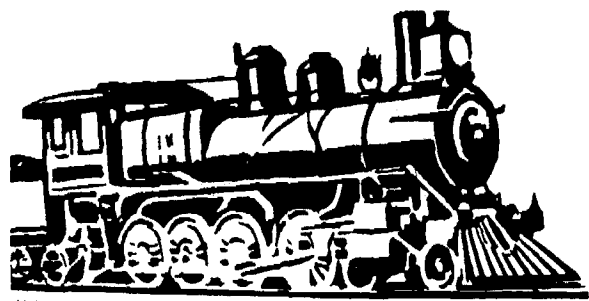


Coming next week . . .

A look at overcrowding in East Jordan Schools and the work of the Facility Review Committee ... East Jordan's "grande dames" of the newspaper business ... Walk for CROP ... and of course, HOMECOMING!



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An addition to the fleet

Members of the Public Safety committee join with ambulance administrator Bernard Hammond to show off the city's new ambulance. The brand-new 1994 vehicle was purchased from First Alert for \$60,000. Hammond said all has gone smoothly with the ambulance, which had been on five runs at the time of the photo. The old ambulance was sold to the Beaver Island Fire Department. Standing with Hammond are Ruth Gee and Lyle Etcher (right). Committee member Greg Chappuies was absent.

East Jordan Journal opens downtown doors

It's been 26 years since East Jordan could boast its own newspaper.

This week, that lengthy lapse in local presence comes to an end with the opening of the *East Jordan Journal* office in the heart of the city's downtown area.

The event comes as the *Journal* begins its third year of service to the scenic South Arm community. Previously combined with the *Central Lake Torch*, the *Journal* will celebrate its new status as

a permanent member of the East Jordan business community by taking on an entirely separate identity from its "big sister" in the Up North Publications, Inc. family.

The long-awaited landmark in its development is being heralded by a three-day open house celebration Oct. 5, 6 and 7 at the paper's brand new location at Main and Esterly streets.

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Commission reveals recommended charter

BY DEB SAYGERS HOBBS
Journal Editor

The look of city government in East Jordan may change dramatically if the new city charter, painstakingly prepared by the charter commission, is accepted by voters in April.

The commission held a meeting Sept. 27 to inform the community on changes the proposed charter encompasses.

Commission chair Tom Sheridan emphasized the present document is still in draft form and the commission is open to suggestions.

"This is still a working document," Sheridan said. "We're looking for input."

Sheridan said the commission has worked diligently, meeting weekly since November 1993 to research dozens of city charters. The group continued throughout the summer with bi-monthly meetings, assimilating volumes of information to develop the draft.

"It's quite a task to re-order a city charter," Sheridan remarked.

The commission was elected in November to rewrite the antiquated charter, never reviewed since it was composed in 1911.

"The present charter prevents the city from doing many things," said Sheridan.

"Only one other city in the state has a similar government to what East Jordan has presently," noted commission member Dennis Jason.

Government by city manager – East Jordan style

In the proposed government structure, the city manager is responsible for:

- administering all city employees, including department heads
- directing and supervising all offices and agents of the city
- execution of the policy directions of council and keeping the council advised
- preparation and submission of the annual city budget and a monthly financial report
- enforcement of all ordinances
- providing staff support for the mayor and council

The council appoints the administrator, determines a salary, and enters into an at-will contract. Residential status will be required within a reasonable length of time from the beginning of employment.

Major changes

The most extreme change recommended by the commission is a shift to government administered by a city manager (see box), allowing the function of city council to turn solely to policy-making.

"Most cities our size and larger in
continued on back

Homecoming festivities end with coronation, dance

The East Jordan High School Red Devils will celebrate the annual fall homecoming ritual this week with a number of activities culminating in the crowning of a king and queen.

The high school is reverberating with spirit as the week goes by. Already, students have creatively portrayed their individuality with Come as You Are Day (Monday) and Baby Day (yesterday.)

Today, students demonstrate their loyalties with U of M vs. MSU Day, and Thursday will be Class Color Day.

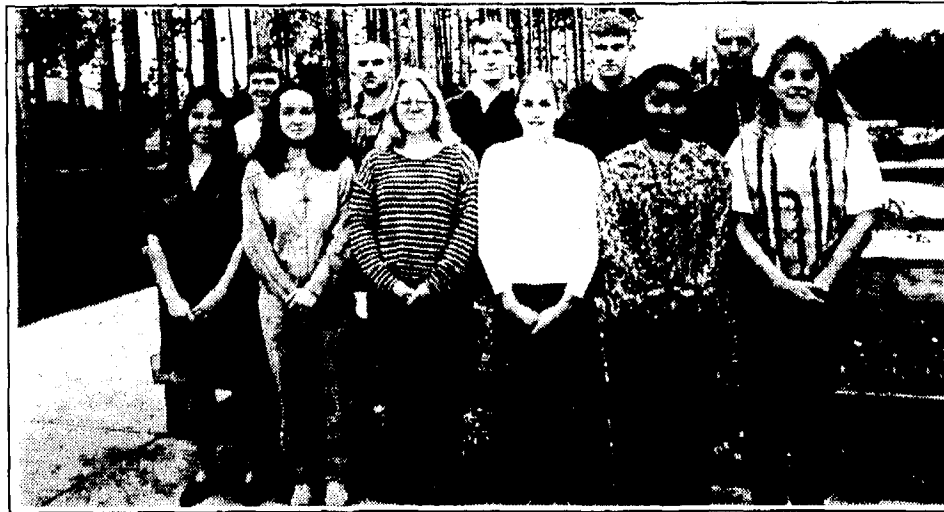
Students will come Friday decked out in their school colors for Red and Black Day, and will join together in a pep rally to cheer on their team in down-

town East Jordan at 5 p.m. The Red Devils Marching Band will lead the class floats and queen candidates, along with the cheerleaders and football team, along Main Street and up Mill to the high school for more spirit activities in the parking lot.

Friday evening, enjoy a tailgate party before the big game at 7:30. The game will pit the Devils against the Ironmen of Mancelona.

At halftime, the big announcement will be made. Who will wear the crowns? Eleven young men and ladies are nervously wondering.

Festivities will conclude with a dance after the game at the high school gym.



CANDIDATES FOR the homecoming crown are (from back, left): Yaro Middaugh, Karl Redmer, Steve Wiltfong, Kirk Falco, Matthew Sherman, (front) Kathleen King, Alicia McCoy, Carrie Brown, Niki Goebel, Belgie Caballero, and Mandy Reid. Adam Skrocki is missing from the photo.

comment



Homecoming in 1916

Football players may have had different uniforms and a little less protection back in 1916 when this photo was taken, but they had the same look of determination in their eyes. This East Jordan High School team clearly intends to win.

The game was still young, and although sanctioned under the predecessor of the Michigan High School Athletic Association, mothers could still expect, after any game, to take their football heroes to the doctor for stitches, setting of broken bones or worse!

It was a game, said Saginaw principal Frank Sage in 1896, "which at best leaves each player with every inch of his body bruised and sore, and many with faces so disfigured that they are not fit to be seen . . . I have personally noticed the accounts of the killing of three young men this season, and have been told of as many more."



