

Board stalls teacher bargaining plans

The Cass City Board of Education threw a roadblock into ambitious plans by the Cass City Teachers' Association to become a member of a tri-county bargaining association Monday night at the regular meeting at the school.

Leo Gengler, representing CCTA, made the presentation to the board requesting that the school go along with the teachers in the change.

The board demurred on the advice of Supt. Donald Crouse. The stumbling block, as the board sees it, is that it removes local control of bargaining situations from local teachers.

Perhaps an even more serious objection is that the move is seen as the first step towards state-wide bargaining by the union and the schools.

Gengler conceded that the purpose of the enlarged bargaining board was to take the initial step toward this objective.

Gengler told the board that 74 of the teaching staff of 88 have indicated that they would like to be represented by the newly formed unit.

Crouse said that there is a question of the legality and appropriateness of the new unit.

The teachers have requested a hearing before the Michigan Employment Relations Commission requesting that the agency conduct an election. It is slated for April 19.

If the election shows a majority wishing to join the new unit, the board will ask for a formal hearing.

According to Gengler the teachers are unsatisfied with the present contract, saying that it is lower in the second year than that of other schools of its size.

A survey of all Tuscola county schools shows Cass City in the upper middle

of the pay schedules in the county at the top longevity level, although lower than the average on starting salary.

The hearing request will delay negotiations and will likely drag through the summer.

The board decided to go for the court test because of the constitution of the tri-county unit.

It makes it impossible for local teachers to agree to a contract before the council of the new unit has agreed to it. It removes the control of the local pay scales from the local teachers. Bargaining would also be by teachers not

connected with the system with the exception of one local representative that will be required on the bargaining unit.

ECONOMIC FRONT

There was good news and bad for taxpayers on the economic front.

The bad news is that driver training cars will now cost the district \$1.65 per calendar day of use. That averages to about \$50 a month. The school uses a maximum of five cars and usually has less.

Local dealers had been furnishing the cars free but

factory allowances have made this non-profitable.

The good news is that according to the Tuscola County Intermediate School District Cass City will be reimbursed for all costs over and above the cost of educating a regular student for all special education children.

OTHER BUSINESS

Several routine business items were conducted.

The board appointed election inspectors for the April 25 and June 13 elections.

The board authorized co-op cosmetology program for

three students during the summer. The course will not increase the school's cost and will allow the girls to finish in January instead of June, Wayne Dillon, director of the program, reported.

Anne Jacobs resigned from the teaching staff and Kathleen Bauer and Kay McCrea will be granted leaves of absence for maternity purposes.

The board altered a bus discipline policy. When kicked off the bus previously, the student was made to get to school by his own efforts for the period in question before

being readmitted to the bus. This portion of the discipline requiring him to be in school has been eliminated.

A new CETA program will concentrate on work on the school grounds. The Federal program pays for labor but not materials and supervision.

The board voted to elect members to the Tuscola County Intermediate Board by vote of district school boards rather than a general election. Dr. Dunn of the intermediate board asked for the opinion in a county-wide survey.

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Owen-Gage to dissidents: stop bonds and we'll sue

Owen-Gage dissidents who try to stop the scheduled May 9 sale of school bonds will be sued.

That was the message from the school board during its regular meeting Monday night at Owendale.

Campbell addition sought

The Cass City School Board made it official Monday when it voted to ask for voter approval of a small addition to Campbell Elementary School at an estimated cost of \$117,000.

The addition will require a special levy of 1.25 mills for one year. A mill in the Cass City district raises about \$40,000. Since the special levy will be "for operation" State aid tax monies will pay for about half of the project, according to Supt. Donald Crouse.

For the money electors will be receiving one extra classroom and several smaller areas used for storage.

It is expected that small pupil classes such as remedial reading, special education and others will be able to move from closets with the addition.

Tentative plans call for the addition to close in the space between the two wings of the Campbell building.

The vote will be held in conjunction with the annual school election June 13.

The board passed a resolution threatening to take "a civil action against each and every litigant in the district" who attempts to stop the sale of \$1.675 million in bonds.

"The day they stop us is the day we file suit," Supt. Ronald Erickson told the board during lengthy discussion of the resolution.

"We have gone through two expensive stoppages of our bond issue," he said. "Now it's up again in May. It's time to tell these people if you stop the sale again, we will be ready for litigation."

The resolution also threatens to "seek recovery for damages" if the sale is stopped again.

While members voted unanimously for the resolution, trustee Ronald Reinhardt voiced some misgivings.

"I agree in part with it," he said, "but I don't like the idea of starting litigation unless I know what for. I like the concept but I hate to put myself out on a limb. I feel like I'm going into this thing blind."

Trustee Jack Laurie called the resolution "the right choice."

"If something is done again, we don't have any choice," he said. "It's costing us money. I don't see this as a threat as much as I do a statement of fact. This puts it out where anyone can see it."

Board President Ronald Good said he has doubts any judge will grant another injunction similar to the one in November which was eventually thrown out by the Michigan Supreme Court.

"I would favor immediate suit if another injunction is

issued," Good said. "If the interest (on the bonds) is higher when we sell than it would have been earlier, I'd prefer immediate suit against prior litigants."

Trustee Jack Brinkman agreed. "How about talking about the ones who caused us trouble in the past," he said. "We can't build the building we planned for the money we voted on. If we can't, we have to go someplace else to get that money back."

The resolution does not

include dissidents involved in earlier injunctions to stop the sale. Whether or not they will eventually be sued isn't known.

STATE AID

The district learned it won't lose its state aid payments because of last year's deficit--at least not yet.

Erickson said state officials apparently reversed themselves and now say there's only a chance the payments,

which will total about \$6,000 for the rest of the school year, may be cut off.

He said they've requested a revised budget by April 15 before making a decision.

Erickson said this is the last year for full state aid payments to the district and that next year, only categorical monies totaling about \$45,000 will be received.

ATHLETIC FIELD LIGHTS

The board passed a resolution seeking three bids on athletic field light repairs. Trustees also agreed to press litigation against Hugh Landra Electric which it claims failed to honor a guarantee it gave when the lights went up two years ago.

Laurie suggested the lights be repaired and the bill be sent to Landra.

OTHER BUSINESS

In other business, the board agreed to let Keith McConkey, Cass City jeweler, come to the school seeking class ring business. McConkey's request for a copy of the freshman class list was turned down, however.

It was announced that Ingham Circuit Judge James T. Kallman has taken under advisement a request by attorneys for the Laker District to intervene in a property transfer suit.

The board voted to place teacher Rhonda Powers on tenure.

It was also announced that eighth grade students from the Bach-Kimman school will be invited to attend orientation sessions with freshmen at the high school.



ELKLAND TOWNSHIP firemen were kept busy Monday and Tuesday fighting four grass fires and assisting with a fifth fire. This fire burned over about five acres of grass and brush just east of the Michigan Livestock Exchange Tuesday afternoon.

Wind, dry weather fan area grass fires

Unseasonably warm, dry weather prompted a rash of area grass fires this week, the largest scorching 40 acres along Sebawaing Road, six miles east of Owendale.

According to Owendale Fire Chief Jerry Stirrett, the property is owned by Mrs. Manley Endersbe. The flames apparently started near the edge of the road, Stirrett said, and were whipped by high winds which

rapidly spread the fire.

Stirrett said the fire came within 40 feet of Mrs. Endersbe's house and destroyed a wood pile.

Cause of the fire is unknown, he said. Equipment from Elkton, Bad Axe and Elkland Township Fire Departments was also pressed into service. Firemen remained at the scene for about 2½ hours.

Besides assisting at the

Huron county blaze, Elkland firemen fought four more grass fires Monday and Tuesday.

In the largest fire Tuesday, about five acres was blackened just east of the Michigan Livestock Exchange along Cass City Road in Sanilac county. Fire Chief Jim Jezewski said no definite cause was established, but he said burning refuse is suspected.

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MRS. MARY VATTER proudly displays a portion of clothing and household items collected following a fire last week which destroyed her home at Shabbona. She says there's no adequate way to thank those who have helped.

Relief drive helps family start rebuilding home, lives

Mrs. Mary Vatter of Shabbona and her four children started rebuilding their lives this week following a fire that destroyed their home and its contents Monday, April 4.

It hasn't been easy, Mrs. Vatter says, but the shock is wearing off and the family is starting to function again. She's just glad everyone got out alive.

"I thought it was the end of the world when I saw those flames," Mrs. Vatter said, taking a break from her job as activities coordinator at Provincial House in Cass City.

"We lost everything," she said.

Everything included irreplaceable mementos such as photos of her dead husband and a guitar belonging to a son who was killed in a New Year's day auto crash in 1974.

"If I could have gotten six or seven things out, I'd have felt a little better," she said. "But I'm still thankful no one got hurt. There's no house more important than one of your kids."

She also lost the flag which

draped her husband's casket at his funeral, along with a social security check she had stored in the freezer for safe keeping.

She said when firemen opened the freezer, the heat caused the check to explode in flames.

"I was riding home from work and I remember I commented that it would be nice to burn off the dead grass along the road so the new green grass could come through," she recalled.

"I looked and saw smoke as we came along Shabbona Road and I thought someone must be burning grass behind the house. Then as we got closer I could see the smoke was coming out of the back of the house."

She said her daughter had started supper early that day and was trying to melt out cooking grease from the bottom of a pan. She turned her back to work on some brownies at the table when the grease exploded, showering the room with flames.

A strong east wind blew the fire into the rest of the house.

In less than half an hour, the structure was leveled.

"I ran up to the front door to go in and bring out a few things but something told me not to go inside," Mrs. Vatter said. "By the time I had gotten from the porch to the road, flames were shooting out the front windows. If I'd gone in, I'd have been killed."

RELIEF

A relief effort began literally before the embers from the house had died. Friends and family offered shelter and a drive for clothing and household goods began the next day under the auspices of Rev. John Tatgenhorst, pastor of the local United Methodist church.

"You don't realize the impact of something like this," he said. "They lost everything."

He said arrangements were made to collect household

goods which could go toward furnishing a new home when the time comes. So far, the response has been good.

"Everybody's been joining in to help," he said. "The effort has crossed church lines. The Shabbona RLDS church has joined us to help."

NOT BITTER

Mrs. Vatter says she isn't bitter about her experience. She's been through it before, 19 years ago, when another home burned down in Shabbona. At that time, the family moved into the home which was destroyed last week.

"No, I'm not bitter at all," she said. "I'm just so thankful everyone got through unharmed. Everyone has been so beautiful it just seems there's no way to thank them enough."

Besides the church relief drive, her co-workers at Provincial House also planned a shower this week.

"I think what helped most was when our pastor read that psalm about how God leads his children through fire and everything," she said.

That helped me a lot."

The next step will be establishing a new home. While nothing final has been decided, she's leaning toward placing a double-wide mobile home on her property at Shabbona.

"That's home," she said. "I know we looked at a house here in town we thought we might have to rent for a month or so to get us by and my one boy wasn't in it 15 minutes when he said, 'Mother, we have to go home.'"

Her four children at home include Tammy, 22, Tim 18, Todd, 15 and Scott, 13.

She says the generous donations will enable her to use insurance money to erect a good home and furnish it. Without the help, she said, she couldn't do it.

"It seems as though everybody is helping us all the time and I'm not able to do anything for anybody else," she said.

Her only problem now, Mrs. Vatter said, is finding a way to thank everybody for their help. "We couldn't have made it without it," she said.

Cass City Area Social and Personal Items

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Mr. and Mrs. Keith Shaw

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Shaw, Decker, will be honored at an open house April 24 in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary. The open house will be held from 1 to 4 p.m. in Decker Masonic Hall. A buffet dinner will be at 2:00 p.m. Keith Shaw and the former Clara Kraueg were married on April 23, 1927, at Snover. The late Ray McLaren and Priselita Snyder (Wurtz) were the attendants. The couple has six sons, Russell, Snover; Kenneth, Traverse City;

Allan, Marlette; Dale, Texas; Robert, Ohio; and Roger, deceased. They have six daughters, Mrs. Irvin (Aleatha) Mahaffy, Snover; Mrs. Richard (Joyce) Westerlund, Washington; Mrs. Ralph (Judi) Smiley, Port Sanilac; Mrs. Boyd (Linda) King, Snover; and Mrs. Pete (Cheryl) Chorba, Marlette. They have 36 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Laymen set Spring Rally

Immanuel Lutheran church of Sebewaing will be the setting for the Lutheran Laymen's League Spring Rally slated Sunday, April 17.

The program begins at 4:00 p.m. with a business meeting, followed by a 5:00 p.m. meeting with Mike Mestelle speaking.

A banquet follows at 6:30 p.m. with speaker Wally Bronner of Frankenmuth.

Mrs. Eldon Hall of Jackson and daughter, Mrs. Glynn Hill of Flushing, were Monday evening visitors of Mrs. Hall's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Vern McConnell. They also called on her sister, Mrs. Lilah Wilhelmi, at Hills and Dales Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Nicholas and children of Kawkawlin and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Marker and Stacie of Unionville spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Garrison Stine and sons.

John Starmann of Colon arrived Friday evening and is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. M.B. Auten.

Mrs. E.G. Bell and son Bob of Chesaning spent Easter with her mother, Mrs. Ernest Croft.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Auten spent the Easter week end with her mother, Mrs. Lester Jersey at Boyne City. Also there for Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bond and Jodi of Cadillac.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gross were Easter guests of Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kube at Bad Axe. Other guests there were Mr. and Mrs. Don Bullock and daughters of Union Lake.

Greg Hampshire, a student at the U of M in Ann Arbor spent the week end at his parents' home in Cass City.

Thirteen persons attended a seven o'clock sunrise service, followed by breakfast in the fellowship hall, at the Church of the Nazarene, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Emigh and Mrs. Hazel Whitfield were Easter guests of Mrs. Ben Kirton.

Mrs. Theda Seeger spent from Thursday until Saturday at Berkeley with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hines and was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Sweet at Lapeer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hartwick entertained the Fisher families Sunday at a co-operative dinner and celebrated the birthdays of Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Barnes Jr. and Andrea had as Easter guests, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Pierson and sons Scott and Brad of Ypsilanti, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Barnes of Kawkawlin, Mr. and Mrs. David Barnes and Brian of Bay City, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Barnes, Mrs. Hazel Barnes and Mr. and Mrs. Al Tropf.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Strayer and daughter Julie of Grosse Pointe visited Mrs. Strayer's sister, Alice Wright, Easter Sunday.

Mrs. Nancy Dickinson of Cass City spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Merchant.

Jason Jezewski, 5, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Jezewski, returned home Sunday with his parents after spending a month with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Armstrong, in Florida. They returned to their home in Glennie where the Jezewskis joined them for the Easter week end.

Easter dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Fritz were Dr. E.C. Fritz, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fritz and Lisa of Mayville and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Karr, Scott and Kimberly of Midland.

Monday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sugden were Cathy Deleka and family, Chris, Chuck, Dave and Mary of Farmington Hills and Mrs. Marie Setton of Argyle.

Mrs. Ralph Ball of Essexville spent Wednesday evening with her mother, Mrs. Etta Sugden.

Mrs. J.D. Sugden and Mrs. Michael Snyder of Caro, Mrs. Iva Soflin of Croswell and Mrs. Nita Kreger of Sandusky called on Mrs. Etta Sugden, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Stoutenburg and sons, Ed and Earney, and Mrs. Stoutenburg's mother, Mrs. Ed Miller of Pigeon, were Easter guests of Mrs. Hazel Stoutenburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Craig were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Homakie near Caro. In the afternoon they were callers at the funeral home in Akron because of the death of Mr. Craig's aunt, Mrs. Ida Nixon.

Salem UM church was filled to capacity for the Easter morning worship service. A part of the service was the introduction of four new members, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Teller and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gray.

Mrs. Arthur Little was at Center Line from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Don Roberts and family. Sunday they attended church at Taylor where Mrs. Little's brother, Rev. Robert Milner, is pastor of the Eureka Church of the Nazarene.

Twenty-two persons from First Baptist church attended, as a group, the Family Life Radio anniversary rally at the Saginaw Civic Center Thursday night. Featured were The Hawaiians, well-known recording artists, in concert.

Mrs. Ed Miller of Pigeon spent from Thursday until Tuesday at the Eldon Stoutenburg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Hutchinson had as Easter guests, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hutchinson and family of Freeland and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hutchinson. Jeff, Mike and Lynne stayed to spend a few days here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Hendrick and daughter Jennie of Columbus, Ohio, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hendrick.

Christin and Bonnie Barnum of Lansing spent the week end with their grandmother, Mrs. C.W. Price.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Esau and daughters had as Easter guests, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crandell and Ron, Miss Laura Maier, Mrs. Joseph Benkelman, Miss Katie Crane, Miss Muriel Addison, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Striffler of Detroit and Horace Croft of Ubyly.

Eleven members attended the Hobby Club meeting Monday evening at the home of Mrs. K.I. MacRae. The meeting started with a cooperative dinner. For the program, Jack Esau reviewed the history of Cass City.

The Elmwood Missionary Circle will meet Wednesday, April 20, with Mrs. Harold Prong. The group will meet in the educational unit at the Church of Christ.

Mrs. Howard Woodard entered McLaren Hospital in Flint Monday to undergo surgery.

Pastor and Mrs. Harold Prong, Gordon Holcomb, Mrs. Thelma Pratt and Mrs. Helen Little attended church Monday evening in the Pine Run Church of Christ near Flint where Ali Jarman of Florida, a former pastor here, is holding week-long services.

Mrs. William Anker spent the Easter week end in Bay City with Mr. and Mrs. Don Anker and family, returning home Monday.

Mrs. Doretha Vaughn is recuperating in her home following surgery.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Dorman attended the Sunrise service and Easter morning worship service at the Rhodes Missionary church with Rev. and Mrs. Paul Schember and daughters. In the afternoon, the Dorman family at Au Gres. Ellen Dorman of Au Gres was celebrating her 15th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ruhl spent Easter week end with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Ruhl and sons of Spring Lake, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kritzman and family had as guests for dinner Easter, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Kritzman.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas O'Dell and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Murphy and Paul were Easter dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Murphy and sons, Scott and Patrick. Other callers in the afternoon were Miss Lillian Dunlap of Caro and her guest, Evelyn Dunlap of California, and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Kritzman.

Mrs. Grant Ball had as Easter guests, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hazard and sons of Bad Axe, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Ball and children of Reese and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ball and son, Mary Ann and John Ball of Reese stayed to spend a few days with their grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Knight were Easter guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Wolfe and children, at Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Damm and Mr. and Mrs. William Johnston were Easter guests, along with other relatives, of Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Pitcher at Sebewaing.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Zapfe and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holm and Mrs. Thelma Graham were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Root and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kirn and daughters had as Easter guests, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seeley and son Brian of Ubyly, Mrs. Hazel Seeley and the Misses Sheryl and Janis Seeley. Melinda Kirn, who is a student at Owosso, spent from Thursday until Monday at her parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Buehry, Larry and Christine had as Easter guests, Mrs. Elsie Anthes, Francis Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Buehry and Don. Esther Buehry joined the family later in the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Tuckey returned home April 5 from a nine-day visit with their daughter and family, the Jerry Freeds, in Elkhart, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Knight and daughter Laura of Sterling Hts. spent from Thursday until Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou LaPonsie and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stan Gunther, Sandy and Mark.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Prong of Wauseon, Ohio, preparing to do missionary work in Chile, will be here this week end with his parents, pastor and Mrs. Harold Prong. They will have charge of the eleven o'clock worship service in the Novesta Church of Christ. There will be a carry-in dinner following the morning service and in the afternoon pictures will be shown depicting mission work. There will be no regular Sunday evening worship service at the church.

The Progressive Class of Salem UM church will meet this Thursday evening, April 14, at 8 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Stoutenburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hendrick had with them for Easter, Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Hendrick of Peck, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Hendrick and Jennie of Columbus, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hendrick, Scott and Sue.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Dorman of Snover visited the Lyle Schember family April 8 and attended the Good Friday Union Service at the Missionary church.

Mrs. Doris Hunter spent Easter Sunday with her sister Beulah in Kingston.

Mrs. Edith Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ward were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Donald Hanby home.

Mrs. Laura Reagh arrived home April 6 from a month's stay in Concord, Calif., where she visited her daughter Loma, Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Ettlting. This was Mrs. Reagh's fifth trip to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Craig, along with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Decker of Hess Lake, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Decker at Big Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. William Patch were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Biddle.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Mattox of Council Bluffs, Iowa, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. William Patch and visited friends and relatives in this area.

Mr. and Mrs. Allena Wentworth and son Herb Wentworth of Bay City called on Mr. and Mrs. William Patch Saturday.

A combined Easter and birthday get-together was enjoyed by 18 guests at the Dan Hennessey home Saturday evening. The birthdays of Carol Mattox, Angela Hennessey and Dan Hennessey were celebrated, followed by an Easter dinner. The evening was spent playing games.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Barriger had as Easter guests, Mrs. Russell Barriger and children of Unionville, Mrs. Adeline Wagner and Mrs. Mary Barriger of Caro. Russell Barriger was ill and at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Holmes of Romeo were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Spencer Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ketchum and Katie were Easter week-end guests of his mother and step-father, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Cooper of Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Tuckey had as guests Saturday overnight and for dinner Sunday, Michael Amstutz of Bern, Ind., and Alan Shaw of Fort Wayne, Ind. The young men were members of a singing group here for week-end services at the Missionary church and are students at the Fort Wayne Bible College.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon McConnell had as callers Sunday, their granddaughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Slanic of New Baltimore. They were visiting the Robert Speirs family and other relatives.

Shelly, Gregory and Kevin Frank were overnight guests Sunday night of their grandmother, Mrs. Glenn McClorrey.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jetta and Mr. and Mrs. Don Lorentzen and Doris Gardner of Saginaw were Easter guests of Anne Marie Lorentzen in Saginaw.

Mrs. Edith Ward, Mrs. Ralph Hanby and Mrs. Vera King went recently to visit Mrs. Ward's sister, Mrs. Mary Fader near Vicksburg. Mrs. Fader, 94, sustained a broken hip in January and has been hospitalized until recently. She is now being cared for in a private home.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Crawford and son Pat of Caro visited Mr. Crawford's sister, Mrs. Glenn McClorrey Sunday afternoon.

Hills and Dales General Hospital

BIRTHS:

April 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Glen Perkins of Fairgrove, a girl, Rebecca Ann.

April 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Dale Heckroth of Unionville, a girl, Shana Ruth.

April 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Dennis LaPratt of Sebewaing, a girl, Jaimie Rae.

April 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Gainforth of Sebewaing, a boy, Rocky Roger.

April 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Putnam of Marlette, a boy, Ryan Thomas.

April 6 to Mr. and Mrs. David Bouverette of Elkton, a boy, Jeremy Thomas.

April 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Roth of Minden City, a boy.

April 9, to Mr. and Mrs. Julius Struve of Decker, a boy.

PATIENTS LISTED MONDAY, APRIL 11, WERE:

Mrs. Charlotte Bishop, Mrs. Lilah Wilhelmi, Mrs. Clayton Lane, Mrs. Norma Lowe, Glenn Tuggle and Mrs. Louise Shope of Cass City;

Jill Boegner of Marlette; Thomas Gibbard of Ubyly; Melissa Matuszak of Caro; Mrs. Mabel Clark, Colin Karg of Pigeon;

Mrs. Ernest Ramsey, Mrs. Annie Heronemus of Decker; Mrs. Dorothy Ellis of Caseville; Frank Gludovatz of Unionville; Renee Hill and Tammy Brannon of Sebewaing.

Mrs. Edith Ward and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hanby will be in Flint Wednesday to attend the funeral of a nephew of the late Ralph Ward, Willard Trarop. He died unexpectedly Sunday. He leaves a wife and two children.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buehry and daughters Mary Lynne and Colleen of Chatham spent Saturday and Sunday with his father, Edward Buehry. When they left their upper peninsula home Friday morning, the temperature was five below zero with 22 inches of snow on the ground.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Eskilsen had their family with them for Easter, son Steve, home from college, Mrs. Kim Hopper of Caro and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Egerer of Saginaw and Mrs. Eskilsen's aunt, Mrs. Hazel Rusch.

