- made by a Raccoobuck," the farmer said. "I'm going to leave some carrots and sugar out for the little guy, and I hope he'll come back."

Local conservationists had originally worried about whether or not the rare Raccoobuck could survive a Michigan winter, but this year's mild temperatures apparently are making survival possible for the creature.

Prizes worth \$2,000 await anyone who can take an authentic photo of the rare Raccoobuck. Downtown Bay City, Inc., and the Pigeon Chamber of Commerce have both offered \$1,000 in merchandise to anyone who submits such a photo to Raccoobuck Sighting Headquarters at The Progress-Advance in Pigeon.



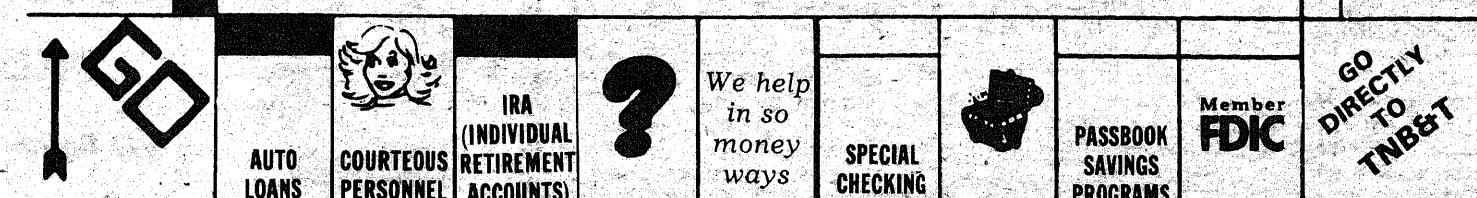
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Cherries are cause for jubilee!

Some imagination and Michigan's maraschino cherries can brighten up even the dullest recipes, says the Michigan Department of Agriculture. Keep a jar in your refrigerator. They'll add a touch of elegance to family menus when unexpected guests arrive, MDA says.

"Good things growing in Michigan" include maraschino cherries. Most of our state's sweet cherry crop is used for maraschino cherries and canning.

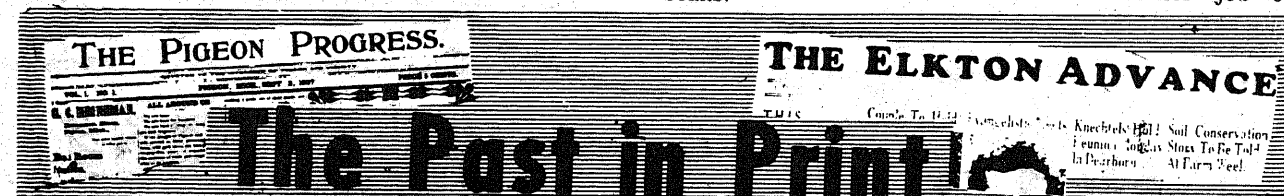
Michigan's sweet cherry production was 49 million pounds on 1979 to rank fourth in the nation, according to the MDA. Napoleon cherries are the state's leading variety for processing into maraschinos. Michigan's tart cherry crop, with an estimated 100 million pounds harvested last year, led all cherry producing states.

Almond-flavored,

crunchy-textured maraschino cherries were not an American discovery, but an excellent reproduction of an Italian creation developed more than 300 years ago. Maraschino cherries were first processed in the U.S. using imported Italian maraschino liqueur to provide the unique flavor. An imitation flavor was soon substituted, leaving behind only the name.

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80 YEARS AGO FEB. 23, 1900

John Heasty, 70, a pioneer of Pigeon, died at the home of his son, William. He leaves three sons, William, John and George, and one daughter, Mrs. Jacob Geiger.

The Snell School near Bay Port is closed down on account of scarlet fever.

Elkton School will be in session on Washington's Birthday and the day following will be taken for visiting neighboring schools.

The drama, "The Turn of the Tide," was played Friday evening to a \$45 house in Winer's Hall, Elkton. The troupe will play it next Friday evening at Soulestown after which a ball will be given.

A program was rendered at Pigeon School yesterday in honor of Washington and Lowell's Birthday.

70 YEARS AGO FEB. 18, 1910

Several of our townsmen are boarding out about the town on account of measles in the family.

Local fishermen are meeting with good success just now. The big fish are coming in large numbers and some fishermen are making from \$3 to \$5 a day.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wachner were surprised at their home Saturday night by a group of friends in honor of their 15th wedding anniversary. Many gifts were received by our drayman and his wife.

Grace Conway and her brother, Clifford, gave a Valentine party for their friends with nearly 50 present. Bert Hartley carried off first prize at games and Jack Donaldson also won a prize.

60 YEARS AGO FEB. 13, 1920

Mrs. Gordon Miller, 22, the former Adelaide Richmond, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Richmond, in McKinley Township. She leaves her husband and two children.

Violet Newman of Hayes returned to her school in

Chandler after having a week's vacation when her school building was moved.

An electric lighting system has been installed in the Bay Port M. E. Church.

Adolph and William Schnepf of Owendale brought home two new Ford cars from Detroit Sunday.

Ridge School of Fairhaven Township, spent a pleasant afternoon with Winsor No. 3 School one day last week and No. 3 won the football game.

A. E. Frieskorn has sold his farm west of Pigeon to John Gascho and expects to move to Pigeon.

50 YEARS AGO FEB. 14, 1930

100 people attended the Boy Scout banquet given by Pigeon Community Club in the school. The PTA served the banquet and Scoutmaster Dr. Belding introduced the speaker, Supt. Jenner of Bay City Schools.

The two highest-paid radio entertainers in the U. S. today are Charles Correll and Freeman Gosden, known to radio audiences as Amos and Andy.

Those receiving 100% in spelling at Snell School were Alice Frank, Aleta Maust, Elizabeth Eden, Margaret Harder, Frances Frank, Ray Swartzendruber, Paul Stahl, Marion Deming, Carlton Dietzel, Albert Eden, Kathryn Frank, Junior Dutcher, Evelyn Deming, Wanda Quick and Doris Stahl.

40 YEARS AGO FEB. 16, 1940

New officers of Pigeon Community Club are Oakley Best, Leo Bliss, Omar Sheller, Ray Thelen, Oscar Voelker, Walter Clabuesch and Ed Haist.

New officers of Chandler Community Club are Hal Conkey, Clifford Furness, Mrs. William Duffy, Harry Chappel and Mrs. Oscar Leiby. Meeting was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waterworth.

Mrs. Henry Eichler, 62, died at her home in Pigeon. She is survived by her husband, four step-children and her mother.

New officers of McKinley Farmers Club are Alfred

Sturm, Herbert Gettel, Mrs. Alvin Newman, Charles Anderson and Mrs. Wanda Morse.

30 YEARS AGO FEB. 17, 1950

A family of seven displaced persons from Riga, Latvia, the Janis Janson family, arrived in Pigeon, having been brought here by Cross Lutheran Church.

40 seniors at Pigeon High School are candidates for graduation, according to Supt. George E. Carpenter.

Pigeon Rural Ag. School's contract with the Federal government to train veterans under the "on-the-farm" program has been expanded to add 50 more students and two new agricultural instructors have been engaged. They are Howard Thompson and Robert Kirkpatrick.

20 YEARS AGO
FEB. 18, 1960

Orville H. Snider, principal of Elkton High School for the past eight years, will be principal of the new Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port Area High School, it was announced by the board of education.

Airman second class Harlan A. Christner, son of Mrs. Oarie Christner, Pigeon, was named airman of the month for the 21st Air division at Forbes Air Force Base, KA.

A Lions Club has been organized in Elkton. Officers are: George Hay, Robert Cole, Clifford Furness, Willard Sprague, Ken Weatherhead, Earl Tamblin and Ronald Downer.

Geraldine M. Hoffman, 50, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hoffman of Elkton, died Feb. 8.

10 YEARS AGO FEB. 12, 1970

Treva Swartzendruber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Swartzendruber of Elkton, was capped at Bay Medical Facility school of practical nursing.

Mark Abraham and Herbert L. Schuette, both of Pigeon, received their degrees at winter commencement ceremonies at

Michigan Oven realigns staff

Six management changes have been announced at the Caseville Plant of the Michigan Oven Co., by Graham Barton, executive vice president of the firm.

Plant Superintendent Ralph Steinman has announced his retirement, effective at the end of 1980. He plans to take a six-week vacation to Florida, then return to work on special assignments until retirement.

Roger Walker has been named Plant Superintendent to replace Steinman, promoted from Assistant Plant Superintendent. Walker lives in Caseville with his wife and one son. He also has a daughter in college and another son living in California.

Walker is a graduate of DeVry Technical Institute in Chicago, majoring in electrical engineering.

Clare Heron assumes Walker's former job of

Assistant Plant Superintendent. A 27-year veteran of the company, Heron learned his sheet metal skills at the Caseville plant over many years. He and his wife have one son in college and two married daughters and reside in Caseville.

William Gorang has been promoted to Foreman. He attended Ferris Institute in Big Rapids. He and his wife and two children live in Caseville.

Charles Mauch has been named Assistant Foreman, with added responsibility in the steel department. A

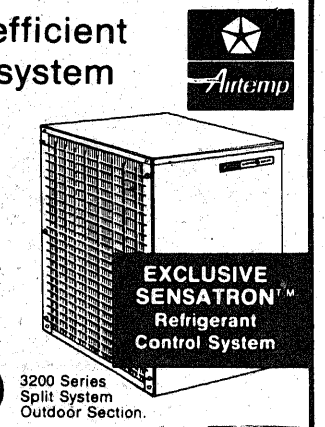
graduate of Alma College, Mauch and his wife live in Caseville. Mrs. Mauch is a teacher in the area.

Michael Karle has been promoted to Assistant Foreman in charge of the electrical department. Born, raised and educated in Caseville, Karle earned his electrical education on the job after completing military service. He and his wife have two children and reside in Caseville.

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Massachusetts factory turns garbage into energy!

Some attempts to convert garbage into energy have failed. But some are succeeding - without polluting the air.

One of the successes is the Refuse Energy Systems Company in Saugus, Massachusetts, the first

such operation to make a profit and operate without government help. As such, it may become a model for communities eager to dispose of waste without causing air and water pollution, say the Michigan Lung Association.

The Saugus facility burns three million pounds of garbage every day at a temperature of 1650 degrees, a heat so intense that almost everything burns to a cinder. The heat fires boilers that produce steam, which in

turn is used by a nearby company to generate heat and electricity, MLA says. Magnets remove any scrap iron from the ash that is left. Even the ash itself is used to resurface highways. One of the more modern

features of the facility is a "negative pressure system" that works much like a vacuum cleaner and sucks in outside air from the area where the garbage is dumped. As a result, there is hardly any smell inside the

plant and none outside, MLA says. Creating non-polluting energy from waste may play more of a role in our future, says the MLA.

Black, pinto beans have bright future

See related story on Page 1

LANSING -- More and more Michigan Dry Bean Growers are considering planting black or pinto beans for the first time, during the 1980 growing season. Michigan State University researchers and the Dry Edible Bean Production Research Advisory Board have been growing and studying these varieties for the past eight years on the Saginaw Valley Bean and Beet Research Farm.

Recently Dr. Wayne Adams of MSU, and Greg Varner of the Michigan Bean Commission compiled some facts about black and pinto beans that should be of interest to the entire bean industry of Michigan, they say.

Here are their findings:

Black Beans

Varieties

- Black Turtle Soup and T39
- Both are vine types but behave as a bush
- Will lodge like navy beans in bad weather

Planting Date

- May 20th thru June 10th
- Best probably June 1st thru 5th

Seeding Rate

- Same as Navies 40-45 lbs. per acre

Maturity

- BTS and T39 are both about 95 day beans
- 2 or 3 days later than Sanilac

Fertilizer

- Same as Navies, keep using Zn and Mn on high pH soils for even ripening

Herbicides

- Same as Navies

Diseases

- All seed should be blight and mosaic virus tested
- Susceptible to Bacterial Blights and Mosaic Virus
- White Mold could be a problem with heavy foliage

Harvest

- Splits and damaged beans are more of a problem than with navies

Yield

- 2-4 bags better than navy beans

General Comments

- Best dry bean to grow in adverse conditions

Pinto Beans

Varieties

- UI 114 and UI 111 are most common
- UI 114 is mosaic virus resistant
- Other varieties are Colombia from Washington and San Gaun from Colorado. The San Gaun seems to yield better in droughty areas, and do not grow the variety Quary
- These are all vine type plants

Planting Date

- May 25 thru June 10
- Best probably June 1 thru 10th

Maturity

- All pintos are about 85-90 days
- 3 days longer than Seafarer

Seeding Rate

- 55-60 lbs. per acre, "Bigger Beans," plant more per acre
- Need different plates

Fertilizer

- Same as Navies, keep using Zn and Mn on high pH soils for even ripening

Herbicides

- Same as Navies

Diseases

- Seed should be blight and mosaic virus tested (except UI 114 for M.V.)
- Susceptible to Bacterial Blights and Mosaic Virus
- Very susceptible to rust in cool moist weather
- White mold could be a problem with heavy foliage

Harvest

- The irregular shaped seed sometimes check on the corners, but usually no problem

Yield

- Pintos yield close to Black Beans
- 2 to 4 bags better than Navies

General Comments

- The UI 114 and Black Turtle Soup varieties have the best yield average at the Saginaw Valley Bean and Beet Research Farm (soil type: charity clay) over the last eight years.

*It should be noted that these general comments are based on average results. Specific results in any one year may vary from this information.

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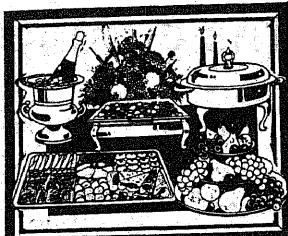
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1. Daan Yung Tong (Egg Drop Soup)
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3. Ch'ao Fan (fried rice with pork)
4. Hsing Jen Chi Teng (boned chicken with vegetables)
5. T'ang Ts'u Chu Jo (sweet and sour pork)
6. Wine: Wan Fu
7. Empress of China Beef with fresh ginger
8. Dessert: Hsing Jen Ping (Almond Cookies)
9. Jasmine Tea

EGG DROP SOUP (5 or 6 servings)

Egg-drop soups are runaway favorites with many Americans who eat in Chinese restaurants. Most Chinese restaurants have egg-drop as standard "Soupe du jour". It happens to be one of the easiest and fastest soups to make, and most households will have all the ingredients necessary for its production. The secret of good soup is naturally good soup stock. To keep the egg flakes afloat. The soup must be thickened with cornstarch before the beaten eggs are stirred in.

Ingredients:
1-1/2 quarts chicken broth or clear soup stock 1 teaspoon vegetable oil
2 tablespoons cornstarch, mixed in 1/4 cup cold water 2 scallions, chopped, including green ends
2 eggs, slightly beaten with a fork

Step 1: Bring soup stock to a boil. Slowly pour in the cornstarch mixture while stirring the stock, until the stock thickens. Reduce heat so stock just simmers.

Step 2: To the beaten eggs add the vegetable oil and beat again with a fork for a few seconds. Pour the egg and oil mixture slowly into the simmering stock while stirring the soup. As soon as the last bit of egg is in, shut off heat at once. Serve with chopped scallions on top.

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SPINACH SALAD

As a boy my mother (on our doctor's instruction) was certain to serve me boiled spinach quite often. Mother boiled the spinach and even served me the cooking water as a beverage. Quite frankly it was not one of Mom's most fondly remembered dishes.

Mrs. Kundinger has demonstrated to me that fresh raw spinach can really be enjoyed in a salad.

Ingredients:
1 lb. raw spinach, washed and stems removed 1/2 cup french dressing
2 hard boiled eggs, chopped 4 slices bacon, cooked and crumbled

Procedure: In a large salad bowl combine the above ingredients. Toss together and serve.

CH'AO FAN (Fried Rice with Pork)

After you have made Fried Rice several times you will begin to get brave and you will then begin to experiment with your own combinations. Serves six people.

Ingredients:
1-1/2 cups uncooked long grain rice 3 tablespoons peanut oil
1 cup leftover pork or chicken 3 tablespoons soy sauce
1 scallion, chopped including the green part 4 oz. can mushroom pieces
1/2 carrot, peeled and thinly sliced

Step 1: The day before you plan to serve this meal cook your long grain rice. Please resist the temptation to use minute rice.

Step 2: In a cold wok or frying pan combine the cold and cooked rice and toss lightly with the peanut oil until most of the grains of rice are lightly coated with oil.

Step 3: Apply medium heat to the rice and add the scallions, carrot, meat and drained mushroom pieces. Toss everything together and when mixture is thoroughly heated splash on the soy sauce. Please note that most American-made soy sauce will tend to make your fried rice salty and therefore it should be tasted several times. Garnish with cubes of firm tomato or green pepper and serve.

HSING JEN CHI TENG

(boned chicken with vegetables)

When you serve Chinese style (many courses) this recipe will serve 6 or people. However, if you serve American style, just add freshly cooked white rice and it will suffice to serve four or five.

This is a fine example of Chinese cooking from Canton and very simple to make.

Ingredients:
3 tablespoons cooking oil 1/2 cup canned mushrooms
1 teaspoon salt 1 cup boiling water
2 cups diced raw chicken 1 tablespoon cornstarch
2 tablespoons soy sauce 1/4 cup cold water
1 cup cooked peas 1/2 cup toasted almonds
1 cup diced celery

Step 1: Heat oil and salt in a deep frying pan or wok; when very hot, add chicken and saute for three minutes. Season with soy sauce and stir well.

Step 2: Add celery, mushrooms, peas and boiling water very slowly; stir well. Cover pan and cook for about four minutes. Add cornstarch (corn flour) mixed with cold water, and lower heat. When the gravy thickens and becomes clear, remove from heat and transfer to a shallow plate. Sprinkle with toasted almonds. Serve very hot with side of plain or fried rice.

T'ANG TS'U CHU JO (sweet and sour pork)

Ingredients:
1 lb. pork butt, lean 1 teaspoon soy sauce
Cornstarch Salt
1 large tomato, cut in wedges Cracker meal
1/4 cup white vinegar 3/4 cup pineapple chunks
1/2 cup tomato catsup 2 dashes tabasco sauce
1/4 cup water or pineapple juice 1 teaspoon worcestershire sauce
1 egg Vegetable oil or peanut oil

Step 1: Dice pork in 1/2" squares. Prepare mixture of egg, 1/4 teaspoon salt, soy sauce and 2 tablespoons cornstarch. Dip pork squares in egg mixture, then roll in cracker meal. Let stand until coating dries (about 30 minutes) before cooking meat. Deep fry (350°) in vegetable or peanut oil for 10 minutes until meat is thoroughly cooked.

Step 2: Prepare sweet and sour sauce by combining vinegar, catsup, water, sugar, worcestershire sauce, a pinch of salt, and tabasco sauce in a small sauce pan. Bring to a slow boil and simmer for 30 seconds.

Step 3: In a large frying pan or wok, place the sweet and sour sauce. Bring to a boil before adding the pieces of green pepper and cook for 30 seconds. Add one tablespoon of cornstarch mixed with two tablespoons of water, then the tomato wedges, pineapple chunks and pork cubes. Stir and cook quickly for 15 seconds until the sauce is evenly mixed. Serve.

Wine - WAN FU (a white wine)**EMPEROR OF CHINA BEEF with fresh ginger**

This was the first time we had ever tried this recipe but it went very well and everyone enjoyed it very much.

Ingredients:
1-1/2 lb. beef sirloin, 1/2" cube 1/2 tablespoon sugar
1/4 cup soy sauce (Japanese) 1/4 tablespoon salt
1/4 cup dry sherry 1-1/2 tablespoons cornstarch
1 clove garlic, minced 1/2 lb. sliced mushrooms
4 slices fresh ginger (thin, 1/8 inch) Peanut oil

Procedure: Mix cornstarch with several tablespoons of the soy sauce until smooth. Add remaining soy sauce, wine, sugar and sliced ginger. Cut beef into 1/2 inch cubes, mix into sauce and marinate for about one hour. In a wok or skillet, heat several tablespoons of peanut oil to which salt and one slice of ginger has been added until very hot. Strain marinade from the beef, saving the sauce, and brown beef on both sides until medium or rare as desired. Add garlic and mushrooms and stir a few minutes over hot fire. Add marinade sauce and thicken, if necessary with a little cornstarch blended with water; stir and serve.