Swan City Memories

Photo courtesy of Portside Art and Historical Society

EVEN WITH the new addition of leather helmets, young football players kept their hair in the stylish 'chrysanthemum mop.' Many players claimed the shaggy long hair protected their heads from injury. The identifications as they appear on the back of the photo are (back row, left): Wells (sic), H. Nachazel, Don Porter, Merle Jones, B. Cross, (middle) L. LaLonde, Wes Woods, Basil Cummins, H. Milford, Lyle Jepson, L. Shanequit, D. Shanequit, (front) Fred Griffin, C. Fousch, W. Fowler, and Dick Dickens.

editorial

A newspaper in town

East Jordan, you have your own newspaper!

Since 1968, East Jordan has been part of a chorus of many other voices (getting less and less coverage as years went by) in northern Michigan newspapers.

But East Jordan has its own voice again – in the *East Jordan Journal* – here to record the people and events that matter. From the mayor to the kindergarten child, from the president of the board to the blushing bride – East Jordan is people doing things that matter!

From birth to death, the lives of the citizens of the East Jordan area have given life to this publication. We stand prepared to plunge into the future together.

In your weekly newspaper, you can expect to see:

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- feature stories – positive news about you and your neighbors
- sports – reports on school and community teams
- opinion – the ideas of you and your neighbors
- regular features – from county and city reports, to what books to read, to great new recipes, all with a personalized East Jordan view
- and much more!

Our pledge to you is a newspaper that takes an active role in supporting this community through responsible journalism.

Stop in and inspect our new home (Main and Esterly streets, at the back of the building). We are here to serve your needs, listen to your ideas, and to give a voice, strong and clear, to East Jordan.

Chamber extends thank you for Express hospitality

ON BEHALF OF the East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce, I would like to extend a very special thank you to Tina Malpass and Francis Themm, owners of the Jordan Valley Express, for sponsoring our recent Business After Hours on Sept. 21.

A wonderful turnout of Chamber members enjoyed the spectacular Jordan Valley Express entertainment center for an evening of socializing and meeting new friends. Guests feasted on a delicious hors d'oeuvres presentation

prepared by Tina Malpass. A country line dance routine was graciously taught to guests by house instructor Lyn Ann Reid. Jerry Dugan provided an evening of fabulous music for the event.

East Jordan is very proud and fortunate to be the home of the Jordan Valley Express- largest dance floor east of the Mississippi. Once again, thank you to Tina and Fran for sponsoring this memorable evening!

Mary H. Facula
Executive Director

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law & order

Noise and junk cause problems for neighbors

BY DEB SAYGERS HOBBS
Journal Editor

A Milton Street resident approached the East Jordan City Council at the Sept. 21 meeting with another complaint about noise in his neighborhood.

Fred Ingram, who has made similar appeals before, asked council to do something about the outside fighting, bad language, and late-night parties of his neighbors. He has also reported their behavior to the

police department.

Ingram's complaint was endorsed by neighbor Howard Hosler of Mary Street, who told the council, "I'm madder than hell."

Hosler said the problems are caused by absentee landlords and the lack of building inspections by the city. He feels that some of the occupants of nearby buildings do not have minimum standard living conditions.

"They don't even have sinks," Hosler asserted.

"We have no qualified inspector presently," Mayor Russ Peck conceded.

City attorney Scott Beatty told Ingram to continue filing complaints with the police, assuring him it does have an effect. He said every time the city prosecutes an individual on criminal ordinances, the judge levies stiffer punishments.

Hosler said the health department doesn't follow up on complaints either. He said he recently killed a rat by his house, caused by the junk around the offending property.

Council member Greg Chappuies requested EJPD cite both the building owners and occupants for junk violations.

Hosler just shook his head.

"They're running the whole area," he said. "We just wait for stuff to happen."

Smoke damage darkens city home

BY DEB SAYGERS HOBBS
Journal Editor

A home on Second Street in East Jordan suffered extensive smoke damage when a flammable liquid spilled and caught fire in the basement.

Some family members were home when the spill occurred Sept. 22, but escaped without injury. Fire chief Tony Postmus surmised the spill was caused by a child or pet accidentally knocking the canister containing the liquid from a work bench to the floor. Investigators believe the fumes were ignited by the pilot light of the water heater.

The residents left the house and called the fire department from a neighbor's. Postmus said the flames were quickly extinguished and caused minor damage to the basement and kitchen.

Unfortunately, Postmus explained, flammable liquids burn hot and fast, rapidly producing thick, black smoke.

"Firefighters worked hard against heavy odds," Postmus said, but the source of the fire made preventing the spread of smoke impossible. Both the first and second floors were smoke damaged.

Although the investigation is not yet complete, Postmus is confident the mishap was an accident. He said the family, who purchased the home recently, expects a quick resolution with their insurance settlement and hopes to move back in soon.

About those photos . . .

This newspaper accepts clear photographs (color or black & white) for possible publication. However, readers should know that:

1) Because of related costs, photographs are placed AS SPACE PERMITS.

2) Once they appear in the paper, photographs can be picked up at the office they were submitted to.

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Police investigate marina boat theft

The East Jordan Police Department is investigating reports that two boats moored at Four Seasons Marina were broken into over the weekend of Sept. 24-25.

Police were informed Sept. 26 that several fishing poles and tackle boxes filled with tackle were taken from the boats.

The complaint is open and under investigation. Anyone with information is asked to contact the East Jordan Police Department at 536-2273.

Woman involved in one-car crash

The Antrim County Sheriff Department believes alcohol was a factor in a single car accident on M-66 in Mancelona, Sept. 25.

Bonnie Lewis, 29, of East Jordan apparently fell asleep or passed out at the wheel and struck a guard rail along the shoulder of the road, according to deputies.

Lewis sustained minor injuries, but refused treatment at the scene and when transported to Munson Medical Center in Traverse City.

Lewis was issued a citation for OUIL.



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Treasurer faces charges of embezzlement

The treasurer of Wilson Township faces felony embezzlement charges after she was accused of taking almost \$89,000 from a township tax account.

Sharon K. Pittiglio of Dietz Road was arraigned in 90th District Court, Charlevoix, Sept. 27. The Charlevoix County Sheriff Department was informed by Robert Clark, an agent for the Michigan Department of Treasury, that a review of disbursements from a township tax account revealed more than 60 unauthorized canceled checks.

Clark found the checks were all written by or to Pittiglio. When the checks were presented to Pittiglio, she identified 58 of them. She is accused of cashing the \$88,812 worth of checks for her own personal use. The felony charge carries a possible 10 years in prison or \$5,000 fine.

Pittiglio has been a Wilson Township resident for 13 years and township treasurer since 1988. She was employed by Coldwell Banker Realtors in Charlevoix the last two years and has no prior arrests.

Pittiglio is free on a personal recognizance bond, awaiting a preliminary examination scheduled for Tues., Oct. 18.

EJ City Council briefs From the Sept. 21 meeting

■ The council authorized fire chief Tony Postmus to shift \$5,400 from the fire department line item budget to pay for repairs on the front line pumper. Postmus said the pumper was operating at only 80 percent capacity and needed to be repaired immediately.

"My fear is that it wouldn't service a large or industrial building," said Postmus. The backup pumper, which is due to be replaced within a few years, also does not perform to original specifications.

The repairs will take the pumper out of service for about one day. Postmus said he will alert neighboring departments when the pumper is down to make certain of sufficient coverage in case of fire.

■ The council discussed ways to deal with antiquated sewer pipes and residences on the border of mandated sewer hook-ups. Part of the discussion concerned which parties would be responsible for payment of repairs or hook-ups.