Ms. Sharon Ross, a student at Ferris State College, spent Easter vacation at her home on Hospital Drive. Her guest for the week end was Ms. Claudia Smith from Livonia.

Steve Eskilsen left Monday with Dick McCool of Kingston to return to Olivet College at Kankakee, Ill. They had been at their homes since March 30, on their spring break.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Dorman returned April 5 from a month's vacation in California. While there they visited Mrs. Chauncey Walker of Los Angeles. Mrs. Walker is the former Alice Layman.

Bobbi Jaye Fischer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fischer, celebrated her fifth birthday April 2 with 12 friends who gathered at Big D's for ice cream and cake.

Mr. and Mrs. David Little had as Easter guests, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Stauffer and Miss Jan Dickinson of Vestaburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Little and family had as Easter guests, Miss Barbara Pratt of Millington, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pratt and family and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Woodward.

Mr. and Mrs. David Stine and children of Saginaw spent Easter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Stine.

Pastor and Mrs. Steve Love and daughter Wendy were Thursday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Biddle.

The monthly meeting of the "Sunshine Gals" was held Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Cecil Barriger.

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Clayton Gerald Witkovsky, 59, of Caro and Alice Elizabeth Wightman, 59, of Caro. Mark Alan Herr, 19, of Cass City and Minnie Ilene Neiman, 21, of Cass City.

Rodney Dean Buhl, 19, of Mayville and Lisa Lynn Colosky, 16, of Vassar.

Robert Dean DeLong, 22, of Cass City and Laurie Ann McRae, 22, of Cass City.

Billy Edman Willoughby, 22, of Vassar and Corinne Kay Titworth, 19, of Millington.

Scott Andrew Rayl, 18, of Akron and Rebecca Joy Samson, 17, of Akron.

James Kish Partridge, 40, of Flint and Diana Jean Powell, 25, of Caro.

ECONOMIC SLAVERY

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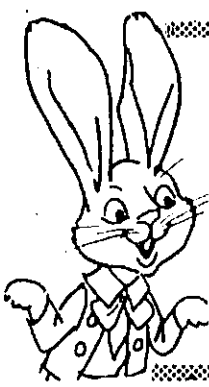
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Rabbit Tracks

By John Haire

(And anyone else he can get to help)

It has to be a record. Tuesday the Chronicle composing room staff turned on the air conditioning. Don't you agree that we will pay for this wonderful turn of events in a couple of weeks?

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The safest corner in town has to be Oak and Pine Streets. Tuesday afternoon the traffic north and south on Oak was ordered by sign to yield.

The traffic east and west on Pine was ordered to stop. Maybe that old yield sign was missed and not taken down in the deluge of signs that now inundate village streets?

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You're never far from home department. Mrs. Laura Reagh, en route home from California with a stopover in Chicago, was waiting for her flight.

Also waiting was Harry Reagh, a nephew, who lives in Bay City.

A small family reunion was held at Tri-City Airport when the Reaghs, traveling together, disembarked and were met by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reagh.

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I predict a short life for one of the youngest newspapers in the United States.

It probably is sure to survive for four years, may make eight.

The paper is the Plains (Ga.) Monitor. The B.A. Calkas bought one while visiting. It was the fourth edition of the paper, a small tabloid sheet.

It sells for a quarter and I'm sure that sales are brisk.

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Incidentally, B. A. says that every vacant building at Plains has been turned into a souvenir shop. There's no shortage of those.

What is needed, he said, are more toilets. The town is getting by now, he explained, with a series of portable Johns.

All this to see a town smaller than Gagetown.

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It's now dignified Michigan State University. It started as Michigan Agricultural College. (Moo-U to Michigan grads.) Now it appears that Moo-U isn't all that bad.

According to a graduating senior from Western Michigan visiting at our house for Easter, one of the fields where there is a seller's market for jobs is in agricultural related positions. Lots of openings.

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CAN ANYONE identify the girls in this photo taken at the Cumber School in 1926? The photo was submitted by Lorn Hillaker and was found among property belonging to the late George Robinson.

Gagetown council gives okay to \$97,425 budget

The Gagetown Village Council gave its approval to a 1977-78 budget totaling \$97,425. Approval came at the council's regular meeting Thursday night at the village

hall. The general fund budget is pegged at \$58,525, with general fund income set at \$60,985. The total budget figure includes \$13,000 in antici-

pated federal revenue sharing funds.

The major street fund budget is \$15,025, with revenues expected to total \$16,000. Local street fund budget was set at \$10,875, with revenue of \$12,450 expected.

In other business, the Gagetown Athletic Club offered to put up approximately \$2,000 for a fence around the ball diamond at the village park if the council would provide an even match for the project. The council agreed to provide the matching funds which will go directly to the project and not to the club.

The council agreed to hire Larry Odess to paint and repair the village water tower at a cost of \$2,570 plus \$150 for painting the sign on the tower.

Village residents who will be contacted to see if any are interested in serving as back-up men in Gagetown for the civil defense co-ordinator are Eley Sontag, Adam Deering and Leslie Munro.

The council also approved extending a village water line to Dennis Koch.

Set Chamber banquet April 23

A full evening is being planned Saturday, April 23, when the Cass City Chamber of Commerce hosts its Spring Community Banquet at Colony House beginning with the dinner and program at 7:00 p.m.

This year's master of ceremonies will be Bill Kritzman, retiring Chamber president, who will introduce new business owners in Cass City.

Highlight of the evening will be presentation of awards for Citizen of the Year and Junior Citizen of the Year. This year's Citizen of the Year will be the 15th annual recipient of the award.

Following the program, an evening of dancing is slated

from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m.

Tickets are \$8 each and are available from any Chamber board member as well as at Cass City State Bank and Pinney State Bank.

GREEN LIGHT

The fellow with a single-track mind has to have the right-of-way before he can proceed.

FROM THE Editor's Corner



I'm beginning to believe it. When I was in school one of the popular quotes around campus went something like this:

If you divided all the money equally among all the people in the country, in 10 years the same persons that have the lion's share now would have it again.

I had my doubts about that then. Now I think that there is some merit to it. If you disregard persons who had their backs handed down to them, I'd think that the same guys that amassed the loot now would do it again.

Edward Cole, retired GM president, is a case in point. Did you read that he stands to make \$500,000 in land speculation in Pontiac where the new arena is planned?

Cole needs \$500,000 more like I need five more pounds around the middle.

In addition he's heading up a company to build cargo planes. He's on the board of directors of Consumers Power Co. and one of the Detroit banks.

He's 67 years old. Obviously he's working harder than most of us who are forced to the office or shop in order to eat.

He just has to love business

like I love going to a basketball game.

Couple that love with a rare talent and the result is pre-ordained. He will make money.

I know that some of you must be asking what good his money is if he doesn't take the time to enjoy it.

I used to think that, but I don't anymore. The key is not the money but the self-satisfaction that comes from working to make it.

Like the guy that's handy with tools, and his pride in creating something special.

Like the athlete that performs just a little better than anyone else.

Like the teacher that sparks a student into a new awareness of the joys of learning.

Like a politician elected to office.

The good ones do it not merely for the money but for the personal satisfaction that comes with it.

I want to take time to smell the flowers as I go. All work and no play isn't for me. Neither is all play and no work. That's my style.

Cole's style is to make play out of work.

I submit to you that neither of us is wrong.

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"If It Fitz..." Five stones, then a candle

By Jim Fitzgerald

"I just read the latest from my favorite philosopher," I told my wife. "According to him, we should get five stones and a candle. Then we sit around in the garden and think nice things about that television dealer who said it would cost \$300 to fix our set."

"I know who the television dealer is. He is a crook," Pat said. "But who is your favorite philosopher?"

How quickly she forgets. Comedian Red Skelton is my favorite philosopher. I began listening to his wisdom about seven years ago, when Red added romance to my marriage.

Red told the world how he kept his wife happy. He got up at 5 o'clock every morning and wrote her a letter. They slept in the same bed, but he still sent her a mushy message every day. He probably had his own mailman and a stamp machine on the night table.

I tried the same thing, except I got up at 4 a.m. so I'd have time to find a pencil.

After the salutation, I had an awful time thinking of something to say. My first letter went like this:

Dear Pat
Do you know I've killed 16 mosquitoes in this bedroom this summer? I just counted the spots where I smashed them against the walls.

And did you know you have 42 shoe boxes and 38 of them are on my side of the closet? I'll bet I'm the only man in town who has to hang his pants on a tie rack.

I just went to take a peek at the children. They aren't home yet. I'd sure like to know what Red Skelton finds to write about every morning. Maybe he tells what he dreamed about that night. Last night I dreamed I loved you. Now

I'm awake, at 5 a.m., and I still do. And I can reach out and touch you. Let Red Skelton write letters. He is a big clown.

—Your husband

After that morning, I never wrote my wife another letter. A year later, the Skeltons got a divorce. Seven years later, Pat's shoe boxes are still on my side of the closet.

Obviously, Skelton didn't know what he was talking — or writing — about. When I call him my favorite philosopher, I am fooling around. Socrates is my favorite comedian, right?

But since the letter bit, I have kept track of the Skelton wisdom. It is easier than looking for the latest jokes told by Socrates. Show biz writers are always quoting Red's theories on how to be happy even though you own only seven Rolls-Royces and four homes. Last week I read how Skelton and his new wife handle hurts.

"When anyone hurts us," Red said, "my wife and I sit in our Japanese sand garden and drink iced tea. There are five stones in the garden — for sky, wind, fire, water and earth. We sit and think of five of the nicest things we can about the person who hurts us. If he hurts us a second time, we do the same thing. The third time we light a candle, and he is, for us, dead."

The latest guy to hurt me was the TV dealer who sold me a color set a few years ago. When the screen went

blurry last month, the dealer made an examination. His diagnosis was less than hopeful.

"It will cost \$300 to fix your set," he said, hardly blinking when I fell on the floor, writhing in agony.

The dealer conceded that my TV wasn't worth \$100, so it certainly wouldn't make sense to spend that much money on it. The smart thing to do was buy a new one for \$400. He would sell it to me.

I decided to get a second opinion (the first one cost \$24). The next repairman didn't sell TV sets. He fixed my old TV for \$60. It now works better than it has in years.

Obviously, that TV dealer was trying to screw me into buying a set I didn't need. And I thought he was my friend. That hurt.

After reading the Skelton philosophy, I searched the apartment for a Japanese sand garden. But I couldn't even find five stones. Also, I couldn't think of five nice things about the TV dealer. But I did find a candle.

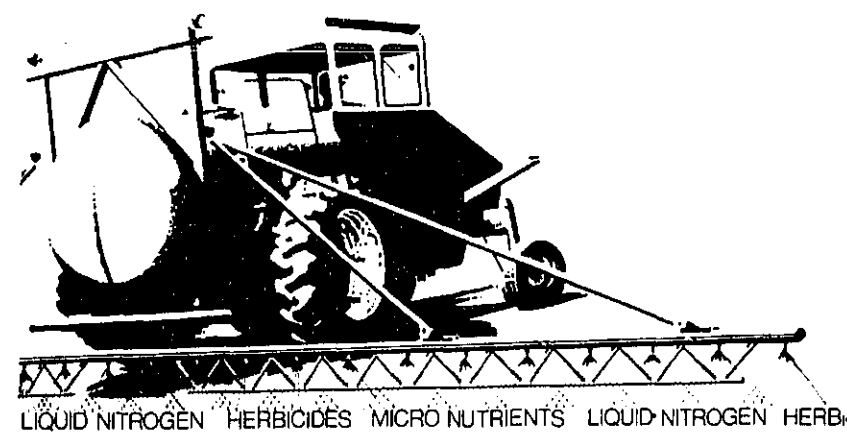
Skelton wastes too much time writing letters and counting stones. Whether it is loving or hating, you should hurry up and light that fire. For me, the TV man is now dead as Socrates.

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Concert scheduled

The Campus Life musical group "Satisfaction" will present a concert Sunday, April 17, at 2:00 p.m. at the Calvary Bible church, 202 Burnside St., Caro, Rev. George Harmon, pastor, announced this week. The public is invited to attend.

The Want Ads are newsy too.

Holbrook Area News

Mrs. Thelma Jackson
Phone 658-2347

The Euchre Club will meet April 16 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Decker. Mr. and Mrs. Mike Puszykowski of Bay City, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Puszykowski and Steve Dybilas of Port Huron were Easter week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dybilas, Paul and Kathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were Tuesday lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr. Cynthia Kelly of Port Huron and Phil Berridge of Richmond were Easter Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Berridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Hendrick and daughter of Columbus, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Hendrick of Peck and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hendrick and family of Cass City were Easter Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hendrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Yax of Almont were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson.

Debbie Timmons and Sherrie Lapeer were Sunday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Murrill Shagena and Mary of Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena were Easter Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Shagena and Sherry at Unionville.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McKnight of Bad Axe were Tuesday evening guests and Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Painter of Bad Axe were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and Lori and

Ruth. Kathleen and Lynette Booms of Harbor Beach are spending Monday and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Andersen and family of Westland, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Andersen and family of Brighton spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy. Other Easter Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Schenk of Ubyly and Mr. and Mrs. David Hacker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson Jr. of Oxford were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cleland and family were Wednesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Ron Berridge spent the week end with David Ellis at East Tawas.

Mrs. Jim Doerr and Jeff were Monday lunch guests of Viola Rose and Leone Doerr in Argyle.

Mrs. Brian Sweeney and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were among a group of ladies who attended a party at the home of Becky Robinson Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol were Thursday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Matthews Jr. and sons. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bullock, Nicky and Cori, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Timmons, Debbie and Patti, Mr. and Mrs. Lynwood Lapeer, Sherrie and Shelly were Easter dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer. Supper guests were Mr. and Mrs. Manley Fay Jr. of Bad Axe and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Lapeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and Lori and Leslie Hewitt were Easter Sunday dinner guests of Shirley Ross and Sheila Dalton.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hacker and family were Friday evening guests and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Schenk were Saturday lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy. Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson, Brent and Lavena of Oxford and Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackson and family were Easter Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland were Easter Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Robinson, Gary and Eddie of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Robinson and daughters of Caro were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robinson and Becky.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bader and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wallace and Mrs. Alex Cleland returned home from a two-weeks' trip to Plains, Ga., and other points of interest in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Loeffler and family of Midland, Mrs. Emma Decker of Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Easter Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Decker.

Fred Schmidt of Decker-ville was a Saturday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena. Jennifer Hammond of Ubyly was a Thursday overnight guest of Lori Hewitt.

Hugh Stirtion of Kerwood, Ont., was a Wednesday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Lapeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Johnson of Bad Axe were Thursday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk and Randy. Margaret Carlson was an Easter Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller in Ubyly.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Forbes of Bad Axe were Thursday lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland. Other afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman of Shabbona and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Klaus of Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Robinson and daughters returned home from a trip to Florida. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marion and daughter of Marlette, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stahl and family of Caseville, Harry

Edwards, Sara Campbell and Clayton Campbell were Easter Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Dubey at Bay Port.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Deneen, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Benkelman and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were evening guests of Mrs. Emma Decker in Cass City.

Bill Cleland and Lori Thompson of Walled Lake were Tuesday and Wednesday guests of Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol.

Theresa Schneidenbach of Minden, Mrs. Aloysius Depcinski and Willford, Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Henley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Rutkowski and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Depcinski and family were Easter Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Black and family at Sandusky.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Powers and family of Highland were Sunday overnight and Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and Lori.

Mr. and Mrs. John Naples and family of East Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Vandervennet of Canton spent the Easter week end with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Naples.

Mr. and Mrs. Al VanErp and family of Henrietta, N.Y., Paul Sweeney of Saginaw, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Sweeney and family of East Lansing were Easter week-end guests of Mrs. Dave Sweeney and David.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Glaza and family of Ubyly, Diann Pajak of Bay City were Easter Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Gracy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer and Bill were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson visited Nancy Walsh at Hills and Dales General Hospital in Cass City Friday.

Ruth Hewitt returned to Spring Arbor Friday after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt and Lori.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schenk were Tuesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Hacker and family in honor of Chris Hacker's second birthday.

Mrs. Don Jackson and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morell and family Saturday. Mrs. Herman Umphenbach and four daughters were Saturday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cleland.

Mason Berridge and daughter Amie of Romeo were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Berridge and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doerr and family attended the wedding of Mary Ann Doerr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Doerr of Detroit and Michael Young at Safe Temple Church of God at Madison Heights Saturday. A reception followed at Madison Heights VFW Hall.

Mrs. Ernest Campbell and Sara Campbell were Wednesday

day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Doug VanAllen at Cass City. Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jackson were Wednesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shagena.

Mrs. Alex Cleland and Carol were Saturday dinner guests of Mrs. Annie Pelton in Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Sweeney and daughter of Ubyly, Caroline Garey of Cass City, Mr. and Mrs. Jim A. Sweeney and family and Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney were Easter Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Booms and family of Harbor Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton McDonald and family of Flint were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewitt, and Lori.

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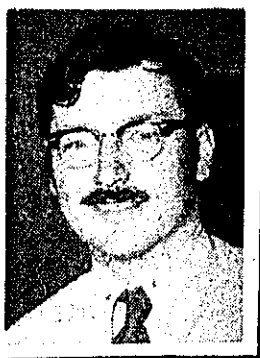
Heartworm clinic scheduled

A heartworm detection clinic will be held Saturday, April 16, from 12:30-4:00 p.m. at the Wilber Memorial Building at the Caro Fairgrounds. Attending veterinarian will be Dr. Robert Reid DVM. The life cycle of the heartworm and what it can do to a dog will be discussed. For more information, call the 4-H office in Caro at 673-3161. The clinic is sponsored by the Obedient Canine 4-H Club of Tuscola county.

KETCHUM'S KNAPSACK

Destructo!

By Jim Ketchum



From now on, I'll have to stop calling my wife "Destructo".

She earned the name because she manages to bend, break or stop nearly everything mechanical. Don't ask me how she does it... it's a mystery not unlike the curse of King Tut's tomb or how Wayne Newton's voice changed.

I guess the first time she demonstrated what "destructo" really meant was before we were married. She decided to boil a few eggs for a quick supper.

She wanted to show me she could cook and to prove to my mother I wouldn't starve when I moved out my clothes and collection of books about Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Anyhow, the eggs had just started to boil when we decided to take a ride. She forgot about the eggs and when we got back to her place, I spent an hour scraping exploded yolk off the ceiling.

Then there was the following Christmas when her mother received a travel alarm clock. Within three hours, my wife managed to make it stop in its tracks.

But I digress. From now on, I'll have to watch it. A couple of weeks ago, I nearly "destructoed" myself.

It happened in the line of duty when I carry a camera. I usually carry something called a strobe. That's a fancy term for an electronic flash gun. It saves my changing flash bulbs and sticking my finger in the socket.

This particular day was rainy and damp—the kind of day you wring out your

clothes before dressing. I started firing pictures when something began to crackle. I knew it could be only one of two things—either my flash gun was shorting out or I was thinking about something.

Just then a streak of fire shot from the side of the flash attachment and something resembling a firecracker exploded.

Before I could yank the stupid cord from the camera it happened again.

Being the mechanical genius I am, I studied the situation and made an important decision. I decided if I ignored it, it would go away.

Plugging in the cord once more, I turned on the juice (all 510 volts of it) and prepared for another shot. Suddenly I had another decision to make. Either it was Chinese New Year's or my strobe was exploding.

When the smoke cleared, I picked up the remains of my expensive equipment and walked back to the office.

At this writing, the strobe is in surgery near Detroit and the outcome is in doubt. The ringing has gone from my head and the doctors say that funny twitch in my left cheek will go away in time.

I'm having fewer dreams about World War II and my friends have stopped leaving the room when they want to pop open a can of beer.

But I'm no longer calling my wife "Destructo".

She never did anything with 510 volts of electricity that I can remember.

Except I haven't tried the oven lately.



THAT'S NOT smoke or dust in the western sky. Those are thousands of birds that chose Cass City as their temporary home last week. Most were roosting behind the General Cable plant on Garfield Street. This scene was taken at sunset Thursday night.

Commissioners, union ratify 3-year contract

The Tuscola County Board of Commissioners ratified a new three-year contract with court house and District Court employees during its regular session Tuesday in Caro.

The contract, retroactive to Jan. 1, won union support in a meeting held last week.

According to Commission Chairman Maynard McConkey, the pact, which is the longest yet signed with the American Federation of State County and Municipal Employees, provides an across-the-board \$400 raise in base pay in each year of the pact.

The increase amounts to about 20 1/2 cents an hour, McConkey said. He added that the increase during the first year will amount to slightly less than \$400, since raises were calculated at a rate of 15 cents an hour while the employees were without a contract.

The new pact also establishes a pay plan which sets a starting rate for each job classification. McConkey said the plan provides for a raise after a six-month probationary period, another raise after one year and advancements after the second and third years.

After that, the employee is considered at the top of his classification and any subsequent raises must be negotiated in the contract. McConkey said the three-year pact should insure labor peace between the court house union and the board, although he said some changes might have to be made toward the end of the contract's life.

Other provisions include an increase in master medical benefits during the second year of the contract and longevity pay of two per cent on base salary after six years on the job.

He said formal signing of the agreement is expected at a special commission meeting next Tuesday when the board meets with township supervisors to go over the assessment rolls and establish 1977 tax figures.

THUMB INTELLIGENCE GROUP

The Tuscola County Board of Commissioners didn't say no to a request for renewed funding of the Thumb Intelligence Group (TIG) during its Tuesday meeting at the court-house in Caro.

But the board didn't exactly say yes either.

TIG spokesman William Bliss, Cass City, asked the board to commit itself to spend \$20,123 to fund the unit's drug enforcement investigation through June, 1978.

The catch, Bliss explained, is that if the county agrees, it also must commit itself to another year's entire funding which totals \$52,394.

The program is in its second year and the \$20,123 figure represents nine months of funding from Oct. 1, 1977 through June 30, 1978.

TIG operates with monies from Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac counties. Under a criminal justice grant, the federal government will chip in \$54,332.62 for the nine months, while the state will add another \$6,036.96, leaving a \$60,369 balance to be split three ways.

Next year is a different story, however, Bliss said, as the federal funds will dry up. At that time, the counties must bear the entire cost of the program.

In effect, approving the program this year commits each county to a \$70,000 expenditure over two years.

Commissioners were reluctant to go along. Cmmr. Paul Nagy was particularly worried about the cost.

"It will cost us \$52,000 the fourth year and from here, the sky's the limit," he said. "I'm not as worried about the control of it as much as I am about the money."

"This is the crux of the whole thing," he continued. "They give you something and then take it away from you and say if you want it, you have to fund it yourself."

Cmmr. Kenneth Kennedy (D-Millington) said the

county couldn't commit itself to both a third and fourth year for the program without talking with the other counties.

"This is a serious situation," he said. "What's needed is a closer line of communication with the three counties. It should be a joint determination to either stay in the game or get out."

The board referred the request to the finance committee for further study.

Presently, TIG serves as a narcotic unit and investigates drug law violations and other drug-related crimes. So far, the unit has been involved in group activities resulting in 120 warrants for 79 persons in the three counties.

The unit began Jan. 1, 1976.

In other business, Prosecutor Patrick Joslyn announced that a check for \$37,000 in depreciation allowance at the county Medical Care Facility would be coming following court action against the state.

The figure falls well below early estimates of how much

the county could gain in recovered depreciation.

OTHER BUSINESS

In other business, the board agreed to study improvements at Vanderbilt Park at Quinciassee. McConkey said the county will check with the DNR for help in planning improvements to toilet facilities and to prevent thefts of tables.

The County Road Commission submitted its annual report, along with bills paid with money advanced prior to tax collections on bridge millage.

The board had earlier allowed the road commission to spend \$60,000 in advance of the bridge millage.

Commissioners okayed spending \$11,605 for sound recording equipment for District Court and Probate court chambers. The funds came from Federal Revenue Sharing monies, McConkey said.

Draper promoted

Michigan State Police trooper Lewis E. Draper, 30, of the Caro post, has been promoted to detective sergeant with the district fire marshal division and trans-

ferred to Northville, it was announced this week. Draper, a native of Hillside, enlisted in 1969 and had been stationed at the Flat Rock post prior to coming to Caro.