HSING JEN PIN - Almond cookies

These are authentic Chinese almond cookies when you use lard to make them.

Ingredients:
1 cup sugar 1-1/2 teaspoons baking powder
1 cup lard 1/4 teaspoon salt
1 egg 3/4 cup blanched slivered almonds
3 teaspoons almond extract Whole almonds, for garnish
3 cups all-purpose flour

Procedure: Cream the sugar and lard together until light and creamy. Beat in the egg and almond extract. Sift together the flour, baking powder and salt. Add 1 cup of flour mixture and all the slivered almonds and combine thoroughly. Add the rest of the flour, 1/2 cup at a time (you may have to knead in the last bit). Knead the dough until it is firm and pliable. Roll it out to a 1/4 to 1/2 inch thickness on a flour board. Cut the cookies with a 1-1/2 to 2 inch round cookie cutter. Transfer to a very lightly oiled cookie sheet. Place a whole almond in the center of each cookie. Bake in a preheated 350° oven for 20 minutes or until lightly browned. Cool on a wire rack and serve with light tea.

See you when we return from Hawaii!

Wedding Announced

JOHN RUMMEL PHOTO

Yackle - Stoeckle

Shelia Frances Stoeckle of Bad Axe and James Allen Yackle of Pigeon were united in marriage on Saturday afternoon, Feb. 2 at St. John's Lutheran Church in Kilmanagh. Rev. Wayne Wentzel performed the double ring ceremony before 300 guests for the children of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stoeckle of Sebawaing and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Yackle of Pigeon.

The altar of the church was set with baskets of fresh lavender and white carnations accented with touches of purple. During the ceremony, the bride and groom lit a white unity candle that was surrounded with white silk carnations and forget-me-nots with loops of purple ribbon and beaded hearts. Deb Keller of Sebawaing was the organist and Marlene Mueller, also of Sebawaing, sang "Wedding Song" and "One Hand, One Heart."

Escorted to the altar by her father, the bride wore a gown fashioned of crystal sheer ganza in an A-line silhouette with Victorian neckline and lace accented sheer yoke edged in a deep ruffle of reembodyered Chantilly lace. Full sleeves were accented with lace and cuffed with ruffle Chantilly. Falling from an empire waistline, the skirt featured a double tiered flounced hemline edged in lace and sweeping into a chapel length train. Her fingertip French illusion veil was edged in Chantilly lace and held by a Camelot cap of matching lace and pearls.

The bride's bouquet was a cascade of tiny white silk carnations and lavender forget-me-nots arranged around two white silk orchids and accented with beaded hearts.

Maid of honor, Monica McCarty of Louisville, a friend of the bride, wore a long A-line gown of huckleberry Lustreglo knit with an empire waist, long full sleeves and a draped collar. She carried a silk colonial bouquet

of tiny white carnations with huckleberry forget-me-nots accented with looped ribbons and beaded hearts. The maid of honor wore a single white tiny carnation accented with huckleberry forget-me-nots in her hair.

Bridesmaids for the wedding couple were Debra Stoeckle of Bay Port, Sherrie Collis of Pigeon, Carol Stoeckle of Cass City and Kelly Bittner of Lilburn, Georgia. All were attired identically to the maid of honor.

Kristin Schuette of Holt, a cousin of the bride, was flower girl. She wore a long empire waist dress of huckleberry Lustreglo knit with long sleeves, rounded collar and fabric sash. Kristin, wore flowers in her hair and carried a basket of white silk tiny carnations and huckleberry forget-me-nots with ribbons and hearts.

Jon Collis of Pigeon, brother-in-law of the groom, was best man for the bridal couple. Groomsmen included Kendall Stoeckle of Bay Port, Brent Stoeckle of Charlevoix, Mark Stoeckle of Cass City and Thomas Stoeckle of Sebawaing.

The bride's godchild, David Schwartz of Fairgrove, was the ring bearer. The mother of the bride wore a mint green long gown with pleated skirt, sheer sleeves and ruffled stand-up collar. Her flowers were a silk corsage of white gardenias accented with yellow. The groom's mother wore a beige long gown with empire waist and sheer cape accented by a cocoa brown stand-up collar. She wore a corsage of white silk gardenias accented with peach colors.

The newly married Mr. and Mrs. Yackle greeted their friends and relatives at a reception at the V.F.W. Hall in Pigeon before leaving on a wedding trip to South Carolina.

The Yackles will be making their home in the Pigeon area.

School Menus

The menus, subject to change, for the Elkton, Pigeon and Bay Port Elementary Schools for the upcoming week are:

PIGEON

MONDAY: Pizza, corn, vegetable sticks, fruit, cookie and milk.

TUESDAY: Bean Soup, crackers, grilled cheese sandwiches, vegetable sticks, apple crisp, and milk.

WEDNESDAY: Turkey gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, cranberry sauce, sandwich, fruit, and milk.

THURSDAY: Spaghetti, salad, vegetable sticks, chicken salad or peanut butter sandwiches, cake, and milk.

ELKTON

MONDAY: Hot Dog on Bun, baked beans, pickle slices, cookie, and milk.

TUESDAY: Mashed potatoes, turkey roll, vegetable, bread and butter, fruit, and milk.

WEDNESDAY: Vegetable soup, crackers, celery and carrot sticks, grilled cheese sandwiches, crisp, and milk.

THURSDAY: Lasagna or spaghetti with meat sauce,

cabbage salad, bread and butter, cookie, and milk.

FRIDAY: Fish and chips, tartar sauce, vegetable sandwiches, dessert, and milk.

BAY PORT

MONDAY: Sloppy Joes, potato rounds, buttered corn, vegetable sticks, salad, dessert, and milk.

TUESDAY: Beef ravioli, green beans, bread and butter, vegetable sticks, salad, dessert, and milk.

WEDNESDAY: Hamburger, corn, potato chips, vegetable sticks, salad, dessert, and milk.

THURSDAY: Spaghetti, green beans, bread and butter, vegetable sticks, salad, dessert, and milk.

FRIDAY: Fish and Chips, tartar sauce, buttered peas, bread and butter, vegetables sticks, salad, dessert, and milk.

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Baptism

Shannon Marie, daughter of Richard and Laurie Pionk of Sebawaing was baptized at St. Joseph's Catholic Church at Rapson on Sunday, February 3rd.

The couple entertained at the home of Laurie's parents, the baby's sponsors, Gloria Pionk and Donald Pionk.

Others attending were her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Born and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ignatz Pionk and son Dave and Mrs. Donald Pionk and children and the great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Born.

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Huron County Picnic Feb. 23 at Bradenton

The annual Huron County Picnic will be held at the Bradenton Jones Auditorium on Saturday, Feb. 23, in Bradenton, Florida.

A potluck dinner will begin at 12 noon, but the hall opens at 10:30 a.m. Present and former Huron County people and their friends are invited to attend, according to planners. Those attending should bring a dish to pass, their own beverages and table service.

The auditorium is located at Ninth Ave. and 14th Street in Bradenton.

Mike Klemmer of Elkton and Sarasota, Fla., is president of the group; James Colgan of Elkton and Sarasota is treasurer; Peg Rehn of Harbor Beach and Bradenton is secretary, assisted by Estella Shaver of Uby and Bradenton.

ELKTON SENIOR CITIZENS

Fifty-three senior citizens met Tues. Feb. 5 in the Civic Center for their weekly potluck dinner with George Southworth presiding.

Rev. Francis Wilson gave the invocation and the group sang American and gave the pledge to the flag.

Pearl Hohman led the members in singing three old time songs. The birthday song honored Fern English and Tillie Snider.

Florence Southworth read a note of thanks and appreciation from the Ramseyer family. Fern English read a card from Florida signed by several

local "Florida friends," who were having a party at the Protzman home.

Ina Anderson reported on the sick and cards were sent to Mrs. Wilson and Mr. Gettel.

Harold Gregor, program chairman, introduced Mrs. Grace Smith, Bad Axe and Ron Berringer, Caro who then entertained with several musical selections on the accordion and guitar. Bea and Harold helped with the piano and mouth-organ. Mr. Proffitt added a sacred solo. Ron with songs and his guitar and Mrs. Smith at piano ended the program.

Relative doing specialized research

The son-in-law of a Pigeon resident is working on what is being called "one of the most exciting research stories ever" at the University of Tennessee.

Dr. Edwin B. Beachey, son-in-law of Lydia and the late Harry Teuscher of Pigeon, heads the UT research team which has developed a vaccine against strep infections that lead to rheumatic fever - the first such successful vaccine ever.

The research comes after a 30-year search for such a vaccine, and the latest published reports on the team's work shows that a safe, effective vaccine can be developed to provide immunity to rheumatic fever.

Dr. Beachey's experimental vaccine was first tested on animals and then on 12 human volunteers. Results on the first human tests were reported in a recent issue of the "Journal of Experimental Medicine" and in a recent

issue of "Hospital Practice," and showed the vaccine provides protective antibodies for a specific strain of streptococci in doses well-tolerated by the volunteers.

The Type 24 streptococci used in developing the test vaccine were isolated from a young rheumatic fever patient and are believed to be one of a dozen or so types of strep bacteria that cause rheumatic fever.

To get the vaccine, Dr. Beachey and his associates had to isolate the protein which makes virulent strains of streptococci resistant to the body's disease defenses.

The vaccine will be used here to prevent recurrence of rheumatic fever in persons who have had the disease, which is a forerunner to rheumatic heart disease. One of the team's next projects will be to confirm their initial findings in a target group of local volunteers who have had

rheumatic fever but have no signs of heart disease, he says.

In advanced countries like Japan, the U.S. and the European countries, rheumatic fever is not disappearing, but it is not the problem it used to be," he says.

"In the 1930s and 40s it used to be the no. 1 killer of children."

Penicillin has been very effective in fighting the strep infections that lead to

rheumatic fever, but this vaccine will provide greater immunity to the disease.

Dr. Beachey and his wife Carol (Teuscher) have two daughters, Anne, a junior at Oberlin College in Ohio, and Jennifer, a senior in their hometown of Memphis, Tenn.

Dr. Beachey had had rheumatic fever twice himself, and so he personally learned about the disease firsthand.



Dr. Edwin Beachey
(from UT publication)

Saginaw Valley names dean's list

UNIVERSITY CENTER -- Several local persons are included among 303 members of the Dean's List at Saginaw Valley State College, who were honored recently for scholastic excellence.

Thumb Area students who earned a 3.5 or higher grade point average, as fulltime SVSC students in fall, 1979 are:

Nancy R. Milton, of Box 146, Rt. 1, Bad Axe; Patrick A. Libka, of 136 Ruppert Street, Pigeon, and Rhonda L. Haag, of Box 179; Betsey R. Heiman, of 980 E. Pine; and Gary E. Rocha, 1323 Ridge Road, all of Sebewing.

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Schools of Arts and Behavioral Sciences, Business and Management Education, Nursing and Allied Health, and Science, Engineering and Technology.

Thumb Area Death Reported

BETTY M. BELDING
1931 - 1980

Betty M. Belding, age 48, of Pigeon passed away Sunday, Feb. 10, at her home.

She was born July 25, 1931 in Bay Port. On Dec. 30, 1949 she was united in marriage to Elwyn W. (Pete) Belding in Pigeon. She was a member of the Women's Auxiliary V.F.W. Post #2236, Pigeon.

Mrs. Belding is survived by her husband, Pete; three daughters, Mrs. Robert (Kathy) Taylor, Munith, Bethany Belding and Teresa Belding, both of Pigeon; one son, Jeffrey Belding of Kansas City, Mo.; two grandchildren, her father and step-mother, Warner and Bertha Schultz of Pigeon; one brother, Warner Schultz, Jr. of Grand Rapids, and one sister, Dorothy Jean Bills of Cass City.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, Feb. 12 at 2 p.m. from the Shetler-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon. The Rev. Martin Seitz officiated, with burial in the Caseville Cemetery.

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High team scores: P. Co-op 2362 (820-798); P. Sunoco 2333 (816-768); S. Realty 2283 (812-770); Fink's 2247 (784); W. Homes 2228 (804); Peoples 2210 (771); Beachy's 784; H. Girls (778); W. Ads (774); Johnson's (760).

High individual scores: J. Blome 556 (201-200); D. Strauch 552 (199-181-172); F. McIntyre 522 (190-183); E. Rounds 519 (187); D. Dubs 512 (190-173); G. Gunden 480; K. Damm 479 (178); N. Biebel 473 (177); M. Ropp 472 (181); L. Bergman 469; L. Welshans 464; F. Otto 463; B. Pabanz 462; E. Sturm 460; L. King 193; F. Richmond 186; J. Sturm 175; W. Kovach 173.

Splits: 5-10, 2-7 E. Rounds 2; 5-7-9, 5-10 F. Behm; 5-10 K. Basinger, J. Blome; 3-4-7 L. Elbing; 5-7 J. Otto; 5-6 M. Bier; 2-7 L. King, J. Muentener, W. Kovach; 4-5 L. Beedle; 3-10 P. Parrish, F. McIntyre, C. Poisson, C. Buerker, C. Haley D. Strauch.

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High team scores: Blome - Gunden 2045 (713); Kretschmer - Roestel 2019 (701); Strauch - Welshans 2016 (740).

High individual scores: Men: S. Smith 586 (206); K. Heck 567 (240); J. Schmitt 551 (200); F. Strauch 542; J. Gunden 541; J. Narkter 533; D. Welshans 523; L. Roestel 502.

Women: E. Gunden 537 (184-180-173); D. Strauch 507 (175); J. Blome 491; L. Elbing 482 (186-171); C. Kilgus 469 (192); A. Krohn 461; L. Welshans (190); E. Ropp (177); J. Rosenthal (176).

Splits: 2-7-8 L. Smith; 6-7 J. Dunn; 5-7 B. Thiel, L. Elbing; 7-8, 6-7-10 H. Elbing; 5-7, 5-10 D. Welshans; 2-7 A. Krohn, G. Pipe, D. Roestel; 2 - K. Heck, D. Krohn, J. Rosenthal; 2 - K. Heck, D. Krohn, J. Lackie, J. Schmitt.

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Splits: 2-7 J. Garrick, P. Diebel, D. Bouverette, D. Russell; 5-6 P. Kellerman; 3-10 D. Schmidt, M. Farver.

High team scores: Scenic Bar and Fink's 665; Fink's 1935.

High individual scores: R. Buschlen 181 (528); F. Maxwell 200 (519); F. Santos 196 (510); D. Deming 502; J. Jaworski 181 (475); D. Schuette 184 (522); T. Ferguson 175; S. Buschlen 196, 181, 180, (567); D. Deming 212 (523); M. McAlpine 172 (450); S. Hyzer 171.

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By Dorothy Diener
453-2785

The rowliners extension will meet Monday evening February 18 at the home of Miss Lois Dast.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Alfaro and children of Bay City were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Licht.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Leskowich and Henry Armbruster of Sebawaing were Wednesday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Leiprandt.

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Pigeon News

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Cregeur of Bad Axe entertained for dinner Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Cregeur in honor of their 63rd wedding anniversary, they reported having an enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. John Diener spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lewis and Jodi in Saginaw, they attended the dedication of the New Bethlehem Evangelical Lutheran Church of which the Lewis are members. Report it was a very inspiring service.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Robinson entertained for dinner on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dean and family and their guests Mr. and Mrs. James Dean and their grandchildren of Crosswell, who visited in the Dean home Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Eberly is spending two weeks with her daughter and husband, Ron and Arlene Kennelle, who are the proud parents of a baby daughter Beverly Joy born Friday, Feb. 8. They live in Rockford, Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dast and Barbara traveled to Bay City Saturday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Decker and Jennifer. Visiting in Sebawaing Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schuette at the homes of Mrs. Elaine Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Loeffler.

Clare Schuette of Cass City visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schuette on Thursday afternoon.

Lowell Swartzendruber of Saginaw was a Wednesday overnight guest of his mother Mrs. Tom Swartzendruber.

Special services were held at the Michigan Ave. Menonite Church with breakfast on Saturday morning with guest speaker Rev. John Ruth of Penn. on Saturday and Sunday giving a very inspiring service.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Libka entertained over the weekend, their children Mr. and Mrs. Harold Libka and Ryan of Flint and Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Donnell, Shean and Jeremy of Mr. Morris.

Mrs. Lydia Robinson of Elkton enjoyed supper with Mrs. Viola Schuette, later both had an enjoyable visit with Marie Schuette.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Elftman and children of Pinconning were weekend guests of his mother, Mrs. Henry Elftman.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schuette spent the weekend at their trailer home in Curran. Mrs. Shirley Schuette visited her mother at Mrs. Mabel Oesch at Provincial house.

Having their son home for the weekend Mr. Kenneth Schulze of Lansing were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schulze.

Mrs. Mabel Clark had a pleasant weekend visiting her son, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Botwright and family in Bay City.

Sunday supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schafer was Jon Nicholas of Gagetown.

Helping Mrs. Michael Eden celebrate her birthday Sunday, having dinner out in Bay City with Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Weiss and Patti, Mr. Eden and boys, returned to the Weiss home for ice cream and birthday cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rathke attended the wedding of Debra Reilly to their son, Arthur on Saturday afternoon at the Faith Lutheran Church in Utica, other relatives and friends attending were Pastor and Mrs. Henkelmann, Mrs. Frieda Neuraht, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Neuraht, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Neuraht, Clare Dast, Mrs. Jackie Redman, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Licht, James Licht, Sue Metzger, Miss Jeanette Licht, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Champagne, Luther Fredrick, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bergman, Mr. and Mrs. David Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. David Stecker, Warren Stoeckle and Mrs. Dorothy Stoeckle.

Miss Jeanette Licht of Port Wayne, Ind. left Monday after spending since Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Licht. Pastor and Mrs. Ernest Henkelmann and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rathke attended the Sunday service at Hope Lutheran Church in Marlette.

Mrs. Elsie Kern entertained for dinner Sunday at the Dutch Kettle, Pastor and Mrs. Wayne Wentzel and children, Miss Penny Haag, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kern and family were supper guests of Mrs. Elsie Kern.

On Thursday Mrs. Elsie Kern visited with Mrs. Helen Pobanz in Sebawaing and Mrs. Mina Kilgus at the Abbe home in Owendale.

Spending the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Loren Elftman were Miss Cindy Malcolm, Julie Romaine and Kathy Elftman, all of Ann Arbor.

The annual Elftman snowmobile party was held on Saturday with Clark Elftman as host. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs.

Raymond Errer, family of Bad Axe, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Errer and family of Filion, Miss Nancy Milton of Bad Axe, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Elftman and family of Pinconning, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jarvis and sons of Frankenmuth, Mrs. Henry Elftman, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Elftman and David and their guests from Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brueggeman, Hans attended the Sugar Snow Festival in Sebawaing Saturday and were dinner guests of Bob's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schuette.

Mrs. Dorothy Knoll had as Sunday guests Mrs. Marge Roemer and Mrs. Margaret Dubey.

Attending the ordination of Howard Keim into the Ministry on Sunday and spending the weekend in

Kalona, Iowa were his father Mr. George Keim, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Keim and Charlene Keim.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Beyer entertained on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Abbott and Sally, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Dubs, in honor of Joanne Abbott's birthday, and the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Beyer, which are both on Valentine's day, "Best Wishes to all of you."

On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Born and family attended the wedding of Mrs. Born's brother George Fuerst to Lisa Reil at Holiness Missionary Church in Vassar and on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Born and family were guests at the first birthday of their godchild Amanda Schneck at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schneck of Warren.

News from Lake - Chandler

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Midteton and family and Mrs. Verna Little of West Branch spent Saturday at the William Ballagh and Leo McArdle homes.

The Rev. James Wallace of Battle Creek will be an interim pastor at the Chandler and Kinde Presbyterian Churches.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ware of Almont were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McBride and also visited his parents in Caseville.

Mr. and Mrs. George Southworth paid their

respect to the family of a cousin, Mrs. Esther Beukelman at Cass City, Funeral Home Sunday and called on Mr. and Mrs. John Zinnecker of Cass City, another cousin.