The particular residential area in question, the vicinity of Nichols and Second streets, is considered too shallow in elevation for sewer lines, and some of the residences are further from main lines than the 200-foot allowance for mandatory hook-up.

The matter was referred to the DPW committee for further research.

■ Council member Ruth Gee noted the burned house on Garfield Street was finally demolished.

"I'm so thankful the house is down," she told council.

■ A payment of \$48,690 was authorized to Ryba Marine for dredging of the marina. The work is expected to be completed soon.

Open gym starts

The Community Education-sponsored Monday Night Open Gym will begin Oct. 10, from 7 to 9 p.m. at the East Jordan Middle School gym.

This program is for adults only. There is a \$1 nightly admission charge.

police/court

East Jordan Police Dept. weekly report

■ Sept. 21

Theo Jeffrey, East Jordan, reported his vehicle was backed into while parked at Dr. Kempton's office on Main Street.

■ Sept. 22

David Russell, Jr., East Jordan, struck a gas pump at the E-Z Mart on Water Street. Russell's tire ran up over the curb, and he struck the pump as he tried to pull away. There was no damage to the vehicle and minor damage to the pump.

■ Sept. 23

The department investigated a report of forgery at FMB Northwestern Bank. After further investigation, a 17-year-old East Jordan youth was arrested and transported to the Charlevoix County Sheriff Department where he was lodged on the offenses of uttering and publishing a forged document and larceny in a building.

East Jordan resident Angela Fuller reported her vehicle struck while parked at Dave's Service on Main Street.

■ Sept. 24

Ellsworth resident Sara Essenberg was attempting

to park her vehicle in the Ben Franklin lot when she struck a parked car owned by John Eaton of Oshtemo.

Recent district court

The following cases were recently decided by visiting judge Thomas Smith in the 90th District Court, Charlevoix:

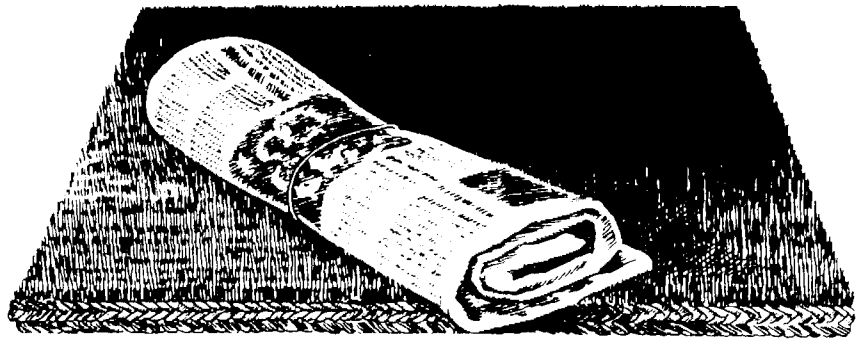
• Shirley Alice Cornstalk, 51, East Jordan, was sentenced to 30 days in jail for retail fraud. Arrested Sept. 24 by EJPD.

• David Leo Dubey, 39, M-32, East Jordan, was sentenced to 10 days community service; fined \$860; license suspended six months; and placed on probation two years for driving under the influence, and driving without insurance. Arrested May 23 by the Charlevoix County Sheriff Department.

• Ivan Wayne Wasageshik, 31, Bowen St., East Jordan, was sentenced to 30 days in jail; fined \$910; and ordered to pay \$200 court appointed attorney fee and \$360 probation oversight costs for assault and battery. Arrested May 21 by EJPD.

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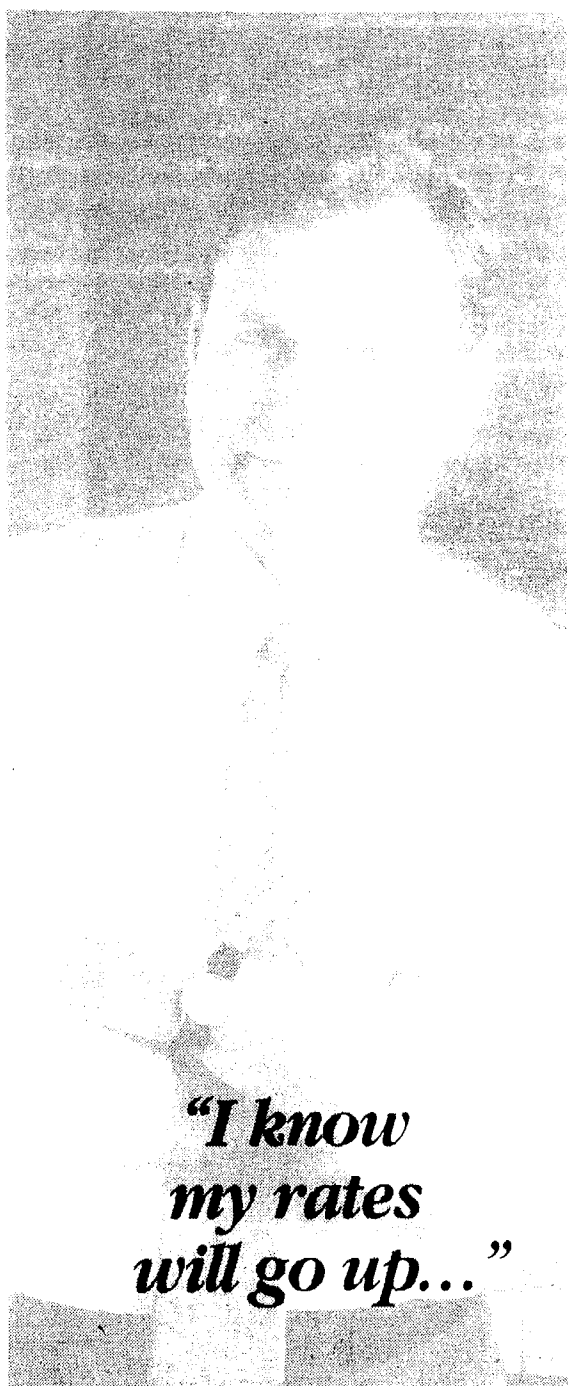
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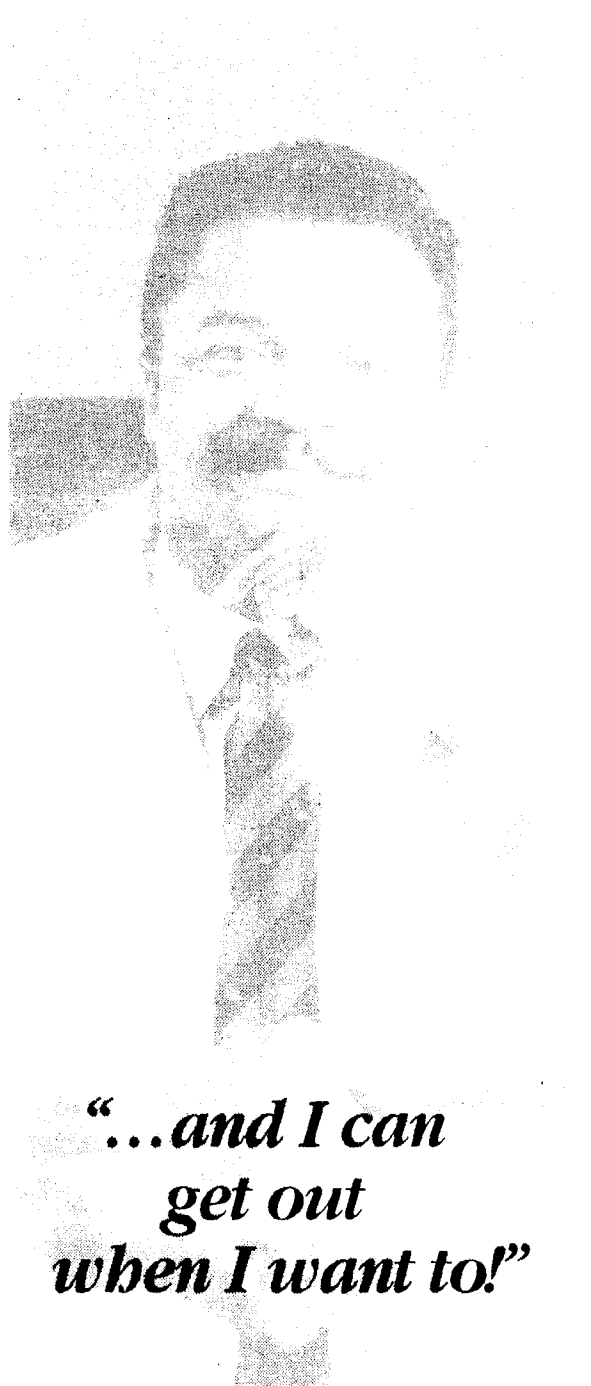