Class slates reunion

The Cass City High School graduating class of 1952 is having their reunion July 16 at Colony House.

Anyone knowing the whereabouts of Lawrence Marshall, Glenn Meiser or Howard Sheppard please call Mary Damm, 872-2446, after 5:00 p.m.

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Slate square dance

Income taxes are paid and now what's left to do? It's time for a "Hard Times Dance". The Rocking Eights Square Dance Club will "celebrate" this time of year with a dance Saturday, April 16, at 8 p.m. at the Sacred Heart Parish Center in Caro. All square dancers are invited to attend. Chuck Warner will be the caller. Refreshments will be served.

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Cass City Bowling Leagues

Table of bowling league schedules and scores for Monday Night Trio, Thursday Nite Trio, Sunday Night Junior, Kings & Queens, Guys & Gals, City League, Tuesday Afternoon Ladies, Merchants 'B' League, Tuscola Get To Getters 'A' and 'B' Leagues, and Ladies City League.

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ZENITH Allegro advertisement featuring a 13" TV and a console stereo system.

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Table of bowling league scores for Kings & Queens, Tuscola Get To Getters 'A' and 'B' Leagues, Merchants 'A' League, and Ladies League.

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Sirloin Steaks lb. **\$1.49**

T-Bone Steaks lb. **\$1.69**

Porterhouse Steaks lb. **\$1.79**

Tender Aged Beef (Blade Cut)

Chuck Roasts **69¢ lb.**

Tender Aged Beef (Blade Cut)

Chuck Steaks **79¢ lb.**

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Dancers will perform

The Harbinger Dance Company of Highland Park will perform at Bad Axe School Saturday, April 23, at 8:00 p.m.

The performance is sponsored by the Michigan Council for the Arts and the Thumb Area Council for the Arts. Tickets are available at Wood Drug in Cass City.

The dance company was formed in 1970 by Lisa No-

wak. It is a contemporary dance repertory company and performs dramatic-theatrical works, semi-classical ballets, jazz-oriented and abstract works and an original dance-theatre production for children based on Dickens' "A Christmas Carol".

The group is also supported by the National Endowment for the Arts.

Gagetown Area News

Mrs. Harold Koch
Phone 665-2536

SENIOR CITIZENS

The Owendale-Gagetown Senior Citizens met April 7, with chairman Leslie Munro presiding.

Opening the meeting with

the pledge to the flag, Mrs. Elma Severence gave the prayer.

Carl Error reported on the tables and chairs the group wants to purchase.

Mabel Ondrajka gave a

report on the Huron County Council on Aging meeting which she attended.

The Owen-Gage group received an invitation to be entertained by the Port Austin group April 13 at Port Austin.

The group sang Happy Birthday to Carl Error. Group singing was enjoyed with Wilma Finkbeiner at the piano.

Bingo and visiting was enjoyed after the meeting. Next meeting will be a potluck dinner at noon April 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Ziehm arrived home Thursday from Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Hobart entertained for Easter dinner Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hobart and family, Barb Link from Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. Francis Shelling from Unionville.

Guests for Easter dinner at the Elger Generous home were Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Generous of Caro and Jack Generous and daughter Suzanne of Caro.

Mrs. Aura Beaudon and Mrs. Viola Murchison moved to Caro Monday.

Mrs. Viola Murchison is leaving for a two-week stay in Florida Thursday.

Mrs. Alfred Langlois is a patient at University Hospital in Ann Arbor and is recovering from recent surgery.

Mrs. Aura Beaudon and

Mrs. Viola Murchison were Easter dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Langlois.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Loomis of Cass City entertained for Easter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weatherhead and Anne of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cooklin of Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weatherhead of Gagetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weatherhead attended the wake for Mrs. Ida Nixon, formerly of Gagetown, Sunday afternoon.

Mary Goodell, a student at Ferris State College, spent Easter week end with her parents, the William Goodells.

Miss Margaret Yost, a student at Lake Superior State College, at Sault Ste. Marie, spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Yost.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Koch and family were overnight guests of the Carl Webers in Frankenmuth and had Easter dinner with them.

Mary Blondell of Caro, and Mabel Ondrajka spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Anthes of Deford.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ondrajka and family of Marlette entertained for Easter dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Koch and family, Mr. and Mrs. Amasa Ondrajka and family of Unionville, Lester Koch of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ondrajka and family, and Mrs. Mabel Ondrajka of Gagetown.

Mr. and Mrs. William Burrows entertained for Easter dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Burrows and family of Keego Harbor, Miss Kathy Burrows of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. Ruth Freeman of Swartz Creek. Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Abby and family of Caro and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bauman of Reese.

The grandchildren of Mrs. Archie Ackerman, Linda, Kathy, Sue and Robert Jewel of Detroit, called on her Sunday evening.

Your Neighbor says

They influenced me most

Nearly all of us can point to one or two persons who have had more influence on us than anyone else. Who has had the greatest influence on your life?

Mrs. Fran Lovejoy of 6757 Church St., Cass City, says her husband, Dave, has been one of three persons who have influenced her life.

"He helped me focus in on teaching as a career," she says. "I didn't have any goals for the future until we met and decided to get married. He was probably most influential in that way."

She and her husband both became teachers, she as a kindergarten instructor at Campbell Elementary School. He teaches and is principal at Deford Elementary.

Who were the other two most influential persons in her life? Her parents.

"I was raised on a farm and

I learned to love animals and gardening and being outdoors," she says. "They've given me many fond memories."

Mrs. Lovejoy is a native of the Marlette area. She and her husband have three children.



Slate marriage seminar

All Catholic engaged couples are invited to a pre-marriage seminar planned by Catholic Family Service of the Thumb area for Sunday, May 1, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

The seminar will explore basic trends in marriage,

inter-personal communications, the place of money in marriage, etc.

If interested, contact Catholic Family Service, 592 N. Port Crescent, Bad Axe, or call (517) 269-7931 for further information.

School Menu

APRIL 18-22

MONDAY

Hamburger & Bun
Chips
White Milk
Peach Slices
Cookie

TUESDAY

Turkey Sandwiches
Chicken Noodle Soup
Crackers
Fruit
White Milk
Cookie

WEDNESDAY

Hot Dog & Bun
Potato Sticks
Buttered Peas
White Milk
Apple Crisp

THURSDAY

Mashed Potatoes
Beef in Gravy
Buttered Beans
Bread-Butter
White Milk
Cookie

FRIDAY

Barbecue on Bun
Chips
Buttered Corn
White Milk
Cookie

Menu subject to change.

Ida Nixon dies April 7

Funeral services were held Monday for Mrs. Ida K. Nixon, 86, Gagetown, who died Thursday, April 7, at the Tuscola Medical Care Facility.

She was born June 13, 1890, in Akron township. She married Oscar Nixon in February, 1935. He died in 1970.

She was a member of the Gagetown United Methodist church, Elkton OES No. 431 and Rebecca Lodge No. 456 of Akron.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Jane McPherson of Columbiaville, Mrs. Gene (Cleo) Sanford of Flint, Mrs. Vivian Whalen of Akron and Mrs. Floyd (Betty) Ellis of Gagetown; four stepdaughters, Mrs. Lyle (Gerardine) Barriger of Davisburg; Mrs. Percy (Betty Ruth) Robinson of Mayville, Mrs. Bud (Georgia) Roach of Drayton Plains and Mrs. Melvin (Dorothy) McFarland of Cass City; one stepson, Wilbur Nixon of Reed City; nine grandchildren, 42 step-grandchildren, 20 great-grandchildren and several step-great-grandchildren.

The funeral was held at the Briggs Funeral Home of Akron with Rev. Janice Martineau and Pastor Richard Flanders officiating.

Burial was in Demorest cemetery.

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Mrs. Nicol dies April 6

Mrs. Gladys Nicol, 77, a lifelong Greenleaf township resident, died Wednesday, April 6, at Huron Memorial Hospital in Bad Axe following a long illness.

She was born Aug. 29, 1899, in Greenleaf township, daughter of the late Edward and Susan Ballagh Wright. She married Leland Nicol, Dec. 25, 1918, in Greenleaf township. The couple celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in 1968.

She was a member of Salem United Methodist church of Cass City over 50 years. She was also a member of the Farm Bureau and the Greenleaf Extension Club.

Survivors include her husband; three sons, Duane of Webberville, Stuart and Thomas, both of Cass City; three brothers, Orrin Wright of Cass City, Alvin Wright of Mt. Morris and Curtis Wright of Pontiac; two sisters, Mrs. Myrtle McColl of Cass City and Mrs. Helen Baker of Lake Orion; seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Three sisters preceded her in death.

The funeral was held Saturday at Salem United Methodist church with Rev. Eldred Kelley, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Elkland cemetery.

Little's Funeral Home of Cass City was in charge of arrangements.

Ferris lists honor students

Four area persons were among 1,795 students honored for scholastic excellence during the winter quarter at Ferris State College by being named to the academic honors list.

They include Kurt J. Freiburger, Karen S. Krug and Beth A. Shagene of Cass City and Gregory J. Downing of Gagetown.

To be named to the list, a student must earn at least a 3.25 grade point average and carry a full academic load of 14 quarter hours of credit.

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By Dr. J. Elizabeth Morgan, M.D.



Dear Dr. Morgan: Are women more likely to be injured playing sports than men?

A. No. Sports injuries in women are increasing, probably because more women are playing sports than ever before. The commonest injuries are the same ones men have -- sprained ankles and knees, and contusions and bruises.

The most serious injuries, e.g., broken bones, occur in basketball, field hockey, softball and gymnastics. These sports are the most energetic and the most common ones played by women. Men injure themselves most often in football, wrestling and basketball -- the most popular and violent male sports.

One type of injury may be more common in women than in men -- a dislocated kneecap (the patella). This is because a girl's upper leg

angles at the knee more than a boy's does.

The best way to avoid a sports injury is to keep your body in good condition -- and not force it beyond what you can do easily. This applies to men and women.

Dear Dr. Morgan: Vitamin D supplements are part of a friend's health program. She urges me to take them too -- but I've heard excess vitamin D is dangerous. Please advise us.

A. You are right. The liver and kidneys change vitamin D to its active form dihydroxy-vitamin-D3. This raises blood and body calcium. Lack of vitamin D leads to soft bones, but in the U.S. this is exceedingly rare.

Excess vitamin D overloads blood with calcium, raises blood fat, for reasons unknown, and can settle as calcium stones in kidney, bladder and joints. In adults 150,000 units of vitamin D daily may cause stones. Only 700 units a day can raise blood fat to abnormal levels.

You need 400 units daily and you get this from a well-balanced diet. Ask your doctor to check your blood and bone calcium before taking possibly dangerous extra vitamin D.

Dear Dr. Morgan: I've heard an ultrasound test can detect the cause of stomach pain, without X-rays. My doctor has scheduled X-rays for me. Should I ask him for an ultrasound exam instead?

A. No. Ultrasound is more expensive and results can be difficult to interpret. The ultrasound machine emits very-high-frequency sound waves that bounce off body tissues, drawing a contour map of your insides. With the waves there have been no side effects.

Ultrasound is most useful in finding: 1) abscesses and cysts; 2) tumors in areas X-rays can't study, e.g., pancreas or adrenal glands; 3) abnormalities in the heart. Ultrasound can outline heart chambers, and even heart valves.

Drawbacks: 1) Cost. For instance, it costs \$200 for a study of the abdomen. 2) Interpretation. Ultrasound contour maps require a specialist to interpret results. 3) Usefulness. Most stomach ailments can be diagnosed more reliably by routine X-rays. If regular X-rays don't help, ultrasound may then be recommended by your doctor.

Dear Dr. Morgan: I'm scared of being bitten by a black widow spider whenever I go camping. How common are these spiders -- and are they really dangerous?

A. Black widow spider bites are dangerous, but rarely fatal. This spider -- *Latrodectus mactans* -- is the commonest poisonous spider in the U.S. It is black with a red "double-diamond" hour glass on the undersurface.

Spider venom attacks nerve tissue and causes immediate severe pain about the bite. Death occurs from muscle spasm and nerve injury.

Ten to 15 people a year die from black widow spider bites. People most often get bitten in outhouses, where the female spider may spin her web.

If your camping takes you into dark or unsanitary enclosed areas, especially in the South or Southwest, be sure there's light so you can see if spiders are around. If you

think you are bitten, see a doctor right away for treatment.

Tree distribution planned

The Tuscola Soil Conservation District will have their 1977 tree distribution at the Caro Fairgrounds April 14 and 15 from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Trees may be ordered at the TSCD office at 852 S. Hooper St., Caro, or phone 673-8174.

Red pine, Scotch pine,

white spruce, Colorado blue spruce and black walnut are still available. The pines and spruce come in bundles of 50 and the price is less when your total order comes to 1,000 trees. The black walnut comes in bundles of 10, 25 and 50.

These trees may be planted for windbreaks, reforesta-

tion, Christmas trees, erosion control, wildlife cover and beautification.

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GARAGE AUCTION

Due to other business interests I will sell at public auction at the place located 6 miles north of Marlette, or 5 miles east of Kingston, or 13 miles west of Sandusky on the corner of M-53 and M-46 the following personal property:

SUNDAY, APRIL 17

commencing at 12 noon sharp

- Allis Chalmers D-14 tractor w/loader and 8 foot snow bucket, tire chains
- 6 wheel implement trailer w/ramps and lights
- 1 1/2 H.P. air compressor
- RPM meter for electric ignition output
- 2 battery voltage testers
- 75 Amp. D.C. amp tester
- Battery charger for 6 and 12 volts
- Battery charger for 6 volts
- 4 battery testers
- New tachometer for tractor
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- 3 Hydraulic jacks, 1 ton, 5 ton, 10 ton
- Floor jack on wheels
- Hydraulic bumper jack
- Crane jack Large vice
- Red Arrow 50 ton double action press
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- 2 stands for tractors or cars
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- Steel bench on wheels
- Oil bench
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- 2 sets of stampers
- Tach well point tester
- Timing light
- Set of timing lights w/compression and vacuum gauges
- 1 creeper
- Starter buttons to start motors
- Air chisel for mufflers
- 1/4 inch air drill
- 1 3/4 inch air impact wrench
- 2-20 gallon used oil containers on wheels
- 15 gallon transmission grease on wheels
- Grease pump on wheels
- Quantity of oil
- Quantity of oil filters
- 20 gallons anti-freeze and pump
- 20 gallon transmission oil and pump
- Sledge hammers
- Set of sockets
- 2 radiator testers
- Fan belts Water tank
- Gear driven wrench for truck wheels
- 2 steel part cabinets
- 20 amp battery charger
- Quantity of bolts, nuts and washers
- Quantity of wiper blades
- Quantity of battery cables
- Quantity of pliers, pipe wrenches, chisels
- Quantity of rebuilt starters and alternators
- Quantity of headlights and bulbs
- Quantity of spark plugs, fuel pumps
- Quantity of muffler clamps, motor manuals
- Quantity of drill bits, elm wrenches
- Quantity of valve equipment
- Quantity of small bearings, box end wrenches
- 1 3/4" drill, 2 1/4" drill
- 1 1/2" reversible drill
- 1 set of taps and dies
- 1 set of bushing pullers
- Cylinder hones, various sizes
- Ridge reamer, pipe cutters, tire irons
- Air phones, motor stand, wheelstops
- 1 rotor, soldering gun, toe in board
- Quantity of new bearings, universal joints
- Quantity of new tie rods, brake lines
- 2 400 x 15 tractor tires, new
- 450 x 12 tire, new
- 500 x 8 tire, new
- Some used 13" and 15" tires
- 2 800 x 16.5LT, 8 ply tires
- 16", 15", 14" tire tubes, new
- Coats tire changer w/tools, new
- 2 wheel balancers
- Tire spreader
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- Air tank for brakes, new bleeder
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- Electric key hole saw
- Electric reversible screw driver
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- 1 large meat cooler
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SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF CASS CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS TUSCOLA, HURON AND SANILAC COUNTIES, MICHIGAN TO BE HELD APRIL 25, 1977

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that a special election of Cass City Public Schools, Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac Counties, Michigan, will be held in the High School Building in the Village of Cass City, Michigan, on Monday, April 25, 1977.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7:00 O'CLOCK, A.M. AND CLOSE AT 8:00 O'CLOCK, P.M.

The following proposition will be submitted to the vote of the electors at the special election:

MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSITION

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Cass City Public Schools, Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac Counties, Michigan, be increased by 3.5 mills (\$3.50 on each \$1,000.00 of state equalized valuation) for a period of 3 years, 1977, 1978 and 1979, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes (this being a renewal of 3.5 mills for operating purposes which expired with the 1976 tax levy)?

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

I, Elgene Keller, Treasurer of Tuscola County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of March 11, 1977, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Cass City Public Schools, Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Tuscola County:	6/10 Mill for Special Education Indefinite
	1 Mill for Bridges 1976-1980 Inclusive
By Ellington Township:	None of Record
By Elmwood Township:	None of Record
By Novesta Township:	None of Record
By Kingston Township:	None of Record
By Wells Township:	None of Record
By Elkland Township:	None of Record
By Almer Township:	None of Record
By Columbia Township:	None of Record
By the School District:	7.5 Mills, 1977 and 1978

Elgene Keller
Treasurer, Tuscola County, Michigan

I, Arnold Schweitzer, Treasurer of Huron County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of March 11, 1977, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Cass City Public Schools, Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Huron County:	None
By Grant Township:	3 Mills, 1977
By Sheridan Township:	None
By the School District:	7.5 Mills, 1977 and 1978
By Huron Intermediate:	1 Mill, Unlimited

Arnold Schweitzer
Treasurer, Huron County, Michigan

I, Kenneth Rhead, Treasurer of Sanilac County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of March 11, 1977, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Cass City Public Schools, Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Sanilac County:	None
By Evergreen Township:	None
By Greenleaf Township:	Roads 2.0 Mills 1978 inc.
	Fire 1.0 Mill
By Lamotte Township:	Road 2.0 Mills 1977 inc.
By the School District:	7.5 Mills, 1977 and 1978
By Sanilac County Intermediate District:	.25 Mill Op.
	.90 Mill Spec. Ed.
	2.0 Mills Vo-Ed.

Kenneth Rhead
Treasurer, Sanilac County, Michigan

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of Cass City Public Schools, Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac Counties, Michigan.

Lynn G. Albee
Secretary, Board of Education

Down Memory Lane

FROM THE FILES OF THE CHRONICLE

FIVE YEARS AGO

Hills and Dales General Hospital officials announced this week that operation shift is expected to be started any day now as the brand new wing at the facility is activated.

The Tuscola County Board of Commissioners were to meet Wednesday with township supervisors and approve the new equalized valuation for the county. Tuesday, the board was presented with a total new equalized valuation of \$208,043,161, up nearly \$16 million from a year ago.

Cass City School Board approved a new course at Campbell and Deford Elementary Schools. The program will be a practical arts course that Deford Principal Gary Kelley said has proved successful in other systems. Mrs. Leone Shaw, instructor of languages at Cass City High School, will retire at the end of this school year after 33 years of teaching.

Voters in the Cass City School District will be asked to approve a renewal of a 2.5 mill special operating tax Monday, April 17, in a special election at the high school.

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TEN YEARS AGO

A special study committee will take a long look at Cass City School's athletic program, following a discussion sparked when Howard Bacon and Stuart Atwell appeared before the board of education Monday evening.

Milton Hofmeister of rural Gagetown, supervisor from Elmwood township, was named chairman of the Tuscola County Board of Supervisors Monday in the opening day of the April session at Caro.

A decision of whether the county will have enough money to meet expenses or whether a belt-tightening period is on hand will be handed down by the voters Monday when they go to the polls in a special election to decide the fate of a 1 1/2 mill extra operating levy.

Cass City will be the only school in the Thumb and Central Michigan to have power operated bleachers. It was decided Monday night at the regular meeting of the school board at Cass City High School.

The lockout by trucking firms across the nation has not yet significantly hurt production in Cass City area plants, but is expected to start to pinch in periods ranging from three days to two weeks, according to authorities at the various manufacturing concerns.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The Cass City High School baseball team will begin its quest for a clean sweep in Upper Thumb competition when Coach Irv Cluseman's charges take the field against Elkton Monday. The line-up will have Gerald Whittaker on the mound, Pete Martin at first base, Dean Hoag at second, Bob Wallace at shortstop, Maynard Helwig at third and outfielders Tim Burdon, Tom Schwaderer and

either Bill Martus or Russ Foy.

The name of Michigan Associated Telephone Co. will be changed to General Telephone Co. of Michigan as soon as the required action to accomplish this is taken, a company official announced this week.

Jim Bauer, president of the Cass City Chamber of Commerce, said this week that there are still members of the organization who have not paid dues for the new year.

Clifford Croft this week issued a proclamation urging the public to observe April as cancer control month and is asking cooperation with the American Cancer Society's 1952 Cancer Crusade.

The Cass City Methodist church's newly organized junior choir, under the direction of Mrs. Arlington Hoffman, took part in the Palm Sunday services at the church.

THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Ten purebred registered Holsteins are attracting considerable attention at the Donahue farm, a half-mile north of Cass City. Dr. H.T. Donahue and Orville Karr purchased the animals about 10 days ago.

"If Germany is knocked out this summer, the war will be over in a year," predicted Russell Barnes of Detroit, newspaper writer and radio commentator, in an address before the Cass City Community Club Monday evening.

J. Ivan Niergarth and Robert Keppen left Cass City Monday in a group of six from Tuscola county who are taking intensive training to qualify as air raid warden instructors.

John Reagh of Cass City is chairman of a county labor committee appointed to set up a system whereby persons will be registered through which farm labor may be secured when needed.

The Elkland township board Monday awarded the contract as sexton of Elkland cemetery to Charles F. Bigelow at a salary of \$75 a month. A dwelling house is furnished by the township.



AROUND THE FARM Farmland Act

By William Bortel

1. What does this Farmland Act do?

This act enables a landowner to enter into a farmland preservation program agreement with the state. This agreement is designed to insure that the land remains in farmland for an agreed upon period.

2. What is the period of time involved with Act 116?

The minimum time period for a preservation rights agreement is 10 years. However, you as a landowner have the right to sign up for a greater number of years, if you wish, when the questionnaire is returned following the submission of the application for the farmland agreement to the Office of Land Use. The questionnaire asks you for the number of years which you wish to enter into an agreement with the state of Michigan.

3. Number of agreements which you may submit.

There are advantages for a landowner to submit separate agreements for each different description of land on separate agreement forms. If you decide to sell one parcel away from the agreement and it is listed on a separate agreement form, you will only have to pay back the penalty on that separate agreement. Don't forget each agreement must have a minimum of 40 acres or qualify under special provisions with highly intensified farming under line 17 on the agreement form. This is a new ruling and if you have already submitted several parcels of land under one agreement and wish to change you may do so by writing the Office of Land Use in Lansing. However, this cannot be a benefit to you immediately since you are trying to sell one parcel but a long term benefit if you decide to sell the land several years in the future.

4. If the landowner re-signs with the program and elects to get out, what are the penalties?

If a landowner ever gets out of the program before the contract expires he must pay back the full amount of money which he has received plus a 6 per cent interest charge. This would mean if an

individual is in the program for 13 years, he would pay back any money which he had received during the first 13 years plus an interest charge of 6 per cent. However, if an individual will allow the contract to terminate, the only obligation is the last seven years with no interest charge. There would truly be an advantage to an individual to allow the contract to terminate prior to selling the land so there would not be the extra amount of money to pay back.

5. What lien is on the property when the agreement is terminated?

There is no lien against the property and the last seven years' money which you had received does not have to be paid back immediately. You may wish to wait and pay this back when you sell part or all of the property or change the farm to another use rather than agriculture. This would be interest-free until you repay the money to the state of Michigan.

6. What about a second lien with a creditor if the landowner should decide to mortgage the property?

There was a question in regard to a creditor using the land within the agreement as mortgage for another property. However, this has been clarified with the state of Michigan since the creditors would have the only lien against the property. The state of Michigan does not have a lien and they will only attach a statement to your property when the agreement is completed and this must be paid prior to the disposal of the property.