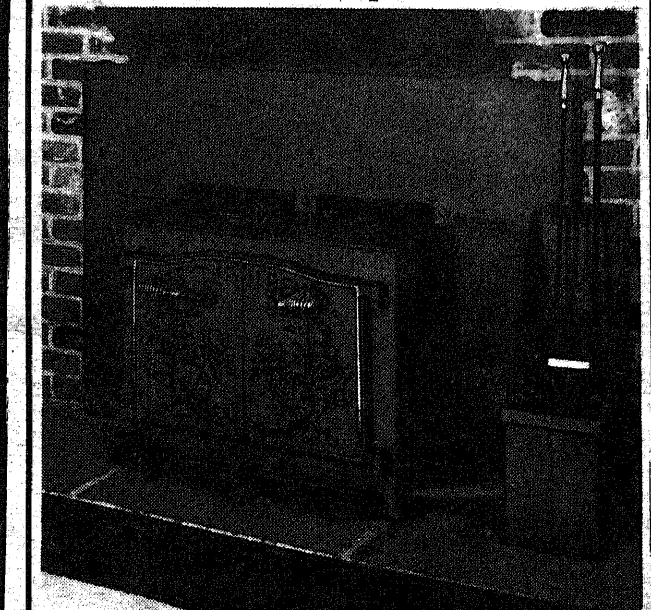
Mr. and Mrs. William McBride were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. John McBride in Elkton, to help their granddaughter, Joanne celebrate her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Heron, Bay Port, visited at her sisters home, Mrs. Theresa Himmel, last week.

Bob Buchholz graduates from Ferris State

BIG RAPIDS - Robert Buchholz of 5951 Berne Road, Elkton, has received a bachelor of science degree in accountancy from Ferris State College in Big Rapids. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Reinhardt Buchholz of Elkton, Buchholz received his degree at the end of fall quarter, 1979.

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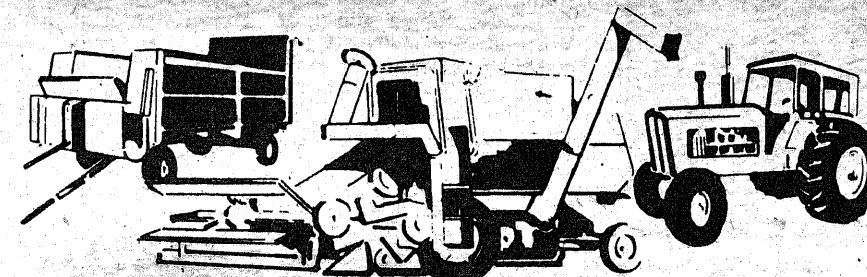


ART DISPLAYED - Three Laker Junior High art students have received honorable mention awards from the Central Eastern Regional Scholastic Art Program, and are displaying their works in Pigeon, Elkton and Bay Port.

Front left, Kathy Day of Bad Axe displays her work as L.J.H. Art Teacher Lois Furness holds another local creation.

Standing are Dennis Diener of Pigeon and Ron Aldridge of Caseville. All three students did pen and ink with wash or charcoal works during their nine-week exploratory class on art.

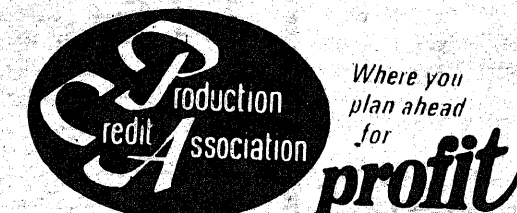
Since being displayed at Thumb National Bank & Trust in Pigeon this past week, the works next go to Community Bank in Elkton next week and then to Bay Port State Bank.



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Cancer Society sets \$27,950 goal

The Huron County Unit of the American Cancer Society recently received authority to collect money for the county's goal of \$27,950 for their yearly Cancer Crusade. Each year, the national organization reauthorizes its local units as the collecting agencies in their particular area.

Some of the money collected will stay in Huron County in the form of services to patients and educational programs. The remainder goes to the national organization where much is used for research. However, much of the research money is presently being rechanneled to Michigan universities where cancer research is conducted.

The Huron County unit introduced Sue Eckel of Pigeon as a new board member at a meeting which was conducted by Mrs. Ford Beers.

The Reach to Recovery committee reported contact

with three mastectomy patients in the past quarter. Mrs. Marge Kiehl is now a certified trainer for Reach to Recovery workers in the area.

Special projects that have been held in the past few months included the "Buck Boards for Buck Season" and the Christmas letters. Gertrude Quinn, memorial

chairperson, reported that memorials are being received.

Upcoming events include a quilt raffle and the Walter Hagen Golf Tournament.

The Michigan Division Kick Off for the annual crusade will be at Long's Convention Center in Lansing on Sat., March 15.

CLUB NEWS

PLEASANT SHORES FARM BUREAU

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Horton were recently hosts to the Pleasant Shores Farm Bureau group, and they served a noon luncheon to those attending.

Mae McGerguson called the meeting to order. June Henry read the minutes and roll call. Iva Horton gave the highlights of the Package Report.

Floyd Horton led the

discussion topic "Township Government". He stated that the U. S. still has a Township Government - consisting of Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer and Trustees.

But, the very poor attendance at township annual meetings in recent years would seem to indicate the majority of the citizens have little interest in what their local elected officials do.

Mrs. McPherson will be hostess to the March meeting.

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Cass City

Snow Bonanza still on at Caseville



Lots of excitement and fun is still going on during the annual Caseville Snow Bonanza, today through Sunday all over the town.

Tonight (Thursday) is semi-final night, with broomball, tug-of-war and mystery game contests going on at Bonanza Park. A pool tournament is set tonight at Riverside Bar.

Saturday's features are the 12 noon ice fishing contest at the state dock and the AAU Powerlifting Championship at Caseville High gym, sponsored by the Talk of the Town Health Spa.

Women's softball, euchre, pool tournaments and other events are also planned Saturday.

The Caseville Kiwanis Pancake Breakfast runs from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the High School and Championship rounds are planned beginning at 2 p.m. in broomball, tug-of-war and the mystery game at Bonanza Park. A girls' pool tournament is also planned at 2 p.m. Sunday, to cap festivities.

Caseville Queen candidates modeled and answered questions Saturday night (see Page 1 for more)



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Prosecutor to step down

Veteran Huron County Prosecutor Peter Burns Capling, 45, formally announced today he will not seek a fourth term in office.

Capling said he intends to enter private law practice when his term expires at the end of his 12th year as County Prosecuting Attorney, this year.

"The Prosecutor's job has given me a great deal of satisfaction in that it has given me the opportunity to work with a lot of good people. But, it is my sincere feeling that 12 years is sufficient time to dedicate to public service and I am now prepared, and most anxious, to pursue a full time private law practice," he said.

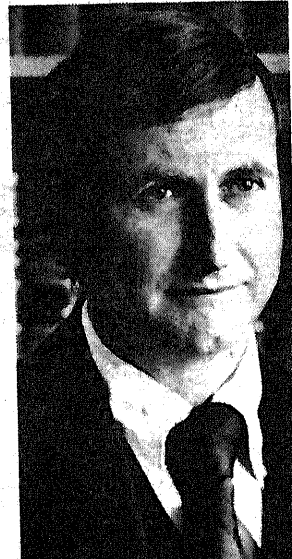
Capling was first elected to the office in 1968 and he won re-election to two subsequent four-year terms, giving him the longest consecutive tenure of the office in the history of Huron County and ranking him fifth in longevity of service as an elected Prosecutor in the entire state at the present time.

"The Prosecutor's job has given me a great deal of legal experience in every Court and has therefore broadened the base of my ability to serve the people of

this community in private practice," he said.

Capling said the move will also allow him to devote more time to his family. He and his wife, Sue, have four children.

"To the people of Huron County, I extend my personal thanks and gratitude for allowing me to serve as Prosecutor of the greatest county in the country," he concluded.



Kilmanagh News

by Mrs. Arthur Gaeth

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ertel, Ann and Cory visited Mrs. Arthur Holland at Bay Medical Center in Bay City Wednesday afternoon and were later supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Narrington in Akron.

Mrs. Walter Ertel is a Medical patient at Huron Memorial Hospital in Bad Axe.

Mrs. Walter Gettel of Brighton, Colorado arrived Tuesday to spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Amanda Strauch and sister-in-law, Mrs. Edna Weindlander of Sebawaing.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Schweitzer attended church service at Grace Lutheran Church in Auburn on Sunday morning in honor of the baptism of the children of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Schweitzer.

James and Debra were dinner guests at their home. Mr. Walter Ertel, Mike Siebel and Mrs. Lydia Gaeth visited Mrs. Walter Ertel at Huron Memorial Hospital in Bad Axe Sunday evening. Faye Ertel visited her mother Sunday afternoon.

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Pigeon Village Ordinances No. 75 and 76

ORDINANCE NO. 76

An ordinance governing special assessment procedure the Village of Pigeon and its definitions:

1. DEFINITIONS:
A. Cost: the term "cost" as used in this Article, when referring to the cost of any improvement, shall include the cost of surveys, plans, right-of-way, spreading of rolls, notices, advertising, financing and construction and all other costs incident to the making of such improvement, the special assessments therefor and the financing thereof.

B. Improvement: the term "improvement" as used in this Article shall mean any public improvement, any part of the cost of which is to be assessed against one or more lots or parcels of land to be especially benefited thereby, in proportion to the benefit derived therefrom.

2. COUNCIL AUTHORITY:
The Village Council shall have power to determine that the whole or any part of the cost of any improvement shall be defrayed by special assessments upon the property especially benefited.

The Council, in order to ascertain whether or not a reasonable number of property owners to be assessed desire any particular improvements to be made, may request and receive a petition therefor, or may receive such a petition voluntarily presented; but in either event, such petition shall be advisory only and shall not be jurisdictional.

3. COUNCIL DETERMINATION:
The Council may, by resolution, determine to make the improvement and to defray the whole or any part of the cost of the improvement by special assessment by upon the property especially benefited in proportion to the benefits thereby. By such resolution the Council shall approve the plans and specifications for the improvement; determine the estimated cost thereof; determine what proportion of such cost shall be paid by special assessment upon the property especially benefited and what part, if any, shall be a general obligation of the Village; determine the number of installments in which assessments may be paid; determine the rate of interest to be charged on installments, not to exceed max. int. rate permitted under law; designate the district or land and premises upon which special assessments shall be levied; and direct the Village Assessor to prepare a special assessment roll in accordance with the Council's determination.

Notwithstanding any provision of this ordinance, the Council may, in its discretion, delay the preparation of the special assessment roll until after the completion of the improvement, in which case the actual cost thereof shall be reported to the Council, and the special assessment roll shall be made for such actual cost rather than for the estimated cost as in other cases.

4. SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLL:
The Village Assessor shall thereupon prepare a special assessment roll including all lots and parcels of land within the special assessment district designated by the Council, and shall assess to each such lot or parcel of land such relative portion of the whole sum to be levied against all the lands in the special assessment district as the benefits to such lot or parcel of land bears to the total benefits to all lands in such district.

When the Village Assessor shall have completed such assessment roll, he shall attach thereto, or endorse thereon, his certificate to the effect that said roll has been made by him pursuant to a resolution of the Council giving date of adoption (same) and that in making the assessments therein he has, as near as may be, according to his best judgment, conformed in all respect to the directions contained in such resolution, and to the Village charter and the provisions of this ordinance. Thereupon he shall file said special assessment roll with the clerk who shall present the same to the Council. The Assessor's certificate may be in the following form:

State of Michigan) ss
County of Huron) ss
To the Council of the Village of Pigeon:

I hereby certify and report that the foregoing is a special assessment made by me pursuant to a resolution of the Council of said Village adopted (give date) for the purpose of paying that part of the cost which the Council decided should be borne and paid by special assessment for the (insert here object of the assessment); that in making such assessment I have as near as may be, according to my best judgment, conformed in all things to the directions contained in the resolution of the Council hereinbefore referred to, and the ordinance and charter of the Village relating to such assessment.

Dated and Signed
Village Assessor

5. ASSESSING SINGLE LOTS:
When any expense shall have been incurred by the Village upon or in respect to any single premises, which expense is chargeable against such premises and the owner thereof under the provision of the charter, or any ordinance of the Village, or law of the State of Michigan, and is not that of a special assessment district, on account of the labor, material or service for which such expense was incurred, with a description of the premises upon or into which the expense was incurred, and the name of the owner, if known, shall be reported to the Village Clerk by the Assessor before November 15, or at such other times as it may deem advisable, direct the Assessor to prepare a special assessment roll covering all such charges which shall not have been paid. Said roll shall be filed with the Clerk who shall present the same to the Council.

The provisions of the preceding sections of this ordinance with reference to special assessments generally and the proceedings necessary to be had before making the improvements shall not apply to assessments contemplated in the above subsection.

Upon confirmation of any special assessment roll authorized by this section, the Council shall determine the number of installments in which assessments may be paid and the rate of interest to be charged on installments, but not to exceed the annual maximum interest rate permitted under the law.

6. ASSESSMENT ROLL - HEARING AND CONFIRMATION:
Upon receipt of such special assessment roll the Council shall order it filed in the Office of the Clerk for public examination; shall fix the time and place when it will meet and review such roll; and shall direct the Village Clerk to give notice of said hearing. Such notice shall specify the time and place of such hearing. Such notice shall be given by the Village Clerk to each owner of or party in interest in property to be assessed, whether by name appears upon the last Village tax assessment records, by mailing by first class mail addressed to such owner or party at the address shown on the tax records, at least ten days before the date of such hearing. The notice of the meeting to review such special assessment roll and to hear objections to such special assessments shall be in substantially the following form:

Meeting to review special assessment roll No. _____ and to hear objections to the special assessments assessed against special assessment district No. _____ in the Village of Pigeon, Michigan:
Please take notice that the Council will meet at _____ (insert address) on _____ the _____ day of _____ at _____ o'clock P.M. for the purpose of reviewing _____ (insert description of particular improvement) and of hearing any and all objections to the special assessments as assessed in said roll No. _____ made in the matter of construction the following described improvements:
(Insert specific description of particular improvement.)
(The assessment roll is on file in the Office of the Village Clerk for public examination. The special assessments therein contained have been assessed according to law against the parcels of land constituting special assessment district No. _____ which district is described as follows:
(Insert description of special assessment district.)
The above assessments and all proceedings upon which they are based shall be incontestable unless: (a) within 45 days after the confirmation of the special assessment roll, written notice is given to the Clerk indicating an intention to file such suit or action, stating the grounds on which it is claimed that the assessment is illegal; and (b) the action is commenced within ninety (90) days after confirmation of the roll.

Dated, Village of Pigeon, Michigan, this _____ day of _____, 19____.

Village Clerk

7. CONTESTED ASSESSMENTS:
No suit or action of any kind shall be constituted or maintained for the purpose of contesting or enjoining the collection of any special assessment (1) unless within forty-five (45) days after the confirmation of the special assessment roll, written notice is given to the Council of intention to file such suit or action, stating the grounds on which it is claimed that the assessment is illegal; and (2) unless such suit or action shall be commenced within ninety (90) days after confirmation of the roll.

8. ATTACHMENT OF LIENS:
All special assessments contained in any special assessment roll, including any part thereof deferred as to payment, shall, from the date of confirmation of such roll, constitute a lien upon the respective lots or parcels of land assessed and upon said shall be a charge against the respective owners of the several lots and parcels of land. Such lien shall be of the same character and effect as the lien created for Village taxes and shall include accrued interest and penalties. No created for Village taxes and shall include accrued interest and penalties. No created for Village taxes and shall include accrued interest and penalties. No created for Village taxes and shall include accrued interest and penalties.

9. HANDLING OF ASSESSMENT ROLL:
The assessment roll shall be transmitted by the clerk to the treasurer for collection immediately after its confirmation.

The first installment shall be spread upon the next Village tax roll in a column headed "Special Assessments" together with interest upon all unpaid installments from the date of the confirmation of the roll. Thereafter, one installment shall be spread upon each annual tax roll, together with one year's interest thereon, provided that when any annual installment shall have been prepaid as hereinafter provided, then there shall be spread upon the tax roll for such year only the interest upon unpaid installments.

After each installment has been placed on the tax rolls, the same shall be collected by the Village treasurer with the same rights and remedies, and the same penalties and interest, as provided in the charter for the collection of taxes.

10. DEFICIENCY ASSESSMENTS AND REFUND:
Should any special assessment roll, including the amount assessed to the Village at large, prove insufficient for any reason to pay the cost of the improvement for which they were made, then the Council shall make additional assessments against the Village at large, to supply the deficiency; but the total amount assessed against any lot or parcel of land shall not exceed the value of the benefits received from the improvement. Should the assessments levied prove more than five percent larger than necessary to pay the cost of the improvement, then the Council shall, by resolution, order the excess over five percent to be refunded to the assessed parties.

11. REASSESSMENT IN EVENT OF ILLEGALITY:
Whenever any special assessment shall, in the opinion of the Council, be invalid by reason of irregularity or informality in the proceedings, or if any court of competent jurisdiction shall adjudge such assessment to be illegal, the Council shall, whether the improvement has been made or not, or whether any part of the assessment has been paid or not, may revoke its confirmation, correct the illegality, if possible, or reconfirm it. Property which is not involved in the illegality may not be assessed more than was imposed upon the original confirmation without further notice and hearing thereon.

12. COLLECTION BY COURT ACTION:
In addition to any other remedies and without impairing the lien thereon, any delinquent special assessment, together with interest and penalties, may be collected in an action in assumpsit in the name of the Village against the person of the assessment, if possible, or reconfirm it. Property which is not involved in the illegality may not be assessed more than was imposed upon the original confirmation without further notice and hearing thereon.

13. EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE ORDINANCE:
This ordinance shall become effective ten days after enactment and shall be published within said period.

been incurred by the Village which is a proper charge against the defendant or the premises in question, tender judgment for the amount properly chargeable against such defendant or upon such premises.

13. ANTICIPATORY BORROWING AND BOND ISSUES: GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS:
The Village Council may borrow money and issue bonds of the Village therefor in anticipation of the payment of special assessments in one or more special assessment districts, which bonds may be an obligation of the special assessment district and a district or may be both an obligation of the special assessment district and a general obligation of the Village. The Village Council may issue general obligation bonds to defray that portion of the cost and expense of a local public improvement chargeable to the Village at large.

14. HAZARDS AND NUISANCES:
When any lot, building, or structure within the Village, because of the accumulation of refuse or debris, the uncontrolled growing of weeds, or age or dilapidation, or because of any other condition or happening, becomes, in the opinion of the Council, a public hazard or nuisance which is dangerous to the health or safety of the inhabitants of the Village or those of them residing or habitually going near such lot, building, or structure, the Council may, after investigation, give notice to the owner of the land upon which such hazard or nuisance exists, or the owner of the building or structure itself, specifying the nature of the hazard or nuisance, and requiring such owner to alter, repair, tear down, or remove same promptly and within a time to be specified by the Council, which shall be commensurate with the nature of the hazard or nuisance. If, at the expiration of the time limit in said notice, said owner has not complied with the requirements thereof, or in any case where the owner of the land or of the building or structure itself is not known, the Council may order such a hazard or nuisance abated in proper department or agency of the Village which is qualified to do the work required, or in any case where such abatement assessed against the lot, premises or description of real property upon which said hazard or nuisance was located.

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If any section of this ordinance shall be found to be invalid by any court, such invalidity shall not affect the remaining portions of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid portion, provided such remaining portions are not determined by the court to be inoperative and to this end this ordinance is deemed to be severable.

16. EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE ORDINANCE:
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Enacted: February 11, 1980

Norris Diebel, President

Norman Schulze, Village Clerk

State of Michigan) ss
County of Huron) ss
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I, Norman Schulze, Clerk of the Village of Pigeon, do hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Governing Special Assessment Procedure" was introduced at a regular meeting of the Village Council on February 11, 1980, and passed at a regular meeting thereof, and is hereby published and recorded as provided by law and/or the Village Charter.

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around!
Gonkee

**Mom, Dad,
& Mar,**
Hearts and flowers and lots
of love to our Wisconsin
family.
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Lovers

**To "Old Grandpaw"
and "Grandmaw" too,**
A Happy Valentine's Day
to-you!

Dad,
You can't be beat, we
think you're great, we're
glad Mom chose you as
her mate!

**Love ya,
Scott & Chad**

**You're the someone that
I care for, more and more
each day.
You're the someone that
I think of in such a loving
way.**

**You're the someone that
I plan for in everything I do.
You're my happiness,
my everything, my dearest
dream come true.**

**Nice going,
Cupid**

William,
Roses are red, violets are
purple, I love you as much
as maple syrup.