Future scientists

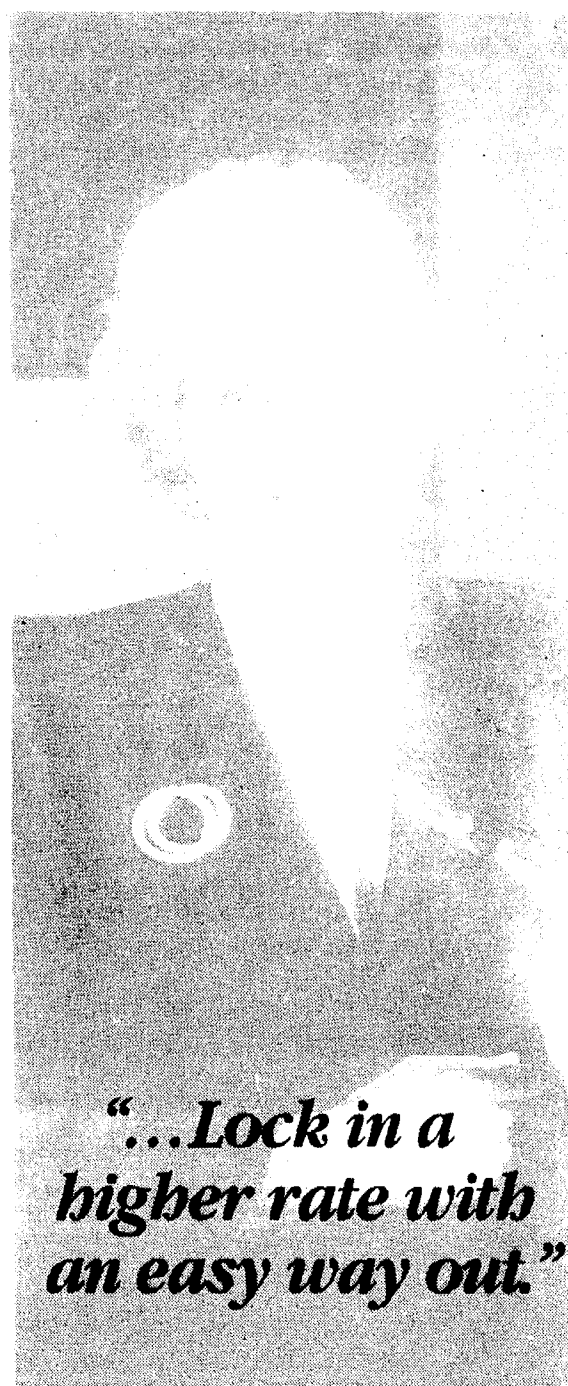
East Jordan ninth-grader Rebekah Fuller (right) was among 85 students from across Michigan selected to participate in the University of Michigan Summerscience program. The young women explored projects in space science, physics, chemistry and engineering/optics during their two-week stay on the Ann Arbor campus. They also used computers to run experiments, graph results and write scientific reports, and attended evening seminars on scientific ethics and careers. Joining Rebekah for the photo are Karen Dise of Bridgeport (left), and Angela Zubeck of Roscommon.



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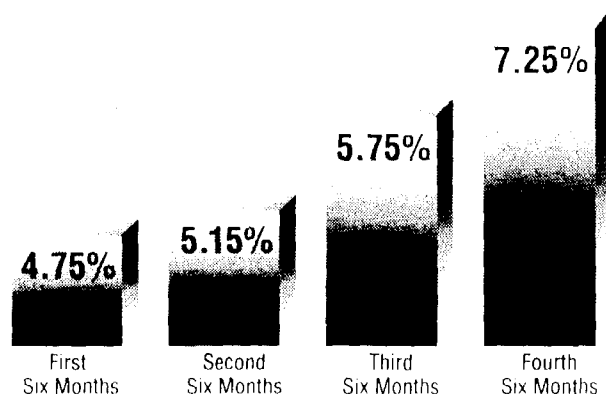
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Our first recipe is a cheese dip. This recipe was given to us by a family member from Toledo. It's a very big hit with our families — we hope you and yours enjoy it too!

Halftime Dip

1 small can Hormel chili, no beans 8 oz. Velveeta cheese
1/2 jar mild salsa (or to taste)
Simmer til melted and heated through. Serve with nacho or corn chips.

If you are asked to bring a main dish, we have a twist on Mexican and Italian. It's called Taco Lasagna and serves 10-12. You'll score big points with this one.

Taco Lasagna

2 lbs. ground beef 2-1.25 oz. pkgs. taco season. mix
4 cloves crushed garlic 1/2 tsp. cayenne pepper
1 1/2 c. water 1 tbsp. commmeal
2 pkg. corn tortillas (10-12 each) 1 jar (24 oz) salsa
1 c. sliced green onions
16 oz. sour cream mixed with 1 tbsp. chili powder
3 c. shredded Monterey Jack Cheese 3 c. shredded Cheddar Cheese

Preheat oven to 375°F. In large saucepan, cook beef until brown and drain well. Add taco seasoning, garlic, cayenne pepper and water. Simmer uncovered for 10 minutes. Set aside. Sprinkle commmeal in bottom of 9" x 13" pan. Place 6 tortillas in bottom of pan overlapping and extending up edges slightly.

Layer in the following order:

1 c. salsa — 1/2 of meat mixture (about 2 cups) — 1/2 c. green onions — 1 c. sour cream mixture — 2 c combined cheeses

Repeat starting again with 6 tortillas, salsa, meat, green onions, sour cream and 2 cups of cheese. Place 6 tortillas and remaining salsa on top. Bake for 40 minutes. Remove and sprinkle with remaining cheese. Bake an additional 10 minutes or until cheese is melted. Let stand 10 minutes before serving.

From Pampered Chef, Ltd.

Now for the best part — dessert! Wa all love this cake. It is so yummy, you just won't believe it came out of your kitchen and not a bakery.