7. If the landowner dies what is the obligation to the beneficiaries?

The wife and/or children have two options. They may wish to stay in the program just as the landowner had or may wish to terminate the agreement and repay to the state 7/10 of the money which they had received from the state, interest free.

8. May the landowner have different time periods of the agreement with the state of Michigan on separate property descriptions?

The answer is yes if you submit separate farmland agreements and when you receive the questionnaire from the state you will list the time periods on each questionnaire. Therefore you could have one parcel with the state for 10 years, another parcel with the state for 20 years and another parcel with the state for 30 years.

9. If the land in the agreement has no oil or gas lease, may the landowner lease the land for mineral rights at a later date?

The answer is yes only if the landowner notifies the Office of Land Use in Lansing when this should happen.

10. May the landowner move or sell sand from the land which is in the agreement?

The answer is yes if it meets special conditions with the Office of Land Use. Let's use an example when the Office of Land Use will allow you special conditions. If you have a sand ridge and wish to move or sell sand to make it level with the rest of your land you may do this. Also if you wish to move sand and replace it with clay to make it more productive, this is another example. However you cannot remove sand lower than the level of the land and not replace it with clay since this is not a good agricultural use.

11. How many copies of the application does a landowner need?

A landowner needs three copies of the farmland agreement (green form) and one copy of the deed title or land contract and one copy of the most recent property tax assessment notice or tax bill. The County Planning Commission and the Soil Conservation Service only need a copy of the farmland agreement. The township clerk needs a copy of all three.

12. How long does a landowner have to make sure the application is filed for the 1977 taxes?

The local governing body (usually the township board) has 45 days to approve an application and the Office of Land Use has 60 days within which to approve or reject applications. Therefore we suggest you forward your applications to the township clerk no later than Sept. 1, if you plan to have a contract with the state by Jan. 1.

Mahaffey rites held April 6

Funeral services were held Wednesday, April 6, for Edward Mahaffey, 75, Decker, who died Saturday, April 1, at Dunedin, Fla., following a long illness.

He was born Nov. 17, 1901, in Marine, Ill., and was a retired Lamotte township farmer. He was the son of Joseph and Emily Mahaffey.

He married Lena Mae Knapp in Detroit, Feb. 14, 1944. She died in May, 1975. Survivors include two sons, James of Wayne City, Ill., and John, of Sidney, Ill.; two daughters, Mrs. William (Virginia) Gierman of Marlette and Mrs. Marjorie Orcutt of Hollywood, Fla.; four grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

The funeral was held at Marsh Funeral Chapel, Marlette, with Rev. Jerry Cramer of the Lamotte Missionary church officiating.

Burial was in Elkland cemetery.

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B. Vote for your favorite boy or girl by writing his or her name on the back of each gold cash register tape you receive at all participating stores.

C. The number of votes on each tape is determined by the total purchases shown on it. Your candidate will receive one vote for each 10¢ purchase. For example, a \$10 purchase shown on your gold cash register tape would be worth 100 votes for your favorite boy or girl. (Beer, wine or cigarettes are not included in eligible purchases.)

D. Votes (tapes and bonus vote forms) must be placed in the official ballot box in each store in order to be counted. Each store will post the number of winners it is sponsoring in the store.

E. Votes are not transferable between stores and all candidates must be registered by the end of the 4th contest week.

F. "Jet Journey" elections will start the week of April 11 and close Saturday, June 4, 1977. Election is not open to children or immediate relatives of the following: Participating wholesale headquarters and supply depot personnel; participating store owners and employees; nor personnel of any agency or supplier which services or sells to the above.

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100	132	8,158	4,079	2,040
20	325	3,314	1,657	828
5	1,491	722	361	181
2	4,616	233	117	58
1	36,160	30	15	7 1/2
TOTAL	42,730	25	13	6 1/2



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WANT ADS

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Kritzman called on Mr. and Mrs. Adams Harris of Port Huron Sunday.

Miss Lillian Dunlap of Caro, Mrs. James Bateman of Argyle and Mrs. Bruce Kritzman of rural Decker went Wednesday to meet Mrs. Bateman's daughter, Miss Evelyn Dunlap, who had flown here from San Diego, Calif. She is a niece of Lillian Dunlap and Mrs. Kritzman and is spending two weeks visiting relatives and friends in this area.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wheeler of Sandusky were Easter dinner guests of Miss Grace Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. John Franzel and son, Brian Lashbrook of Sandusky and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Phelps of Snover were Easter dinner guests of Mrs. George Krause. Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Kirkbright and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mezo of Sandusky.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Van-Norman were Easter dinner guests of their granddaughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. William Dennison and daughter Angela of Freeland. Mr. and Mrs. VanNorman also called on her sister, Mrs. Lucille Cole, and family of Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Voyle Dorman were Easter supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sawdon and family of Deford. They were joined for supper by Mr. and Mrs. Dean Smith and family.

Mrs. Nelin Richardson and Miss Marie Meredith were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Richardson and Brenda. They were joined for supper by Mr. and Mrs. Willis Brown of Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Czapl and family of Plymouth were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Dunlap Sr. They called on Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Hoagg and Andy of Northville spent the Easter week end with Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hoagg. They were joined for Easter dinner by Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hoag.

and family and Miss Sharon Wells of Cass City. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Behr and family of Saginaw were Easter callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith were Easter dinner guests of their granddaughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Franklin of Brown City.

Miss Bertha Snell was an Easter dinner guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. William Snell.

Larry Puterbaugh and Miss Denise Beutler spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Beutler and family of Grand Blanc.

Lillian Dunlap of Caro and Evelyn Dunlap of San Diego, Calif., were Saturday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Kritzman. They also visited John Dunlap Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. James Bateman of Argyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Smith and daughter Monica were Easter dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family.

The RLDS Women's Department will meet Thursday, April 21, with Mrs. George Krause. Worship will be by Mrs. Bob Sawdon. Roll call will be a plant exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Cherniawski and son Andy were Easter dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ryerson Puterbaugh.

Miss Sally Smith left Sunday morning with Campus Life for a trip to Florida.

The United Methodist church of Shabbona will have a family dinner Sunday, April 17, at the church. Mrs.

Thelma Pratt will show pictures of the Holy Land. Evergreen Guys and Gals 4-H meeting will be held Monday, April 18, at 7:30 p.m. at Evergreen School.

Microwave cooking school set

A "Microwave Cooking School" is planned Thursday, April 21, at 7:00 p.m. at the Caro High School. Microwave ovens can provide a whole new world of cooking. Two very important techniques to use are rotating or stirring and carry-over cooking. To evenly cook solid food such as a roast, halfway through cooking time rotate the dish one-fourth turn. Also, to evenly cook pieces of food such as green beans, stir halfway through the cooking time. This helps to distribute the heat, according to Extension Home Economist, Aliene Mills.

Some cooking will continue within the food after the energy has been turned off. This is carry-over cooking. Rest the food after the cooking time to allow for carry-over cooking.

April 21, Kathy Oberg, Regional Home Economist for the Panasonic Company, will share additional information about microwave ovens. Two dollar paid reservations are due April 18 to Microwave Cooking School, Continuing Education Office, Caro High School, Caro 48723.

The "Microwave Cooking School" is sponsored by Michigan State University's Cooperative Extension Service and Caro Community School's Continuing Education.

Rockefeller rites held Monday

Lee Rockefeller, 68, Owendale, died Friday, April 8, at Hills and Dales General Hospital in Cass City following a short illness.

He was born July 11, 1908, in Brookfield township, Huron county. He married Mrs. Lona Davidson Cliff, Dec. 11, 1933, in Grant township.

He owned and operated Rockefeller's Service near Owendale for over 40 years. Survivors include his widow; two sons, Donald of Cass City and Lawrence of Owendale; five daughters, Mrs. Norman (Ardis) Allen of St. Louis, Mich., Mrs. Verne (Earline) Powell, Mrs. David (Jacqueline) Diebel and Mrs. Carl (Sharon) Heiden, all of Elkton, and Mrs. Frederick (Betty) Powell of Cass City; 27 grandchildren, and 16 great-grandchildren. Two sisters and one brother preceded him in death.

Funeral services were held Monday at Little's Funeral Home with Rev. David Flynn of the Bad Axe Assembly of God officiating.

Burial was in Grant cemetery.

Lions to collect aluminum

Cass City Lions Club members will be collecting recyclable aluminum during April. Members will man a collection station April 16, 23 and 30 at the village parking lot at the corner of Seeger and Church Streets.

A club spokesman said this week area youth groups are urged to pick up aluminum cans along roadsides and turn them in. The club will pay 10 cents a pound for recyclable aluminum.

The collection station will be opened from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. all three Saturdays.

Ladies' Aid meets April 4

The Ladies Aid of Good Shepherd Lutheran church met for its monthly meeting April 4.

The vice-president, Marilyn Deering, opened the meeting with a prayer. Eleven members and six guests were present.

Helen Avery gave a report on LWML. She discussed various meetings coming up in the near future.

A reading on the last words of Christ was presented by several women.

The meeting was closed with the Lord's Prayer. Easter treats were served by Mrs. June Perlaki and Mrs. Lydia Seeley.



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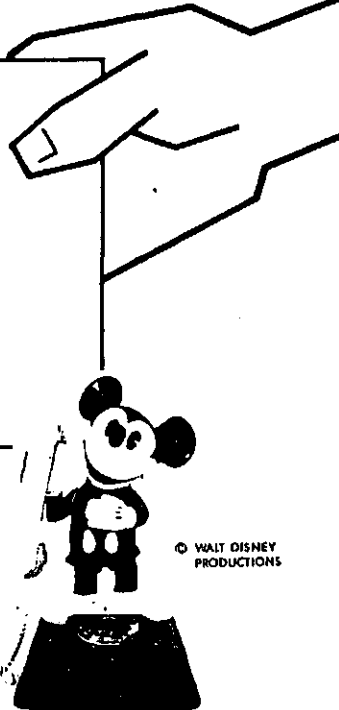


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Guernsey awarded scholarship

Craig Guernsey of Cass City received an award presented by the Agriculture and Natural Resources Student Senate at Michigan State University honoring members in the four-year program and the nine technical programs within the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources.

Guernsey, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Guernsey of 6331 Dale, received a \$500 Golf Course Superintendents Association of America Scholarship. The award is made to a senior majoring in turfgrass management.

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Protest ruts, flooding

Greenleaf residents still angry over Germania Road condition

Greenleaf township residents living along Germania Road were still angry this week over what they consider a lack of action by the Sanilac County Road Commission toward rebuilding their road.

They say most of the four-mile stretch of road between Bay City-Forestville and Cass City Roads has been torn up for nearly three years.

"We're tired of waiting. We're patient people out here if we can see progress," Lynn Spencer, a Germania Road resident says. "But we haven't seen any."

Spencer says road construction signs went up 2 1/2 years ago when the first quarter-mile was dug up. By the following spring, the remainder was ripped up and power and phone lines were relocated.

He and other residents along the road assumed the job would be completed that summer. It never happened. Spring is the worst time,

Spencer says. Over the past 12 months, the retired rural letter carrier maintains the road was impassable between 25 and 30 per cent of the time.

"If it rains, we can't get out," he says.

Other residents are also upset. "We aren't asking for a blacktopped road," Mrs. Judy Doerr, another Germania Road resident, says. "All we want is a good, passable road."

"We'll even wait for gravel," Jerry Cleland, who lives near Spencer, says.

The residents aim much of their wrath at Sanilac County Road Commission engineer-manager Fred Elwood. One derisive sign along a particularly bad stretch of the road labels it "Elwood Boulevard."

Another homemade sign tacked up next to a water hole just north of Cass City Road labels the pond "Germania River". It offers a ferry service across the four-inch

deep water for five cents.

The residents claim they can't get any satisfaction from the road commission when they call to complain.

"We get put on hold and forgotten about," Mrs. Spencer says. "Any time we try to call, we can't seem to get through."

The residents say they want the road improved soon. "We want it passable, but we want it our kind of passable, not Mr. Elwood's kind of passable," Mrs. Doerr says.

PAYMENT

The residents say the township paid the road commission \$15,000 three years ago for a finish grade on Germania Road. They say work moved slowly until a crew from Hunt Construction Co. of Cass City was put on the project.

"Things really began moving then," Spencer said. "We were hopeful we'd finally get

a road. But then in October, they pulled the crew off and that was the last we ever saw of them."

Some residents believe the county spent the Germania Road money elsewhere and didn't have the funds necessary to finish the road work.

Road commission officials acknowledge that the township has paid \$15,000 toward construction on Germania Road but added the figure represents only about half the total bill.

One official said work was slowed during the winter due to heavy snow which took trucks which might have been used to haul sand and pressed them into snow plowing.

Township residents vented their frustrations at a recent meeting with State Rep. Quincy Hoffman (R-Applegate). Hoffman listened but told them there wasn't much he could do since the problem was basically between the county and the township.

He agreed to talk with county officials to try to speed up construction. At press time, residents said they had heard nothing either from Hoffman or the road commission.

Mrs. Doerr says two residents along the road grade portions of it themselves because county equipment is seldom seen.

"We don't blame the workers," Jerry Cleland said. "We understand the predicament they're in. They can't come down here because they say the rocks in the road will ruin their grader blades."

The residents say when the road goes out, they're forced to leave their cars at the nearest corner and walk as much as a mile to their homes.

Mrs. Doerr says she's wor-

ried what might happen in case of a fire or a medical emergency. She said when a nearby barn burned a little over three years ago, the incident prompted residents to sign a petition for road repairs since fire trucks couldn't travel across a bridge along the road.

The residents say they don't blame road workers or their county commissioner, Lloyd Severance (R-Decker). They're mad at Elwood and say they want to meet with him to air their complaints.

"We don't want it blacktopped now," Mrs. Spencer says. "It would be a poor policy to do that now. We just want a good gravel road."

ELWOOD STATEMENT

Elwood said again Tuesday no one living along Germania Road has ever complained to him or anyone in his office over the condition of the road.

"If those people have a problem with the road, they should come in here and discuss it with us," he said. "I personally don't like to do business through the newspaper. But if that's the way they want to do business, fine."

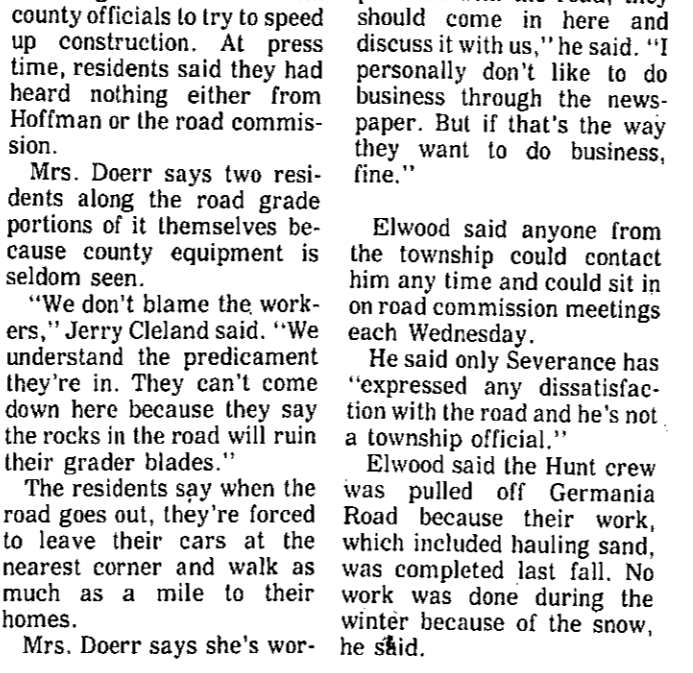
Elwood said anyone from the township could contact him any time and could sit in on road commission meetings each Wednesday.

He said only Severance has "expressed any dissatisfaction with the road and he's not a township official."

Elwood said the Hunt crew was pulled off Germania Road because their work, which included hauling sand, was completed last fall. No work was done during the winter because of the snow, he said.



THIS WATER hole and generally poor driving conditions for almost three years have angered Greenleaf township residents living along Germania Road, northeast of Cass City. One bitter resident erected this sign naming this stretch of road "Germania River". Sanilac County Road Commission officials say finish grade on the road is scheduled this summer.



LYNN SPENCER, Germania Road resident, looks over sand washed away from his driveway entrance into a drainage ditch. Spencer and other Greenleaf township citizens are upset over what they consider a lack of action to rebuild the road by the Sanilac County Road Commission.

Reserve District No. 7 State No. 680

CONSOLIDATION REPORT OF CONDITION of The Cass City State Bank

of Cass City, Tuscola, Michigan 48726 And Foreign and Domestic Subsidiaries, at the close of business March 31, 1977, a state banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

Dollar Amounts in Thousands		Mill.	Thou.
1. Cash and due from banks	762		1
2. U.S. Treasury securities	422		2
3. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	0		3
4. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	0		4
5. Other bonds, notes, and debentures	2,072		5
6. Federal Reserve stock and corporate stock	141		6
7. Trading account securities	0		7
8. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices	200		8
9. a. Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	5,935	XXX XXX XXX	9a
b. Less: Reserve for possible loan losses	68	XXX XXX XXX	b
c. Loans, net	5,867		c
10. Direct lease financing	0		10
11. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	0		11
12. Real estate owned other than bank premises	20		12
13. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	0		13
14. Customer's liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	0		14
15. Other assets	0		15
16. TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 15)	9,142		16
LIABILITIES			
17. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,713		17
18. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	6,224		18
19. Deposits of United States Government	31		19
20. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	302		20
21. Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions	0		21
22. Deposits of commercial banks	0		22
23. Certified and officers' checks	0		23
24. TOTAL DEPOSITS IN DOMESTIC OFFICES	8,270	XXX XXX XXX	24
a. Total demand deposits	1,713	XXX XXX XXX	a
b. Total time and savings deposits	6,557	XXX XXX XXX	b
TOTAL DEPOSITS IN FOREIGN OFFICES	0		
TOTAL DEPOSITS IN DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN OFFICES	8,270		
25. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices	0		25
26. Other liabilities for borrowed money	0		26
27. Mortgage indebtedness	0		27
28. Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	0		28
29. Other liabilities	0		29
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)	8,270		30
31. Subordinated notes and debentures	872		31
EQUITY CAPITAL			
32. Preferred stock a. No. shares outstanding	0		32
33. Common stock a. No. shares authorized	5,000	XXX XXX XXX	33a
b. No. shares outstanding	5,000	XXX XXX XXX	b
34. Surplus	700		34
35. Undivided profits	117		35
36. Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	0		36
37. TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 36)	1,827		37
38. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 30, 31, and 37)	9,142		38
MEMORANDA			
1. Average for 15 or 30 calendar days ending with call date:		XXX XXX XXX	1a
a. Cash and due from banks (corresponds to item 1 above)	766		a
b. Fed. funds sold & sec. purchased under agree. to resell (corresponds to item 8 above)	330		b
c. Total loans (corresponds to item 9a above)	5,935		c
d. Time deposits of \$100,000 or more in domestic offices (corr. to Mem. items 3a plus 3b below)	0		d
e. Total deposits (corresponds to item 24 above)	8,270		e
f. Fed. funds purchased & sec. sold under agree. to repurchase (corresponds to item 25 above)	0		f
g. Other liabilities for borrowed money (corresponds to item 26 above)	0		g
2. Standby letters of credit outstanding	0		2
3. Time deposits of \$100,000 or more in domestic offices:		XXX XXX XXX	3a
a. Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more	0		a
b. Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more	0		b
4. Deposit of the State of Michigan (included in item 20)	0		4

I, William S. Ruhl, Vice President of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. R. Handall
Signature of officer authorized to sign report

We, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

F. J. Auten
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L. J. Dickinson
Directors

State of Michigan County of Tuscola ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 12th day of April, 1977
William S. Ruhl
Notary Public
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Reserve District No. 7 State No. 671

CONSOLIDATION REPORT OF CONDITION of THE PINNEY STATE BANK

of Cass City, Tuscola County, Michigan 48726 And Foreign and Domestic Subsidiaries, at the close of business March 31, 1977, a state banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

Dollar Amounts in Thousands		Mill.	Thou.
1. Cash and due from banks	1,054		1
2. U.S. Treasury securities	1,885		2
3. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	0		3
4. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	1,542		4
5. Other bonds, notes, and debentures	0		5
6. Federal Reserve stock and corporate stock	30		6
7. Trading account securities	0		7
8. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices	0		8
9. a. Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	7,972	XXX XXX XXX	9a
b. Less: Reserve for possible loan losses	61	XXX XXX XXX	b
c. Loans, net	7,911		c
10. Direct lease financing	0		10
11. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	60		11
12. Real estate owned other than bank premises	0		12
13. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	0		13
14. Customer's liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	0		14
15. Other assets	0		15
16. TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 15)	12,182		16
LIABILITIES			
17. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,304		17
18. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	8,100		18
19. Deposits of United States Government	35		19
20. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	321		20
21. Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions	0		21
22. Deposits of commercial banks	0		22
23. Certified and officers' checks	0		23
24. TOTAL DEPOSITS IN DOMESTIC OFFICES	11,760	XXX XXX XXX	24
a. Total demand deposits	2,460	XXX XXX XXX	a
b. Total time and savings deposits	9,300	XXX XXX XXX	b
TOTAL DEPOSITS IN FOREIGN OFFICES	0		
TOTAL DEPOSITS IN DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN OFFICES	11,760		
25. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices	0		25
26. Other liabilities for borrowed money	0		26
27. Mortgage indebtedness	0		27
28. Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	0		28
29. Other liabilities	0		29
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)	11,760		30
31. Subordinated notes and debentures	422		31
EQUITY CAPITAL			
32. Preferred stock a. No. shares outstanding	0		32
33. Common stock a. No. shares authorized	20,000	XXX XXX XXX	33a
b. No. shares outstanding	20,000	XXX XXX XXX	b
34. Surplus	500		34
35. Undivided profits	221		35
36. Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	36		36
37. TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 36)	1,237		37
38. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 30, 31, and 37)	12,182		38
MEMORANDA			
1. Average for 15 or 30 calendar days ending with call date:		XXX XXX XXX	1a
a. Cash and due from banks (corresponds to item 1 above)	1,054		a
b. Fed. funds sold & sec. purchased under agree. to resell (corresponds to item 8 above)	0		b
c. Total loans (corresponds to item 9a above)	7,972		c
d. Time deposits of \$100,000 or more in domestic offices (corr. to Mem. items 3a plus 3b below)	0		d
e. Total deposits (corresponds to item 24 above)	11,760		e
f. Fed. funds purchased & sec. sold under agree. to repurchase (corresponds to item 25 above)	0		f
g. Other liabilities for borrowed money (corresponds to item 26 above)	0		g
2. Standby letters of credit outstanding	0		2
3. Time deposits of \$100,000 or more in domestic offices:		XXX XXX XXX	3a
a. Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more	0		a
b. Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more	0		b
4. Deposit of the State of Michigan (included in item 20)	0		4

I, William S. Ruhl, Vice President of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

William S. Ruhl
Signature of officer authorized to sign report

We, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

Levis C. Pinney
Thomas H. Jackson
Robert E. Keating
Directors

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of Cass City, Tuscola County, Michigan 48726 And Foreign and Domestic Subsidiaries, at the close of business March 31, 1977, a state banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

Dollar Amounts in Thousands		Mill.	Thou.
1. Cash and due from banks	1,054		1
2. U.S. Treasury securities	1,885		2
3. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	0		3
4. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	1,542		4
5. Other bonds, notes, and debentures	0		5
6. Federal Reserve stock and corporate stock	30		6
7. Trading account securities	0		7
8. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices	0		8
9. a. Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	7,972	XXX XXX XXX	9a
b. Less: Reserve for possible loan losses	61	XXX XXX XXX	b
c. Loans, net	7,911		c
10. Direct lease financing	0		10
11. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	60		11
12. Real estate owned other than bank premises	0		12
13. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	0		13
14. Customer's liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	0		14
15. Other assets	0		15
16. TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 15)	12,182		16
LIABILITIES			
17. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,304		17
18. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	8,100		18
19. Deposits of United States Government	35		19
20. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	321		20
21. Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions	0		21
22. Deposits of commercial banks	0		22
23. Certified and officers' checks	0		23
24. TOTAL DEPOSITS IN DOMESTIC OFFICES	11,760	XXX XXX XXX	24
a. Total demand deposits	2,460	XXX XXX XXX	a
b. Total time and savings deposits	9,300	XXX XXX XXX	b
TOTAL DEPOSITS IN FOREIGN OFFICES	0		
TOTAL DEPOSITS IN DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN OFFICES	11,760		
25. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices	0		25
26. Other liabilities for borrowed money	0		26
27. Mortgage indebtedness	0		27
28. Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	0		28
29. Other liabilities	0		29
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)	11,760		30
31. Subordinated notes and debentures	422		31
EQUITY CAPITAL			
32. Preferred stock a. No. shares outstanding	0		32
33. Common stock a. No. shares authorized	20,000	XXX XXX XXX	33a
b. No. shares outstanding	20,000	XXX XXX XXX	b
34. Surplus	500		34
35. Undivided profits	221		35
36. Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	36		36
37. TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 36)	1,237		37
38. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 30, 31, and 37)	12,182		38
MEMORANDA			
1. Average for 15 or 30 calendar days ending with call date:		XXX XXX XXX	1a
a. Cash and due from banks (corresponds to item 1 above)	1,054		a
b. Fed. funds sold & sec. purchased under agree. to resell (corresponds to item 8 above)	0		b
c. Total loans (corresponds to item 9a above)	7,972		c
d. Time deposits of \$100,000 or more in domestic offices (corr. to Mem. items 3a plus 3b below)	0		d
e. Total deposits (corresponds to item 24 above)	11,760		e
f. Fed. funds purchased & sec. sold under agree. to repurchase (corresponds to item 25 above)	0		f
g. Other liabilities for borrowed money (corresponds to item 26 above)	0		g
2. Standby letters of credit outstanding	0		2
3. Time deposits of \$100,000 or more in domestic offices:		XXX XXX XXX	3a
a. Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more	0		a
b. Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more	0		b
4. Deposit of the State of Michigan (included in item 20)	0		4

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Grass fires plague area

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A Department of Natural Resources bulldozer was called in to help battle the fire which raced through tall, dry grass and scrub timber. Firemen responded to the alarm at 4:00 p.m.

