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OUR WEATHER

The first significant snowfall blanketed the county Friday night, following a day of continuous rain, and continued to sift down throughout the weekend. About three inches fell, but by Monday morning, less than an inch remained on the ground. Temperatures continued below normal, with daytime highs in the 30s and nighttime lows dipping to the upper 20s. Although a slight warming trend is predicted, it's starting to look like long-term predictions were right: There'll be no more Indian Summer for north country residents this year before the winter sets in for good. Total local snowfall to date: four and a half inches.

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EAST JORDAN EDITION

Peck re-elected mayor by EJ residents

BY DEB SAYGERS HOBBS
Contributing Writer

Former East Jordan Mayor Russ Peck will soon be appointed as mayor to fill the vacancy left by his own resignation.

Peck fended off a last minute challenge by write-in candidate Harry Watson.

Although Watson entered the race only a few weeks ago, the margin of victory for Peck was surprisingly slim.

Watson, also a former EJ mayor, received about 201 votes to Peck's 240. Another 22 votes went to other write-ins.

A number of East Jordan citizens approached Watson as a candidate when Peck angrily resigned his position Oct. 19. Before the incident, Peck had been running unopposed.

Three council seats were also decided in the Nov. 2 election.

Charlevoix County Snowmobile Council President Mike Dionne was edged out by Sherry Meredith Sineway for First Ward council seat. Sineway received 78 votes to Dionne's 51.

Sineway will take the seat of retiring First Ward member Russ Gee.

In the Second Ward, Jerry Cihak lost his seat to Brian Sweet, 64 to 70.

Cihak was appointed to the council Aug. 17 to replace Ralph Kitson. Kitson resigned in the aftermath of a controversial hearing involving city DPW foreman Butch Breakey.

Cihak was chosen for the vacancy because he won the most votes in the August primary for the seat. Sweet came in second in the primary.

Third Ward council member Lyle Etcher was narrowly re-elected with the vote 89 to 83. He also faced a strong write-in campaign.

Taking on the task of revising the city charter was approved by voters two to one.

The charter, written in 1911, has many out-dated guidelines.

A charter commission was elected to manage the overhaul. One of the issues the group will consider is whether to convert to a city manager form of government.

The nine commissioners (in order of votes received): Joseph Hammond, Tom Sheridan, Jack Vincent, Harry Pearshall, Ray Fisher, Connie Roberts, Dorothy Archer, Dennis M. Jason and Jeanette Norton.



The dream, the goal, the glory

Photos by Deb Saygers Hobbs

PRIDE RAN HIGH during last week's pep rally for the district's two outstanding fall teams — football and cross-country. Above, the cheerleaders boost others and are also recognized for their support and enthusiasm. Below, football coaches Allen Peterson (left) and Bob Rebec introduce the team that shattered school records with the winningest season ever.



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Well construction to begin soon in EJ

BY DEB SAYGERS HOBBS
Contributing Writer

East Jordan City Superintendent Bob Johnson reported on the progress of installation of a new city well at the Oct. 19 city council meeting.

Water well number 6 has been funded by the city budget, along with a federal community development block grant for \$154,000. The total cost of the project is \$254,000.

Johnson explained that municipal water systems require the protection of redundancy, or back-up systems to guarantee service. The west side has been lacking in the necessary redundancy.

The new well is the first step in alleviating the condition.

"Our goal is to eventually have a reservoir on the west side of the lake," Johnson said.

Well six was engineered in the fall of 1992 on a parcel on the south side of Ellsworth Road within the city limits. The parcel was acquired for the purpose of installing the well.

City council accepted bids to proceed with the work. McNeilly and Son Contracting of Farwell will construct the well housing. The city is hoping to have the housing and drilling completed this fall.

McNeilly will subcontract the drilling. The bid for the complete job was \$93,463.

Corvette Construction of Grawn will build the connecting water main at a cost of \$139,157. The construction of the water main is not expected to be delayed by weather conditions.

Timothy Roache, an engineer with Gosling Czubak Associates of Traverse City, was contracted by East Jordan to direct the project.