Ho Ho Cake

1 Devils Food Cake Mix (not pudding type)
Mix as directed. Pour into jelly roll pan (greased and floured)
Bake 12-15 minutes. Let cool.

Frosting

1 c. milk 5 Tbs. flour
Cook til stiff like paste. Let cool.
1 c. shortening 1 stick margarine
1 c. sugar 2 tsp. vanilla
Beat together until fluffy. Add flour and milk mixture gradually.
Put on cool cake.
2 oz. unsweetened chocolate 2 tsp. margarine
4 tbs. boiling water

Combine chocolate and margarine. Add boiling water to melt chocolate mixture. Add 2 cups powdered sugar and more water if needed. Stir and drizzle over cake.

Touchdown! We've covered appetizer, main course and dessert. All you need are a few friends, a game and some beautiful, crisp Michigan fall weather!

New cooking feature begins

Have a hankering for a midnight snack? Or maybe you're ready to roll up your sleeves to prepare a full-blown seven-course dinner.

Well, if you need ideas for getting down and dirty in the kitchen, welcome to our new cooking feature. We will

present a variety of cooking finds, developed in East Jordan kitchens, often with a special EJ flavor.

You'll find our cooks' ideas are never-ending, so look for their special touch today and in upcoming issues of the *Journal*.

what's cooking?

Football — yuk! Football parties — yeah!

With football season in full swing, if you aren't a fan of the game at least you can enjoy the parties. Today we offer you three very easy but delicious recipes to get you through the season.

COOKS' NOTE: *As you may have noticed, we have no byline. We've asked to remain anonymous. If you do discover our identities, please be kind! We hope you enjoy our recipes; look for us next week.*

Autumn fest has air rides, arts, crafts and antiques

The Central Lake Chamber of Commerce will present Color Tours, the annual one-day autumn festival, Sat., Oct. 8.

Activities begin at 9 a.m. in Thurston Park on East State Street, and last through the day until 5 p.m. There will be a variety of things to do, including games for kids (11 a.m. to 3 p.m.), and fantastic "fire house" chili, hot dogs

and homemade pie to eat. Shoppers can browse for arts and crafts, antiques, produce, or at a flea market.

The feature of the day is the tours — take in the vistas on a seaplane ride for \$10 (available throughout the day), or plan a trolley excursion to witness the magnificent colors the area has to offer. Trolley tours leave the park at 12:30 and 2 p.m. and cost \$4 per person.



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Peter S. Armstrong, M.D.

Radiation oncologist joins hospital staff

Peter S. Armstrong, M.D., has recently joined Burns Clinic and Northern Michigan Hospital in the Department of Radiation Oncology.

Dr. Armstrong holds a bachelor of science degree from the University of Colorado. He received his M.D. from the Abraham Lincoln School of Medicine at the University of Illinois. He completed his training at the Vermont Medical Center and the Hines V.A. Clinic.

He has been board certified by the American Board of Radiology in Therapeutic Radiology since 1984. Dr. Armstrong was also a cancer committee chairman at the Covenant Medical Center from 1988-1992.

Most recently, Dr. Armstrong was a radiation oncologist at the Covenant Cancer Treatment Center in Waterloo, Iowa. Prior to his post in Iowa, he was medical director in radiation oncology at the Covenant Medical Center in Urbana, Illinois. Dr. Armstrong was also a clinical instructor at the University of Illinois Medical School in Urbana between 1983 and 1992.

Dr. Armstrong is married, and has three children. To reach Dr. Armstrong in the Department of Radiation Oncology, please call (616) 348-4209.

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Arts council president named

Echo Township resident Howard Ellis was elected to serve as Jordan River Arts Council president for the fiscal year beginning Oct. 1. Ellis replaces Frank Hasseld, whose term on the board of directors was completed.

Ellis, who served two previous terms as president, has been active in organizing arts exhibits for Jordan River Arts Center and Memorial Park free shows sponsored by the council. He also planned and promoted a series of coffee houses which proved popular during the winter months.

He was not only producer, but actor, for several plays presented by the Jordan River Players, the theatrical arm of the council, and he sings with the council's Jordan River Community Chorus.

A social worker for Northern Michigan Community Mental Health, Ellis is a home outreach child and family worker for Charlevoix and Otsego counties.

Other officers are Claudia Laursen, first vice president in charge of finance; Karen Walker, second vice president in charge of membership; Jeannie Buick, secretary,

and Marge Teske, treasurer.

John Burt and Rod Tinney make up the house committee which maintains the council's building at 301 N. Main Street in East Jordan. Carol Huckle and Lenore Bechtel will handle public relations.

Board of director members starting new terms are Nancy Carey, Joel Evans and Fran Pletz. Cathy Bowerman and Caul Bluhm will serve as student representatives, and Mary Lou Smith will continue as a board member.

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Under the profiling system, new claimants for unemployment compensation will be screened and determined if they are likely candidates to exhaust jobless benefits. A statistical model using such factors as education, job tenure, former industry, former occupation and unemployment rate will be used.

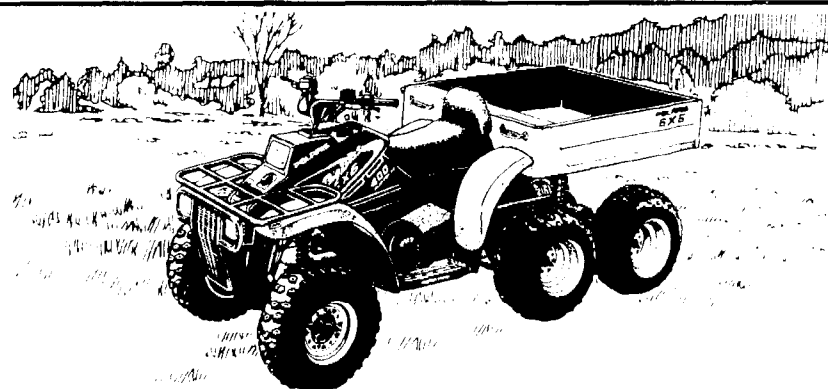
Those persons deemed

likely to exhaust UI benefits will be referred to a weekly orientation session at their local MESC office. From there, they will be referred to one of the state's 27 Service Delivery Areas for reemployment services.

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By Anne F. Messerschmidt

Some reflections on pastors, teachers

"Greater is He that is in you, than he that is in the world." 1 John 04:04

Meditating and musing are among my favorite pastimes. Today, I'm thinking about how the world measures importance in terms of accomplishments.

We don't have to answer to the world for our accomplishments, for all we are and do comes from God and He is the higher judge. The blueprint for God's expectations is found in His Holy Word, the Bible.

Our pastors are men of God and help their congregations to discern God's word, adhere to the teachings, and so be obedient and fruitful.

Evangelists and missionaries are also people of God who teach us His Word. There are excellent men

and women who are Sunday school teachers, as well. "Behold God exalteth by His power: who teacheth like Him? Job 36:22

Many missionaries and their families risk their lives, especially in countries full of political strife, poverty, and epidemics of cholera and other diseases caused by inadequate sanitation and lack of medication.

Do you realize that in our modern world there are still countries employing spiritualism, voodooism, occult and even cannibalism? Old beliefs are difficult to eliminate, but God commands men to go to the ends of the world and preach the Gospel. All of our congregations should willingly support these deputations.

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We are to hear, study and apply God's Holy Word and be obedient. It takes patience, time and energy but the advantages and results are life-saving. If we run the race, we will receive a crown, and a mansion is waiting in Heaven. All this if we accept salvation.