**Sandy,
Mike, Sam**

Grandma--
Some like "Blues," some
like "Pops," we like you
because you're "Tops."
Six C's

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Singers and Players:**
A crescendo of love for
some northworthy friends!
An Admirer

Phyllis,
To my second mother,
Happy Valentine's Day.
Your Side-Kick

**Big Grandpa
DeSloover,**
We miss you and love you!
Mikie &
Benie

William Esch
at Fairly Straight, this
doesn't rhyme, but I just
thought I'd say 'Howdy'
and get your name in the
paper.
the one & only

**Pigeon Grammy
& Papa,**
Your two little "Mitins"
send you kisses! Happy
Valentine's Day. We Love
You!
Michael &
Tamara

Doc,
From Michigan to Florida
we hope you are having a
nice winter.
Sandy & Bill

**Pigeon Area
Jaycees,**
Your club is doing a
great job. We'll support
you always.
Jaycettes

Babes,
You are the sunshine of my
days and nights. Be mine --
forever.
Your willow
gal

**Grammy & Papa
on the Farm**
Your two little "Mitins"
wish you a Happy Valen-
tine's Day. Love you bunch-
es.
Michael &
Tamara

**Grandma &
Grandpa,**
Thanks for all the love
you've given me. Happy
Valentine's Day!
Love,
Kathleen

D.J.
Roses are red, dandelions
are yellow, you sure are
great, you're my kind of
fellow.
Your bowling
partner

**Steve, Maureen
Sarah and Nate,**
Thinking of you all on
Valentine's Day.
Love, Us

**Grandma &
Grandpa Young,**
We love you and miss you!
Mike &
Ben

Mark & Sal:
Now and forever, you've
got friends.
"Usn's"

**Happy Valentine's
Day!**
To our soon-to-be July
baby from the proud Aunt
and Uncle.
Dave & Gahl

Gramma--
Though we live close, we
seem afar, you're close in
our thoughts whenever we
see your car.
The 5 D's

Mom & Dad,
Thanks for all your love.
Have a Happy Valentine's
Day.
D.R.

Mark,
I love you more each day,
thank you for being mine.
Feathers

BMDD & PDD
If your initials could tell,
they'd say you two are
swell.
T & Puddin'

Mom--
Losing weight ain't too
great, but in a size 10 you'll
really rate.
The dieting
wonder (?)

Dad,
This Valentine's day has
lots of wishes you'll soon
be out of stitches.
Tamera T.

Linda LOU,
How do you do? You're
really sweet and neat.
The one & only

Becky & Tammy,
To two sweet kids I love
alot. Have a Happy Valen-
tine's day.
Your sister
& aunt

Happy Valentines
To our special loving
Grandpa & Grandma Elen-
baum, and Grandpa &
Grandma Haag.
Jeremy &
Nicholas

P.B. at P.A.
You're great, but with six
more of me, we would use
a whole box of Kleenex.
T.D. at P.A. & T.B.

Mom,
We love you and miss you
have a nice day!
Mark & Irene

To my in-laws:
Wonderful to love you,
wonderful to know,
however far you wander,
there, too, my heart will
go.
The Out-Law

**Happy Valentine's
Day!**
Old Geezer, Grandma, Big
Geezer. From the Little
Geezers.
Ryan &
Joshau

Willie & Liesl:
Love ya, hug ya, need you
kids!
Mom & Dad

Roger,
God made love for all to
see, so that's why he made
you and me.
Love,
Patti

Chris,
This day was made for
lovers and I love you above
all others.
Robert

**Granddaughter
McLean,**
Glad you will be added to
our family. Love to Mom
and Dad.
Grandma B.

**Happy Valentine's-
Day**
and 60th Birthday Mom
and Dad.
Love, Bob, Cindy
Ami, Kami & Joy

**Grandpa &
Grandma Stirrett,**
Happy Valentine's Day!
We Love You!
Jeff, Debbie
& Jeremy

**Kenny, Judy,
Cindy, Shawn:**
In our hearts in far away
Oregon.
Love,
Mom & Dad

**Mom, Dad, Deb, Grandma,
Grandpa, Grandma. I wish
you a Happy Valentine's
Day.**
Love,
Tammy

To Sister Wheels:
Happy Valentine's Day.
Loads of love.
Mom & Dad

**Grandpa &
Grandma,**
Happy Valentine's Day!
We love you!
Chad & Adam

Daddy,
Roses are red, violets are
blue, sugar is sweet and
we love you!
Adam, Chad
& Sue

**From Grandmaw and Papa
too, with all our love to all
of you.**

**To my buddies
at MCSN,**
There really is a Pigeon!
Love ya's!
Julie in
G.R.

M & S,
Otherwise known as the
boss and her husband,
what's for supper Monday
night? Or shall I take a rain-
check?
Your guest-
Tina (?)

Pauline,
Happy Valentine's Day!
Love Ya!
Love, Me

**Grandma
Dorchen,**
We love you and miss you!
Mike & Ben

Helen,
Happy Valentine's from
your Casseville friend.
Love, Me



Elkton News

by Kami Buchholz

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Elsesser were Mr. and Mrs. James Elsesser and children, Christine and Jeff of Charlotte. Mr. and Mrs. John Elsesser's son, Mark was also home from Ferris for the weekend.

Mrs. George Snider celebrated her 83rd birthday on Thursday, February 7 at the extended care facility in the Scheurer Hospital. Relatives and friends including her great-grandchildren, Kari and Kortney Thumme of Elkton, were present for Mrs. Snider's happy day.

The Elkton Civic Club met at the home of Mrs. Roy Tappenden on Thursday, February 7 for their monthly meeting. The Valentine meeting focused on craft making.

Mrs. Ervin Kreh of Elkton and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Krause of Berkeley were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Krause. The Roland Krause's also spent the weekend at his brother's, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Krause.

It was birthday week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lackie. Their daughters, Laura and Lisa turned 17 and 15 respectively on the 3rd and 6th of February. The Lackie's granddaughter, Becky, turned 2 on the 11th. The birthday party was held at their home last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kandall, Flossie and Edith Lackie all of Bad Axe, Mr. and Mrs. William Lackie of Filion and Mr. and Mrs. James Lackie of Mud Creek present.

The "Caroling Crusaders" (Mr. and Mrs. Ray English and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gregor) sang at the Elkton United Methodist Pathfinder class party on February 5th and for the calendar party at the Bad Axe Methodist Church on February 4th.

The Good News film "The World That Perished" will be shown at the Laker Auditorium on Saturday, February 16 at 7:00 p.m. The film deals with the answer to the question "Was there once a world that no longer exists?" The Sr.-High Y-F of the EUMC will meet after the movie for a pizza party.

Saturday, February 16 at 7:00 p.m. will be the Progressive Class Party at the Elkton United Methodist Church.

Due to the painting of the sanctuary at the EUMC, the Sunday morning service on February 17 will be held in the Fellowship Hall. Communion will be given on the date at 8:30 a.m. with the worship service following at 9:30 a.m. The Chancel Choir will be singing.

On Tuesday, February 19 all committee's at the Elkton United Methodist Church will meet at 7:00 p.m. The Full Council on Ministries will meet at 8:00 p.m.

The Lenten booklets, written by the congregation of the EUMC, are ready for distribution. The daily devotions may be picked up in the church office.

The Jr. High Y-F group of the First United Methodist Church and the EUMC joined together for a bowling and pizza party on Saturday, Feb. 9.

The Sr. High youth group spent Saturday at Boyne Mountain in Boyne City. The day was spent alpine (downhill) skiing on the resort's eight hills.

My Aunt Gail Sturm celebrated her 42nd birthday Sunday, Feb. 10. Relatives and friends dropped in with birthday wishes at her home in Bad Axe.

A message to all sweethearts on this Valentine's Day - Love makes the world go round - Kami. Do have a terrific day.

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PRESCHOOL STORY HOUR

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Deputy seeks register position



Frances L. Holdwick

Newly-appointed Huron County Register of Deeds Frances L. Holdwick has announced her candidacy for election to the post.

Mrs. Holdwick of Harbor Beach, has served as Deputy Register of Deeds since January, 1979. She is a Republican candidate for nomination in the Aug. 5 primary election.

She says her service under former department heads Robert Osborn and the late Lorraine Maurer qualifies her for service. "Who can say more about them as avid teachers?" she says. "I have enjoyed every minute of aiding the public in the office."

She was appointed Feb. 8 to fill the unexpired term of Lorraine Maurer, who passed away Jan. 15, 1980.

Mrs. Holdwick is the wife of Larry R. Holdwick, a Harbor Beach dairy farmer. They have two children, Scott and Sarah, who attend Harbor Beach Elementary School. The Holdwicks are Michigan Milk Producers Association members and are members of St. Anthony's Catholic Church, Helena, where Mrs. Holdwick is an Altar Society member.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Klebba of Harbor Beach, she graduated from Our Lady of Lake Huron Catholic School, Harbor Beach. She worked for The Times Herald in Port Huron for six years, until she and her family moved back to Huron County in 1974.

According to Mrs. Holdwick, former Register of Deeds Robert Osborn says "Fran worked for me and I will support her completely."

Monsters Look for Shapes" will be the stories featured at Preschool Story Hour on Tuesday, Feb. 19 at the Pigeon District Library. A flannel board story illustrating shapes and a chalk talk "The Snowman" will also be featured for both sessions.

Games, fingerplays and sharing with the educational toys are all parts of the hour sessions. Two sessions are scheduled, with the first from 9 to 10 a.m. and the second from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., with Marilyn Maust and Jerry Klein in charge of both.

SATURDAY STORY HOUR

On Saturday, Feb. 16, "Becky and the Bear" and "The Secret Box" will be featured along with games and other surprises.

Peggy Stahl and Doreen Krohn are in charge of this activity at the Pigeon District Library.

On Saturday, Feb. 23 a Film Festival will be featured which is titled "The

Hobbit." "The Hobbit" is J.R.R. Tolkien's glorious fantasy and will be 78 minutes in length.

Although Saturday Story Hours are planned for Kindergarten through second grade school children, any persons other than this age group are welcome to attend.

This film is rated for the enjoyment of preschool through adult and will begin at 1 p.m. at the Pigeon Library.

MOTHER'S COFFEE HOUR

A Mother's Coffee Hour will be conducted at the Pigeon District Library on Tuesday, Feb. 19 with two sessions at the same hour as preschoolers attend Story Hour.

This meeting will feature Mrs. Phyllis Snider and Rev. Frederick Cooley who will speak on "Effective Parenting," giving a preview of the S.T.E.P. program in which they have both been involved.

Mrs. Snider is social worker with the Huron Intermediate School District and Rev. Cooley is the pastor of Hayes United Methodist Church.

If you are interested or want more information, the first session will be from 9 to 10 a.m. and the second from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

NEW BOOKS

OLDER CHILDREN--"Body in the Brillstone Garage" by Florence Parry Heide, "Joel and the Great Merlin" by Eloise J. McGraw and "Grey Cloud" by Charlotte Braeber.

BEGINNERS--"Fiddle-i-Dee" by Diane Stanley and "Pinkerton Behave" by Steven Kellogg. **JUNIOR ADULT--**"The Last Summer" by Helen Grif-fiths.

MYSTERIES--"Motive in Shadow" by Lesley Egan, "Witness Before the Fact" by E. Farrars and "The Will and Testament of Constance Cobble" by Stanton Forbes.

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And builds a Heaven in Hell's despair.

—William Blake

"Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God."
—1 John 4:7

At the top of a poem the cupids embrace
On a beautiful Valentine bordered in lace,
As a sign of the love we consider romance,
Which is ever so often dependent on chance;
For you need, to acquire the feeling sublime,
To arrive on the scene at the opportune time.
And yet true love is not a precarious state
That abandons us all to the mercy of fate,
But we learn in the Church we elect to attend
That the height of affection is being a friend.
It's a form of devotion we all can display,
With the love of our Father to show us the way.

—Gloria Nowak

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Rev. Ralph Rott
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Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Mid-week Service 7 p.m.

BAY PORT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Fredrick Cooley
Sunday Worship 9 a.m.
Church School 10 a.m.

HAYES UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Fredrick Cooley
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.

KILMANAGH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. William Maynard
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 8 p.m.
Wednesday 8 p.m. Prayer and Bible Study Hour

OWENDALE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. William McBride
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.

GAQUETOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. William McBride
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.

ELKTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. W. Hurley
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:45 a.m.
Praise Gathering 7:30 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH, BAD AXE
Rev. David Flynn
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday evening 7:30 p.m.
Mid-week Thursday 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
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REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, BAY PORT
Elder Ervin Haley
Church School 10 a.m.
Presiding Service 11 a.m.

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, OWENDALE
Olson McCallum
Church School 10 a.m.
Presiding 11 a.m.
Junior Church 11 a.m.

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, CASEVILLE
Priest Royal Ross
Morning Worship 10 a.m.
Presiding Service 11 a.m.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SAND POINT
Fr. James Sorenson
Sunday School 11 a.m.
Sunday of the Month

ST. JOHN'S BY-THE-LAKE EPISCOPAL, PORT AUSTIN
Vicar-Fr. Elan Peckford
Sunday Service 2 p.m.

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Sunday 10 a.m. Public Bible Discourse 11 a.m. Congregational study of "The Watchtower"

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Rev. Harold E. Young
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Worship Hour 11 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
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Rev. Wayne J. Keim
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Thursday Bible Study 7 p.m.

MICHIGAN AVE. MENNONITE CHURCH, PIGEON
Rev. Charles Haerer
Morning School 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.

PIGEON RIVER MENNONITE CHURCH
Rev. Luke Yoder
Associate Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Bible Study 7 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 8 p.m.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, KILMANAGH
Pastor Rev. W. Wenzel
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Communion 2nd and 4th Sunday every month

TRINITY EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELKTON
Wisconsin Synod
Rev. Gerhard Struck
Church Service 10 a.m.

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH, CASEVILLE
M-25 and Crescent Beach Rd.
Rev. Randall P. Schultz
Missouri Synod
Sunday Divine Service 10:30 a.m.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, LINKVILLE
Missouri Synod
Rev. Wayne Wenzel, vacancy pastor
Morning Worship 8:30 a.m.
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, BERNE
Wisconsin Synod
Rev. Philip K. Prass
Sunday School 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Holy Communion on the First Sunday of the Month

NEW SALEM LUTHERAN CHURCH, SEBEWAING
Wisconsin Synod
Rev. P.H. Huebner, Pastor
Holy Communion First Sunday of the Month
Sunday Service 9 a.m.
Sunday School 10 a.m.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH, SEBEWAING
Missouri Synod
Rev. David Detering
Rev. Edward J. Arle, Assoc. Pastor
Sunday School 8:15 a.m.
Sunday Worship 8 and 10:30 a.m.

CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH, PIGEON
American Lutheran Church
Raymond E. Orth, Pastor
Worship 8:30 a.m.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship 10:45 a.m.

ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, BACH
Rev. John Riske
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Sunday Worship Service 10 a.m.
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Thumb Area Church News

OWENDALE RLDS WOMEN'S DEPT.

Women's Department Assistant Leader Mrs. Tom Craig presided last Thursday over the monthly meeting of the Owendale Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, with 14 members attending at the home of Mrs. Reva Russell.

Co-hostess was Mrs. Darlene Kuenzli. Women's leader, Mrs. Russell read the call to worship from Proverbs 31:7. The ladies joined in singing a hymn and prayer was offered by Mrs. Emma Morley. Mrs. Kuenzli, taught the lesson "The Time of Your Life" from the book "Women as Winners". The closing prayer was given by Mrs. Vickie Merchant.

Mrs. Kuenzli led the business meeting, with Lucille Wells reading

minutes, and the yearbooks were passed out. Work night was set for Feb. 7 at the church to work on bazaar items.

Lunch was served by the hostess and co-hostess. The next worship-study meeting will be at the home of Lucille Wells on Thursday, Feb. 21. Co-hostess will be Ila McCallum.

CHANDLER GUILD

The Chandler Presbyterian Guild met with Cora Buerker for their Feb. meeting with 10 members present. For roll call they signed Valentine cards for the shut-ins.

Margie McPhee opened the meeting with a reading of a Psalm and all read the Purpose in unison. She reminded members of the Alma College Presbyterian Women's Worship on March 14. She also set a date, March 3, for anyone to come to help clean and paint at the church.

The least coin selection "Take My Yoke Upon You" was read by Margaret Young. Margaret Fleming read an article from A. D. "Unlocked guns cost me my son". Mrs. Young distributed material to make hospital gowns to be sent to Africa. There is also a box at the church for clothing for missions.

Millie Kain presented the first in a series of the Parables of Jesus, beginning when Jesus says "The kingdom of the heaven is like heaven, which a woman took and hid in three measures of meal till it was all leavened (Matt 13:33). Most church members have little notion of how to fit faith into the workplace, but the parable

says whatever your job, do it as though God had called you to it.

Margaret Young was co-hostess and served dessert. The March meeting will be with Marviline Richards.

LADIES AID LINKVILLE

The Ladies Aid of St. Paul's Lutheran Church of Linkville met Thursday afternoon Feb. 7, with 15 members and one guest.

Vice President, Mrs. Laura Fibranz called the meeting to order. The devotional topic was based on a film depicting the mission opportunities confronting the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod in various countries of South America.

After a short business meeting a game was played and prizes were awarded to Mrs. Ruth Bernhardt and Mrs. Irene Heck.

The hostess committee was Mrs. Dora Strauch, Mrs. Charles born, Mrs. Elda Bauer and Mrs. Doris Faust.

Delta names dean's list

UNIVERSITY CENTER -- Nine local students have been named to the fall, 1979 dean's list at Delta College.

Included are: Connie M. Gilbert and Ronald J. Cile, both of Caseville;

Ann C. Forster of Elkton; Carl F. Dast of Pigeon; Sherry L. Burk and Duane E. Grika, both of Owendale, and

Laurie F. Gremel, Ruth A. Liker and Holly J. Winter, all of Sebewaing. Students must earn a 3.5 grade point average with at least 12 hours of study to qualify for the dean's list.

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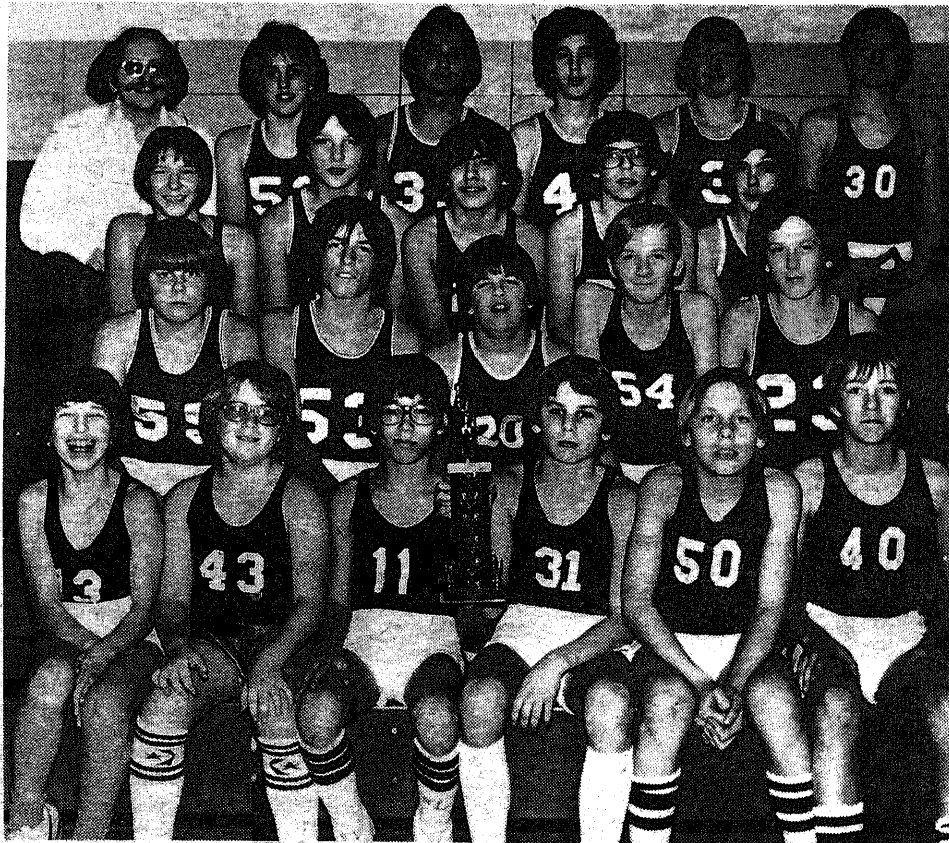
Laker Junior High teams are league champs!