Campus Life sets auditions

Campus Life will form two music groups of high school students next year. Auditions will be held May 11-13 and the new group will be announced May 15. Rehearsals will begin at the end of August.

According to Connie Clendenan of Campus Life, the large number of requests to sing prompted forming two groups instead of having just one.

For more information, contact Mrs. Clendenan at Campus Life, 3041 Main St., Marlette 48453.

firemen responded to another grass fire, this one on Jacob Road near M-81, west of Cass City. Jezewski said Mike Satchell, Caro area farmer, was working land near where the blaze broke out and had it under control by the time firemen arrived at the scene.

In yet another grass fire Tuesday, firemen were called to the Ron Peters home on M-53, 6 miles southeast of Cass City, when sparks from a trash burner blackened about a quarter-acre. The fire was nearly out by the time firemen arrived at the scene at 2:45 p.m.

A Monday afternoon fire scorched a half acre at the intersection of Cass City Road and M-81, five miles west of Cass City.

Jezewski said the property is owned by B.A. Calka of Cass City. While no cause was established, a lighted cigarette discarded from a passing vehicle is suspected.

Firemen responded to the call at 4:40 p.m.

Jezewski stressed that until rain falls, no burning permits are being issued. He urged everyone to be extremely careful with fire and to limit trash burning.



THIS GRASS fire probably started from a discarded cigarette and burned about half an acre of land owned by B.A. Calka and located at the intersection of M-81 and Cass City Roads, west of Cass City.

Legion Auxiliary meets

Seventeen members attended the monthly meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary held Monday evening.

Mrs. Eva Bair reported an assortment of seven handkerchiefs and scarves had been sent to the VA Hospital in Saginaw for the Mother's Day project.

The Seventh District Association president will be making an official visit to the local Unit May 9. Cards were signed to be sent to two ill members.

Games and refreshments were enjoyed at the close of the business meeting. The door prize went to Eva Watson.

Do your fair share — some folks wear themselves out just shirking their responsibilities.

Fritz named to hospital post

Michael H. Fritz of Beverly Hills, formerly of Cass City, associate administrator of the Harper Division of Harper-Grace Hospitals, has been promoted to senior associate administrator.

He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Edwin Fritz of Cass City.

Fritz completed his administrative residency at Harper in 1963 and was appointed administrative assistant in 1964, assistant administrator in 1965 and associate administrator in 1972.

A native of Cass City, he received his bachelor of arts degree in economics and biology from Albion College and his masters degree in hospital administration at the University of Michigan Graduate School of Business.

Fritz was planning and construction coordinator for the \$80 million plus Webber Memorial Building at the hospital which was dedicated in

1974 and has had considerable administrative responsibilities within the hospital.

He serves as chairman of the committee on affiliated organizations for the Michigan Hospital Association; on the shared services and community relations committee for the Greater Detroit Area Hospital Council; and as a trustee of the Detroit Medical Center Shared Services Cooperative, Inc. He is also a member of the American College of Hospital Administrators.

Fritz, his wife Margaret, and their two daughters live in Beverly Hills, Mich.

He is active in the Detroit Rotary Club, a member of the administrative board of the Metropolitan Methodist church and a member of the board on connective outreach for the Detroit Conference of United Methodist church.



MICHAEL H. FRITZ



DRIVE 55 CAMPAIGN—"Drive 55 and Bring 'Em Back Alive!" bumper stickers are being distributed by Automobile Club of Michigan to support the campaign to end "point-free" speeding violations that encourage drivers to break the law. "The 55 mile-per-hour speed limit is the most productive traffic safety step taken in modern times and should be enforced," said Auto Club General Manager James G. Moffat. One of Auto Club's "Drive 55" bright yellow bumper stickers is displayed here by Sgt. William J. Carlson of the Detroit Plaza State Police Post. Larger bumper stickers bearing the Kiwanis seal are being distributed by the Kiwanis Clubs of Michigan as a joint project with Auto Club.

Deford woman faces sentencing

Marcia Marie Hubbard, 26, Deford, entered a plea of nolo contendere at her arraignment on a prescription forgery charge Monday in Tuscola County Circuit Court before presiding Judge Martin Clements.

Ms. Hubbard was charged after she allegedly attempted to obtain the drug pethidine with a forged prescription at Old Wood Drug in Cass City Feb. 8.

Sentencing was set for May 9, and bond was set at \$7,500. She was arrested by Cass City Police and members of the Thumb Intelligence Group.

In other court action Monday, Mitchell L. McCreedy, Gagetown, stood mute at his arraignment on two counts of delivery of LSD. An innocent plea was entered in his behalf and pre-trial examination was set for May 9.

Bonds totaling \$5,000 were continued.

He was arrested in connection with an incident dating to Nov. 26.

Two Huron county men and a Caro resident face sentencing May 9 after entering guilty pleas to attempted UDAA (unlawfully driving away an auto of another).

Jerry McDonald, 27, Caseville, Trent Leon Lincoln, 17, Caseville and Martin Anthony Perlaki, 24, Caro, were charged in connection with the theft of a 1969 automobile from the Burton-Moore Ford used car lot March 7.

Michael James Bushbacher, 17, Caro, was sentenced to pay fines, costs and serve time in jail after pleading guilty to a breaking and entering charge.

Bushbacher was ordered to pay fines and costs totaling \$300 and serve 180 days in the county jail with credit for 19 days already served.

He was arrested June 11, 1976, in Caro.

Sherryl Gae Partridge, 31, Caro, was sentenced to pay fines and costs totaling \$150 after pleading guilty to a bad check charge. She was also given credit for three days served in jail.

She was arrested after allegedly attempting to pass a check for \$76 in a Caro store in December, 1975.

Urge new measles shots

Children who received measles vaccination at 12 months of age, or less, and children who received measles vaccine administered with ISG (Immune Serum Globulin) or MIG (measles Serum Globulin) should be revaccinated with live measles vaccine at 15 months of age or older to assure full protection.

Presently there are no recommendations for revaccination of children who were between 13 and 14 months of age when they received measles vaccine. If parents are not sure when their child received the vaccine they should call their doctor or the health department. A single dose of vaccine is normally needed and boosters are not required.

Measles is often a severe disease, frequently complicated by middle ear infection and broncho-pneumonia. Encephalitis, which occurs with approximately 1 out of every 1,000 reported cases of measles, often causes permanent brain damage and mental retardation. Death, predominantly from respiratory and neurologic causes is associated with measles in 1 out of every 1,000 reported cases.

With the highly effective, safe vaccines now available, measles should be completely controlled in the U.S.

All susceptible children, those who have not had natural measles or measles vaccine, should be vaccinated. It is particularly important to vaccinate them at about 15 months of age, before they encounter other susceptible children in day-care centers, nursery schools, kindergarten or elementary schools. Unvaccinated preschool and elementary school children are often responsible for transmitting measles to other children in the community.

Immunization clinics are held weekly at the Thumb District Health Department on Thursdays from 9:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. and from 1:00 p.m.-3:30 p.m. Appointments are preferred. Immunizations for diphtheria, whooping cough, tetanus, polio, mumps and rubella are also available.

Top DHIA herds

	No. of Cows	Per cent cow days in Milk	Test	Lbs. Milk	Daily B'Fat
1. Clare L. Smith	65	98	3.93	52.8	2.08
2. Schiefer Farms	63	86	4.14	49.4	2.05
3. Lloyd Walz	46	93	3.70	52.2	1.93
4. Loomis Bros.	60	92	4.01	47.8	1.92
5. Victor III	28	82	3.85	48.2	1.86
6. Ronald Opperman	122	89	3.78	47.7	1.80
7. Leon Keinath	98	93	4.14	42.8	1.78
8. Hampshire Farms	82	83	3.86	45.4	1.76
9. Keinath Bros.	86	88	3.75	45.9	1.72
10. Blaylock & Rupprecht	36	86	4.04	42.6	1.72

DHIA ROLLING HERD AVERAGES (Above 500 lbs. B.F.)

1. Clare L. Smith	62	89	4.01	17267	693
2. Victor III	35	90	3.84	17842	686
3. Keinath Bros.	90	90	4.10	16673	684
4. Hampshire Farms	69	89	4.40	15203	668
5. Sergeant Bros.	58	90	4.10	16161	663
6. Ronald Opperman	112	88	4.06	16322	662
7. Lloyd Walz	42	91	3.66	18052	660
8. Schiefer Farms	58	87	3.73	17588	655
9. Loomis Bros.	65	91	4.13	15498	640
10. Leon Keinath	93	87	4.36	14570	636
11. George McMullen	44	88	3.98	15525	618
12. Blaylock & Rupprecht	38	86	3.73	16196	604
13. Grover Laurie	101	91	3.96	14476	573
14. Shirley Doerr	67	91	3.64	15701	571
15. Martin Damm	42	84	3.67	15340	563
16. Graham Bros.	128	89	4.07	13564	553
17. Donald DeLong	158	87	3.58	14843	532

OWNER-SAMPLER ROLLING HERD AVERAGES (Above 500 lbs. B.F.)

1. Richard Wiacek	62	91	3.82	15703	600
2. Satchell Farms	225	90	3.50	16408	574
3. E & K Reinert	81	86	3.71	15364	569
4. Ronald Elenbaum	56	87	3.71	15201	564
5. Donald Curry	49	87	3.72	15063	560
6. Henry Gruber	40	85	4.06	12320	500

TOP 10 OWNER-SAMPLER HERDS FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY

1. Donald Curry	50	82	4.22	41.7	1.76
2. Richard Wiacek	66	88	3.82	44.0	1.68
3. Henry Gruber	33	94	4.15	37.2	1.55
4. Satchell Farms	217	89	3.23	47.3	1.53
5. E & K Reinert	78	83	4.09	36.0	1.47
6. Ronald Elenbaum	52	81	4.14	35.3	1.46
7. Douglas Link	12	83	3.83	36.9	1.42
8. Judith McClure	37	73	4.13	33.3	1.38
9. Harl Lounsbury	52	94	3.36	39.4	1.33
10. Frank Shaver	91	89	3.83	33.8	1.30

Miss Locke is running

Joyce Locke, Cass City, student at Ferris State College, has been selected as a candidate in the April 14 election to fill posts for the college's Associated Student Government.

Miss Locke is a senate candidate from the School of General Education.

Each April, a campus-wide election is held to elect officers. The purpose of ASG is to make recommendations concerning administrative policy, campus procedures and student activities to the president of the college or other appropriate officials.

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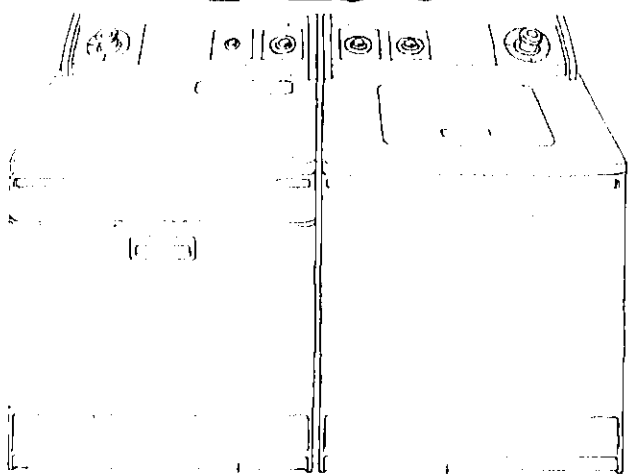
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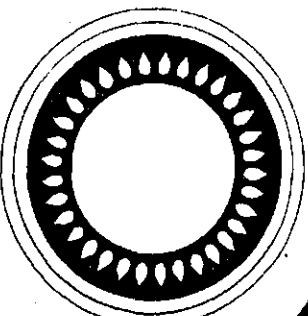
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Fulcher eyes future as recording artist

By Jim Ketchum

What started out as a dare may turn into a career in music for 25-year-old Tom Fulcher of Cass City—at least if luck and his wife's birthday have anything to do with it. Already sporting a reputation as an accomplished guitarist and song-writer, Fulcher stands at the threshold of still another part of the music business—singing. Last week end, he and his wife Brenda, a teacher at Cass City High School, travelled to Cincinnati, Ohio, to work out final arrangements for cutting a 45 rpm record featuring at least one of two original songs.

Where the record will lead is anybody's guess at this point, Fulcher said during a break from a practice session in the basement of his Koepfgen Road home. "Actually, this all started on my wife's birthday (Jan. 26)," Fulcher said leaning back on a couch, hands clasped behind his head. "I'd read a clip in the Saginaw paper saying that a studio was screening new talent," he said. "It's always been a dream of mine to record and so we auditioned at the Flint Sheraton Motor Inn with the American Mutual Recording Complex, Inc."

From there, an appointment was set up with the firm in Chicago and by March 24,

he had signed a recording contract. Fulcher said another reason for the audition came partly through a dare with a friend who thought he had talent. With all this going, he had to try, he said.

Fulcher, a native of Pontiac, moved to Cass City in 1967 with his parents. He served a hitch in the Air Force and works for Cass City Schools.

"I've sung all my life," he said. "Ever since the second grade when I had a small guitar I've been singing."

"It's something I've always wanted to do. I want to be able to say if it goes, it goes and if not, at least I did try."

The details were scheduled to be spelled out last week end in Cincinnati. Basically, the

company has agreed to produce one 45 rpm record featuring two songs and arrange for air time in selected markets throughout the country.

Fulcher said the company isn't doing it entirely out of

the goodness of their heart. The deal includes a share of Fulcher's money as well as American Mutual's. But it's a risk both are willing to take.

While declining to say exactly how much, he said it's definitely an expensive prop-

osition. Once the record makes it to radio, listener response will determine whether or not there will be more records. If it is a success, it could lead to more records or other phases of the business.

"There are many roads to choose," he said. "There's writing, composing or arranging, for instance. At this point, I'm really not sure where it will lead."

Fulcher candidly admitted the fact that he's signed a recording contract doesn't guarantee anything.

"Basically what this will do is attempt to open doors to other things if it's a success," he said.

SONG

The song he hopes to make a success is called "Little Boy". It's a song whose words were written by his brother-in-law, Ron Wing. The tune is his own, picked out on a guitar played into a home stereo recording cassette. Fulcher cannot read or write music.

"That makes it a little difficult," he said. "I have to record everything I compose or I'll forget it."

The song's basic theme winds around the happy memories of childhood expressed by a man who discovers the difference between dreams and not-so-pleasant reality.

The beat and arrangement are reminiscent of John Denver, and it is performed in a folk style.

Fulcher says Denver is probably his favorite performer and he enjoys light country and folk music.

"Actually, I like all types of music," he said. "You find other kinds of songs will

influence you as you compose."

Fulcher says he's not as nervous about his upcoming recording session as he is excited. He said the session in Cincinnati would probably establish a date to cut the record as well as iron out details of the contract.

Still, he's trying to keep it all in perspective. "One thing about it, you shouldn't get discouraged," he said. "The singer Melanie started out this way and her test record bombed. Yet she came back and became successful."

"That's probably one piece of advice I'd give to anyone thinking about a career in the music business. Don't get discouraged. What one person thinks isn't that great, someone else will pick up and say it has great commercial value."

What happens if he does make it big? He hasn't thought much about it, other than to say he'd probably continue to live in this area. "There are a lot of sacrifices that have to be made," he said. "Primarily the traveling. I don't enjoy being away from my family. I don't want to take away anything from anyone I love."

That includes his wife and three-year-old daughter.

Meanwhile, he plans to continue his night job at the school, do some rehearsing and wait for the big day when he'll step behind a microphone in a recording studio and make his dream of cutting a record come true.



TOM FULCHER, Cass City, practices the song he plans to record in the near future. The 45 rpm record is scheduled to find its way to selected radio stations to help judge whether or not both he and the song have a future in the music business.

Cass City slot opens

Dissidents file for school board posts at Owen-Gage

In what was considered a surprise move by many observers, two dissident members of the Owen-Gage School District have filed petitions as candidates for the school board in the June 13 election.

Petitions for James R. Belk of Hartsell Rd., Cass City, and Dr. Dalton P. Coe of 4670 Rescue Rd., Owendale, were returned and certified this week.

Both Belk and Coe are seeking transfer out of the district. In fact, Belk's property was placed in the Cass City district until an Ingham County Circuit Court order blocked the State Board of Education's action last July. Both have been outspoken critics of the school's \$1.675 million bond issue and campaigned against it in 1975.

The pair is challenging incumbents Leona LaFave of

2686 E. Bay City-Forestville Rd., Gagelown, and Joseph N. Warack of 3805 S. Risky Rd., Sebewang.

Warack is completing a two-year term while Mrs. LaFave is seeking election to a term in her own right after being appointed to the board to replace Eldon Dietzel who resigned.

CASS CITY CANDIDATES

There will be at least one new face on the Cass City School Board after the June 13 election this year.

Four petitions were filed with the board secretary by Monday's deadline for the two vacant posts.

The candidates are Thresa Burnette, Dean Hoag, Tom Herron and Albert Curtis.

Hoag is an incumbent seeking re-election. The others have not served on the board. Incumbent Lynn Albee is retiring from the board.

File \$750,000 negligence suit

The widow of a 34-year-old Ohio man has filed a \$750,000 auto negligence suit in Tuscola County Circuit Court in connection with the August, 1976, traffic accident that took three lives.

Mrs. Georgianna Anderson filed the suit against List Farms of Vassar and specifically names Christine Ann List, driver of the truck involved in the crash, and Danny J. and Thomas List.

The suit claims Mrs. List failed to yield at the intersection of Barnes and Belsay Road, causing the accident.

Mrs. Anderson's husband died Nov. 9, after suffering a head injury and multiple contusions, fractures and abrasions. The suit also says Anderson suffered from anemia brought on by numerous blood transfusions.

Mrs. List's sister-in-law, Lynn Marie and her daughter, Shelli Lynn, were also killed in the accident.

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Gen-Tel offers dual listings

General Telephone will begin offering dual directory listings—two first names with the same surname—beginning Monday, May 2, according to Bob Wellman, vice-president-operations for the company. Applications for the service will not be accepted before that date.

There will be no charge for the dual listing itself. A standard one-time charge of \$5 for required changes in company records will apply for present customers who request a directory listing change. However, that charge will be waived for a 60-day period beginning May 2.

Under the company's dual listing plan, the first names of two persons with the same surname at the same address can be listed in the directory white pages in alphabetical order for either first name. (Example: Smith, John & Mary or Smith, Mary & John.)

A second alphabetical listing for the other first name is also available for a small monthly charge. When ordered at the same time as the dual listing, during the 60-day waiver period, the one-time records change charge for adding a second listing will be waived as well.

AUCTION Sale

Due to the death of my husband, I will sell the following items at public auction located 3 miles south of Cass City at 2918 Cemetery Road on

Saturday, April 16

at 12:30

- Dodge 1976 Custom 100 1/2 Ton Pickup** - 6 cyl., with 11,000 miles - Like new
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- Ford Jubilee Tractor** - with new rubber, new paint - Sharp
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- Power saw
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- Creepers
- Extension ladders
- 2 Moncrief furnaces - 1 new
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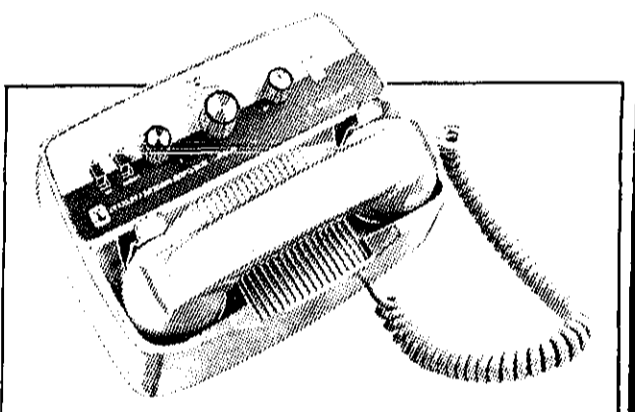
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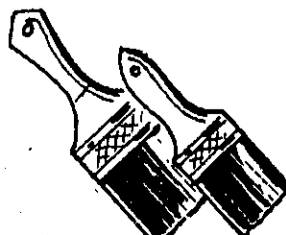
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Injuries soar in rash of traffic accidents

Gail Ann Miracle, 21, of 6458 Garfield St., Cass City, was released this week from Bay City Mercy Hospital after suffering injuries in a single-car accident early Friday morning on Bay City-Forestville Road, a mile east of Unionville.

County Sheriff's deputies, Miss Miracle was eastbound when her auto ran off the north side of the road and struck a ditch bank.

A passenger, Linda Kay Ziembra, 19, of Mushroom Road, Decker, was shaken up. The accident took place at 2:30 a.m.

The accident was one of several reported in the area during the past week.

Three drivers were injured, one seriously, in a two-vehicle crash Monday afternoon at the intersection of Canboro and Caseville Roads in Huron County.

Huron County Sheriff's officers said a truck driven by Conrad Kincaid, 23, of Atwater Rd., Ubyly, was eastbound on Canboro Road when the accident took place.

They said Kincaid apparently did not see a stop sign and struck a southbound vehicle driven by Arnold Kundinger of Rescue Rd., Sebawaing.

Officers said Kincaid's vehicle continued into a deep ditch along Canboro Road.

Kundinger was taken to Scheurer Hospital with his injuries. Kincaid and his passenger, Donald Grace, 23, Ubyly, sought their own treatment.

The accident took place at 12:19 p.m.

Wade Caverly of Rossman Rd., Kingston, was treated for injuries suffered in a single-car accident Thursday night on Byington Road, seven miles west of Kingston.

Sheriff's deputies reported Caverly was a passenger in a car driven by Allen Everett Lester, 16, of Ross St., Kingston. He escaped injury as did two other passengers, Gary Spencer and Fred Kelley, both of Kingston.

Officers said Lester was northbound and swerved to avoid a deer, lost control of his car and slid into a ditch on the west side of the road.

The accident took place at 10:45 p.m.

Three area persons were shaken up Friday afternoon in a three-car accident on Deckerville Road, a half-mile east of Deford.