Pastors and other Christian leaders are chosen by God to further His kingdom. Each saved individual is to spread the Good News - we, too, are teachers.

Anne Messerschmidt is a 73-year-old "joyous Christian." Readers can expect to see more of her writings in future issues.

Belltower starts Pioneer Clubs

Belltower Reformed Church (corner of Church and Essex roads) is launching weekly Pioneer Clubs Tues., Oct. 11, 7-8:30 p.m. Pioneer Clubs is an interdenominational boys and girls club ministry that originated in Wheaton, Ill. over 50 years ago. Now there are more than 3,900 churches throughout the world that incorporate it in their ministry to children.

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Pre-registration is suggested, but not mandatory. Call Mia Welscott at 588-2206 or Kari Groll, 599-2892 for more information.

Correction

Tyler Ralph Cabic, born Sept. 2, 1994, weighed 9 lbs., 6 oz. His weight was incorrectly reported.

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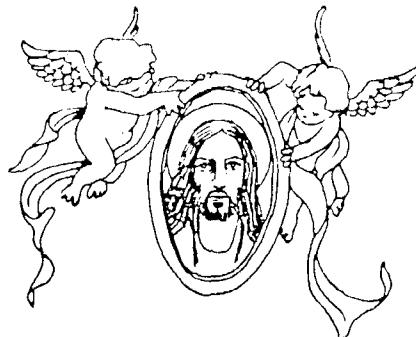
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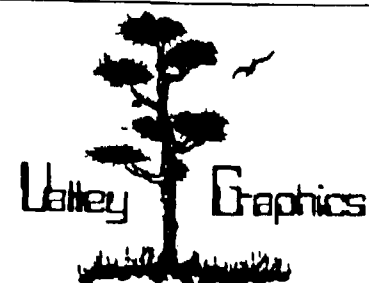
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The *East Jordan Journal* was launched two years ago, and it's been a challenging, exciting, and always interesting 104 issues.

Making front page headlines in that Oct. 7, 1992, landmark publication were opening ceremonies of the city's newest facility – a state of the art sports complex. Nearly 2,000 people attended the dedication of Boswell Stadium at East Jordan High School to celebrate the occasion. An accompanying photograph showed Amy and Julie Mickey singing the National Anthem.

Since that auspicious beginning, the *Journal* has had the privilege of recording many important moments in the lives of East Jordan area readers.

Now, as we begin our third year, we have another landmark to celebrate – the opening of our new office at Main and Esterly streets in the heart of downtown East Jordan. During our birthday and grand opening bash this week, Wednesday through Friday, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., we hope many of you will drop by and say hello.

More importantly, we hope that with your support, we may continue the *Journal* tradition as we approach the dawn of a new millennium – and far beyond!

business

Torch adds a new press to operations

Torch Printing, a subsidiary of Up North Publications (parent company to *The Torch* and *East Jordan Journal*), has added a new press to its operations.

The Toko 4700 press gives expanded versatility to the printing quality already available. It is an "in-between" press, according to head printer Terry Donaldson, handling sizes up to 12 by 18-inch sheets, while other presses are limited to 10 by 14 and 17.5 by 22.5-inch paper. The Toko handles from 3,300 to 10,000 sheets per hour.

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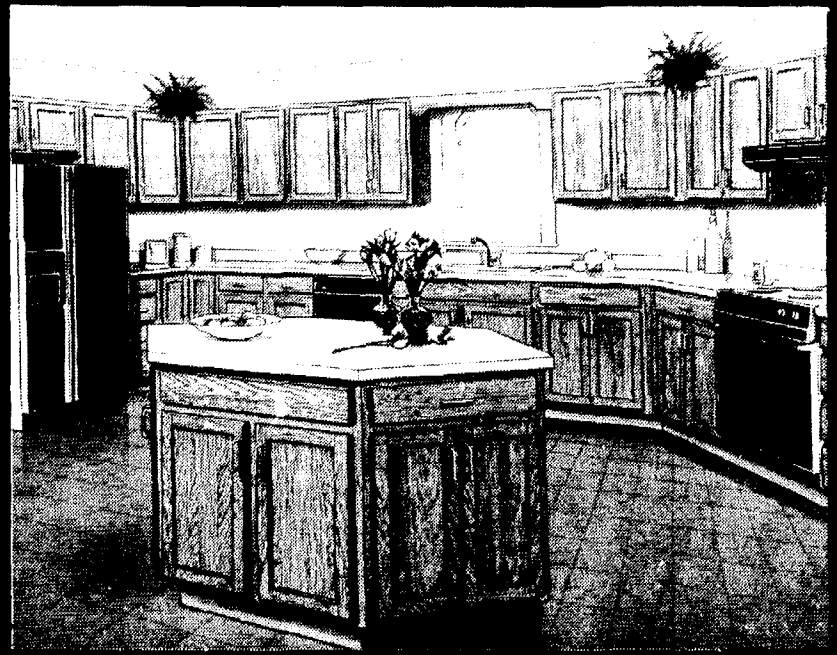
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Express hosts "Ultimate Cowgirl"

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Miss Michigan 1992

Terri Sue Liford will serve as master of ceremonies at the event. Liford is a junior high teacher in Traverse City.

At the same time she was a Miss Michigan contestant, Liford learned she had Hodgkin's disease, cancer of the lymphatic system. Forced by her

medical treatments to wear a wig, she went on to win the pageant and compete for the Miss America crown.

After intense treatment, her cancer is now in remission.

The "Ultimate Cowgirl" attracts many con-

testants who compete in modeling country fashions. The winner will go on to compete in Lansing, and could be chosen to represent Michigan at the U.S. finals in Nashville in December. Among the national prizes is a part in a country music video.

Support group offers education

The Petoskey Area Parkinson's Disease Support Group is sponsoring a Special Educational Day on Parkinson's Disease, Sat., Oct. 8, from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

The meeting will be held in the Student Center of North Central Michigan College in

Petoskey.

Richard C. Berchou, Pharm.D. and Vicki L. Berchou, R.N. will provide information on the latest treatment and research of Parkinson's Disease and on medication issues. Both are experts in the field.

The Petoskey Par-

kinson's Disease Support Group is part of the Friendship Center Respite program. The respite program is funded in part by a grant from the Health Resource Services Administration and County Mileage.

This conference is made possible in part

through an Educational Grant from DuPont Pharmaceutical and Sandoz Pharmaceutical.

For more information and to register, please call the Petoskey Friendship Center at 616-347-3211 and ask for Alcione Wright.

Band to perform in Traverse City

The East Jordan High School Marching Band will participate in the Michigan School Band and Orchestra Association District II Marching Band Exposition on Mon., Oct. 10, at Traverse City's Thirlby Field.

The exposition is unique because it is a non-competitive, non-rated event that allows students from the district's marching bands see what the other bands are doing.

The expo is an opportunity for band members to perform in a non-

threatening atmosphere—students supporting students.

The expo is set to begin at 6 p.m. Some of the other bands included in the field of participating

schools are Central Lake/Ellsworth, Mancelona, Gaylord, Elk Rapids, Bellaire, Onaway, Petoskey, Cadillac, and Traverse City. Band performance times were not

announced at press time. A \$1 donation is usually requested at the gate.