Roache said both companies are capable and qualified to do the work. Johnson will be meeting with representatives of both companies to arrange a project schedule.

READERS WRITE . . .

Thanks for a memorable night

THE EAST JORDAN Area Chamber of Commerce extends a warm thank you to Gary Roberts, Century 21 Realtor, and Ed and Connie Roberts of Ed's Used Cars for sponsoring our October 26th Business After Hours at Willies Up North.

The event was very special in that the Chamber welcomed Rod Benson, our new development coordinator, to the membership, and introduced the association of the Fabulous February Racing Series to our Sno-Blast '94 Winter Festival scheduled for January 21-23.

Several "first-time" guests were in attendance and the delicious hors d'oeuvres and hospitality provided by Chris, Debbie and staff of Willies Up North, was most appreciated. Also, special thanks to Joe Nye, line dance instructor at Willies, for taking time out of his busy schedule to teach the guests the "Cowboy Boogie."

It was an enjoyable evening "Out in the Country" for everyone!

Warmest regards,
Mary H. Faculak,
Executive Director

Churchill's Corner



What's
in a
name?

By Floyd Churchill,
A Pleasant Valley Original,
vintage 1911



ABLE TO TRACE a family history that spans centuries, Gaylord writer Floyd Churchill is pictured at his recent Hazel Park High School reunion with sister-in-law Helen (Dearing) Churchill. It was Floyd's 64th reunion, and he noted he was the only representative from the '20s.

I know genealogy can be boring as the dickens if you are not interested. However, the name Churchill seems to generate questions as to my ancestry. Here goes.

Josiah Churchill sailed over on the "Speedwell" in 1643. He had been a Red Coat soldier in the Pequot Indian Wars around Fairfield, Conn. He sailed to England, got his discharge, and came back to marry the Governor's daughter, Elizabeth Foote. Nathaneal Foote was the Governor.

I am ninth generation in this country and my computer tells me I have had 512 ancestors in the interim. That makes the Churchill genes very few and far between.

My great-grandfather and some brothers drove their cattle across the ice at Port Huron in 1836. Grandfather Norvell was born in Berlin Township in 1840, near Almont.

Back to the beginning. William The Conqueror brought three de Coreal Brothers from Normandy with him to the Battle of Hastings in 1066. He gave them English estates for their services. The name was later Anglicized to Churchill. At 30 years per generation, that makes it approximately 31 generations since The Hastings Battle.

It would take pages of who begat who to get a full family tree. As my line of the Churchills branched off from the three several generations before General John Churchill was knighted, we are not entitled to the Coat of Arms. (Many old Churchill die-hard Patriots

were proud of that, till the 1900s)

On ham radio, the late Bill Martineck used to call me "Chamberlin," no respect there, God love Bill. It was a take-off on WW II Chamberlin, (the Peace at any Price, Prime Minister).

(Believe it or not), Ripley, said the one-man army of the Revolutionary War was a Joseph Churchill. Maybe some younger relative of mine would like to follow up on that and find out if he descended from Josiah or John who sailed over on the Speedwell in 1643 also. He settled in Manimet or South Plymouth. As my wife Mary is from there I have had opportunities to look over Churchill's landing very carefully. The present owners are Chinese Churchills. I guess a whaling Churchill Sea Captain brought home a Chinese wife.

A William Churchill settled in Virginia before the Revolution, hence Churchills fought their cousins in the Civil War.

As I have been taking notes for years, I could go on for pages, but will close with the following. As of 1988, there were approximately 3,479 Churchill households in the USA, 533 in Canada, and 302 in Australia. Computers tell it all.

What's in a Name? It is how you implement it.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Floyd Churchill is a former area resident who frequently shares his memories with Torch readers.

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To facilitate the timely production of your hometown newspaper, the deadline for **all material** (except advertising and obituaries) for the following Wednesday's paper is now **NOON ON FRIDAY.**

OBITUARIES & DEATH NOTICES

John H. Meeks

John H. Meeks, 64, of Ellsworth, died Mon., Nov. 1, 1993, at his home.