Caro State Police reported a car driven by Myrna Marlene Grace, 34, of 5088 Kelly Rd., Cass City, attempted a turn into a private driveway when she was struck from behind by a car driven by Leland Wayne Kilbourn, 25, of Reed St., Deford.

The Kilbourn vehicle was then struck from behind by a car driven by Norma E. Donovan, 54, of 5784 Decker-

ville Rd., Deford. She was treated for minor injuries at Hills and Dales General Hospital. The accident took place at 9:50 p.m.

Police cited both Kilbourn and Ms. Donovan for failure to stop.

The accident took place at 5:50 p.m.

Cecil Barriger, 67, of 3289 E. Cass City Rd., was treated for injuries he suffered Saturday when his auto struck a parked vehicle on Main Street near Weaver.

Cass City Police said Barriger was westbound when he apparently took his eyes off the road to pick up an object on the floor. He lost control of his auto which struck a parked car owned by Lorenz Bauer of 4578 Hill St., Cass City.

Barriger was treated at Hills and Dales General Hospital. The accident took place at 9:50 p.m.

Scott Atkins, 17, Cass City, was shaken up Sunday in a single-car accident on Shabbona Road, five miles north-west of Deford.

Sheriff's deputies said Atkins was a passenger in a car driven by Ronald Dean Langmaid, 16, of Van Dyke Rd., Cass City. Langmaid and another passenger, Michael Scott Langmaid, 16, Pontiac, were uninjured.

Officers said Langmaid was eastbound when he lost control of his auto, ran off the road and struck a stump on the south side. No ticket was issued.

The accident took place at 6:30 p.m.



NANCY LEBLANC (left) chairman of the Michigan Heart Information Center for the Thumb, accepts a check for \$852 raised by Cass City Girl Scouts during a Rock-A-Thon held in February at Provincial House. Shown presenting the check are Michelle Smith (center) and Dorie Tyo.

April brings tornado season

April in Michigan means more than Easter and the return of spring. April generally ushers in another tornado season.

Tornadoes are one of the most powerful types of storms, packing winds sometimes as high as 200 miles an hour. They kill at random, strike suddenly often with little warning.

That's one reason the Elkland Township Fire Department wants Cass City residents to know storm warning signals and what to do.

According to Fire Chief Jim

Jejewski, a steady, two-minute blast means a funnel cloud has been sighted somewhere in the area and that persons should either take cover immediately or be prepared to move to some kind of shelter quickly.

The all-clear is signaled by three one-minute blasts with pauses in between, he said.

When a tornado threatens, the fire department follows a strict set of procedures.

"When a tornado watch is posted, one of us goes to the fire hall and calls a list of places in town," he said, including the hospital, schools, Provincial House and large manufacturers.

The siren won't be sounded until a funnel cloud has been sighted somewhere. There is no limit set on how many miles away the twister is from Cass City, he said.

When the U.S. Weather Service issues a tornado warning bulletin, the same list of companies, schools and the hospital is called again, this time advising occupants to take cover.

Elkland firemen then call the Kingston Fire Department so they, in turn can warn village residents.

The department is in continuous contact with the Sheriff's department in Caro which monitors the Flint Weather Bureau station.

A fire truck is also sent to the hill at the north edge of Cass City and serves as a mobile monitoring station.

Jejewski says the biggest problem is that village residents either don't know what the signals mean or don't heed them.

"We give out the warnings because we're required to," he said. "What a person does after that is his business."

Kamalesan to speak Sunday

Pastor Dale Sherry, of the Deford Community church, is pleased to announce that Dr. Sam Kamalesan, of World Vision International, will be speaking Sunday morning, April 17, at the 10:00 a.m. worship service and also in the evening service at 7:00 p.m. Monday and Tuesday evenings, April 18 and 19, his missionary addresses can be heard at 7:30 p.m.



Dr. Kamalesan is a frequent speaker at Bible conferences and missions seminars. He has been heard weekly over radio Ceylon since 1971. In his present assignment, he directs the worldwide Pastor's Conference Ministry of World Vision. In this regard, area pastors are invited to a pastor's seminar to be held in the Black Forest Restaurant, Frankenmuth, the mornings of Monday and Tuesday, April 18 and 19, beginning at 8:30 a.m.

There is no cost involved and the continental breakfast will be provided by Thumb-Delta Youth for Christ. Adv.

HERDS FOUND MOSTLY CLEAN

Quarantines on milk sales from six Michigan dairy herds have been lifted after federal tests showed no toxic dioxins in the milk. But agriculture officials had to go back and re-quarantine one of the herds Friday (March 25) after tests done by Dow Chemical Co. revealed trace amounts of the dioxins.

Altogether eight herds had been quarantined. Dioxins have so far been found only in the tissues of one herd, but milk samples could not be taken from that dry herd.

Tests of milk from the other seven herds at first revealed no dioxins in six, while tests on a seventh remained inconclusive, agriculture officials said. Later, tests results from Dow showed 25 parts per trillion dioxins in the milk from William Susko's farm in Standish, and his milk sales again were banned.

Although the other farmers were allowed to resume selling milk, it's still not clear what the health situation is with many other Michigan herds that are exposed to a common wood preservative, pentachlorophenol.

Agriculture officials are guessing that cows lick and breathe the wood preservative, some of which may contain the highly toxic dioxins. The problem could be national in scope, they say.

RULES TOO TOUGH? Some lawmakers are upset that a state board has been too strict about enforcing a recent law to make all buildings accessible to the handicapped.

So the lawmakers, members of the Senate Business Committee, have vowed to scrutinize every appointment Gov. William Milliken makes, to the Barrier-Free Design Board and others.

The legislators have gotten complaints from constituent businessmen who said that the board required them to: provide an elevator to handball courts, provide an elevator or other means for handicapped persons to use a pedestrian overpass and provide a ramp to a stage at a Grand Rapids topless go-go joint.

Michigan Mirror

New smoking law hard on violators, non-enforcers

New laws that took effect Thursday (March 31) will restrict smokers to certain sections of restaurants, grocery stores and nursing homes in an effort to keep harmful fumes from non-smokers.

The laws, approved last year, ban smoking in food areas of grocery stores, in nursing home rooms and in certain non-smoking sections required to be set up in restaurants.

The three new laws bring to

11 the total number of Michigan statutes aimed at limiting smoking. Most, however, have not had the impact that the three new laws will have on smokers' habits. An old law that bans smoking in elevators for example, is routinely ignored and violators are rarely, if ever, caught or fined, officials say.

SEAFARER UP IN THE AIR

It's not at all clear whether Gov. William Milliken's veto of Project Seafarer did any good at all.

The White House says it won't take any position on the matter until U.S. Secretary of Defense, Harold Brown, makes a recommendation.

But Michigan officials are counting on Carter to nix the Seafarer project in Michigan. They recall a statement of his on Oct. 25, while campaigning for the presidency: "If I am elected, Project Seafarer will not be built in the Upper Peninsula against the wishes of the citizens."

U.P. residents have stated vociferous opposition in general to the project, which would install a massive underground grid to be used to communicate with submerged submarines.

"The President . . . said during his campaign that he would never lie to the people of Michigan and America. We're taking him at his word," said George Weeks, Milliken's top aide. "We don't believe he would go back on his word."

But already various officials are saying that Michigan should prepare its arguments now for the time when it may end up in court over the Seafarer issue.

VILLAGE OF GAGETOWN

BUDGET

April 1, 1977 thru March 31, 1978

At the public meeting for the village of Gagetown regarding the budget hearing held Thursday, April 7.

There being no opposition to the budget, the Gagetown Village Council voted to adopt the budget as follows:

TOTAL GENERAL FUND

Revenues.....\$60,985.00
Expenditures.....58,525.00

MAJOR STREET FUND

Revenues.....\$16,000.00
Expenditures.....15,025.00

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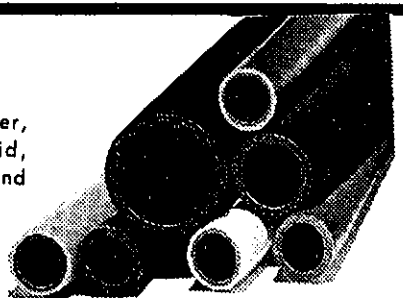
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Woman's Study Club set to end 68 year history

A piece of Cass City history will go into the books next month when the once-active Woman's Study Club holds its final meeting. Age, illness and a changing life style all

contributed to the club's demise, depleting its ranks, according to Mrs. Esther McCullough, a club member for much of the past four decades.

E.A. Ryan temporary secretary.

At a second meeting held the following week, the constitution was approved and officers chosen. They included: president, Mrs. Knapp; first vice-president, Mrs. S.G. Benkelman; second vice-president, Mrs. Haviland; secretary, Mrs. E.A. Ryan; treasurer, Mrs. J.A. Hayes, and librarian, Mrs. W.A. Falis.

"Years ago, there was always a waiting list," Mrs. McCullough, who served as club president three times, recalled.

In those days, the club carried a maximum of 30 members. Today, there are just 17 left, she said.

Mrs. McCullough has kept a history of the club's activities since the 1930's, including newspaper clippings, membership lists and programs. She says it will all be donated to the archives at Rawson Memorial Library.

The club began in 1908, in an era when a woman's club had great influence in a community. According to a history compiled in 1958 by Mrs. Chester Graham, the first meeting was held Aug. 24, when a group of women met at the home of Mrs. S.G. Benkelman.

A constitution and by-laws were drafted. Mrs. A.J. Knapp was appointed temporary chairman and Mrs.

club sponsored many projects, including a Lyceum Lecture Course, the library, Girl Scouts, flower shows and civic fund drives.

At the same time, the women studied such subjects as art, geography and history. At one meeting, a member reported being received by President Coolidge while visiting in Washington.

Mrs. Knapp was the driving force behind the club for over 50 years, serving not only as local president, but president of the federation's East Central District, vice-president of the state federation and president of the state federation (1928-30).

Other club activities included a "gentleman's evening", usually an annual banquet, teas, plays, fashion shows and other social occasions. During World War I, club members knitted clothes and sold war bonds.

are so many more things going on these days."

She said women's auxiliaries to men's clubs and new organizations such as AAUW have siphoned off potential membership.

"It saddens me in a way to see the club go," she said. "It's done a lot in the past." One of the last club projects was donating a flag pole in front of Rawson Memorial Library. The club has also continued its support of the library and whatever money remains in the treasury when it is disbanded will go to the library.

On the state level, the federation was instrumental in pushing for white stripes along the edge of paved roads as a safety measure.

Mrs. McCullough said club members plan to close WSC "gracefully", probably with a dinner meeting. It will mark the end of over 68 years of club history.

Present officers are Donna Wernette, president; Beatrice McLachlan, first vice-president; Helen Baker, second vice-president; Thelma Schwaderer, secretary; Lotie Pinney, treasurer, and Helen Baker, parliamentarian.

Coming Auctions

Thursday, April 14 - Maurice Hurley will sell dairy cattle and farm machinery at the place located six miles west, one mile south and one and a quarter miles west of Sandusky. Ira, David and Martin Osentoski, auctioneers.

Friday, April 15 - Joseph St. George will sell farm machinery at the place located five miles west, two miles north, one mile west and a half of a mile south of Kinde on Grassmere Rd. Ira, David and Martin Osentoski, auctioneers.

Saturday, April 16 - Mrs. William Eberts will hold a personal property auction sale at the place located three miles south of Cass City at 2918 Cemetery Rd. Lorn Hillaker, auctioneer.

Saturday, April 16 - Mrs. Leo Longuski will sell farm machinery on the premises located two miles north and one and a quarter miles east of Ubyly on Priemer Rd. Ira, David and Martin Osentoski, auctioneers.

Sunday, April 17 - Al Creason will sell garage and hand tools at the corner of M-53 and M-46. Ira, David and Martin Osentoski, auctioneers.

Saturday, April 23 - Sylvester Groll will sell farm machinery at the place located six miles east, three miles north and five and a half miles east of Bad Axe on Rapson Rd. Ira, David and Martin Osentoski, auctioneers.

Saturday, April 23 - Douglas Salgat will sell farm machinery, milking equipment and other personal property at auction at the place located three and a half miles west of Gagetown and a half of a mile south on Jacob Rd. Lorn Hillaker, auctioneer.

Saturday, April 30 - An auction of farm machinery, personal property, including some household items, will be held to settle the estate of Emmett Peters. The sale is scheduled at the place located one mile east and a half of a mile south of Argyle on Freiburg Rd. Lorn Hillaker, auctioneer.

Gen-Tel hikes rates

General Telephone customers who make long distance calls to other points in Michigan will be affected by the increase in intrastate long distance rates approved for Michigan Bell by the Michigan Public Service Commission, according to Bob Wellman, vice-president-operations for General Telephone.

The new rates went into effect at 12:01 a.m. Wednesday, April 6, as a part of a general rate increase for Michigan Bell. "To insure that long distance rates within Michigan are uniform, all Michigan telephone companies - including General Telephone - concur in rates approved for Michigan Bell," Wellman explained.

The method for charging for intrastate long distance rates has been restructured. Mileage groups have been revised - there are now nine instead of seven - and there is now a basic charge of two cents per call plus a per-minute charge for customer dialed calls. Additional charges apply for operator-handled calls. Previously, charges for most calls were based on a straight charge-per-minute system.

The new basic intrastate long distance rate schedule for customer dialed calls is:

Rate Miles	Day Rate	Night Rate
0-10	\$.02 per call plus .05 per minute	30 per cent less than day rate
11-15	\$.02 per call plus .06 per minute	
16-20	\$.02 per call plus .07 per minute	
21-25	\$.02 per call plus .11 per minute	
26-30	\$.02 per call plus .16 per minute	
31-50	\$.02 per call plus .22 per minute	
51-100	\$.02 per call plus .28 per minute	
101-200	\$.02 per call plus .34 per minute	
Over 200	\$.02 per call plus .40 per minute	

The "day rates" apply Monday through Friday from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. and on Sunday from 5 p.m. to 11 p.m. The discounted "night rates" apply at all other times.

Additional charges which apply for operator assisted calls include: 25 cents for credit card calls, and 50 cents for third number and collect calls, and for requests for time and charges. Another 50 cents is added if these calls are placed as person-to-person.

The new rate for Budget Toll Dialing Service will be 30 per cent less than the applicable night rate.

DECLINE

The club has declined in recent years for several reasons, Mrs. McCullough said. "We can't seem to attract any new members," she said. "I think part of it is due to new organizations in town that take up their time. There

Question pair in hydrant vandalism

Two persons were being investigated this week in connection with an incident last month in which over 150,000 gallons of water were drained from the Cass City village supply.

No arrests or warrants were reported but two suspects have been questioned. Names were being withheld pending issuances of war-

rants. A total of 18 fire hydrants were opened, draining village water reserves to dangerously low levels.

Area police were kept busy investigating a string of petty larcenies and malicious destruction of property.

A power saw valued at \$30 was taken from a garage at the John Cook residence at 6447 Houghton St., Cass City Police reported. No suspects have been arrested.

Vandals smashed several windows at a house owned by Salem United Methodist church in the early hours of

Saturday morning. Juveniles are suspected.

Two hub-caps and mirrors were taken from vehicles parked at Ouvry Chevrolet-Olds last week, Cass City Police reported. Police have no clues.

A mobile home owned by Roy Freeman of 6525 Gage St., Gagetown, sustained damage as vandals smashed five windows, set fire to papers inside and damaged an oven and a clock.

Tuscola County Sheriff's deputies reported nothing missing. No suspects have been arrested.

Parent - aides needed

Child abuse hurts everyone and the best way to help the child is to help the parent.

Volunteers are needed to participate in a county-wide project to give loving support and friendship to confused parents before the crisis appears.

Volunteer parent-aides will be trained in the skills, knowledge, and self-awareness needed to help them become an effective part of a team working to help abusive and neglectful parents.

Those people who are interested in expanding their community participation and would like to volunteer to be a part of this program may contact Elaine Jones, Parent-Aide Coordinator, at 872-3067.

Walbro dividend told

At a meeting in Atlanta, Ga., March 28, the Board of Directors of Walbro Corporation (NASDAQ:WALB) - having approved a shift from semiannual to quarterly dividend payouts - declared a first quarter cash dividend of 10 cents a share on Walbro common stock. On an annual basis the dividend would be up 7 cents from the 33 cents paid in 1976.

This dividend is payable May 13, to stockholders of record, April 15, this year. The Annual Meeting of

Walbro Corporation is to be held on April 25, 1977, at the corporate offices: 6242 Garfield St., Cass City.

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Crop residue helps save soil

Leaving crop residues on the soil surface this spring is an effective way to control wind erosion on Michigan cropland, says Soil Conservation Service District Conservationist Lynn Sampson.

where wind erosion takes place. High winds a foot or more above the ground don't cause a problem because they never touch the soil.

The real question is how does one prepare the land for this year's crop and still leave last year's crop residue on the soil surface?

Name EMU honor students

Six area students were among 2,564 Eastern Michigan University enrollees who were recognized for academic achievement at the university's 29th Honors Convocation Wednesday, April 6, at Ypsilanti.

Instead of a moldboard plow, he recommends no-till farming which leaves all crop residues on the surface or using a straight point chisel plow which leaves about 80 per cent of the residue on the surface.

If you are wondering how much crop residue you have left on the surface, there is an easy way to measure it.

It's already too late for the fields plowed last fall. They are ripe for wind erosion this spring.

For more information, contact the Tuscola Soil Conservation Service Office at 852 S. Hooper St., in Caro or phone 673-8174.

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Bridge projects planned. Two area bridge construction projects were announced this week by the Michigan Department of State Highways and Transportation in Lansing.

Ice storm subject of film. The Strand Theatre in Caro will present a special 15-minute film showing scenes from the ice storm of March, 1976, Friday, April 15, thru 21.

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Card of Thanks

WE WISH to thank all our relatives, neighbors and friends for remembering us on our 65th wedding anniversary, with cards, letters and flowers. God bless you all. Mr. and Mrs. James Pethers. 13-4-14-1

IN MEMORY of my dear father, Steve Hrabc Sr. a Little Tribute tree and tender, just to show that we remember; he lives with us in memory still, not just today but always will. Daughter Marian. 13-4-14-1

I WOULD LIKE to express my appreciation to my doctors and nurses while at Hills and Dales Hospital; to all my neighbors, relatives and friends for the cards, visits and flowers and a special thanks to Fr. Morales of Cass City for his visits. Elsie Roback. 13-4-14-1

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MEET THE Cass City Girls' Track team. Shown are:
Front row (from the left): Kathy Kirn, Cindy Ware, Colleen Trischler, Sal Porritt, Laurie Ware, Andrea Barnes and Theresa Hewitt.
Second row: Julie Helwig, Noreen Hartwick, Laurie Hartsell, Karen Little, Julie Smith, Wendy Ware and Tammy Rabideau.
Third row: Terry Hoag, Kari Witherspoon, Deb Rabideau, Judy Sieradzki, Sally Ware, Cheryl Karr and Kim Witherspoon.
Fourth row: Vicky Lapp, Paula Butler, Robbie Leslie, Lisa Zimba, Tracy Vandiver, Sue Cooklin, Sherry Smith, Terry MacKay, and Sara Brown. Missing were Lori Teichman, Jane Hobart, Ami Ivarsson and Chloe Ann Wills.

Coach sees improvement

Hawk girls eye track title with veteran squad

A strong contingent of returning starters should keep the Cass City High School Girls' track team in contention for the Thumb B league title this year if pre-season predictions pan out.

"This should be an excellent season," according to Coach Pam Roth, who has spent three years coaching track at Cass City.

"We have the largest number of girls out in the four years we've had a team," she said. "The only difficulty is in preventing injuries as the season progresses."

Last year, the Hawks posted a 5-2 conference record,

but injuries took their toll and Cass City could finish no better than fourth in the league.

On paper at least, this year should show some improvement. Ms. Roth sees experience and willingness to work hard, along with having lost only one senior, as placing the Hawks in a three-way battle with Frankenmuth and Sandusky.

Returning starters and top prospects for this season include Robbie Leslie, Lisa Zimba, Kim Witherspoon, Wendy, Cindy and Sally Ware, Colleen Trischler, Deb

Rabideau, Sal Porritt, Vicky Lapp, Paula Butler, Sue Cooklin and Kari Witherspoon.

"I think it will be a very close season," Ms. Roth said. "There are lots of dark horses in the league this year."

With an emphasis on participation in just one sport, there should be fewer conflicts this year with girls trying to play softball as well as make track practice.

opens its season at home with a meet against Mayville April 20. Other meets include:

April 25 - Sandusky - home
 April 27 - Marlette - away
 April 30 - Yale Invitational - 9:30 a.m.
 May 2 - Vassar - home
 May 4 - Lakers - away
 May 7 - Chip Relays
 May 9 - Caro - home
 May 11 - Bad Axe - away
 May 16 - Frankenmuth - away
 May 25 - League meet - Marlette
 May 27 - Regional meet - Marlette
 June 1 - Meet of Champions - Caro
 June 4 - State meet - St. Louis

THE SCHEDULE
 The squad is scheduled to

Hawks show strength in baseball double header

It appears as if Coach Don Schelke and his Hawks baseball team will be in the thick of the fight for the Thumb B Conference baseball crown this spring.

Two games don't make a season and it's impossible to tell at this early date whether the Deckerville Eagles are very weak or the Hawks exceptionally strong.

Still, Cass City did claw the Eagles twice in a Saturday double-header and showed strength while doing it.

Pitching, which still is 75

per cent or more of the battle in high school, appears strong. Start with Rick Richards. He pitched three shut-out innings and got stronger as the game progressed.

It's a lead pipe cinch that he'll be a winner on the mound for the Hawks.

Richards is not alone. He's flanked by a better than average staff. Sophomore Clare Trischler showed a live fastball and relatively good control. Mike Richards is faster than he was last season and will keep the ball around

the plate.

Jeff Hartel hummed the ball in his short stint on the mound. If he sharpens his control he could be a real stopper for the team.

Hartel is also a power hitter. He slashed a home run into deep center field for one of his hits against Deckerville.

Randy Rabideau at first and Clarke Haire at short give the infield stability while Chuck Clark needs only experience to round into a top performer at second.

Dean Severance demonstrated that he can hit the long ball, against Deckerville. Defensively he'll handle balls that he can get to.

Dukes top Hawks

Cass City High School kicked off the 1977 track season last Wednesday amidst snow flurries and freezing temperatures at Garber High School. The Dukes won in convincing fashion, 95-2 to 61-2.

A combination of too much speed in the dashes and too much depth over all spelled the difference in the match.

In the field events Cass City finished first in three of the five events but still was outscored by Garber, 25-19.

The Dukes dominated the second and third chucks.

For Cass City Chuck Middaugh was a double winner in the high and low hurdles.

The winners were:

Discus: Michalski, CC. 113'4 1/2"
 Shot: Estubrook, G. 38'11"
 Long Jump: Hartsell, CC. 19'11 1/2"
 High Jump: Ruterbusch, G. 6'11"
 Pole Vault: Haire, CC. 10'6"
 Two Mile: Steve Richards, CC. 11:06.2
 330 Hurdles: Middaugh, CC. 44.4
 880 Relay: Garber. 1:38.5
 800 Run: Henika, G. 2:09.2
 100 Yd. Dash: Mackey, G. 10.45
 120 Yd. Hurdles: Middaugh, CC. 17.5
 140 Run: Davenport, G. 57.15
 Mile: Gunther, CC. 5:02.1
 440 Yd. Relay: Garber. 47.25
 220 Yd. Dash: Cartier, G. 25.7
 Mile Relay: Garber. 3:55.

New trespass law requires written okay from owner

As the 1977 fishing season gathers momentum this month, the Department of Natural Resources reminds fishermen of the new Recreational Trespass Act.

Under the new law, a person must have written permission from a landowner before hunting, fishing, or operating an off-the-road-vehicle on private land.

For fishermen, however, there is an exception.

"A fisherman wading or

floating a navigable (public) stream of a length greater than 15 miles, may walk on the uplands within the clearly defined banks to avoid natural or artificial hazards or obstructions without need for written permission from the riparian owner," says Department of Natural Resources Law Enforcement Division Chief George M. Dahl.