Auxiliary Christmas Bazaar

The Jordan Valley Ladies Auxiliary, VFW Post 7580 will hold their annual Christmas Bazaar and Bake Sale, Sat., Oct. 15, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Many handmade items will be available, as well as food and new ideas. Tables are available for \$10, but are going fast.

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Red Devils face first loss of season

BY S.F. PUCKETT
Sports Writer

A sterling evening by Yaro Middaugh and the East Jordan team turned into a tarnished moment early in the fourth quarter, leading to the first loss of the season for East Jordan on the gridiron, 20-6 to TC St. Francis.

An enthusiastic throng greeted the homestanding Red Devils upon entering Boswell field, and those fans got the first chance to cheer as Josh Spears and A.O. Woods combined to lead the Devil defense to a stop of the Glads on their first possession. Matt Sherman and Adam Skrocki ignited the defense the next time for East Jordan to keep the Gladiators short on fourth and inches.

Then came the offense, East Jordan began its best drive with 34 yards the pass from Karl Redmer to Adam Skrocki. The following toss to Yaro Middaugh was good for six, and Matt Sherman added a couple, and Middaugh finished to drive with a 16-yard scamper to daylight opened up by the left side of the line.

The touchdown was followed by a fake PAT kick, which the Glads stopped to keep the Devils lead to 6-0.

East Jordan continued to kick away or out of bounds on punts, this time the Glads setting up at the Devil 46, and eight plays later breaking the plane of the goal line to tie the game. Their PAT made it through even after a five yard penalty to give St. Francis the lead, 7-6.

The score remained that way throughout the third period, East Jordan with the best drive of the quarter, moving to the Gladiator 18-yard line to face fourth and three. A bootleg run lost two yards, stopping the drive.

Then came the turning points of the game. On second down, Cory Cutler took the ball and heaved an option pass to Steve Wiltfong, open behind the defense. The ball hit Wiltfong's hands, bounced up, hit his hand again, bounced up, hit his hand a third time - and was swiped off the hand to the ground by the defender.

Two plays later, East Jordan punted to the hands of Jeff Kemner of St. Francis. Big time goaf.

Kemner avoided three early tackles, went right to the boundary, moved up, then suddenly burst back to the left and across the field on the diagonal, taking a 78-yard jaunt to the end zone and tearing open the hearts of Red Devils fans in the process.

The PAT made it 14-6, East Jordan with time and the ball in the fourth.

The Red Devils began to chew up yardage, 20 yards passed to Wiltfong, a six yard Redmer scramble, Yaro for 15, and the Devils were at the Glads 35 and looking to even things up.

The next pass did not exactly go where it was planned. It did go in the direction of the receiver, but about five yards short of where he was, and exactly where the defender was: interception, TC St. Francis ball.

Seven plays later, Joe Esper covered Jeff Kemners fumble on the goal line for the last score of the game, St. Francis winning 20-6 to take control of the Lake Michigan football race.

Yaro Middaugh finished with 108 yards on the ground, Adam Skrocki had 77 in the air from Redmer.



EAST JORDAN HIGH SCHOOL cross country runner Andrew Otis, one of the members of this year's strong EJ boys team, took a respectable ninth place in the Petoskey Invitational Sept. 24, with a 17.30.

EJ ladies battle Ellsworth, Charlevoix

BY S.F. PUCKETT
Sports Writer

A trip West may be fine for young men, but a trip to the west side of Michigan for East Jordan was anything but a trip into paradise.

Sept. 27 was a walk on the Lancer side of things, Ellsworth proving to be harsh hosts. East Jordan and the Lancers traded early baskets proving to be harsh hosts. East Jordan and the Lancers traded early baskets before a 9-0 run by the Lancers was stopped by Amanda Pepin's scoring. By quarters end, the Red Devils faced the low end of the 21-6 score.

Mandy Reid's shot followed by a pair

from Cathleen King, a Kristina Ruhling bucket and another Reid score highlighted the second period for East Jordan as they picked up a point on Ellsworth to trail just 34-20 at the break with a glimmer of hope attached.

Ellsworth came out strong, took an 18-10 third quarter advantage and rode home on the result, 67-44 victory.

Amanda Pepin scored 22 overall for East Jordan, Mandy Reid contributing 10. Angie Peterson led the Lancers with 27 points.

Ellsworth won the JV game, despite 14 from Kyle Krause and 11 from Jenny Goebel, by a 45-35 margin.

Thursday, the Red Devils kept scarring the Red Rayders by hanging close,

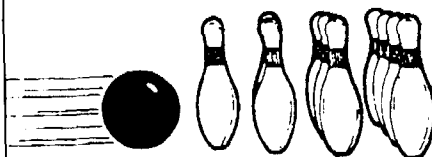
slipping back, hanging close, slipping back, and getting run over in the final period.

Charlevoix led 17-12 after a quarter, 34-27 after the half. The margin was a mere 10, 49-39, entering the final period when turnovers did in the rally. Charlevoix tallied a 25-8 edge to win easily, 74-47.

Amanda Pepin topped the Devil charts again with 16 points and a dozen rebounds, Kristina Ruhling following with 13 points and 14 rebounds.

Sara Malpass had a rock-solid 10, but that did not stop the Red Rayders from winning at the JV level 33-28.

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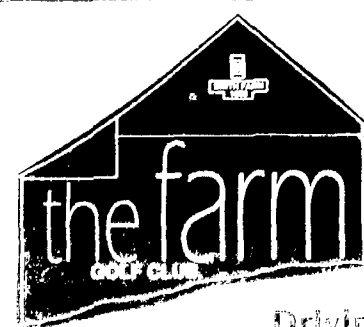
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Computer skills course offered

East Jordan Community Education is offering an eight-week beginner computer skills course.

The participants will learn the basics about computer systems and how they operate. Time will also be spent on DOS commands, Microsoft Windows and Microsoft Works. Classes meet on Tuesdays from 6-9 p.m., beginning Oct. 18. The course fee is \$55. Pre-registration is required. Call 536-2250 for information or to pre-register.



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Drivers be alert — whitetails are on the move

Along with the beauty of falling leaves, Michigan roadsides are noted for deer at this time of year. That means an increased risk of vehicle-deer crashes now through the end of the year, Secretary of State Richard H. Austin reminded motorists.

Although the deer herd has declined 15 percent from a peak of 2 million in 1989, Michigan residents still reported over 47,000 deer-related crashes in 1993, according to the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR) and State Police.

Statewide, five motorists died in deer-related crashes in 1993 and 1,472 were injured, the agencies reported.

"We know that more than half of all vehicle-deer crashes occur in three months: October, November and December," said Austin. "We advise motorists to remain in their lane and stay on the road if they spot a deer. Leaving the roadway makes rolling the vehicle or colliding with trees and other stationary objects much more likely."

Colliding head-on with a deer is generally less dangerous than swerving to avoid one, provided all vehicle occupants are using safety belts and child safety seats, Austin said. In a frontal collision, air bags offer supplemental protection to safety belts for front-seat passengers.

For safe autumn driving:

- If you see a deer crossing sign, be very cautious; perhaps due to woods, crops or water, deer are known to frequent this area.

- Statistics indicate vehicle-deer crashes are most frequent between 5 and 8 p.m. During these dusk-to-twilight hours, turn on your headlights to better spot deer.

- Slow down where crops, woods or other tall vegetation grow close to the road.

- Slow down but do not leave your traffic lane or the

roadway if you see a deer. Always look for a second or third deer following the first, as deer often travel in small groups.