He was born Dec. 9, 1928, in Oaktown, Ind., the son of William and Bertha (Stanfield) Meeks.

He lived in Lansing for many years and was employed as a roofer and painter. He moved to Ellsworth in 1971 and was employed by Superior Sanitation for a number of years.

He is survived by one daughter, Loretta Kincaid of Grand Rapids; one grandchild; three brothers, Kenneth Meeks of Colorado Springs, Colo., Frederick Meeks of Perry, Mich., and Jack Pinnick of Sumner, Mich.; several nieces and nephews including Christine McDowell and Frederick Allen Meeks. He was preceded in death by a son Michael and a brother Robert.

Funeral services were held Nov. 5 at the Hastings Funeral Home. The Rev. Estel Clark officiated.

Marie S. Banister

Marie S. Banister, 83, of Central Lake, died early Mon., Nov. 1, 1993, at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

She was born Sept. 5, 1910, in Central Lake, the daughter of Charles and Dessie (Kennedy) Dawson.

Mrs. Banister made her home in Tampa, Fla. where she was employed by the University of South Florida Cafeteria until her retirement in 1978. She has made her home in Central Lake since 1992.

She is survived by four sons, Donald (Maresa) Hopp of Elk Rapids; George (Patt) Hopp of Plymouth, Vt.; Richard (Mary Allen) of East Jordan, and Stuart Banister; two daughters, Dorothy (Skip) Thompson of Central Lake, and Viola (Hank) Wahl of Petersburg, Tenn.; 30 grandchildren, many great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Anna Belle Harter and Mrs. Marion Leigh of Central Lake; one brother, Charles (Nola) Dawson of Torch Lake Village; one brother-in-law, Albert Fasseel of Hale, Mich.; and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by three husbands, Enos Hopp, George Allen, and Dwight Banister; one son, William Hopp; two sisters, Edna Fasseel and Lila Schedlbauer; and two brothers, Frederick Dawson and Lester Dawson.

A memorial service was held Nov. 5, at Hastings Funeral Home in Ellsworth. The Rev. Estel Clark officiated. Memorials may be made to Central Lake Firefighters Auxiliary or Central Lake Rescue Squad.

Offices announce holiday hours

All 180 Secretary of State branch offices will close in observance of state holidays during November and December:

- Veterans Day on Thurs., Nov. 11.

- Thanksgiving on Thursday and Friday, Nov. 25 and 26.

- Christmas on Thursday and Friday, Dec. 23 and 24.

- New Year's on Thursday and Friday, Dec. 30 and 31.

Motorists whose driver licenses or license plates expire over any of the long holiday weekends should renew early. Cus-

tomers can expect fastest service midmorning, midafternoon and midweek. Most Secretary of State offices are open from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. other weekdays.

Secretary of State Richard Austin reminded motorists of the Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) "Tie One On for Safety" campaign. MADD encourages motorists to drive sober and tie commemorative red

ribbons on their vehicles during the holiday season, when opportunities to drink and drive abound.

He also urged motorists to celebrate the holidays with a renewed commitment to safety belt use, even in vehicles equipped with air bags. Michigan drivers, who achieved 64.4 percent safety belt usage in a recent study,

are required to wear safety belts as are all front seat passengers and all vehicle occupants under age 16.

Children under age 4 must use a child safety seat when in the front seat, and a safety belt when in back. All children under age 1 must use a safety seat no matter where they are seated in the vehicle.

Remember when...

... Dale Burns had the creamery and potato warehouse? He was behind Smith's Grocery and farmers brought cream there to sell. Potatoes were shipped out to market, and grains were also available. Scales and measuring devices were of interest even to the children. Trucks, pickups and farmers in work clothes were a common sight back then.


By Ivan Byard

Edna P. Grahek

Edna P. Grahek, 92, of Central Lake, formerly of Harbor Springs, died Sun., Nov. 7, 1993, at Meadow Brook Medical Care Facility in Bellaire. Mass of Christian Burial was held Tues., Nov. 9, at St. Luke Catholic Church in Bellaire. Arrangements were made by the Central Lake Chapel of Mortensen Funeral Homes.