SEVENTH GRADE CHAMPS - The Laker Junior High Seventh Grade Boys Basketball Team is shown here, with their league championship trophy. Coach Mark Weidman's team finished the season with a 10-1 record. Front row from left are Rob MacDowell, Billy Craig, Dave Sturm, Ron Souva, Scott Aldridge, Paul Baker and Ed Gentile. Second row Eric Bushey, Robert Gonzales, Ron Brenner, Ron Dubs and Darin Zadyzarski. Third row Charlie Mascorro, Scott Rosenthal, Steve Werner, Bill LePage, Dave Kingman and Cragg Baur. Back row Coach Mark Weidman, Scott Maust, Dan Swartzendruber, Dan Bouck, Dave Wisenbaugh and Troy Weidman.

EIGHTH GRADE CHAMPS, TOO! - The L.J.H. Eighth Grade Boys Team also won its 1980 season basketball crown, with an 8-3 record. Coach Dick Pauly's squad won its league trophy - also promising good things ahead for Laker teams! Front row from left are Greg Milton, Mike Pawlik, Jeff Lawrence, Troy Dubey, Scott Buschlen and Sandy Fritz. Second row Steve Ewald, Dave Cunningham, Mike Hazard, Keith Pratt and Ken Hurley. Third row Dave Voelker, Gregg Ropp, Ramiro Sanchez, Robert Small and Mike Wiederhold. Back row Coach Dick Pauly, Mark Manenti, Leonard Garza, Brian Elston, Jim Gilbert and Dale Killingier. The largest crowd ever to see a basketball game in the new Laker Junior High Gymnasium saw both teams win their respective Junior High league crowns on Thursday, Jan. 30.



1980 LAKER JUNIOR HIGH SEVENTH GRADE TEAM



1980 LAKER JUNIOR HIGH EIGHTH GRADE TEAM

Huron County Board of Commissioners 1979 Fall Session Proceedings

Continued from Last Week

WHEREAS, the salary schedule of the other employees of the Huron County Sheriff Department has been adopted; and

WHEREAS, the following personnel of the Administrative staff are to receive the following salary for 1980:

Henry Eppenbrock	Undersheriff	\$ 16,700.00
Robert Pinkbeiner	Chief Deputy	16,200.00
Bonnie Perry	Secretary	11,048.00

They are also to receive all other benefits as the other employees, under the FOP, of the Huron County Sheriff Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Administrative Staff, as listed, is to receive above salaries for 1980. Also, the same fringe benefits as the other employees, under the FOP contract, of the Huron County Sheriff Department.

Respectfully submitted,
Personnel Policies & Salaries Committee
Marcus Schumacher, Chairman
Peter J. Ney, Vice Chairman

DATED: October 23, 1979

RESOLUTION by Personnel Policies & Salaries Committee: #163 (RE: Granting employees, over three years, an additional week of leave time and three personnel days to be taken from their sick leave earned.) Motion by Schumacher, seconded by Ney for the approval of this resolution as read and by a roll call vote. Discussion. Motion by Ney, seconded by Schumacher that this be tabled until the next meeting. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION by Building & Grounds Committee: #164 (RE: The purchase of two desks for the Equalization Department from Perry Office Supply at total of \$452.20.) Motion by Reibling, seconded by Schumacher for the approval of this resolution and this by a roll call vote. Vote as follows:

AYES: Reibling, Schumacher, Thoms, Ney, Nugent
NAYS: Leipprandt, Kuhl

Resolution approved. Following is resolution:

RESOLUTION

TO: HONORABLE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
HURON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

Gentlemen:

We, the BUILDING & GROUNDS, INSURANCE & COUNTY PROPERTY COMMITTEE, beg leave to submit the following resolution for your consideration:

WHEREAS, the Equalization Department is in need of two additional desks; and

WHEREAS, Perry Office Supply has quoted a price of \$226.10 each for a Hon Desk HN-33055, 30x60.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Huron County Board of Commissioners authorize the Huron County Equalization Department to purchase two (2) Hon Desk HN-33055, 30x60 at \$226.10 each from Perry Office Supply, End Ave, for a total of \$452.20. To be taken from County Property Budget.

Respectfully submitted,
BUILDING & GROUNDS, INSURANCE
& COUNTY PROPERTY COMMITTEE
Calvin Reibling, Chairman
Marcus Schumacher, Vice Chairman

DATED: October 23, 1979

RESOLUTION by Building & Grounds Committee: #165 (RE: The purchase of two desk chairs for the Equalization Department from Thumb Office Supply for a total of \$219.00.) Motion by Reibling, seconded by Schumacher for the approval of this resolution. Leipprandt requested a roll call vote as follows:

AYES: Reibling, Schumacher, Kuhl, Thoms, Nugent, Ney
NAYS: Leipprandt

Resolution approved. Following is resolution:

RESOLUTION

TO: HONORABLE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
HURON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

Gentlemen:

We, the Building & Grounds, Insurance & County Property Committee, beg leave to submit the following resolution for your consideration:

WHEREAS, the Equalization Department is in need of two additional executive chairs; and

WHEREAS, Thumb Office Supply has quoted a price of \$109.50 each for a United Chair UC-C211 AC, executive style.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Huron County Board of Commissioners authorize the Huron County Equalization Department to purchase two (2) United Chairs UC-C211 AC, executive style for \$109.50 each from Thumb Office Supply, Bad Ave, for a total of \$219.00. This to be taken from County Property Budget.

Respectfully submitted,
BUILDING & GROUNDS, INSURANCE
& COUNTY PROPERTY COMMITTEE
Calvin Reibling, Chairman
Marcus Schumacher, Vice Chairman

DATED: October 23, 1979

RESOLUTION by Equalization, Township Tax and Apportionment Committee: #166 (RE: To have all tax billings in the Townships of Sebawaing, Brookfield and Grant be spread on a tentative tax levied for the year of 1979.) Motion by Ney, seconded by Kuhl for the adoption of this resolution and by a roll call vote. Vote as follows:

AYES: Ney, Kuhl, Thoms, Schumacher, Leipprandt, Reibling
NAYS: None
ABSTAIN: Nugent

Resolution approved. Following is resolution:

RESOLUTION

TO: BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
HURON COUNTY
MICHIGAN

Gentlemen:

We, the Equalization, Township Tax & Apportionment Committee, respectfully beg leave to submit the following resolution for your consideration:

WHEREAS, the Townships Sebawaing, Brookfield and Grant have property in the Owen-Gage School District, and

WHEREAS, Owen-Gage School District has property which is in question as to which school district the property really belongs, and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, to have all tax billing in the Townships of Sebawaing, Brookfield and Grant be spread on a tentative tax levied for the year 1979.

Respectfully submitted,
Equalization, Township Tax & Apportionment Committee

Peter J. Ney, Chairman
Bruce W. Kuhl, Vice Chairman

DATED: October 13, 1979

RESOLUTION by Equalization, Township Tax and Apportionment Committee: #167 (RE: Each taxing unit has not filed from L-4029 and their Certificate of Compliance, therefore not to accept any of the reports until all units have filed the necessary forms.) Motion by Ney, seconded by Kuhl that this be tabled until the next meeting for action at that time. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION by Equalization, Township Tax and Apportionment Committee: #168 (RE: Authorizing the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners and County Clerk sign the Certificate of Compliance on the reduced tax levy and supply form L-4029 of each attached to the resolution.) Motion by Ney, seconded by Kuhl for the approval of this resolution as read. Motion carried. Following is resolution:

RESOLUTION

TO: BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
HURON COUNTY
MICHIGAN

Gentlemen:

We, the Equalization, Township Tax & Apportionment Committee, respectfully beg leave to submit the following resolution for your consideration:

WHEREAS, Huron County as a taxing unit has signed a Certificate of Compliance with Section 31 Article 9 of the State Constitution of 1963, and

WHEREAS, Huron County Board of Commissioners has reduced the tax levy of the County to 4.22 mills which is .33 mills less than required by law, and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, to have the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners and the Clerk sign the Certificate of Compliance on the reduced tax levy and supply form L-4029 a copy of each attached to the resolution.

Respectfully submitted,
Equalization, Township Tax & Apportionment Committee
Peter J. Ney, Chairman
Bruce W. Kuhl, Vice Chairman

DATED: October 23, 1979

RESOLUTION by The Board of Commissioners: #169 (RE: Recognizing Murray Hagen for his 33 years of dedicated service to Huron County and signed by each of the Commissioners.) Motion by Nugent, seconded by Leipprandt for the approval of this resolution as read. Motion carried. Following is resolution:

RESOLUTION

WE, the Huron County Board of Commissioners, hereby extend our congratulations and give formal recognition to Mr. Murray Hagen for

his thirty-three (33) years of dedicated service to the people of Huron County.

WHEREAS, Murray Hagen has formally announced that he will be retiring from the Huron County Road Commission at the end of this year, and

WHEREAS, Murray Hagen as the Manager of the Huron County Road Commission has been instrumental in maintaining and developing the primary road system in Huron County to a degree of excellence wherein the County of Huron is recognized state wide as having one of the best County Road systems in Michigan, and

WHEREAS, during Murray's leadership the Huron County Drain Department was reorganized and streamlined to better serve the County of Huron, the County Park system was improved and the present Huron County Road Commission offices, maintenance shops and Kinde garage were constructed on behalf of Huron County in addition to several other accomplishments.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that we the Huron County Board of Commissioners hereby formally recognize "Murray Hagen" for his many years of dedicated service to the County of Huron. Mr. Hagen shall be ever grateful to you and we extend to you and your wife, Mrs. Hagen, our hearty congratulations and wish you both many happy years in your retirement.

Mrs. Nugent, Chairman
Bruce Kuhl, Vice-Chairman
Willis Leipprandt
Peter Ney
Marcus Schumacher
Calvin Reibling

DATED: October 23, 1979

RESOLUTION by Board of Commissioners: #170 (RE: Recognizing Victory E. Ingram for his years of dedicated service as a member of the Huron County Planning Commission.) Motion by Thoms, seconded by Schumacher that this resolution be adopted as read. Motion carried. Following is resolution:

RESOLUTION

WE, THE HURON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, hereby give formal recognition to Mr. Victory E. Ingram of Port Hope, Michigan; and

WHEREAS, Victory E. Ingram has submitted his resignation as a member of the Huron County Planning Commission; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Ingram, a charter member of the Huron County Planning Commission, has faithfully served on the Planning Commission since its beginning on November 17, 1966; and

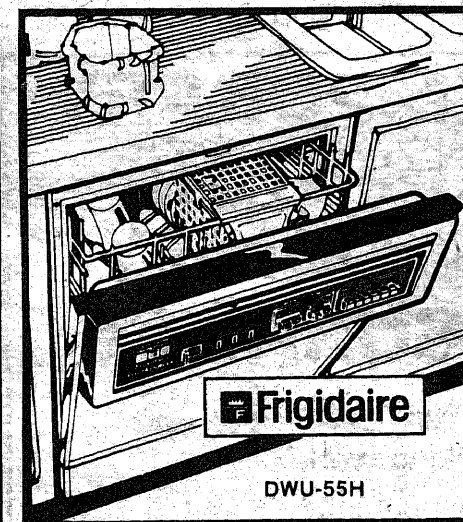
WHEREAS, Victory E. Ingram has been a sincere and faithful worker and shown leadership on the work of the County Master Plan and Zoning Ordinance, which is now in effect as of July 16, 1974; and

WHEREAS, Victory E. Ingram is to be commended for all his effort and time given to the County of Huron as a member of the Huron County Planning Commission.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the HURON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS hereby formally recognize "Victory E. Ingram" for his many years of dedicated service as a member of the Huron County Planning Commission. Mr. Ingram being a charter member of this Commission since its beginning on November 17, 1966.

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Wm. Nugent, Chairman
Bruce Kuhl, Vice-Chairman
Willis Leipprandt
Albert Thoms
Peter J. Ney
Marcus Schumacher
Calvin Reibling

DATED: October 23, 1979

RESOLUTION by Personnel Policies and Salaries Committee: #171 (RE: Employment of Kenneth Ginter, a licensed electrician on a part-time basis as electrical inspector for the Building and Zoning Office.)
Motion by Schumacher, seconded by Ney for the approval of this resolution as read.
Motion carried. Following is resolution:

RESOLUTION

TO: BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
HURON COUNTY
MICHIGAN

Gentlemen:

We, the Personnel Policies & Salaries Committee respectfully beg leave to submit the following resolution:

WHEREAS, there is need of a temporary electrical inspector in the Building & Zoning Office; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Kenneth Ginter, a licensed inspector, is willing to be employed on a part time basis at the rate of \$6.00 per hour and mileage at the rate of .17¢ per mile.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Mr. Kenneth Ginter, a licensed electrician be employed on a part time basis as Electrical Inspector for the Building & Zoning Office at the rate of \$6.00 per hour and mileage at the rate of .17¢ per mile. This to be effective as of October 24, 1979.

Respectfully submitted,
Personnel Policies & Salaries
Committee

Marcus Schumacher, Chairman
Peter J. Ney, Vice-Chairman

DATED: October 23, 1979

Records to show that the Board of Commissioners did not receive a salary increase for 1980 and the mileage for the Commissioners to remain at seventeen cents per mile instead of the eighteen and a half cents will be receiving.

Motion by Reibling, seconded by Ney that the Board adjourn until Tuesday, November 6th at 9:30 A.M., unless by special call of the Chairman. Motion carried.

(Continuation of Resolution #158 on Page 117.)

AMENDATORY AGREEMENT

This amendatory agreement is entered into on this 25th day of October, 1979, pursuant to the F.O.P. Employer agreement dated 8-1-75 between the Huron County Board of Commissioners of Huron County, Michigan, and the Sheriff of Huron County, Michigan (hereafter referred to as collectively the employer), and the State

Fraternal Order of Police and its Local Lodge #131 (hereinafter collectively referred to as the Union).

Whereas, pursuant to Section B of the F.O.P. employer agreement under date of 8-1-75 between Huron County and Fraternal Order of Police, Huron Lodge No. 131, certain changes regarding wage and fringe benefits have been negotiated, and

WHEREAS, pages 17, 18, 22, 23, and page 25 attached hereto contain the amendatory language to be incorporated in said contract in order to properly amend said contract; and

Whereas, it is understood and agreed between the parties hereto that the pages attached hereto shall replace the old pages in the F.O.P. Employer contract and become a part thereof and that said negotiated changes shall take effect as of January 1, 1980.

In Witness Whereof, the Union or F.O.P., and the County and Sheriff have caused this amendatory agreement to be executed in their names by their duly authorized representatives on the day and year first above written.

HURON COUNTY, MICHIGAN
COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

William Nugent, Chairman
Board of Commissioners
October 25, 1979

Edward A. Swackhamer
County Clerk

Richard V. Stokan
Sheriff

R. Brent Woodward
Bargaining Committee
October 25, 1979

Arlin Herford
Bargaining Committee

Arthur Scott
Bargaining Committee

1. WAGES: Article XIV, Section A. (pg. 17 of present agreement).

- A. Overall across the board wages increases for all classifications of \$1,050.00
- B. Increase for Sergeants and Det./Sgt's classifications of \$100.00 over and above top deputy (making total of \$500.00 above)
- C. Classifications of Detective and Aviation Pilot and Mechanic have been added to the classifications.

* See attached sheet for Appendix A, Classifications and wage rate schedule effective January 1, 1980 thru December 31, 1980.

2. LONGEVITY PAY: Article XV, Section A. (pg. 18 of present agreement)

- \$150.00 increase to each step. After 5 yrs. \$300.00
- After 10 yrs. \$450.00
- After 15 yrs. \$600.00
- After 20 yrs. \$700.00

Longevity will be paid on Employee's Anniversary date upon a separate check from salary.

3. LIFE INSURANCE POLICY: Article XVI, Section B. (pg. 22 of present agreement).

- Life Insurance coverage to be increased from \$5,000.00 to \$10,000.00 double indemnity.

4. SICK TIME: Article XX, Section H. (pg. 22 of present agreement).

- Employee to receive full pay for sick time upon Retirement and full pay after 15 years of service upon Resignation.

Section J. added in to Sick Time, to read as follows.

PERSONAL DAYS: An Employee is allowed three (3) Personal Leave Days per year which is to be deducted from accumulated sick days with 24 hours notice to Employer.

- 5. FUNERAL LEAVE: Article XXIII, Section A. (pg. 25 of present agreement).
- 5 days death of Wife, Husband, Child, Mother or Father.
- 2 days death of Father-in-law, Mother-in-law, Grandparents, Grandchild, Brother, Sister, Brother-in-law or Sister-in-law.
- 1 day death of Aunt, Uncle, Niece or Nephew of blood relation.

APPENDIX A.

Wage rate Schedule
Effective January 1, 1980
thru December 31, 1980

CLASSIFICATION TITLES	Starting Rate	After 6 Months	After 12 Months	After 18 Months
Sergeant	---	---	---	\$15,700.00
Det./Sgt.	---	---	---	\$15,700.00
Detective	\$13,050.00	\$13,550.00	\$14,400.00	\$15,200.00
Aviation Pilot & Mechanic	\$15,200.00	\$15,500.00	\$15,700.00	---
-Deputy	\$15,050.00	\$13,550.00	\$14,400.00	\$15,200.00
Turnkey	\$10,850.00	\$11,350.00	\$11,900.00	---
Dispatcher	\$10,550.00	\$11,050.00	\$11,600.00	---
License Examiner	\$ 9,000.00	\$ 9,500.00	\$10,400.00	---

(End of Resolution)

HOWARD A. SWACKHAMER, CLERK

WM. NUGENT, CHAIRMAN

Red Ave, Michigan
November 6, 1979

The Honorable Board of Commissioners convened this day at 9:30 A.M., for special meeting pursuant to date set. Purpose of this meeting for any business that is to come before the Board. Notice of this meeting was properly posted.

Meeting was opened with the Lord's Prayer and Pledge to the Flag. Meeting was called to order by Chairman, Wm. Nugent.

Commissioners present were: Chairman Nugent, Kuhl, Leipprandt, Reibling, Ney, Schumacher and Thoms. All present.

Minutes of the October 16th meeting were read. Motion by Ney, seconded by Leipprandt that the minutes be approved as read. Motion carried.

Minutes of the October 23rd meeting were read. Motion by Reibling, seconded by Kuhl that the minutes be approved with corrections. Correction made was the listing of the suggestions for Revenue Sharing monies. Motion carried.

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, the record indicated that no requests were made to speak.

NOVEMBER SESSION, 1979

Following Communications were read:

Letter from Robert E. Heck, Chairman of the County Health Board, this recommending that Bruce Baran be hired as a staff sanitarian, salary of \$11,900.00.

Letter from Dorothy Mantey, Chairwoman Membership Committee, E.C.M. Health Systems Agency, Inc., this informing that Vary Gryboski and Calvin Reibling were elected to a three year term on their Board of Directors and Mr. Reibling was elected Treasurer.

Copy of a letter to the State Tax Commission from Arnold Schweitzer, County Treasurer, informing them of the delay of the County 1979 Apportionment Report.

Letter from Jack Boyett, Personnel Director of the Department of Corrections, this regarding the bringing of county probation employees into the state classified service, (adult probation secretary in Huron County).

Motion by Leipprandt, seconded by Thoms for the acceptance of the Communications and that they be turned over to the proper committees for action. Motion carried.

Mr. Schweitzer spoke to the Board on several matters. He had met with the Finance Committee to review the Revenue Sharing budget under Title XI in the amount of \$381,219.00. Following is the recommendation for the Revenue Sharing budget:

Bridges	\$150,000.00
Libraries	18,000.00
Ambulance	5,000.00
(subsidy)	
Senior Citizen	20,000.00
County Property	188,219.00
	\$381,219.00

Under County Property there is some flexibility as this money may be used for repairs, construction, etc..

Mr. Thoms suggested that the nine CETA employees, at the Sheriff Department, have their salaries paid from revenue sharing monies as this could be for human services, and not have all the funding for brick and mortar. After further discussion, it was felt not to use federal monies for salaries and fringe benefits. As in the past, salaries and fringe benefits have come from general fund. Motion by Thoms, seconded by Leipprandt that the Public Hearing for Revenue Sharing be held on November 27th at 1:30 P.M.. Motion carried.