- Scan the roadsides some distance ahead as you drive. You can often spot dark figures or glinting eyes and slow down early, to avoid a surprise encounter with deer.

If a vehicle-deer crash occurs, the motorist should report it to the nearest police agency. If damage appears to exceed \$400, the crash must be reported to police under Michigan law. A police agency may issue a Highway Killed Deer Permit, allowing the driver to claim the carcass.



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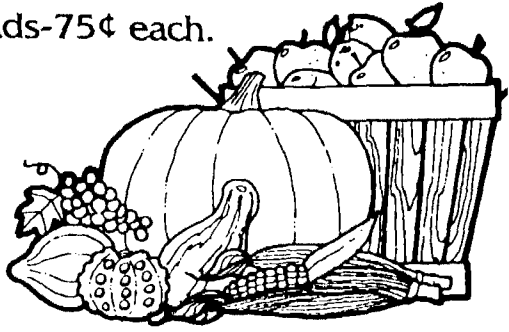
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AUCTION - Contents of Unit #14 belonging to Jeff Steele, Unit #34-Nikki Phillips, and Unit #45-Viola Merkle. Sale to be held at Torch Storage, Rapid City Road, Rapid City at 10 a.m. Oct. 22. t/c40-6-42-2tc

Workers' views differ from owners'

The Michigan Jobs Commission recently surveyed 700 Michigan workers to gain a better understanding of their perspectives on a variety of issues including business climate, regulatory environment and job security.

This latest survey complements a series of focus groups and a survey of 5,000 Michigan business owners. While the results of the worker survey are still preliminary, some interesting contrasts are developing. They include:

- 56 percent of Michigan workers feel the overall business climate is positive, compared to only 21 percent of business owners surveyed.

- 40 percent of Michigan workers rated the overall regulatory environment positive, com-

pared to 11 percent of business owners surveyed.

- 73 percent of Michigan workers feel regulations are necessary and helpful; almost the same percentage of business owners surveyed felt most state regulations and laws make it more difficult to operate a business in Michigan profitably.

- 98 percent of workers surveyed obtained their jobs by means other than through a public placement agency.

- 44 percent of workers surveyed are involved in some type of teamwork (quality circle, continuous improvement, production, etc.) and these

people feel they have input into their company's decision making. Individuals not involved in teamwork feel they have very little input.

- More than one-half of those surveyed feel secure in their jobs.

- Most of those sur-

veyed view changes in the economy more threatening to their jobs than changes in technology.

- Nearly three-quarters of those surveyed have improved their skills through additional education and training since entering the job market.

death notice

Edith J. Seeley Conant

Edith J. Seeley Conant, 58, of Bellaire died Wed., Sept. 28, 1994, at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey.

Funeral services were held Fri., Sept. 30, at the Bellaire Chapel of Mortensen Funeral Homes. The Rev. Richard Powell officiated. Interment was in Lakeview Cemetery, Bellaire.

public notices

PROCEEDINGS OF THE EAST JORDAN CITY COUNCIL

The East Jordan City Council met in Regular Session, Tuesday, September 20, 1994 at 7:30 p.m., Mayor Peck presiding with all members of Council present except for Member Sineway. Minutes were approved and authorization was given to pay \$251,680.75 in bills as presented.

Further Council Action: awarded the bid of \$2,100.00 made by Beaver Island EMS for the 1985 surplus ambulance; granted the Chamber of Commerce permission to place cornstalks on Main Street light poles for the fall color tour season; amended the Zoning Map to reflect an approximate 13 acre C-1 zoned district next to Glen's Market; amended the Zoning Map to reflect a 190 x 110 Industrial Zoned parcel on S. Fourth Street and referred several issues to the DPW Committee for review and recommendation.

A copy of the above meeting minutes are posted in City Hall for review during normal office hours.

Kathy O'Rear
City Clerk

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NOTICE LAST DAY TO REGISTER

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF ELECTORS OF CITY OF EAST JORDAN, TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH ARM, CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN

All electors are hereby given notice that a General Election will be held in City of East Jordan, Township of South Arm, on Tuesday, November 8, 1994.

Electors who wish to vote in the primary election must be registered to vote no later than 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 11, 1994. To register, visit any Secretary of State branch office, the county clerk's office or the city/township clerk's office.

Electors who wish to register with the county or city/township clerk are advised to call ahead for location.

Kathy O'Rear, Clerk
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Commission reveals recommended charter

"We haven't reinvented the wheel ... we used guidelines that many others have found successful."

Charter commission member Dennis Jason, on the proposed East Jordan city charter

continued from front

Michigan have a city manager form of government," said Jason. The commission believes there is room within that form to allow individualization toward the city's needs.

The commission further recommends that the seven-member council be elected at large, rather than by wards. Each elected member would serve four years, rather than two, with elections taking place in odd years only, as required by state law.

"There will be one ward in the city," said Sheridan. "Every individual has seven representatives instead of just one or two."

Another major change would occur with the office of mayor. Under the proposed charter, the mayor is elected by council members from among themselves at an annual organizational meeting after general elections.

To be eligible, the mayor must have served at least one council term. The mayor's duties generally remain the same, with an equal voice within the council. A deputy mayor would be chosen in the same way.

Sheridan promised the transition between the two forms of government would keep those representatives already elected by the people for the full term.



THE DEDICATED members of the Charter Commission held an informational meeting on the proposed city charter. They are available for group and organization meetings to explain and discuss the document. From back row, left, they are: Jack Vincent, Joe Hammond, Harry Pearsall, Connie Roberts, Jeanette Norton, (front) Dennis Jason, Tom Sheridan, and Dorothy Archer. Commissioner Ray Fisher is missing.

Built-in charter review

Sheridan said the commission tried to create language that would not become obsolete the way the present charter did. But the group also provided for a 10-year review process, requiring the council to appoint a committee to study the charter in 2006 and every decade after.

With the review of the draft complete, the commission is preparing for a first submission to the state attorney general for approval. The draft is returned to

the commission with required changes, then sent to the governor's office.

After that paper circuit, the document will be published and a public hearing held for further input — then a second submission to the attorney general, and finally the general election.

"We haven't reinvented the wheel," said Jason. "We finessed this for East Jordan, but we used guidelines that many others have found successful."

East Jordan Journal opens doors

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The *Journal's* predecessor, the *East Jordan News*, was started "from scratch" by Marshall and Wilma Sayles 42 years ago. The following year, the couple purchased the *Charlevoix County Herald*, and for the next 14 years served both areas with the combined result: the *East Jordan News Herald*.

The paper was purchased by Gregg Smith in 1967 and combined with the *Boyer Citizen* in 1968, shortly before its demise, Wilma (today a Boyne City resident) said.

Up North Publications president John Tarrant said, "Opening this office reaffirms our commitment to provide the East Jordan area with its own newspaper. We intend to be the voice of the East Jordan area and

be part of the community."

The new *Journal* will continue its expanded emphasis on local coverage under the direction of Deb Saygers Hobbs, editor of *The Torch* and *Journal* since January 1994.

Serving the needs of advertising clients throughout the area will be Cyndi Husted. Lifetime East Jordan resident Jennifer Skrocki will handle office manager duties.

The *East Jordan Journal* is the fifth weekly newspaper in the Up North Publications group, which also includes the *Antrim County News*, *The Leader and Kalkaskian*, *The Town Meeting* and *The Torch*, as well as *The Penny Stretcher*, a shopping guide.



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