LeRoy Vanniman

LeRoy Vanniman, 82, died Oct. 4, 1993, in Columbiaville, Mich. A long-time Central Lake farmer, he was buried in Lapeer, Mich.


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GLEN McCUNE

Wildlife captured artist's on canvas

At his farm outside East Jordan, artist Glen McCune studies a red-tailed hawk, the subject of one of his paintings which have earned him a national reputation of outstanding wildlife art.

McCune's works will be exhibited at Jordan River Arts Center, 301 N. Main Street, East Jordan, from noon to 4 p.m. Sat., Nov. 13.

The opening reception and opportunity to meet McCune will be from 2 to 4 p.m. Sun., Nov. 14. Gallery hours throughout his exhibit will be from noon to 4 p.m. daily Nov. 15 through 26.

Mason to be at MEA-R meeting

Roger Mason, currently in the limelight as Philadelphia Phillies pitcher, is guest speaker for the next meeting of the Michigan Education Association-Retired Antrim County Chapter.

They will meet Mon., Nov. 15, at 3:30 p.m. in the Bellaire High School Library. All retired teachers, chapter members or not, are welcomed. As usual refreshments will be served.



To all our great friends in Central Lake, Bellaire and Ellsworth - Thank you very much for all of the prayers, get well wishes, gifts, visits, phone calls and cards that Ginny has received. Thank you to all of the people who brought in food for Randy, Jason and Tony. They really appreciate it.

Ginny is coming along pretty well. Her spirits are really up and she wants to come home. She has a lot of rehab to go through before she can come home.

But all of the prayers and get well wishes that everyone is saying for her will help us get her home soon.

Again thank you, and God Bless each and every one of you.

All our love to everyone,
Randy, Kathy, Jason,
Ginny & Tony Miller

Holiday Art Fair to be held in EJ

Several East Jordaners will be among the more than 40 artists and craftspersons to exhibit their works at the Jordan River Arts Council's fourth annual Holiday Art Fair from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sat., Nov. 13, at East Jordan High School.

Stoneware will be exhibited by David and June Otis, and jewelry by Evan and Barb Bessett and Jerry and Linda Aydloft. Dried flower arrangements will be shown by John Richter and Pat Pepin, who will also display santas and mixed media art items.

Hand-sewn quilts and novelty bags will be shown by Jeanne Buick, photographs by Karen Walker and drawings and hand-painted items by Hazel Colburn. Sue Falco of Circle Herb Farms will have a variety of dried herbs, teas, wreaths and seasonings available.

Residents continue to offer support

In an outpouring of support and concern, area residents joined together to raise \$2,200 for two local teens injured in an Oct. 8 car accident.

A fund-raiser swiss steak dinner was held Oct. 30 for Ginny Miller, Kate Schoensee, and their families. Schoensee is now recuperating at home but Miller remains at the University of Michigan Hospital in Ann Arbor.

The event was sponsored by local businesses, restaurants, and Central Lake Schools. Connie Newton and Lodema Springstead along with a host of other volunteers donated much time and effort to make sure the dinner was enjoyed by all.

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Mothers Against Drunk Driving is encouraging individuals, businesses, and organizations to participate in the annual effort which was started in 1986 in an attempt to stop the holiday surge in alcohol-related traffic fatalities.

MADD is asking drivers to tie a red ribbon to a visible location on their vehicles between Thanksgiving and New Year's Day to show their commitment to driving safe and sober throughout the year - and especially during the holidays.

The public is invited to attend this year's opening ceremony outdoors at the east steps of the state Capitol, Mon., Nov. 22, at 10 a.m. in Lansing. The campaign will run through Jan. 1, 1994.

MADD works closely with law enforcement agencies to bring home the red ribbon message to

every community in this state. In recent years many businesses have adopted the Red Ribbon

promotion as a way of showing they care for their employees, customers and communities.

For more information on the MADD Red Ribbon "Tie One On For Safety" campaign, con-

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This special issue was designed by Kurt Kolka, a

northern Michigan artist. He created this issue for individual readers and for use by church youth groups as a tool to engage discussion on these topics and for churches to present their stands on these issues.