Another matter discussed with the Board was regarding the Goslin property in the Owen-Gage School District, this property was recently transferred to the Cass City School District. Under the Headline Amendment this now changes the multiplier which is applied to the allowable millage of a district to determine how much millage has to be rolled back. The township of Grant, Schwabing and Brookfield are involved in the Owen-Gage district. Mr. Schweitzer requested the Board to give directive to Mr. Capling, Prosecuting Attorney to study this.

Mr. Schweitzer informed the Board that the Apportionment Report, which is due, has not been completed and that he has informed the State by letter that it will be completed as soon as all proper forms are received from the townships. Motion by Ney, seconded by Kuhl that the County Treasurer, Arnold Schweitzer complete the 1979 Apportionment Report. Motion carried.

Motion by Leipprandt, seconded by Kuhl that the Chairman together with the Prosecuting Attorney and Mr. Schweitzer follow the proper procedure for the Owendale-Gagetown School District. Motion carried. Also, that possibly Mr. Capling may have to go to Lansing or a letter be sent to the Tax Commission for proper procedure.

1:30 P. M.

Cost of converting the current tax billing system to a computerized system was explained by representatives of Burroughs Corp., Flint and representatives of IBM Systems, Detroit, Mr. Neil A. Helms, David Doyle and Mr. Sanders. Also present for the presentation was Arnold Schweitzer, County Treasurer, George Danks, Equalization Director and Boris Thoms and Elizabeth Booms, Addressograph Department. Discussion was held concerning this matter. Board felt that company representatives meet with the various department heads as to their needs and come before this Board on November 27th with their findings.

3:00 P. M.

RESOLUTION by Equalization Committee: #172 (RE: Setting the fee for performing the

assessment function by the Director or his staff at \$10.00 per hour plus \$.18¢ cents per mile.)
Motion by Ney, seconded by Kuhl for the adoption of this resolution. Leipprandt requested a roll call vote. Vote as follows:

AYES: Ney, Kuhl, Thoms, Schumacher, Leipprandt, Reibling, Nugent
NAYS: None

Resolution adopted. Following is resolution:

RESOLUTION

TO: THE HONORABLE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
HURON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

Gentlemen:

We, the EQUALIZATION, TOWNSHIP TAX AND APPOINTMENT COMMITTEE, beg leave to submit the following resolution for your consideration:

WHEREAS, Public Act 243, Sec. 103, General Property Tax Laws, requires that the annual assessment of property be made by supervisor, assessing official or director of an equalization department who has been certified as qualified by the State Assessors Board.

WHEREAS, several of the assessing jurisdictions in Huron County will not have a certified assessing official for the assessment year of 1977 and the assessment function must be performed by the Director of the Huron County Equalization Department, in conformance with Public Act 203, 1969.

WHEREAS, Section 211-104 Compiled Laws of 1948, as amended, states that "If a local assessing district does not have an assessor qualified by certification of the State Assessor Board, and has not employed a certified assessor, the Assessment shall be made by the county tax or equalization department or the State Tax Commission and the cost of preparing the bills shall be charged to the local assessing district."

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, in compliance with Sec. 211-104 Compiled Laws of 1948, as amended, and Sec. 32 Act 130, Public Acts 1975, the Huron County Board of Commissioners through the Equalization Department shall assume the assessing function of all local assessing jurisdictions that do not have or have not employed an assessor qualified by the State Assessors Board.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Huron County Board of Commissioners hereby set the fee to be charged to the local assessing district for performing the assessment function by the Director or his staff at \$10.00 per hour plus \$.18.5 per mile.

Respectfully submitted,

EQUALIZATION, TOWNSHIP TAX AND
APPOINTMENT COMMITTEE

Peter J. Ney, Chairman
Bruce W. Kuhl, Vice Chairman

DATED: November 6, 1979

RESOLUTION by Social Services, Senior Citizens and Health Committee: #173 (RE: The Michigan Coalition on Substance Abuse recommend that OSAS adopt the policy that programs which develop additional sources of revenue would not automatically lose a proportionate amount of state funding allocations.)
Motion by Reibling, seconded by Kuhl for the approval of this resolution as read.
Motion carried. Following is resolution:

RESOLUTION

Gentlemen:

We, the Social Services, Senior Citizens and Health Committee, respectfully beg leave to submit this resolution for your consideration:

WHEREAS, State formulas in the past have been decreased when programs generated local support or third-party reimbursement; and

WHEREAS, present state and local policy provides no economic incentive for programs to generate additional sources of revenue; and

WHEREAS, the general community would benefit from increased quality of care provided by expanded services; and

WHEREAS, some programs are becoming less dependent on any one funding source.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Michigan Coalition on Substance Abuse recommend that OSAS adopt the policy that programs which develop additional sources of revenue would not automatically lose a proportionate amount of state funding allocations.

Respectfully submitted,

Social Services, Senior Citizens
and Health Committee

Calvin Reibling, Chairman
Bruce Kuhl, Vice Chairman

DATED: November 6, 1979

RESOLUTION by Planning & Zoning Committee: #174 (RE: The Adoption of an amendment for fence provision on corner lots. This changing Section 1514 paragraph 1 of the County Zoning Ordinance.)
Motion by Thoms, seconded by Reibling for the adoption of this resolution as read. Discussion and explanation of zoning change. Roll call vote as follows:

AYES: Thoms, Reibling, Leipprandt, Schumacher, Nugent
NAYS: Ney, Kuhl

Resolution adopted. Following is resolution:

RESOLUTION

TO: BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
HURON COUNTY
MICHIGAN

Gentlemen:

We, the Planning, Zoning, Construction, Plumbing and Electrical Code Committee, respectfully beg leave to submit the following resolution for your consideration:

WHEREAS, the Huron County Planning Commission on September 12, 1979 after due notice and publication held a public hearing to consider an amendment to the Huron County Zoning Ordinance so as to adopt an amendment for fence provisions on corner lots. Changing Section 1514 paragraph 1, of the Huron County Zoning Ordinance to read as follows:

Fences on all lots of record in all residential districts which enclose property and/or are within a required side or rear yard, shall not exceed six (6) feet in height, measured from the surface of the ground, and shall not extend toward the front of the lot nearer than the front of the house or the required minimum front yard, or

whichever is greater. In the case of a rear yard abutting a side yard, the side yard abutting a street shall be a continuation of the required front setback on the lot to the rear and no fence shall project into this area. When side yards abut on frontages across a common street, the side yard abutting a street shall not be less than the required front yard of the district and no fence shall project into this area.

WHEREAS, the Huron County Planning Commission unanimously adopted the proposed change and has recommended to this Board of Commissioners that such change be effectuated by means of a resolution, and

WHEREAS, the Huron County Board of Commissioners Planning, Zoning, Construction, Plumbing and Electrical Code Committee has reviewed and studied said amendment, and now recommends that this Board vote upon the adoption of said amendment,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Huron County Board of Commissioners vote on the adoption of said amendment which the Huron County Planning and Zoning Commission has submitted to them for their proper action.

Respectfully submitted,

Planning, Zoning, Construction,
Plumbing and Electrical Code
Committee

Albert Thoms, Chairman
Calvin Reibling, Vice Chairman

DATED: 11-6-79

RESOLUTION by Resolution and Legislative Committee: #175 (RE: The Board accepts designation as a management agency for operating treatment facilities and/or interceptor systems as identified in the Areawide Water Quality Management Plan for E.C.M. Motion by Thoms, seconded by Leipprandt for the adoption of this resolution and by a roll call vote. Vote as follows:

AYES: Thoms, Leipprandt, Ney, Schumacher, Reibling, Nugent
NAYS: Kuhl

Resolution approved. Following is resolution:

RESOLUTION

TO: BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
HURON COUNTY
MICHIGAN

Gentlemen:

We, the Resolution and Legislative Committee, respectfully beg leave to submit the following resolution for your consideration:

WHEREAS, Section 208 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972 (Public Law 92-500) requires the development and implementation of an areawide water quality management plan; and

WHEREAS, the Governor has designated the East Central Michigan Planning and Development Commission as the Section 208 Planning Agency for the 14 county area of the East Central Michigan to develop an areawide water quality management plan pursuant to Section 208 of Public Law 92-500; and

WHEREAS, said Public Law 92-500 requires that an agency or agencies be designated by the Governor to carry out the plan; and

WHEREAS, it was determined from the studies in developing the management structure that agencies presently constructing and operating waste treatment works and related point and non-point source facilities and practices have capabilities and authority to meet the specific assigned responsibilities and programs of the Water Quality Management Plan for East Central Michigan; and

WHEREAS, the law provides that only those agencies designated by the Governor and approved by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) are eligible to receive Section 201 facility construction grants; and

WHEREAS, it is essential that an agency or local unit of government designated in the plan as a Designated Management Agency indicate its willingness to accept that responsibility to the Governor certifying the Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Huron County Board of Commissioners accepts designation as a management agency for operating treatment facilities and/or interceptor systems as identified in the Areawide Water Quality Management Plan for East Central Michigan, and hereby indicates its willingness to implement the recommendations of the Plan.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the recommended program will be implemented to the extent that it is practicable within the existing body.

Respectfully submitted,

Resolutions & Legislative
Committee

Albert Thoms, Chairman
Willis Leipprandt, Vice Chm.

DATED: November 6, 1979

RESOLUTION by Personnel Policies and Salaries Committee: #176 (RE: Increasing the annual salary \$100.00 for the three board members of the Road Commission, total salary \$2,400.00, effective as of Jan. 1, 1980.)
Motion by Schumacher, seconded by Ney for the approval of this resolution and by a roll call vote. Vote as follows:

AYES: Schumacher, Ney, Reibling, Leipprandt, Kuhl, Thoms, Nugent
NAYS: None

Resolution approved. Following is resolution:

RESOLUTION

TO: BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
HURON COUNTY
MICHIGAN

Gentlemen:

We, the Personnel Policies and Salaries Committee, respectfully beg leave to submit this resolution for your consideration:

WHEREAS, it has been recommended by the Agriculture, Roads and Drains Committee that the salary of the three members of the Huron County Road Commission be granted an increase of \$100.00, this making their annual salary \$2,400.00. This to be effective January 1, 1980.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the annual salary for the three members of the Huron County Road Commission be increased \$100.00, effective as of January 1, 1980. Their annual salary for 1980 to be \$2,400.00. These salaries are paid from the Road Commission budget.

Respectfully submitted,
Personnel Policies & Salaries
Committee

Marcus Schumacher, Chairman
Peter J. Ney, Vice Chairman

DATED: November 6, 1979

RESOLUTION by Personnel Policies & Salaries Committee: #177 (RE: That Bruce Baran be employed as a County Sanitarian as recommended by Health Department, annual salary of \$11,900.00 and effective as of December 3, 1979.)
Motion by Schumacher, seconded by Ney for the approval of this resolution as read. Discussion followed and Chairman Nugent read the various inspections made and totals of each. Roll call vote as follows:

AYES: Schumacher, Ney, Leipprandt, Kuhl, Thoms, Nugent
NAYS: Reibling

Resolution approved. Following is resolution:

RESOLUTION

TO: BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
HURON COUNTY
MICHIGAN

Gentlemen:

We, the Personnel Policies & Salaries Committee respectfully beg leave to submit the following resolution for your consideration:

WHEREAS, a recommendation has been received from the Huron County Health Department recommending that an additional Sanitarian be hired; and

WHEREAS, they recommend that Bruce Baran be hired as a Staff Sanitarian for the Health Department at an annual salary of \$11,900.00 and after a satisfactory probation period of six months an increase of \$500.00. Employment to be effective December 3, 1979.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Bruce Baran be employed as a County Sanitarian at an annual salary of \$11,900.00, and after a satisfactory probation period of six months an increase of \$500.00. Employment to be effective as of December 3, 1979.

Respectfully submitted,
Personnel Policies & Salaries
Committee

Marcus Schumacher, Chairman
Peter J. Ney, Vice Chairman

DATED: November 6, 1979

Thoms reported on the MAC Mental Health Committee he attended in Lansing on Wednesday. After some discussion it was decided that two from the Equalization and two from: Ad-dressograph Department and Commissioner Schumacher visit the C.F.C. Computer Center at Midland tomorrow.

Chairman read a letter from the Township of Rubicon whereby they recommend Mr. Fred Hasen of Port Hope to fill the vacancy on the Planning Commission, also a letter from Bingham Township and they recommended Angus MacEachin and L. Ralph Haist. A phone call had been received from Bloomfield Township and they also recommended Mr. Hasen.

Chairman appointed Mr. Fred Hasen of Port Hope to fill the vacancy on the Planning Commission. Roll call vote:

AYES: Thoms, Reibling, Ney, Leipprandt, Kuhl, Schumacher, Nugent
NAYS: None

Mr. Hasen appointed to fill the vacancy of Vice Chairman on the Planning Commission.

Motion by Reibling, seconded by Leipprandt that the Board adjourn until Tuesday, November 13th at 9:30 A.M., unless by special call of the Chairman. Motion carried.

EDWARD A. SCHUMACHER, CLERK
MR. NUGENT, CHAIRMAN

Bad Axe, Michigan
November 13, 1979

The Honorable Board of Commissioners convened this day at 9:30 A.M., for regular meeting, pursuant to date set.

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Nugent.

Commissioners present were: Chairman Nugent, Leipprandt, Kuhl, Reibling, Schumacher, Ney and Thoms.

Present at this time were Torv Nilsen, Executive Director of County Mental Health Department, Paul Soini, Chairman Mental Health Board, Mrs. Upthegrove and Ted Pawlowski, members of the Building Committee. Mr. Nilsen read a resolution passed by their Building Committee, at their board meeting of November 7th, this requesting the Board of Commissioners to build a suitable office (Program Facility) for their department. Discussion was held concerning this matter. Motion by Leipprandt, seconded by Thoms that the Mental Health Board Resolution #11 be accepted and considered by this Board and that the Building & Grounds and Finance, Ways & Means Committee be instructed to interview architects. Roll call vote, vote as follows:

AYES: Leipprandt, Thoms, Ney, Reibling, Kuhl, Schumacher and Nugent
NAYS: None

Motion carried.

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, the record indicated that no requests were made to speak.

RESOLUTION by Finance, Ways and Means Committee: #178 (RE: To enter into Contract Number 79-1668 between the Michigan State Highway Department and the County to implement a small bus program in the County.)
Motion by Thoms, seconded by Leipprandt for the adoption of this resolution and authorize the Chairman to sign the contract. Resolution approved. Following is resolution:

RESOLUTION

TO: THE HONORABLE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
HURON COUNTY
MICHIGAN

Gentlemen:

WHEREAS, the Huron County Board of Commissioners must enter into Contract Number 79-1668 in order to implement a small bus program in the County of Huron.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Contract Number 79-1668 between the Michigan State Highway Commission and the County of Huron is approved.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Huron County Commissioner, Albert Thoms, and Huron County Commissioner, Willis Leipprandt, be authorized to sign said contract.

s/William Nugent
Chairman, Huron County Board of Commissioners

I, Edward A. Swackhamer, of the County Clerk, having custody of the records and proceedings of the Board of Commissioners, of the County of Huron, do hereby certify that I have compared the attached copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners at the meeting of November 13, 1979, with the original now on file and of record in this office and that such is a true and correct transcript therefrom and of the whole thereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have here unto set my hand and affixed seal of said County this 13th day of November, A.D., 1979.

s/Edward A. Swackhamer
Huron County Clerk

11-13-79

1:30 P. M.

Mr. Ney and Mr. Schumacher absent and excused.

The County proposed budget for 1980 was presented in the amount of \$3,292,533.00 and which represents an increase of about seven per cent over last year budget of \$3,022,936. Motion by Thoms, seconded by Leipprandt that the 1980 Proposed Budget be placed on the table subject to a Public Hearing on Tuesday, November 27th at 10:00 A.M., for approval. Roll call vote as follows:

AYES: Thoms, Leipprandt, Reibling, Kuhl, Nugent
NAYS: None
ABSENT: Ney, Schumacher (excused)

Motion carried.

Following Communications were read:

Letter from Department of Army regarding Public Notice of the proposed Marina in Lake Huron at Harbor Beach.

Letter from Steve H. Crabtree, Coordinator of Substance Abuse Services, this requesting the support of the Board regarding the inappropriate treatment in a recent spending outback ordered by the Governor.

Letter from Michigan Association of Counties regarding substitute House Bill 4645 (H-7) which would establish right to strike and prescribe strike procedures for public employees. Requesting that this Board contact our representative to defeat this amendment. Chairman stated that he had done this by phone calls.

Letter from Howard L. Shapiro, Chairperson of the Department of Mental Health, this urging the Board to consider candidates who represent the developmentally disabled in making upcoming appointments to the Community Mental Health Board. That they be knowledgeable about the developmental disabilities.

Resolution #29 from the Mental Health Services Board, this requesting the County Board of Commissioners to establish a new position of Secretary 02 with a starting salary of \$9,022.

Motion by Reibling, seconded by Kuhl that the Communications be accepted and turned over to the proper committees for action. Motion carried.

Mr. Reibling reported that a representative from the firm ITI Communications System contacted him about making a study of the county phone bill and service and how much could be saved by having our own equipment and after the study would present it to the Board. Motion by Reibling, seconded by Kuhl that the Chairman be authorized to sign the letter requesting the present telephone company to provide requested information to Mr. Eugene A. Calabrese of ITI Excursion. Motion carried.

Mr. Reibling reported that some of the final bills will be paid to contractors today for the Medical Care Facility project with the exception of Tri-City Electric Corporation. Inasmuch as a final agreed settlement has not been reached between Tri-City, their insurance carrier and Huron County on the \$4,535.53 charges paid by Huron County for improper phasing of the power in the emergency circuit, this with the new pump problem.

Motion by Reibling, seconded by Thoms that Mr. Reibling be authorized to sign Change Order K-3 for Kirckman Brothers Company, Bay City a Deduct in the amount of \$4,206.31. This for the elimination of two compressors for the walk-in cooler/freezer and associated piping. Units were installed and furnished by owner. Motion carried.

Motion by Reibling, seconded by Leipprandt that Mr. Reibling be authorized to sign Change Order E-9 for Tri-City Electric Corporation, Saginaw an Add of \$141.30. This to furnish and install light and switch in elevator and a light on the existing building side of door B-1 as per state elevator inspector and fire marshal. Motion carried.

Motion by Reibling, seconded by Thoms that Mr. Reibling be authorized to sign the Engineer's Certificate of Approval for the Medical Care Facility project. This that the County of Huron has accepted the improvements and the work of the four contractors as recommended by Fred Higgins, Architect. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION by Mental Health Committee: #179 (RE: Giving approval for the establishment of the position of Secretary 02 as requested by the Mental Health Services, their present budget will absorb the increased cost without requiring additional county match.)

Motion by Leipprandt, seconded by Reibling, in the absence of Ney, for the approval of this Resolution as read. Motion carried. Following is resolution:

RESOLUTION

TO: BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
HURON COUNTY
MICHIGAN

Gentlemen:

We, the Mental Health, Drug Abuse & Alcoholism Committee, respectfully beg leave to submit the following resolution for your consideration:

WHEREAS, the Community Mental Health Board, at their meeting of November 7th, 1979, passed resolution (#29) requesting this Board of Commissioners to establish a new position of Secretary 02 for their Board; and

WHEREAS, their present secretarial staff is working to capacity with additional work still required to be completed; and

WHEREAS, their present budget will absorb the increased cost without requiring additional county match.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that this Board give approval for the establishment of the position of Secretary 02 as requested by the Huron County Community Mental Health Services. Their present budget will absorb the increased cost without requiring additional county match.