He adds that the 15-mile length is determined by total length of a stream as it winds

its way across the land, not "as the crow flies."

Since the law applies only to hunters, fishermen, and ORV operators, it does not affect other outdoorsmen such as backpackers, birdwatchers, mushroom and berry pickers.

Dahl says, however, that old trespass laws still apply. Should a landowner order such a user off his land and he refuses, he could be found guilty of trespass.

"The lands requiring written permission before entering," Dahl says, "are lands which are fenced or enclosed, lands posted in a conspicuous manner against entry, and farm lands or connected farm wood lots."

To facilitate compliance with the new act, the DNR has designed a "Sportsmans Land Use Pass" and is distributing it to newspapers, the Michigan United Conservation Clubs, the Michigan Farm Bureau, county extension agents and DNR district and field offices.

This specific pass is not necessary—the law only states "written permission." Dahl says it contains a suggested format, however that may be copied to accommodate organizations desiring to print and distribute passes to landowners and recreational users. He adds that signing such a pass does not make a landowner responsible for any mishaps on his property.

"A landowner is not liable for injuries to recreational users who use his lands if a fee is not charged and if the injuries were not caused by negligence or misconduct on the part of the owner," he says.

For the convenience of landowners and sportsmen, passes may be obtained by contacting any DNR office or by writing to the DNR, Law Enforcement Division, Box 30028, Lansing, Mich. 48909.

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Tryouts slated

Summer baseball returns to village

Independent baseball returns to Cass City this summer after an absence of more than a quarter century.

A baseball team is now forming and the managers, Roy Hull, Kingston, and David Doerr of Cass City are holding try-outs and practices every Tuesday and Thursday starting Tuesday, April 19, at 6 p.m.

Persons interested in trying out for the team are asked to call Hull (683-2378) or Doerr (872-2003).

Home games will be played at Cass City Recreational Park. The team is entered in the Huron County League.

Hull said the team was made possible by Ouvry Chevy-Olds which has agreed to sponsor the players.

Library services listed

The library needs your active support and use. That's why the American Library Association's message during National Library Week, April 17-23, is "use your library".

Rawson Memorial Library offers a wide variety of books, records, cassettes and magazines to check out. The book collection contains nearly 12,000 volumes.

There are over 400 cassettes and records available. Currently 40 magazines are being received and most are kept on file for five years, making magazines a valuable reference tool. Materials not available in the local collection may be inter-loaned from other libraries in the state. Films may be rented from the

Eastern Michigan Film Region. Catalogs are available at the library and arrangements may be made from there.

Each summer a reading program for children is sponsored by the library and story hours are scheduled throughout the year.

A Gallup Poll taken last year found that one-third of the U.S. population never use a library.

Area residents who live in Elkland, Elmwood, Novesta, Greenleaf and Evergreen townships or in the Cass City School District are entitled to use Rawson Memorial Library free of charge. New users only need to fill out a registration card to check items out.

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Ms. Rae joins Mutual

Mutual Savings and Loan Association has appointed Loraine M. Rae as manager and loan specialist in their Cass City Office, Les Shetler, Thumb Area Supervisor, announced today. The Cass City Office is located at 6459 Main Street.

Formerly employed with 1st Savings and Loan of Caro, Ms. Rae has had several years' experience in loan administration.

"Ms. Rae is a highly qualified addition to the staff of Mutual Savings," Shetler concluded.

Ms. Rae has resided in the Caro area all her life, graduating from Caro Community High School and going on to obtain a degree from Joan Jewett Career School in East Lansing. Ms. Rae is married to Alan R. Rae.

Wilmot woman promoted

Evelyn S. Ferchau, daughter of Mrs. Helen Schmuhl, 1773 Hawkins St., (Wilmot) Deford, recently was promoted to Army specialist five while serving with the 3rd Armored Division in Hanau, Germany.

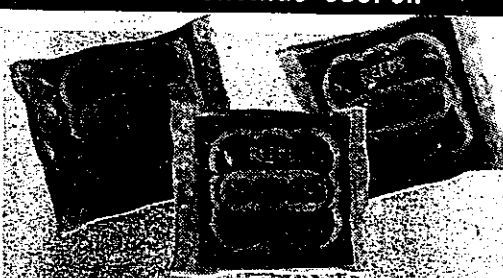
Spec. Ferchau is a clerk with the division's 45th Medical Battalion.

The specialist entered the Army in November, 1974. She received a BS degree from Central Michigan University, Mount Pleasant, in 1973.

Her husband, Specialist Four Steven P. Ferchau, is also stationed in Germany.

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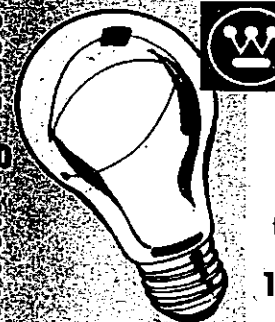
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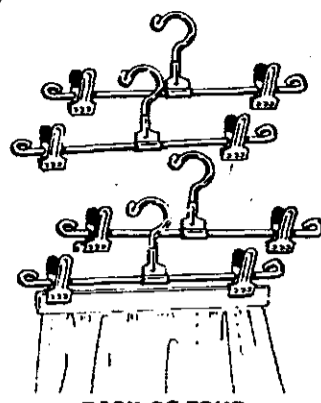
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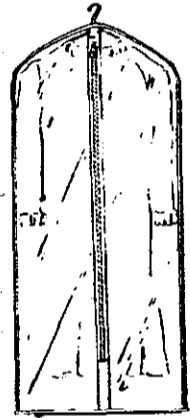


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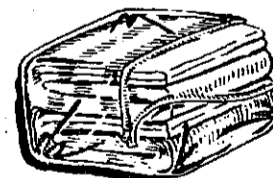


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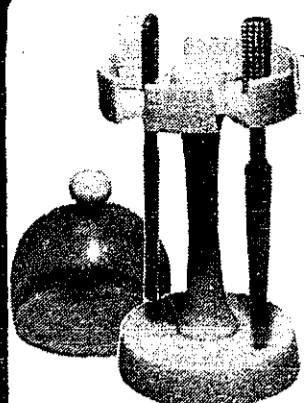
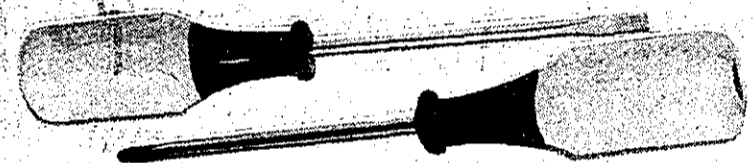
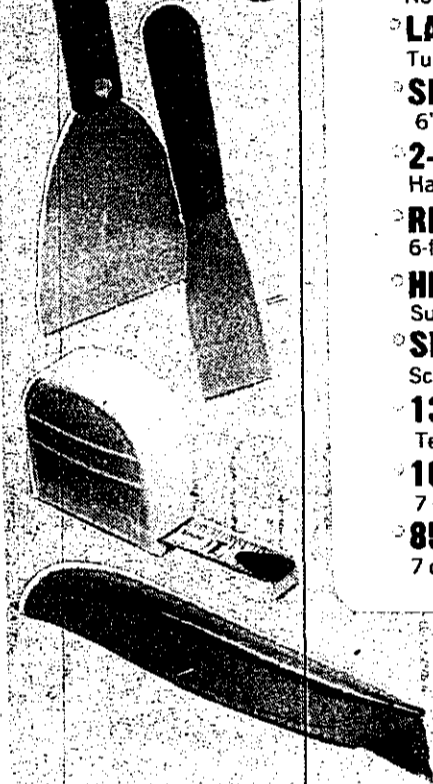
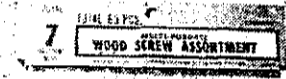
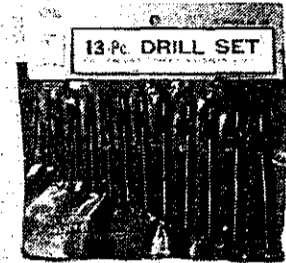
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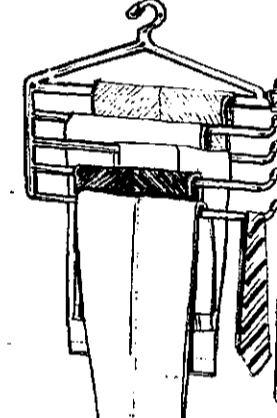


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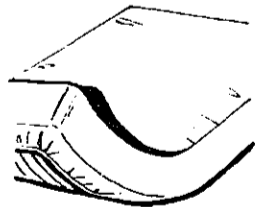


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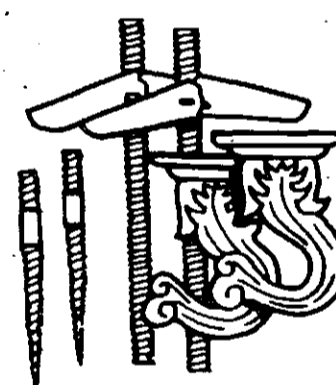
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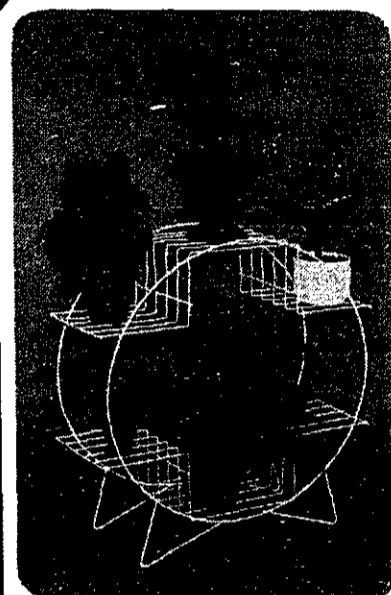
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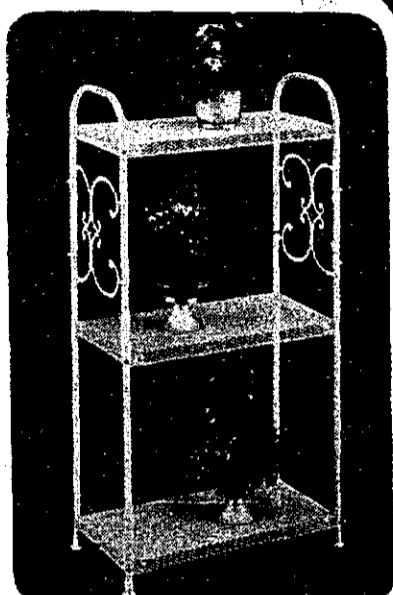


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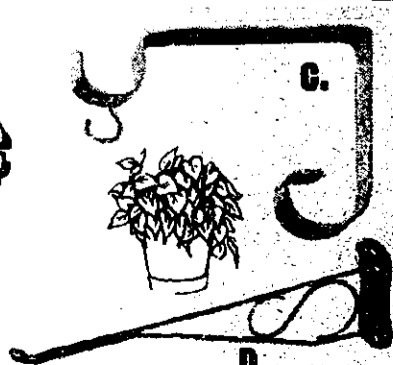
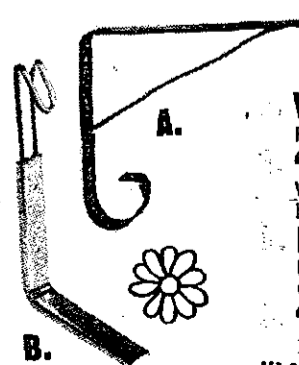
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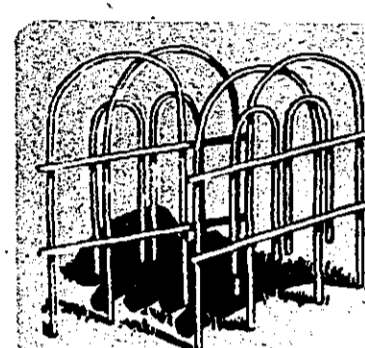
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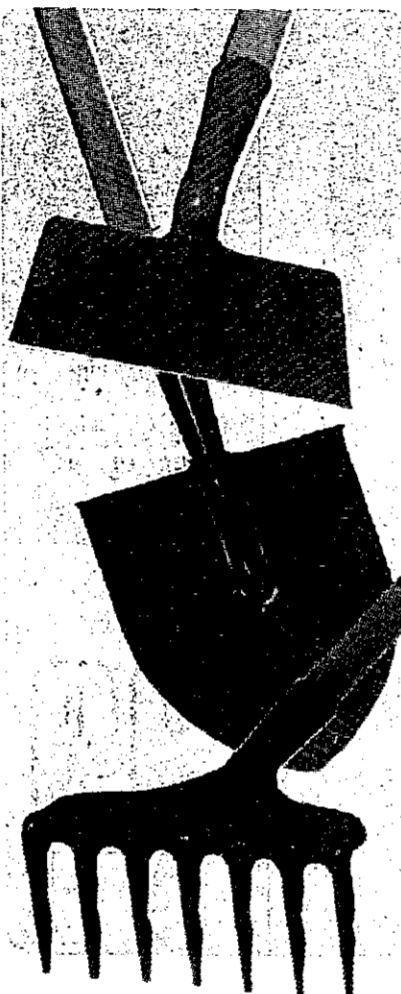


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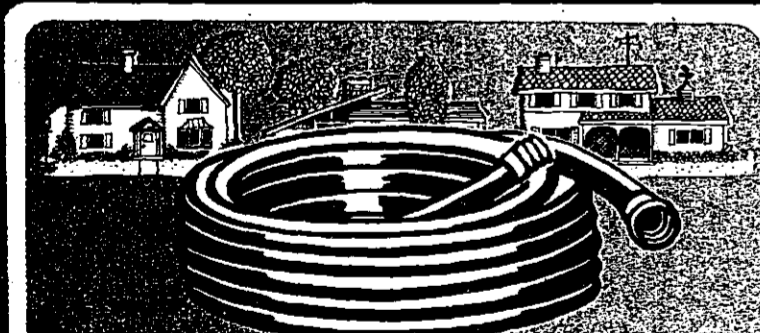
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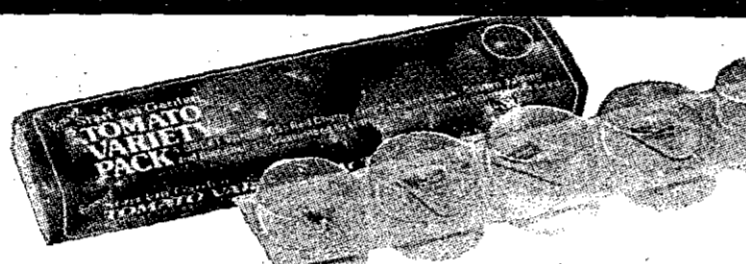


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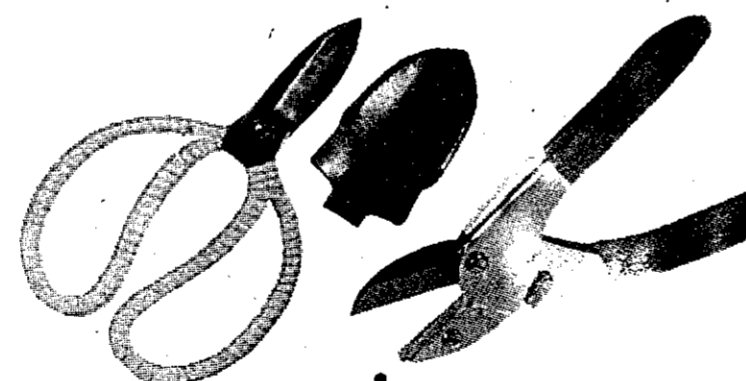


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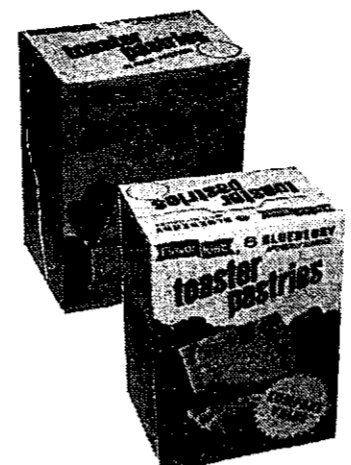
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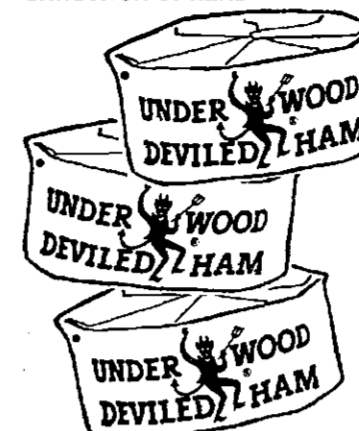
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HEAVY GAUGE 20-30 GAL. SIZE
**8-PACK PLASTIC
TRASH BAGS**

COMPLETE WITH TWIST BAG TIES
79¢ VALUE

39¢

Limit 2 Packs of 8 per adult.



KILLS HOUSEHOLD GERMS
"PINE-SOL"

15 oz. CLEANER
LIQUID DISINFECTANT/DEODORIZER
1.09 VALUE

69¢

Limit 1 Bottle per adult.



FIRST QUALITY - 100% NYLON
**LADIES' SHEER
KNEE HIGHS**

ONE SIZE FITS ALL-ASSORTED SHADES
79¢ VALUE PAIR

29¢

Limit 3 Pairs per adult.



WORKS UP
TO 3 FULL
MONTHS

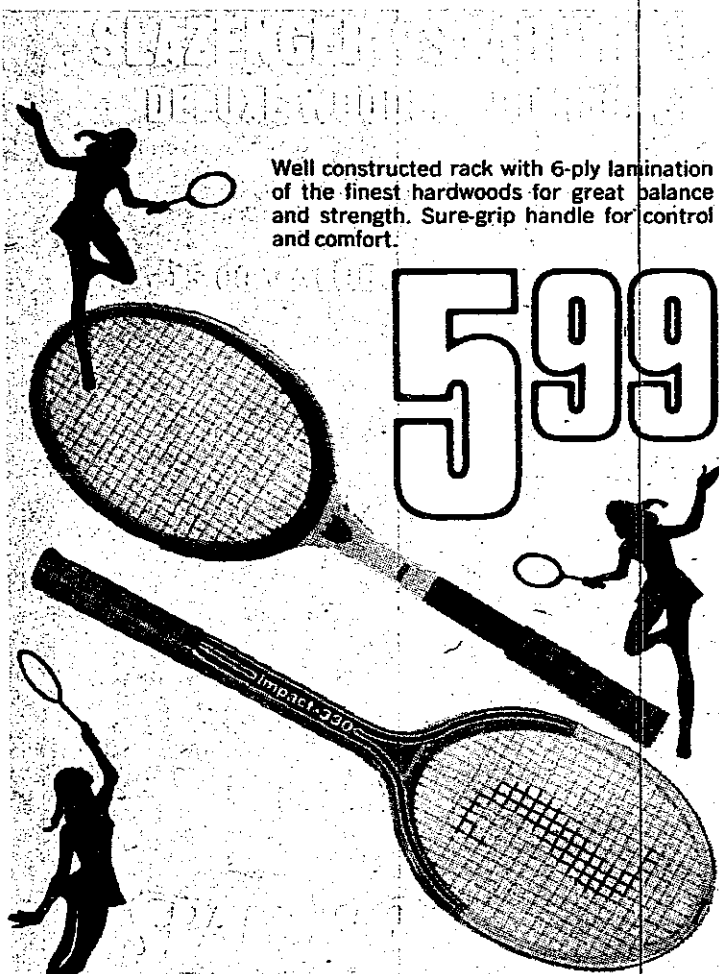
VAPORETTE-GUARANTEED
**DOG or CAT
FLEA COLLAR**

KILLS FLEAS-CONTROLS TICKS
YOUR CHOICE • 1.98 VALUE

69¢

Limit 2 Collars per adult.

YOU'LL "LOVE" THE SAVINGS ON OUR TENNIS RACKETS

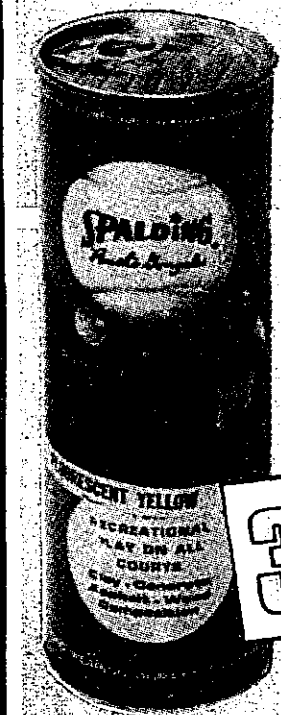


Well constructed rack with 6-ply lamination of the finest hardwoods for great balance and strength. Sure-grip handle for control and comfort.

599

The "Impact-330" from a most trusted name in tennis... "Spalding". Quality construction of finest hardwood plys with fiber, laminated for great strength. Reinforced throat and shaft. Perforated cowhide non-slip grip with nylon strings.

888



3 BALLS IN CAN

199

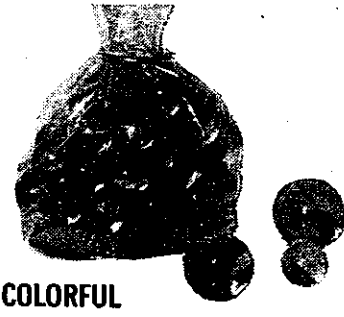
SPORTSMEN'S SUN HEAD VISOR

Keep the sun out of your eyes in tennis and other sports. Fully adjustable headband. Washable 100% cotton, assorted colors.

2.00 VALUE
99
NOW ONLY



WE HAVE THE ORIGINAL Farrah Fawcett Color Poster
HURRY, WHILE SUPPLY LASTS!



COLORFUL 50 count MARBLES

Complete with handy, heavy duty see-thru vinyl storage bag with carrying handle.

69 VALUE
39



LEAGUE SOFTBALL

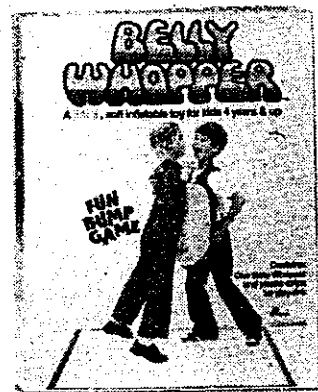
Official size and weight with kapok core and water-proof rubber cover.

2.00 VALUE
99



WORLD FAMOUS FOR QUALITY "DUNCAN" YO-YO
IMPERIAL "GLOW IN THE DARK"
FAMOUS CATTLE BRANDS
BUTTERFLY STYLE YO-YO

YOUR CHOICE
1.29 VALUE
99



THE FUN BUMP GAME...it's a SAFE, soft inflatable vinyl toy for kids 4 years and up. Plastic strips included to make the play rink. Hours of fun for backyard, beach or picnic.

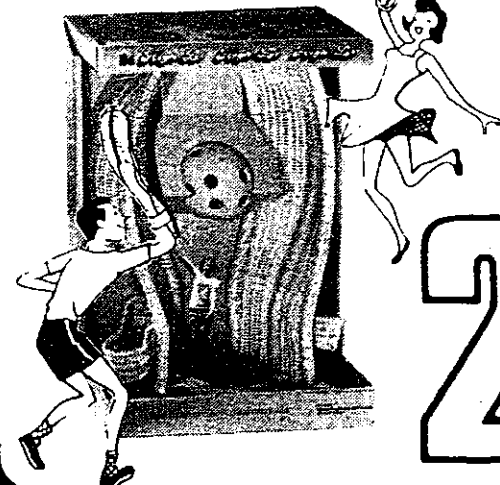
99

NEW EXCITING FUN FILLED FAMILY GAME

HIGH-LI GAME

Set has 2 special High-Li ball rackets with plastic whiff ball. Game rules included.

5.99 VALUE

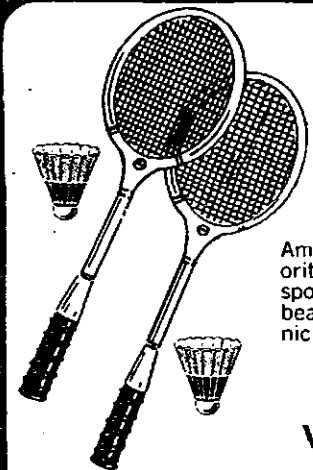


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OUTDOOR FUN FOR EVERYONE

FUN-FILLED 2 PLAYER BADMINTON SET

Set contains: 2 steel shaft rackets, 2 shuttlecocks and net, plus complete rules in carrying case.