Single copies are available next to other free material at Central Lake Pharmacy in Central Lake and Jordan Valley Pharmacy in East Jordan.

Copies for church youth groups are available by contacting Kurt or Diane Kolka at (517) 732-4673 or writing to: *Cardinal Adventures*, 324 East Petoskey, Gaylord, Mich. 49735.

Cardinal Adventures comics are published once a year and sponsored by Michigan churches of various denominations.



A little bit of summer is still hanging on in Central Lake. Flowers are *still* blooming at Noah's Ark! So get yourself bundled up in your warmest winter duds and go have a look. That splash of red, yellow, and purple is bound to chase away a case of the winter blues.

Don't dial up 544-2250 and try to order your favorite meal from The Club. There's no telling who you'll get, if anyone at all! GTE gave them a new phone number and then snatched it back without letting anybody know. Count on that same old number, 544-9800, when your stomach "calls."

It wasn't our intention to shock our patrons here at *The Torch* but Jackie seems to have caught a number of people off guard with her office facelift.

"Holy Mackinaw! What happened? I just can't believe this!" said an undoubtedly surprised Marcia Pepke.

"You cleaned house!" was what Terry Donaldson's sister Barb Poley said when she stopped in to say hi.

"What happened in here? I didn't see a big truck pull up outside your front door," questioned Mike Bachmann.

And the winner is... Jackie Thier. The Club in Central Lake was the headquarters for Halloween fun last Saturday night. Jackie "Scarecrow" Thier won a \$10 certificate good for Club food while taking the Best Costume category. Earning top honors in the Karaoke contest were Tim Buffman and Sharon Pletcher.

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Shays do it

BY S.F. PUCKETT
Sports Writer

Ryan Shay, running the individual race, bested the second-place runner by 23 seconds, running a 17:47 on a difficult course to take the Class D cross country state title Saturday in Rockford and keep first place honors in the family for the third consecutive year. Casey Shay won the individual the previous two years.

"It's a horrendous, terrible course to run," commented coach Sue Shay of the Pando Recreational Complex, which is slated to be the host for the finals the next two years. "It's a killer, running up and down ski hills, and the dirt bike trails are all ruts, roots and rocks. While walking the course, you saw all these roots painted orange. The course was glowing. The dirt bike part of the course was terrible."

Despite the roughness of the site, Central Lake came away with a second All-Stater. Sarah Shay led the girls to a 12th place finish with her seventh overall in 22:45 to earn All-State honors.

The rest of the team finishes were: Amie Shay, 42nd in 25:55; Tracy Zelenak, 74th in 30:34; Amy Porter, 76th in 30:42; and Molly Porter, 79th in 34:23.

"I'm real proud of all of them," beamed coach Shay.

Trojans muzzle Bulldogs

BY S.F. PUCKETT
Sports Writer

Central Lake shook off the effects of tangling with Johannesburg-Lewiston on Tuesday by taking away a win from the Bulldogs of Indian River-Inland Lakes in girls basketball action.

Tuesday with Joburg was a chore, to say the least. In keeping with the least said, the score was 91-26 and never close. Laura Murray topped her teammates with 12 for the Trojans, Sara Roach with six, Brooke Oliver three and Amy Dawson three.

The JV Trojans fell to the Cardinals 59-25, Erin Glynn with 20 for Central Lake.

In Thursday's game Central Lake and Inland Lakes traded opportunities all game, beginning in the first quarter as Inland Lakes took a 9-6 lead to the final second before Brooke Oliver's trey tied the game in thrilling fashion. The game was tied 13-13 in the second when Amy Dawson's two free throws began a 10-2 run to finish the quarter with Central Lake in

command 23-15.

Inland Lakes came rolling back, scoring the first eight points of the third quarter and tying the game at 23-23, but Central Lake adjusted. Roach hit a long two-pointer, then dished to Laura Murray for a pair; Murray added another field goal, and at the buzzer, Sara Roach was fouled at halfcourt. She hit two of the three free throws for a 33-26 lead with a quarter to go.