Respectfully submitted,

Mental Health, Drug Abuse &
Alcoholism Committee

Willis Leipprandt, Chairman
Peter J. Ney, Vice-Chm. (absent)

DATED: November 13, 1979

Financial Report for the month of October was read by Deputy Clerk. Totals as follows:

General Fund	\$ 91,377.17
Animal Control	538.97
Sheriff Department	24,253.40
Drivers License Bureau	194.85
Marine Division	866.20
Secondary Road Patrol	1,617.47
SS M.P.H.	2,383.81
Emergency Unit	2,535.59
TOTAL	\$123,707.46

Approved by Mental Health Board \$ 13,852.59
Approved by Health Board 10,326.77
GRAND TOTAL \$147,956.82

Motion by Thoms, seconded by Leipprandt for the approval of the financial report as read. Motion carried. Following is report:

CLAIMANT:	CHARACTER OF CLAIM:	AMOUNT:
REVENUE SHARING:		
Huron Tribune, Inc.	Advertising	\$ 17.20
Medical Care Facility:		
Business & Institutional Furniture Company	File cabinets	189.00
Borg-Warner Health Products, Inc.	Wall Bumper	208.56
Kirckman Brothers Co.	Supplies	5,389.90
Medline Industries, Inc.	Drapes	2,463.36
Tri-City Electric Corp.	Electrical Work	6,607.01
Wigen, Tinchell & Associates	Road Service Equip.	2,011.15
Clements & Kirk Construction Co.	Architectural Trades	4,939.75
Wigen, Tinchell & Associates	Professional Services	5,199.64
Goyette Heating Co., Inc.	Mechanical Work	2,646.39
Goyette Heating Co., Inc.	Mechanical Work	18,277.10
SEBBAWAING AIRPORT:		
Kemp Tilling Co., Inc.	Services	938.97
COMMISSIONERS:		
Harbor Beach Times	Ad	13.50
Glass Fashions	Supplies	5.00
Taylor, Carter, Butterfield, Riseman, Clark & Howell	Consultant fee	175.00
Official Mich.	Sub.	12.00
Galvin Reibling	travel	115.43
Albert Thoms	"	182.09
Peter Ney	"	137.27
Willis Leipprandt	"	90.20
Marcus Schumacher	"	42.90
Bruce W. Kuhl	"	198.56
Willis Leipprandt	per diem	100.00
Bruce W. Kuhl	"	175.00
Marcus Schumacher	"	100.00
Peter Ney	"	125.00
Albert Thoms	"	100.00
Galvin Reibling	"	100.00
Mich. Assoc. of Counties	salary survey	25.00
Mich. Bell	phone	79.56
CIRCUIT COURT:		
City Cleaners	101-131-811	12.90
Thumb Office Supply	101-131-731	21.25
Mich. Bell	phones	124.25
DISTRICT COURT:		
The Lawyers Co.-Op. Pub. Co.	Supreme Ct. Reports	11.25
West Publishing Co.	Forms	26.00
Shepard's Inc.	supplements	75.00
Perry Office Supply	supplies	22.35
Thumb Office Supply	supplies	14.59
Doubladay Bros. & Co.	supplies	468.57
Lora McKenzie	transcripts	262.50
Dana Longuski	clerk hire	195.00
The Colwell Co.	daily log	12.85
Mich. Bell	phone	76.73
FRIEND OF THE COURT:		
Clemco Printing	Stationery	104.55
Yagemon Home and Auto	Valve cover	3.04
Thumb Office Supply	supplies	85.49
Williams Gun Sight Co.	light-cuffs	43.97
Edwin L. Webber	travel expense	11.50
Mich. Bell	phone	108.44
JURY COMMISSION:		
Joan Bolger	travel & meetings	89.73
W. Roy Gator	"	31.80
Kenneth C. Thumme	"	56.80
PROBATE COURT:		
Thumb Office Supply	supplies	9.55
Carol Kaufman	mileage & meals	53.53
Mich. Bell	phone	63.10
JUVENILE DIVISION:		
Municipal & Bank Supplies	Badge and case	37.48
Thumb Office Supply	supplies	16.35
Doubladay Bros. & Co.	Legal forms & binder	652.80
Huron Rd. Commission	Gasoline - Sept.	64.74
Alex. A. McKenzie	travel expense	51.32
Patricia Wissner	"	55.00
Mich. Bell	phone	77.67
ADULT PROBATION:		
John S. Fromson	travel	none
Perry Office Supply	Office supplies	3.77
Sandra Zinger	clerk hire	553.13
Mich. Bell	phone	140.67
ELECTIONS:		
Clarence Broomfield	meeting	12.50
Lena McCrea	"	12.50
Edward Swackhamer	canvass meeting	25.00
Ella Holmirk	"	25.00
Ethel M. Ross	Canvass & mileage	38.40
Violet O'Neil	"	31.80
COUNTY CLERK:		
Thumb Office	supplies	3.69
Mich. Co. Record Binders	binding 2 books	604.23
United Co. Officers	dies	65.00
Xerox	machine rental	566.17
Mich. Bell	phone	83.00
Edward Swackhamer	travel expense	100.36
EQUALIZATION DEPARTMENT:		
Mich. Bell Telephone Co.	phone	163.50
Mich. Assessors Assoc.	supplies	20.00
Thumb Office Supplies	supplies	11.90
Perry Office Supplies	equipment	12.29
Thumb Office Supplies	equipment	219.00
Bad Axe Leasing, Inc.	Leasing expense 1979	19.00
Bad Axe Leasing, Inc.	Leasing expense 1980	175.00
Ace Hardware	supplies	5.31
The Property Tax Co.	supplies	25.00
Monroe Calculator Co.	equipment	1,169.42
Sandra Drews	travel expense	17.18
George J. Danks	travel expense	65.44
Neil A. Libka	travel expense	36.38
Huron Co. Sheriff's Dept.	gas & oil	65.78
Gordon Gempel Ins.	Insurance	370.08
PROSECUTING ATTORNEY:		
Doubladay Bros. & Co.	supplies	37.33
Lora McKenzie - Stenographer	transcripts	63.00
Peter B. Capling	Prosecutor's Seminar	10.00
Douglas J. Lee	Prosecutor's Seminar & mileage	32.10
Mich. Bell	"	139.78
REGISTER OF DEEDS:		
Thumb Office Supply, Inc.	supplies	10.30
Thumb Office Supply, Inc.	supplies	10.30
Mich. Co. Record Binders	film processed	87.03
Xerox Corp.	rental plan	498.61
Mich. Bell	phone	31.09
ADDRESSOGRAPH DEPT.:		
Perry Office Supply	office supplies	10.14

A M Multi-graphics office supplies 298.86
Thumb Office Supply, Inc. office supplies 31.90
Mich. Bell Telephone Co. phone bill 35.38

COUNTY TREASURER:
Thumb Office Supply, Inc. supplies 71.57
Carolyn Koglin travel 19.72
Patricia Wojewski travel 17.00
Roberta Metteli travel 4.42
Mich. Bell Telephone Co. phone 173.96

COURT HOUSE & GROUNDS:
Mich. Bell phone 16.39
Cove Sanitation rubbish removal 35.00
Arnold Sales supplies 70.02
Market Sales supplies 104.73
ABC Lock & Hobby Center 36.25
Ace Hdr. repairs 27.10
Thumb Landscaping lawn maint. 263.24
Huron Laundry janitorial services 113.60
Schmerheim Electric Co. repairs 101.51

COUNTY PROPERTY:
Huron Co. Rd. Comm. paving Parking lot 6,950.00
Duncan H. Campbell parking lot 244.00

AMBULANCE EMERGENCY:
Elkton-Oliver Ambulance fee - Sept. & Oct. 400.00
Huron Ambulance " " 400.00
Eastern Huron Ambulance " Oct. 200.00
Bingham Twp. Ambulance " Oct. 200.00
Scheurer Hosp. Ambulance " Oct. 200.00
Sebewaing Twp. Ambulance " Oct. 200.00
Thumb Ambulance " Oct. 200.00

BUILDING & ZONING:
Radio Shack supplies 34.74
Mich. Bell Telephone telephone service 106.88
Building Officials & Code Admin. International, Inc. printing 10.50
Bad Axe Leasing lease ar 145.00
Huron Daily Tribune advertising 32.65
Thumb Office Supply supplies 32.65
Perry Office Supply Plumbing Conference 160.63
Albin Murawski mileage 188.70
Ken Ginter

EMERGENCY SERVICES:
Mich. Bell phone 139.07
Bad Axe Leasing lease 180.00
Huron Electronics, Inc. maintenance 8.00
Thumb Office Supply supplies 17.69
Michael L. Gage travel expense 49.38

DEPT. OF PUBLIC WORKS:
Willis Leipprandt travel 5.78
Willis Leipprandt per diem 25.00

THEATRE AREA MANPOWER CONSORTIUM:
meeting 12.50
Rodney McCray 12.50
Keith Rothfuss 12.50
Leroy Hurst 12.50
Keith McTaggart 50.00
Peter Ney 50.00
Bruce W. Kuhl 50.00
Calvin Reibling 25.00

VETERANS AFFAIRS - BURIAL ACCOUNT:
Burton E. Ramsey burial allowance 700.00
Burton E. Ramsey burial allowance 300.00
DEPT. OF VETERANS AFFAIRS:
Jack W. Smith travel expenses 172.59

Mich. Bell Telephone telephone rental 79.22
Perry Office Supply office supplies 13.38

CO-OP. EXTENSION SERVICE:
Hearsch Studio supplies 16.65
Glass Fashions supplies 1.60
Thumb Office Supply supplies 127.04
Kerr Albert supplies 17.15
Whitehead Office supplies 11.50
Mich. State Univ. bulletins 20.00
Kodak 87.75
Simplicity 32.46
Huron Auto Parts gas & oil 8.00
Huron Co. Rd. Comm. insurance 25.74
Gempel Insurance equipment repair 728.74
Huron Electronics Co. Car Maint. 16.57
Robert A. Johnson travel & expenses 101.96
Van Varner 103.80
Frankie E. White 52.21
L. A. Warschewsky 210.80
Co-Op. Ext. Service payment for Home Economist 1,603.38
Mich. State Univ. phone 280.66

PLANNING COMM.:
Vic Ingram per diem & travel 21.00
Arthur Priebe " " 19.30
Stanley Shetler " " 19.30
Carl Hess " " 12.50
Otto Voelker " " 19.30
Morgan Ballagh " " 15.90
Joel Weber " " 19.30
Earl Roggenbuck " " 16.58

REGIONAL PLANNING:
Carl E. Lowe meetings & mi. 89.28
Mary Grybowski 91.20

OTHER FRINGE:
Pigeon Clinic exam 20.00
James L. Haley, MD exam 20.00

INSURANCE & BONDS:
Wright Agency Insurance 16,943.00
GRAND TOTAL \$ 91,377.17

ANIMAL CONTROL:
Detroit Edison utilities 8.96
Bad Axe Leasing, Inc. lease 150.00
Huron County Sheriff Dept. gas 285.75
Huron Electronics, Inc. maintenance 8.00
Blount Agriculture dog food 40.60
David Randall part-time help 39.28
Art Mazure claim 12

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Gary Polega	Overtime Services	54.74
Arthur Scott	Overtime Services	132.94
Dave Drossos	Overtime Services	14.98
Sidney Schock	Overtime Services	29.96
Gerry Rogers	Overtime Services	114.87
Betty Durr	Overtime Services	60.96
Karen Nieschulz	Overtime Services	60.96
Judy Glaza	Overtime Services	121.92
		<u>\$ 1,147.34</u>

OFFICERS' DEPUTY SERVICES:		
Harry Cove	Deputy Services	\$ 51.25
Roger Swaid	Deputy Services	54.40
James Jinkoski	Deputy Services	1,003.98
		<u>\$ 1,109.63</u>

OFFICERS' HOLIDAY PAY:		
Henry Eppenbrock	Holiday Pay	\$ 89.76
Robert Finkbeiner	Holiday Pay	86.32
Donald May	Holiday Pay	84.00
Dave Neusendorf	Holiday Pay	84.00
R. Brent Woodward	Holiday Pay	84.00
Tyler Ramsey	Holiday Pay	56.00
Greg Gordon	Holiday Pay	84.00
Alvin Engler	Holiday Pay	81.60
William Gielow	Holiday Pay	54.40
Kent Tibbitts	Holiday Pay	81.60
Ronald Roberts	Holiday Pay	72.16
Elwood Smith	Holiday Pay	54.40
Irvin Weber	Holiday Pay	81.60
Richard Neumann	Holiday Pay	72.16
Dan Quinn	Holiday Pay	154.08
Gary Polega	Holiday Pay	62.56
Dave Drossos	Holiday Pay	59.92
Charles Rogers	Holiday Pay	56.56
Sidney Schock	Holiday Pay	41.76
Arthur Scott	Holiday Pay	62.56
Lyran Ream	Holiday Pay	60.96
Betty Durr	Holiday Pay	60.96
Judy Glaza	Holiday Pay	60.96
Bonnie Perry	Holiday Pay	57.76
		<u>\$ 1,741.68</u>

LONGEVITY PAY:		
Henry Eppenbrock	Longevity Pay 20 yrs.	\$ 550.00
Irvin Weber	Longevity Pay 15 yrs.	430.00
R. Brent Woodward	Longevity Pay 10 yrs.	300.00
Russell Kingsbury	Longevity Pay 10 yrs.	300.00
Dave Neusendorf	Longevity Pay 5 yrs.	150.00
Bonnie Perry	Longevity Pay 5 yrs.	150.00
Donald May	Longevity Pay 5 yrs.	150.00
Beverly Forster	Longevity Pay 5 yrs.	150.00
Robert Finkbeiner	Longevity Pay 5 yrs.	150.00
Arthur Scott	Longevity Pay 5 yrs.	150.00
Karen Nieschulz	Longevity Pay 5 yrs.	150.00
Judy Glaza	Longevity Pay 5 yrs.	150.00
Betty Durr	Longevity Pay 5 yrs.	150.00
Ronald Roberts	Longevity Pay 5 yrs.	150.00
Ronald Davis	Longevity Pay 5 yrs.	150.00
		<u>\$ 2,500.00</u>

GENERAL BILLS:		
Higby's Pharmacy	Prisoners Med. Treat.	\$ 121.49
Dr. Holdship	Prisoners Med. Treat.	107.00
Huron Urology Assoc.	Prisoners Med. Treat.	175.00
Huron Ambulance	Prisoners Med. Treat.	37.00
Huron Memorial	Prisoners Med. Treat.	259.00
Wash King	Prisoners Laundry	87.60
Betty Wood	Prisoners Clothing	12.00
Rich's Mens Wear	Officers Uniforms	65.00
Robert Grantra	Officers Uniforms	77.24
E. A. City Cleaners	Uniforms Cleaned	375.55
Huron Laundry	Uniforms Cleaned	12.60
Betty Wood	Officers Uniforms	45.00
Hersch Studio	Film Supply & Photos	17.02

Perry Office Supply	Office Supply	94.79
IBM Corp.	Office Supply	8.49
Huron Music	Office Supply	6.84
Clemco Printing	Printing & Binding	215.45
Miner Police Equip.	Invest. Equipment	20.35
MI Bell Telephone	Telephone Services	1,084.00
R. V. Stokan	Postage	5.96
Cove Sanitation	Janitorial Services	35.00
Huron Laundry	Janitorial Services	42.00
Rogers Carpet Serv.	Janitorial Services	101.15
GA Roadliner	Janitorial Supplies	102.88
Martinez & Son	Janitorial Supplies	5.62
Market Sales	Janitorial Supplies	79.92
Reid Paper Co.	Janitorial Supplies	45.75
Scherwein Electric	Janitorial Supplies	87.12
Radio Shack	Equip. Repair	44.90
Rapson Refrig.	Equip. Repair	30.03
Ritchie Equip.	Equip. Repair	7.75
IBM Corp.	Equip. Repair	67.70
Huron Electronics	Equip. Repair	66.99
Huron Pipe	Build. Maint.	37.80
Otis Elevator	Build. Maint.	417.47
Dover & Co.	Build. Maint.	75.40
Ground Mole	Build. Maint.	10.65
IBM Corp.	Equip. Rental	102.70
Motorola Inc.	Equip. Rental	100.00
Huron Elect.	Equip. Rental	246.00
City Auto Parts	Equipment	20.00
Huron Chev.	Equipment	25.15
Huron Auto Parts	Vehicle Maint.	131.93
Gengel Inc.	Vehicle Insurance	33.06
Shell Oil Co.	Gasoline	39.46
Amoco Oil Co.	Gasoline	7,848.69
H. C. Rd. Comm.	Gasoline & Oil	33.84
S & H Store	Other Commodities	7.98
B. A. Leasing	Vehicle Lease	290.00
Wolverine Auto's	Vehicle Lease	2,160.00
MI Sheriff Assoc.	Membership & Dues	29.12
U. C. Officers Assoc.	Membership & Dues	65.00
R. V. Stokan	Misc.	2.91
R. V. Stokan	travel	24.27
Gerry Rogers	travel	65.45
		<u>\$15,314.75</u>
		<u>\$24,253.40</u>

DRIVERS' LICENSE BUREAU:		
Beverly Forster	Holiday Pay	\$ 54.00
Judy Yaroch	Holiday Pay	54.00
B. A. City Cleaners	Uniforms Cleaned	26.85
		<u>\$ 134.85</u>

MARINE DIVISION:		
Alan Engler	Overtime Services	\$ 25.50
Kritzmans	Officers Uniforms	80.55
Huron Electronics	Equipment Repair	12.00
Eagles Marina	Equipment Repair	159.88
Quinn's Shell	Equipment Repair	3.50
Ordis Ford	Equipment Repair	76.00
Huron Aviation	Gasoline	18.83
H. C. Sheriff Dept.	Gasoline	139.94
Ordis Ford	Vehicle Lease	150.00
H. C. Fair Board	Storage Rent	200.00
		<u>\$ 866.20</u>

SECONDARY ROAD PATROL:		
Arvin Herford	Holiday Pay	\$ 81.60
Thomas Momeau	Holiday Pay	72.16
Arnold Glaza	Holiday Pay	77.04
Arvin Herford	Overtime Services	81.60
Thomas Momeau	Overtime Services	81.18
Arnold Glaza	Overtime Services	78.88
Bonnie Perry	Overtime Services	144.40
B. A. City Cleaners	Uniforms Cleaned	49.80
B. A. Leasing	Vehicle Lease	575.00
H. C. Sheriff Dept.	Gasoline	425.80
		<u>\$ 1,617.47</u>

"55" MPH ENFORCEMENT:			
Dave Neusendorf	Overtime Services	163.20	
Tyler Ramsey	Overtime Services	81.60	
Ronald Davis	Overtime Services	81.60	
R. Brent Woodward	Overtime Services	81.60	
William Gielow	Overtime Services	163.20	
Kent Tibbitts	Overtime Services	244.80	
Arvin Herford	Overtime Services	163.20	
Elwood Smith	Overtime Services	244.80	
Sidney Schock	Overtime Services	81.60	
Dave Drossos	Overtime Services	489.60	
Donald Schneider	Gasoline	588.61	
H. C. Sheriff Dept.		<u>\$ 2,383.81</u>	

"E" UNIT:			
Thumb Office Supply	Office Supplies	\$ 127.12	
Mill End Store	Equipment	4.44	
CBS Specialties	Equipment	399.76	
City Auto Parts	Equipment	250.00	
Huron Electronics	Vehicle Maint.	33.00	
H. C. Sheriff Dept.	Gasoline	1,146.27	
Bad Axe Leasing	Vehicle Lease	575.00	
		<u>\$ 2,535.59</u>	

COMMITTEE: Albert Thoms
Willis Leipprandt

Motion by Leipprandt, seconded by Reibling that Resolution #167 be taken from the table and discussed. Motion carried.

Motion by Leipprandt, seconded by Reibling that Resolution #167 be tabled until the meeting of November 27, 1979. Motion carried.

Motion by Leipprandt, seconded by Reibling that the Board adjourn until Tuesday, November 27th at 9:30 A.M., unless by special call of the Chairman. Motion carried.

Edmund A. Swankdaver, Clerk
Wm. Nugent, Chairman
Bad Axe, Michigan
November 27, 1979

The Honorable Board of Commissioners convened this day at 9:30 A.M., for regular meeting pursuant to date set.

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Nugent.

Commissioners present were: Chairman Nugent, Leipprandt, Kuhl, Reibling, Schumacher, Ney and Thoms. All present.

Minutes of the November 6th meeting were read. Motion by Leipprandt, seconded by Thoms that the minutes be approved as read. Motion carried.

Minutes of the November 13th meeting were read by the Deputy Clerk. Motion by Leipprandt, seconded by Kuhl that they be accepted as read. Motion carried.

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, the record indicated that no requests were made to speak.

Following Communications were read:

Gabriel N. Lewis, Jr., Chairman of Thumb Area Coalition of Human Services requested by letter that their resolution be made a part of our minutes. This resolution giving their stand on the public needs of a viable transportation system for the resident of our area and encouraging the pursuit of a transportation system for the needs of the Thumb area.

Letter from Clarence J. Broomfield, City Recorder of Bad Axe, regarding hearing of Application for Industrial Facilities Exemption Certificate by Foremost Drill and Reamer, Inc. at the Council meeting on December 17, 1979.