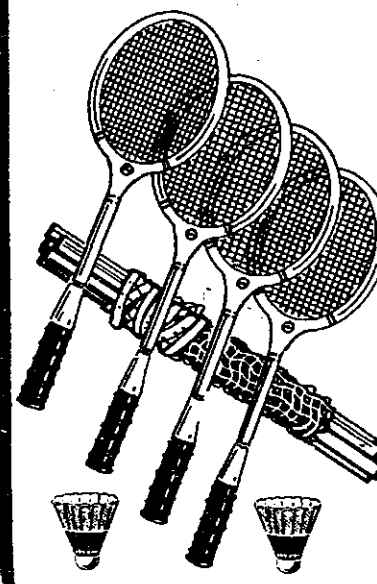
America's favorite backyard sport, great for beach and picnic also.

3.95 VALUE

199

"DELUXE" BADMINTON SET WITH 4 PROFESSIONAL STEEL SHAFT RACKETS

Truly a favorite with the family! Complete 4-player set contains: 4 lightweight, but sturdy steel shaft rackets, 2 shuttlecocks, net with poles plus game rules. Packed in styro-foam form-fitting box for storage.



14.95 VALUE

699

SPRING SAVINGS COUPON

BESCO QUALITY 250 mg. ORIENTAL GINSENG



This ancient herb is a great aid in increasing energy and endurance...relieves exhaustion and that run down feeling. Helps stabilize blood pressure, improve appetite. Ginseng is believed to have great 'Anti-Aging' properties.

50 CAPSULES
6.95 VALUE

299

Limit 1 per adult with this coupon.

SAVINGS COUPON



EFFERDENT DENTURE CLEANSER

60 TABLETS
2.09 VALUE

119

Limit 1 per adult with this coupon.

SAVINGS COUPON



ALKA-SELTZER TABLETS - 25's

1.13 VALUE

69

Limit 1 per adult with this coupon.

SAVINGS COUPON



WIPE 'N DIPE BABY OIL WIPES

40 COUNT
1.09 VALUE

69

Limit 2 per adult with this coupon.

SPRING SAVINGS COUPON



Maybelline GREAT-LASH MASCARA
1.85 VALUE

- BUILDS
- THICKENS
- COLORS
- CURLS
- CHOICE OF POPULAR SHADES!

99

Limit 1 per adult with this coupon.

CHECK OUR EVERYDAY LOW PRICES ON ALL VITAMINS!

SAVINGS COUPON



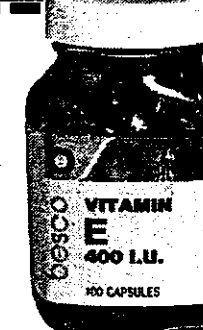
'DAY-LEE' MULTIPLE VITAMINS with IRON

100 COUNT
3.39 VALUE

79

Limit 1 per adult with this coupon.

SAVINGS COUPON



400 I.U. VITAMIN 'E' CAPSULES - 100's

7.98 VALUE

349

Limit 1 per adult with this coupon.

SAVINGS COUPON



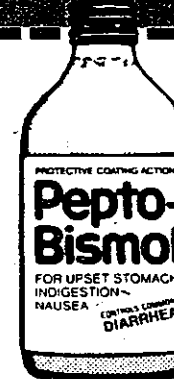
GRAPEFRUIT DIET PLAN

90 TABS
5.95 VALUE

299

Limit 1 per adult with this coupon.

SAVINGS COUPON



SOOTHING PEPTO-BISMOL

12-OZ. BOTTLE
2.10 VALUE

129

Limit 1 per adult with this coupon.

SAVINGS COUPON



ADULT GLYCERIN SUPPOSITORIES

12 COUNT
79 VALUE

39

Limit 2 per adult with this coupon.

SAVINGS COUPON



SPECIAL 15' OFF LABEL

COLGATE TOOTHPASTE

7 OZ. **89¢**
1.52 VALUE

Limit 1 per adult with this coupon.

SAVINGS COUPON



YOUR CHOICE

BRECK SHAMPOO - 15 OZ.

•NORMAL
•OILY
•DRY **119**
2.85 VALUE

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SAVINGS COUPON



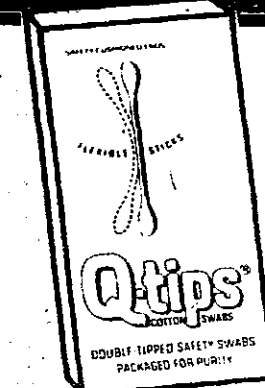
SPECIAL 25' OFF LABEL

LISTERINE MOUTHWASH

20 OZ. **109**
1.99 VALUE

Limit 1 per adult with this coupon.

SAVINGS COUPON



'Q-TIPS' COTTON SWABS

170 COUNT **69¢**
1.49 VALUE

Limit 2 per adult with this coupon.

SAVINGS COUPON



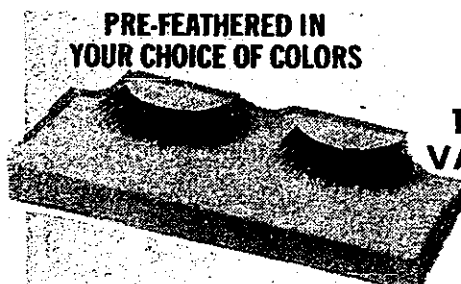
Schick Plus Platinum with exclusive TEFLON coating

SCHICK - PLUS PLATINUM BLADES

5 COUNT DOUBLE EDGE **3\$1**
1.09 VALUE

Limit 3 per adult with this coupon.

SAVINGS COUPON



PRE-FEATHERED IN YOUR CHOICE OF COLORS

DATE MATES EYELASHES

1.50 VALUE **69¢**

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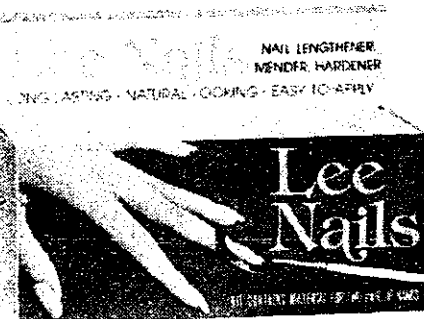
SPRING SAVINGS COUPON

Lee Nails

"AS SEEN ON TV"

BRUSH-ON ARTIFICIAL FINGERNAIL KIT

Easy brush-on application. Creates natural looking fingernails. Excellent for broken nails. Does not irritate.



5.99 VALUE **339**

Limit 1 per adult with this coupon.

SAVINGS COUPON

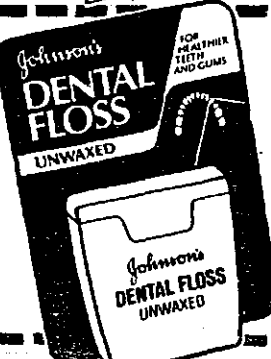


Johnson & Johnson SOFF PUFFS - 260 CT.

FOR COSMETIC OR NURSERY USE **59¢**
1.29 VALUE

Limit 1 per adult with this coupon.

SAVINGS COUPON



YOUR CHOICE

JOHNSON'S DENTAL FLOSS

"50 YARDS" WAXED OR UNWAXED **59¢**
1.09 VALUE

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SAVINGS COUPON



Vaseline PETROLEUM JELLY

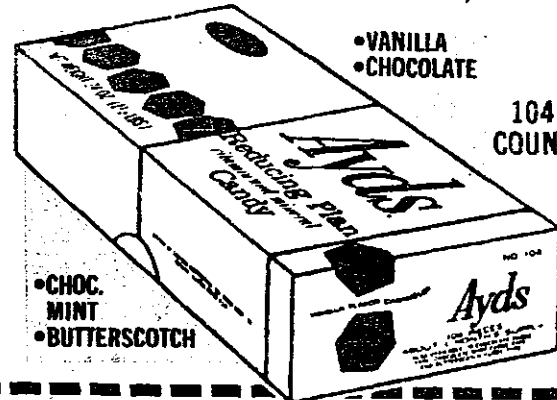
15 OZ. **89¢**
1.59 VALUE

Limit 1 per adult with this coupon.

SPRING SAVINGS COUPON

'AYDS' Reducing Plan Candy

THE CANDY THAT HELPS CURB YOUR APPETITE. CONTAINS VITAMINS AND MINERALS, BUT NO DRUGS! IT'S SAFE!

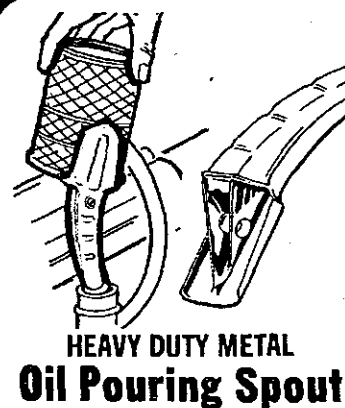


•VANILLA
•CHOCOLATE

4.50 VALUE

104 COUNT **249**
YOUR CHOICE

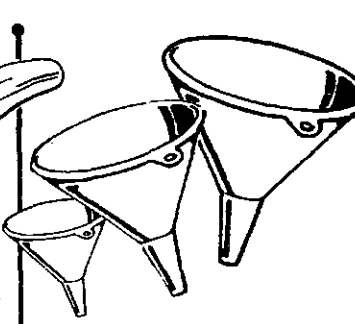
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HEAVY DUTY METAL Oil Pouring Spout

Eliminates spills and waste! Automatically opens cans as it is applied. Fits all one to 5 quart size cans.

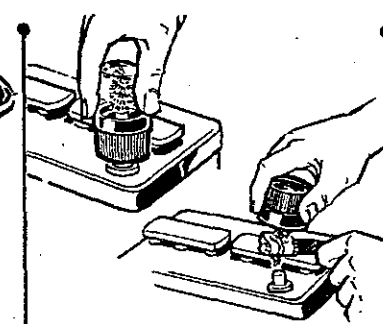
1.19 VALUE



HEAVY GAUGE PLASTIC 3 pc. Funnel Set

Convenient 3, 4 and 5" sizes. 100's of uses in garage, home, workshop. Large tabs for easy handling.

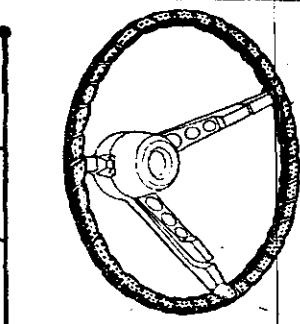
1.49 VALUE



POST & TERMINAL CLEANER Battery Brush

Removes dirt and corrosion for positive contact. Long-lasting stainless steel brushes.

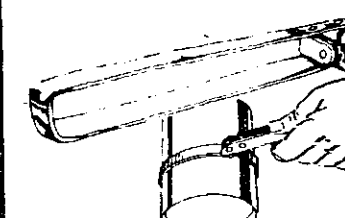
1.79 VALUE



SPORT STYLE STEERING Wheel Cover

Deluxe leather-like grip for comfort and safety. Easy to install, fits all 14-16" steering wheels.

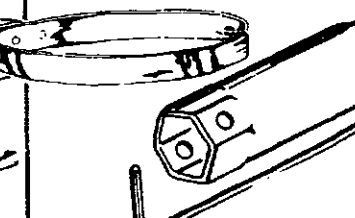
2.49 VALUE



HEAVY DUTY PRO-OIL Filter Wrench

Fits most standard size spin-on oil filters with automatic clamp action.

1.19 VALUE



FITS MOST CARS Spark Plug Wrench

Heavy duty steel construction. Fits most cars, both 13/16" and 5/8" size hex.

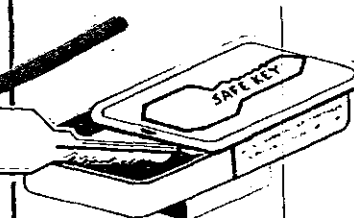
98¢ VALUE



RUBBER BULB TYPE Battery Filler

6 oz. capacity bulb with flexible 6" spout. Acid resistant. Will not crack in cold weather.

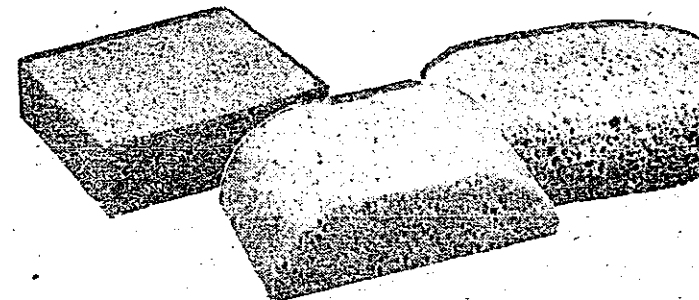
1.49 VALUE



"MAGNETIC" SPARE Key Holder

Super strong magnet holds fast to any metal surface. Hide extra car or house keys.

49¢ VALUE



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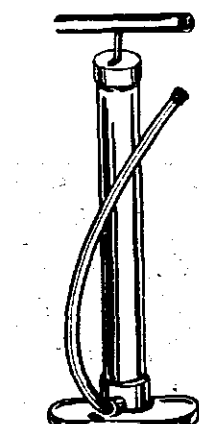


WASH AND WAX YOUR CAR IN 5 MINUTES!

POWERFUL AUTO and HOME SPRAY GUN

Attaches to any garden hose. Adjustable nozzle goes from fine spray to jet stream. Ideal for washing cars, windows, house siding, etc. Convenient shut off valve attachment. Uses any make wash and wax pellets.

3.95 VALUE **149**



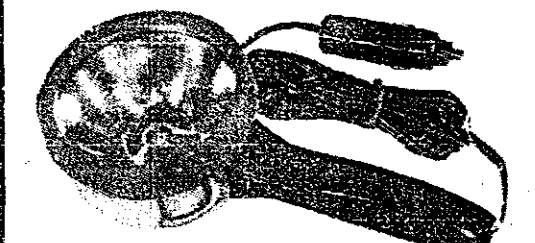
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HANDY, COMPACT AUTO BRUSH AND TRAY

Handy whisk brush nests snugly into the dust pan when not in use. Perfect for car, home, or office.

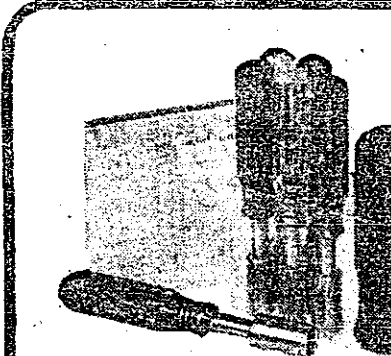
1.49 VALUE **79¢**



HI-INTENSITY AUTO SPOTLIGHT

Throws a long, powerful beam of light. 10 - foot power cord with on/off switch. Plugs into all car cigarette lighters on 12-volt system.

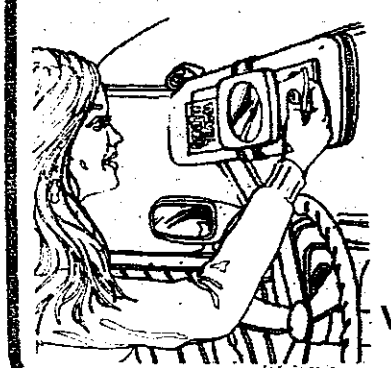
3.95 VALUE **199**



HANDYMAN'S 8-PIECE Socket Set

Set of 6 hex sockets, 3 1/16" to 7/16" size complete with large extension handle in fitted case.

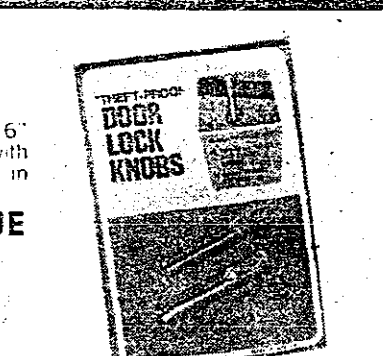
2.00 VALUE



FITS ALL VISORS SECURELY Visor Mirror

Elastic band stretches to fit all size visors, also acts as holder for maps, pens, memos, etc. Choice of frame colors.

98¢ VALUE **49¢**

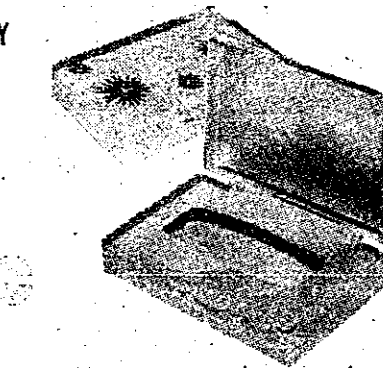


"THEFT-PROOF" Door Lock Knobs

"Headless" design, can't be opened with clothes hanger. Bright, solid metal for most American made cars.

1.19 VALUE

TWO ON CARD **69¢**



BUILT-IN MIRROR TISSUE BOX

Holds all brands of pocket-size tissues. Large mirror on inside of cover. Choice of colors. Convenient size for glove compartment or purse.

1.49 VALUE **79¢**

FOR THE ULTIMATE IN OUTDOOR COOKING!
TWIN "HIBACHI" BAR-B-Q GRILL
 10" x 17" x 7"
 Heavy duty cast iron construction... holds heat better to keep coals burning longer. Fully adjustable "twin" chrome plated grills with damper controls for "just right" cooking. Walnut finished wooden handles and base.



12.95 VALUE

699

DELUXE EDITION WITH FULL COLOR COVER
JUMBO 'INSTA-STICK' PHOTO ALBUMS
 NO GLUE!... NO CORNERS!
 Padded vinyl hard cover albums. Heavy wire bound with 16 instant-stick acetate pages, holds photos securely. Choice of designs and colors.



3.98 VALUE

199

SET OF SIX PAGE REFILLS... 1.00 VALUE

69c

SPRING SALE ASSORTMENT
'ROSS' ADHESIVES

- HOUSEHOLD CEMENT - 1/4 OZ. Strong, fast drying, crystal clear, water resistant.
- CONTACT CEMENT - 1/2 OZ. Bonds instantly on contact without use of clamps.
- POWER BOND - 3 gms. One drop holds a ton! Bonds instantly on most items.
- EPOXY GLUE - 3/4 OZ. Strong adhesive for metal, glass, ceramic, hard plastic, etc.
- TUB & TILE CAULK 2 1/2 OZ. Stays white and flexible, mildew-proof.




Your Choice

VALUES TO 1.49

69c

HANDYMAN'S SPECIAL!
"BIG JOHN" 36-INCH METAL TOOL BENCH RACK
 4.98 VALUE



A must for organizing all your hand tools in one convenient location...ideal for basement workshop or garage. Mounts easily on bench or wall peg board. Heavy steel, double row construction with deck-grey enamel finish. Unique drill index holds 14 sizes of bits - 1/16" to 1/4".

247

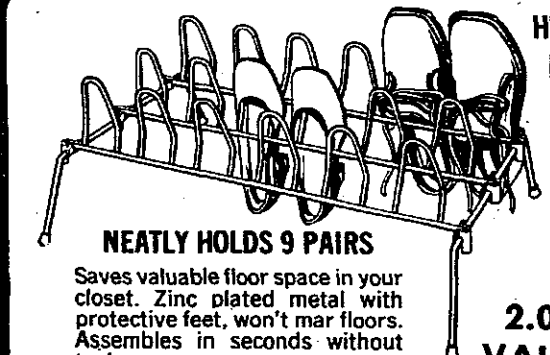
SAVE NOW DURING OUR HOUSEHOLD
PLASTICWARE SALE
 TOP QUALITY • HEAVY DUTY • UNBREAKABLE

YOUR CHOICE
 VALUES TO 3.50

99c

- GRADUATED 1-GALLON DECANTER 1.59 VALUE
- 1 1/2 BUSHEL SIZE LAUNDRY BASKET Sturdy Built-in Handles 2.50 VALUE
- 6-PIECE MIX & STORE BOWL SET WITH AIR TIGHT COVERS & FOUR SPOUTS-2 1/2, 4, 5 1/2 QT. 2.29 VALUE
- 14-QUART DISH PAN 1.99 VALUE
- HANDY SHELF FOR SOAP, SHAMPOO ETC. BATH-SHOWER CADDY EASY MOUNT SELF-ADHESIVE BACKING 1.79 VALUE
- 12-QUART SIZE UTILITY PAIL WITH HANDLE & SPOUT 1.79 VALUE
- 22-QUART WASTE BASKET 2.29 VALUE
- 16-QT. SIZE WASTE BASKET 1.59 VALUE
- BOWL BRUSH AND HIDE-AWAY HOLDER NYLON BRISTLES, LONG HANDLE 2.29 VALUE

HELPS ORGANIZE YOUR CLOSET
METAL SHOE RACK
 2.00 VALUE



NEATLY HOLDS 9 PAIRS
 Saves valuable floor space in your closet. Zinc plated metal with protective feet, won't mar floors. Assembles in seconds without tools.

129

USE INDOORS OR OUTDOORS!



MULTI-PURPOSE FOLDING DELUXE ROUND TABLE
 24-INCH DIAMETER WITH WOOD GRAINED FINISH

The perfect utility table for indoors or out on the patio. Hundreds of uses: parties, TV viewing, sewing table, etc. Extra sturdy construction with brass-finished aluminum legs, no-mar feet. Folds flat for storage.

299

5.95 VALUE

CLEAN-UP SPECIAL!



LONG HANDLE - HEAVY DUTY 14-INCH PUSH BROOM
 1.49

Heavy duty bristles for those extra tough outdoor jobs...garage, patio, driveway, walks, etc. Long, sturdy hardwood handle.

2.50 VALUE

BICYCLE 'DIGITAL' LOCK
 ON HEAVY DUTY 36-INCH CHAIN



3-digit combination lock on 36 inch long heavy gauge steel chain. Vinyl covered to protect bicycle and valuables from scratches while it guards against bad weather.

4.95 VALUE

199

PROTECT YOUR EYES FROM SUN'S HARMFUL RAYS
 NOW YOU NEED JUST ONE PAIR OF SUNGLASSES FOR ALL KINDS OF LIGHT!

from FOSTER GRANT comes
SPECTRA-SHADES
 THE BRIGHTER THE LIGHT... THE DARKER THEY GET!



INDOORS - THEY'RE LIGHT
 CLOUDY - LENS STAY MEDIUM
 SUNNY - DARK FOR MOST PROTECTION

The secret is in their special quality ground CORNING® SUNSENSOR lenses which change from dark to light, and back again, depending on sunlight intensity. There are no mechanical parts to wear out. And, because they are FOSTER GRANTS, THEY ALSO GIVE YOU GREAT STYLING.

Choice of styles in large or small fashionable wire frames or ever popular tortoise & pastel plastic frames.

15.00 VALUE

799

METAL FRAME SUNGLASSES
 WITH "SHATTER-PROOF" GLASS LENSES



Large selection of sunglasses in all sizes, shapes, and lens color...all in the "Fashion Right" metal frames for the slim, modern look. Choice of many designs.

MEANS AND MODES OF FASHION

1.00 VALUE

299

PROTECT YOUR HAIR-DO!
CLEAR VINYL RAIN BONNET
 Heavy gauge see-thru vinyl, complete with carrying case for purse or pocket. Keep handy, be prepared, assorted sizes.
 VALUE 49c



29c

FASHIONABLE COVER-UPS
LADIES' FOAM DUTCH HATS
 The ever popular scarf that's today's "in" fashion. 100% washable cotton with polyfoam filled headband.
 VALUE 2.98



149

LADIES' DURABLE VINYL
"See-Thru" Dome Umbrella
 Heavy duty clear vinyl over sturdy 8-rib construction for long service. Choice of colors on trim and handle with wrist strap.
 2.50 VALUE



129

FOR HOME AND TRAVEL
53" ZIPPERED GARMENT BAG
 Heavy gauge, reinforced vinyl bag with long zippered closure. Holds 16 garments, in assorted colors.
 2.99 VALUE



199