Letter from Rev. Joseph A. Schabel, Diocesan Rural Life Director, Caseville, regarding an open meeting that will be hosted by the Committee on Rural Life Concerns of the Diocese of Saginaw, Sunday, December 2nd at the Sacred Heart Parish Center, Bad Axe at 2 P.M. Land uses and recent purchases of farm land to be discussed.

Letter from Gay Meese, Supervisor of Great Seal & Registration Unit of the Secretary of State office, this regarding that the specified territory annexations have been reviewed and verified as accurate and proceedings were filed in that office as of September 28, 1979.

Letter from Robert Grifka in which he requested to be considered for reappointment to the County Mental Health Board.

Motion by Ney, seconded by Reibling that the Communications be accepted and turned over to the proper committees and action to be taken. Motion carried.

10:00 A. M.

Time set for the Public Hearing of the Proposed Budget for 1980. Notice of same properly published in newspaper.

Motion by Thoms, seconded by Leipprandt that the Proposed Budget for 1980 be taken from the table and public hearing be held. Chairman gave anyone the opportunity to speak. No one present for hearing. The total budget for 1980 is \$3,292,533.00 of this a Contingency Fund of \$120,000.16. This is an increase of more than \$269,000 over last year's budget of \$3,022,936.

RESOLUTION by Finance, Ways and Means Committee: #180 (RE: That 1980 Budget to be accepted and this by a roll call vote.) Vote as follows:

AYES: Thoms, Leipprandt, Ney, Schumacher, Reibling, Kuhl, Nugent
NAYS: None

Motion approved and Budget adopted for 1980. Following is Budget:

TO: THE HONORABLE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
HURON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

Gentlemen:

WE, your Finance, Ways, Means & Appropriations Committee, respectfully beg leave to submit the following estimated budget for the fiscal year of 1980.

1980 Revenue:	
S.E.V. 523,143,613 X 4.22 X 90%	\$1,986,899.00
Current Collection	221,667.00
Delinquent Tax	78,864.00
Other Tax Revenue	246,614.00
State Participation	23,076.00
Federal Participation	227,149.00
Fees, Licenses & Permits	151,527.00
Other Revenues	\$3,055,796.00
Estimated County Revenues	236,737.00
Available from Fund Balance	<u>\$3,292,533.00</u>
Total Available	
Estimated Expenditures	\$3,172,532.84
Contingency Fund	120,000.16
Total Budget for 1980	<u>\$3,292,533.00</u>

Respectfully submitted,

Finance, Ways, Means and
Appropriations Committee

Albert Thoms, Chairman

Willis Leipprandt, Vice Chairman

DATED: 11-27-79

ACCOUNT	HURON COUNTY GENERAL FUND ANTICIPATED REVENUES	
	ADJUSTED 1979	ESTIMATED 1980

TREASURER 101-253		
403 Current Property Tax	\$ 1,741,250.00	\$ 1,986,899.00
407 Delinquent Tax	192,675.00	221,667.00
417 Unpaid Personal	800.00	900.00
423 Other Property Tax	65,000.00	76,464.00
445 Penalties & Interest on Taxes	1,500.00	1,500.00
476 Non Business License & Permits	17,000.00	17,100.00
505 Federal Grants, Public Safety	14,200.00	12,876.00
528 Revenue Sharing	4,200.00	4,200.00
529 Federal Grants Others	82,600.00	6,000.00
540 State Grants, General	77,600.00	89,700.00
543 State Grants, Public Safety	88,488.00	84,414.00
555 State Grants, Health	-0-	-0-
566 Cultural & Recreational	-0-	-0-
574 State Grants, Revenue Sharing	192,000.00	192,500.00
607 Charges for Services, Fees	5,031.00	5,506.00
626 Charges for Services-Rendered	11,600.00	12,300.00
642 Sales	-0-	-0-
655 Fines & Forfeits	-0-	-0-
664 Interest Earnings	60,352.00	60,352.00
668 Rents & Royalties	22,200.00	22,200.00
673 Sale of Assets	-0-	-0-
677 Reimbursements	3,725.00	8,550.00
687 Refunds	8,000.00	8,000.00
694 Other Revenues	-0-	-0-
TOTAL TREASURER	<u>\$ 2,588,219.00</u>	<u>\$ 2,811,128.00</u>

COUNTY CLERK 101-215		
451 Business License & Permits	\$ 8.00	\$ 8.00
476 Non Business License & Permits	1,750.00	2,500.00
588 Grants from Local Units, Others	16,000.00	17,000.00
607 Charges for Services, Fees	-0-	-0-
642 Charges for Services, Sales	-0-	-0-
668 Rents & Royalties	3,500.00	3,500.00
673 Sale of Fixed Assets	-0-	-0-
677 Reimbursements	-0-	-0-
687 Refunds	4,000.00	-0-
694 Others	-0-	200.00
TOTAL CLERK	<u>\$ 25,258.00</u>	<u>\$ 23,208.00</u>

DISTRICT COURT 101-136		
601 Charges for Services Costs	\$ 40,000.00	\$ 43,000.00
642 Sales	200.00	225.00
655 Fines & Forfeits	24,000.00	25,000.00
687 Refunds & Rebates	-0-	-0-
TOTAL DISTRICT COURT	<u>\$ 64,200.00</u>	<u>\$ 68,225.00</u>

FRIEND OF THE COURT 101-141		
607 Charges for Services, Fees	\$ 6,500.00	\$ 6,700.00

PROBATE COURT 101-148		
607 Charges for Services, Fees	\$ 12,500.00	\$ 12,500.00

ADULT PROBATION 101-151		
601 Charges for Services, Costs	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 4,000.00

REGISTER OF DEEDS 101-236		
607 Charges for Services, Fees	\$ 67,000.00	\$ 73,200.00
626 Charges for Services Rendered	-0-	1,300.00
TOTAL REGISTER OF DEEDS	<u>\$ 67,000.00</u>	<u>\$ 74,500.00</u>

SHERIFF DEPARTMENT 101-301		
476 Non-Business Licenses & Permits	\$ 15.00	\$ 15.00
601 Charges for Services, Costs	-0-	-0-
607 Charges for Services, Fees	7,180.00	8,500.00
673 Sale of Fixed Assets	-0-	-0-
687 Refunds & Rebates	-0-	-0-
694 Others	-0-	-0-
TOTAL SHERIFF DEPARTMENT	<u>\$ 7,195.00</u>	<u>\$ 8,515.00</u>

BUILDING & ZONING 101-371		
476 Non-Business Licenses & Permits	\$ 44,800.00	\$ 45,400.00
607 Charges for Services, Fees	200.00	400.00
642 Charges for Services, Sales	200.00	400.00
TOTAL BUILDING & ZONING	<u>\$ 45,200.00</u>	<u>\$ 46,200.00</u>

ANIMAL CONTROL 101-602		
476 Non-Business Licenses & Permits	\$ 300.00	\$ 20.00
607 Charges for Services, Costs	828.00	500.00
642 Sales	67.00	600.00
TOTAL ANIMAL CONTROL	<u>\$ 2,065.00</u>	<u>\$ 1,120.00</u>

Total County Revenues	\$ 2,822,936.00	\$ 3,055,796.00
Cash Available from Fund Balance		
TOTAL AVAILABLE FUNDS		

HURON COUNTY BUDGET 1980 Anticipated Expenditures			
Number	Department	1979	1980

<u>Number</u>	<u>Department</u>	<u>1979</u>	<u>1980</u>
101-101	Board of Commissioners	\$ 93,775.00	\$ 93,480.00
101-131	Circuit Court	45,860.00	63,549.00
101-136	District Court	77,296.80	90,096.00
101-141	Friend of the Court	43,893.86	50,951.00
101-143	Law Library	3,500.00	5,000.00
101-145	Jury Commission	2,250.00	2,300.00
101-148	Probate Court	47,544.91	85,845.00
101-149	Juvenile Agent	28,157.00	32,564.00
101-151	Adult Probation	9,640.00	11,100.00
101-191	Elections	2,500.00	24,700.00
101-201	Accounting	11,700.00	13,600.00
101-215	County Clerk	54,078.82	59,400.00
101-216	Births & Deaths	250.00	2,000.00
101-225	Equalization	34,697.00	71,800.00
101-229	Prosecuting Attorney	62,650.00	76,200.00
101-236	Register of Deeds	42,906.00	45,200.00
101-243	Addressograph	40,621.00	45,300.00
101-246	County Appraisal	75,000.00	100,000.00

'Green Machine' 11-4 through Feb. 8

Lakers are 10 better than Marlette, 56-46

By KAMI BUCHHOLZ

The "Green Machine" record now stands at eight wins and two losses in league play, following Friday's 56-46 win over Marlette. Overall the Lakers have 11 wins under their belts with four losses marring their game schedule this far.

The Red Raider alumni witnessed the crushing defeat of their team on "alumni night" as the Lakers were victorious.

Lakers edged out Marlette in the first quarter by one, 12-11. At the 4:56 mark EPBP had a commanding lead of eight points. However, the Red Raiders stunned the Lakers for the remaining minutes of play in the first quarter with an ominous defense.

At the halftime break, Lakers retired with the lead, 32-25. Marlette had employed a full and half-court press during the second quarter but the results were not to their benefit.

It was a stable third quarter as both teams rang up eight points, bringing the score to 40-33 with the Lakers still in control of the lead.

In the final period Marlette came to within two points at the 4:31 mark. But the Lakers fought back with repeated baskets to win, 56-46.

Lakers scorers were Todd Wisenbaugh 15, Todd Dubey 14, Brian Wichert 12, Jeff Bushey eight, John Kohr three, Scott Farver and Bryan Chisholm two each.

Marlette's Tony Brown was the only Red Raider in double digits, with 15 points.

In the percentiles Lakers attempted 63 field goals and completed 24 for 38%. At the charity line the Lakers were eight of 11 for 73%. Marlette completed 20 of 56 field goals attempts for 36%. In free throws Marlette was six of 13 for 46%.

In other Laker individual stats, Todd Wisenbaugh pulled down 14 from the boards while Jeff Bushey and Brian Wichert grabbed eight rebounds apiece. John Kohr and Brian Wichert shared in assists with four apiece.

Coach Bill McLellan's team faced the North Branch Bronco's at North Branch on Tuesday, Feb. 12. Results were not fully available at press time.

LAKERS 64

HARBOR BEACH 39

The mood for the Harbor Beach Pirates vs. the Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port Lakers was pure and wild frenzy. The Laker fans showed their spirit with their support and the results were devastating for the Pirates.

The home game was played on Tuesday, Feb. 5. The non-league contest was the second encounter for both teams.

Lakers were led in the first quarter by senior guard Scott Farver. He tossed in 10 points to set the pace for the remaining quarters. The quarter ended with Lakers on top, 17-10.

The "Green Machine" continued to dwell in the weak spots of the Harbor Beach defense in the second quarter. Lakers led at the halftime break, 29-18.

The entire Laker squad played during the course of

the game. Harbor Beach was unable to score more than 15 points a quarter while the Lakers reached almost 20 points each eight minute period. The third quarter score read Lakers 48, Harbor Beach 30.

The final quarter was a massive rampage for the Lakers as they won the game by 25 points, 64-39.

Laker scorers were Scott Farver 18, Todd Wisenbaugh 11, Todd Dubey eight, John

Kohr five, Brian Wichert and Eric Herzog four each, Jeff Bushey, Tommi Vimpeli three apiece, Bryan Chisholm, Paul Gettel, Steve Buchholz and Dave Hurlburt two each.

Lakers completed 16 of 24 free throws for 66%, while Harbor Beach was seven of 11 for 64%.

Harbor Beach only had one player in double digits, that being Chris Koehn with 12.

by Kami Buchholz & Gordie Murphy

Laker sports round-up

GIRLS' VARSITY VOLLEYBALL

Lakers splits a non-league contest with the Harbor Beach Pirates on Monday, Feb. 4 at Harbor Beach. The first match scores were Harbor Beach, 12-15, Lakers 15-7, and Harbor Beach 9-15.

Darlene Miller was high scorer with 12 points while Tracy Farver had 8 points. The second match, was led by the individual efforts of Deb Bollenbacher, 10 service points, and two saves and Barb Rathje, 10 points and

six spikes (one ace). Lakers won the best of three games 15-9 and 15-7 while Harbor Beach grabbed one game, 15-9.

*** The Cass City Red Hawks were the gals next opponents on Thursday, Feb. 7. As host, Cass City fell to defeat in the first match, 15-8 and 15-11. However, the Red Hawks nabbed the second game, 15-11.

Individual stats, Sue Arnoldy poured over 14 points, Darlene Miller had 28 sets, Barb Rathje tallied six points, seven spikes in three sets, and five saves. Linda Bock played her best game of the year with eight points and nine spikes.

The second match went to the Red Hawks, 15-8 and 15-4. Linda Bock had four points.

Overall the squad is nine and 10, while the league standings they're two and four. League standings are as follows:

Bad Axe	6 0
North Branch	4 2
Cass City	4 2
Caro	3 3
Marlette	2 4
Lakers	2 4
Vassar	2 4
Sandusky	1 5

WRESTLING

The annual league meet was held at Vassar on Saturday, Feb. 9. Schools represented were Caro, Sandusky, Cass City, Marlette, Vassar, Bad Axe and Lakers.

Senior Bob Kleiss won a hard fought match in the opening round of the heavy weight division with a second period pin. Tony Heilig finished third in the 185 lbs. class with two pins. The second pin was earned late in the final period with only seconds remaining.

*** Cass City was host for a league meet held on Wednesday, Feb. 6. Troy King won by a seven to five decision in the 112 lbs. class, Lakers lost the meet 70-3.

Overall coach Jack Tyler's team finished two and seven in dual matches.

J.V. BASKETBALL

LAKERS 55 MARLETTE 44
The "Boys in Green" won their ninth league game of the season with a victory over the Marlette Red Raiders on Friday, Feb. 8. The game was played at Marlette.

Leipprandt picked as athlete of week

Joel Leipprandt of Pigeon has been named Athlete of the Week for the first week of February by the "Asbury Collegian," student newspaper at Asbury College in Wilmore, Ky.

Leipprandt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Leipprandt of Pigeon, is a math and education major. He plays on the sophomore team, which has a 5-1 record through this past week.

His playing has been an important part in the team's success, the "Collegian" says, as he has been averaging 30 points per game.

Late last week Leipprandt scored a career-high and family-high 38 points in the team's 88-87 overtime loss.



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Caseville loses 13th straight game, 55-36

Maybe it was a good thing that the Caseville Eagles lost their "unlucky #1" basketball game, a 55-36 defeat at the hands of the Michigan Lutheran Seminary Cardinals Friday night.

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Friday's non-league game didn't look good at all for the Eagles, who trailed 16-8 at the end of the first quarter.

Things weren't much better, as Caseville lagged behind 28-14 at the half.

The Cardinals barely stayed ahead of Bednerek's Eagles in the third quarter, with 15-14 scoring, but still led 43-28 as the final stanza began.

MLS made neat work of it, outpointing Caseville 12-8 for the win.

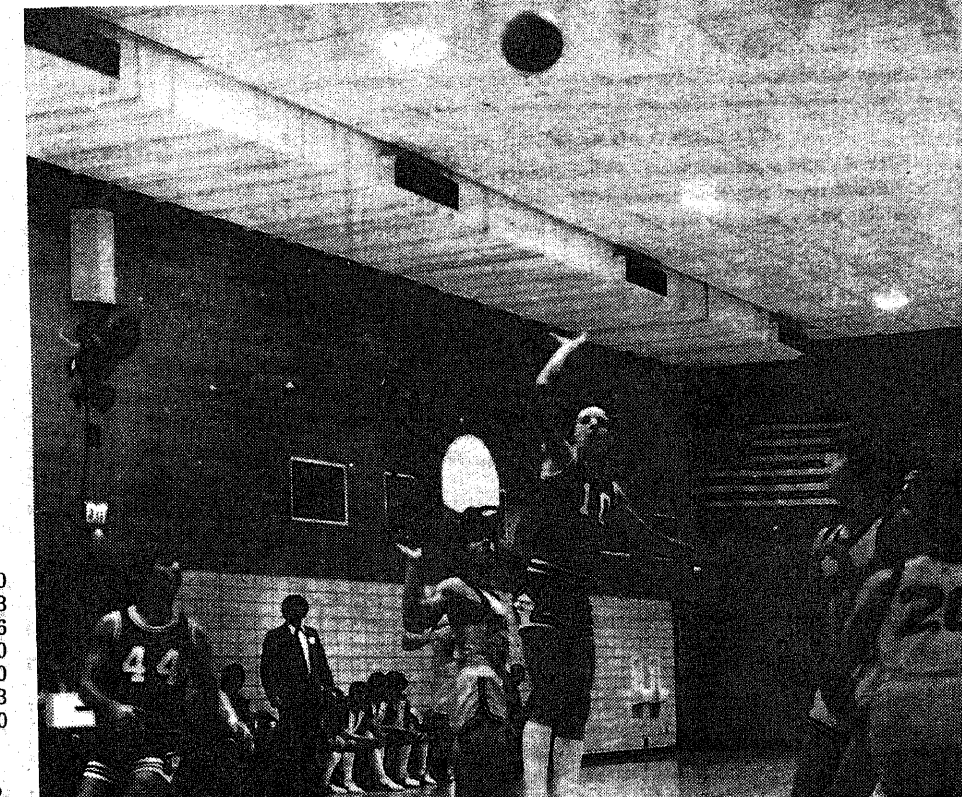
Mike Novak led Caseville with 12 points, while Bill Kelly and Mike Stahl added eight more each. Jim Reeves

tossed in four points, while Kris Deming and Rob Pittman each added two more.

For the Cardinals, Tom Roeko scored 15, followed by Rick Knotts with 10 to lead in double-figures.

The Eagles were to host the Kingston Cardinals Tuesday, Feb. 12, before traveling to Kinde to play North Huron Friday (tomorrow). Game time is 8 p.m.

In the JV game, the MLS reserves doubled up the Little Eagles 64-32.



BASKETBALL BALLET - Caseville's Jim Reeves (10) goes up for a shot as Kirk McCormick (44) watches, along with a host of MLS defenders Friday night. Coach George Bednerek can be seen from the bench, awaiting the outcome.

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to erect a stack similar to the
one being required of Huron
Casting.

Diebel said he is willing to

represent the Pigeon Village
Council at the Lansing
meeting and stated he would
speak as a private citizen if
the group felt it would not
wish to make a statement.
"You can't be badgered by
changing standards," Diebel
told Wurst and Sturm in
response to their concern
about possibly being shut
down, even if the \$100,000
stack were built.

Council members agreed
to further discuss the issue
at the regular March 11
meeting, which should come
before the unscheduled
meeting in Lansing of the
Michigan Air Pollution Con-
trol Commission.

When available, further
dates and times for the
meeting will be published in
The Progress-Advance.

Bad Axe lawyer seeks nomination

Karl E. Kraus has an-
nounced his intention to seek
the Republican nomination
for the office of Huron Coun-
ty Prosecuting Attorney.
Kraus attended Aquinas
College, and was graduated
cum laude from Michigan
State University in 1967. He
received his Juris Doctor
degree from the University
of Michigan Law School in
1971.

Before entering law
school, Kraus taught 12th
grade English at Owen-Gage
High School. After gradua-
tion from law school, he
worked for the Michigan
Court of Appeals, and was
Assistant Prosecutor for
Genesee County in Flint,
before entering private law
practice in Huron County in
1974.

He is currently in private
practice with the firm of
Kraus & Ferris, P.C., Bad
Axe.

Kraus is licensed to prac-
tice before all Michigan
Courts, as well as the
Federal District Court and
the Michigan Tax Tribunal.
He is a member of both the
Huron County Bar Associa-
tion and the Michigan Bar



Association as well as
several community service
organizations.

He is currently Township
Attorney for Caseville, Port
Austin and Verona
Townships.

Kraus, the son of Dr. and
Mrs. L.G. Kraus, Grand
Rapids, is married to the
former May Elizabeth Bar-
ton, daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. A.L. Barton, Port
Austin. Mr. and Mrs. Kraus,
who reside near Caseville,
have two sons, Matthew and
Brian.

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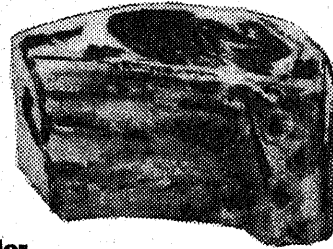
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