The Bulldogs came back again, cutting the margin to 38-36 with under a minute to go. Then Roach hit four free throws and Murray added on to end the scoring and game for the Trojans, 43-36.

Sara Roach was back in form with 22 points, Laura Murray with nine and Dawson with four more.

Inland Lakes did win at the JV level, 40-31, despite Erin Glynn's 16 and Val Volkenberg with nine.

Central Lake traveled to Mancelona Tuesday, returning home to finish the Ski Valley and regular seasons with Gaylord St. Mary's in town.

Central Lake and Alba will meet at 6 p.m. Wed., Nov. 13 in Bellaire to begin their district action.

EJ playoff visit a short one

BY S.F. PUCKETT
Sports Writer

East Jordan was just as good as St. Francis, Boyne City and Bellaire this weekend. None of them could survive the first round of playoff action.

East Jordan went traveling to the Upperdome in Marquette, amidst the blowing snow and howling winds. Awaiting them was a strong Iron Mountain team that, "unravelling us," according to coach Al Peterson.

"They're a heck of a team. We tossed an interception on our second play from scrimmage. Three and a half minutes later, they scored."

Down 6-0, East Jordan moved the ball a bit before stalling, forced to punt to the Mountaineers. Iron Mountain went 63 yards, scored on a pass, and led 12-0. In the second quarter, Iron Mountain passed 14 yards for the next score and a 20-0 lead.

"They ran the two-minute drill brilliantly!" said coach Peterson of the final score of the first half. "They tore off eight, nine yards at a crack."

The Red Devils tailed 28-0 at the half. "We just couldn't sustain a drive. We'd make a little mistake."

East Jordan kicked off the second half, and just under three minutes later, Iron Mountain hit paydirt again, 35-0. Four minutes later, they added the final score of the game for the Mountaineers for a 42-0 lead.

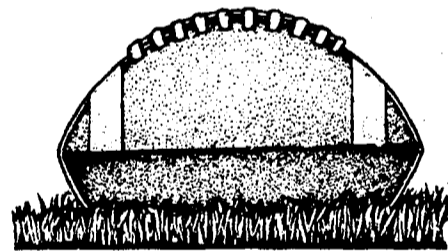
With the game in the final seconds, Jerry Neuman went 13 yards for the East Jordan touchdown, their first-ever playoff score.

The Red Devils finished with 176 rushing yards and 107 passing. Carl Redmer was five of 14 for 95 yards, Nate Clark one of two for 12 yards. The rushing was split among many, Jerry Neuman with 35 yards, Chad Raymond with 34, Josh Pepin with 30, Yaro Middaugh with 28, Nate McWatters with 28, Carl Redmer with 13 and Nate Clark with eight.

Defensively, Pepin had seven tackles, John Crawford six, Neuman five, Aaron Otis five and Jeremy Johnson five.

"It was a great season," summed up coach Peterson, "We got a good taste of it this year and saw what we have to go to. They're a little more strength, more polish. They have a heck of a football team, but we have a heck of a good team, too. We have 18 juniors coming back next year, a lot of them starters. I'm real proud of this team!"

So are we, coach. So are we.



Lancer girls continue dominance

BY S.F. PUCKETT
Sports Writer

Ellsworth picked up two basketball wins, assuring it no worse than a tie for the Northern Lakes title, with just Mackinaw City in the way between the Lady Lancers and the championship.

Ellsworth went to Wolverine Tuesday, shook off the slow, methodical play of the Wildcats that had allowed them to hold a slim 16-14 halftime lead, and romped to the win 61-36.

Angie Peterson continued her scoring barrage with 21 points, Kara Alward and Jodee Alfred pumping in 12 points each. Maria Miniracoua led Wolverine with 19. Tricia Drenth, coming back off an injury, picked up her first playing time since early in October.

Ellsworth won the JV contest 74-17, Renee Cebulski, Megan Boss and Stephanie Reid all doing damage for the Lancer JVs.

Thursday, in a make-up with Vanderbilt, Ellsworth had no problem posting a 72-30 win. Angie Peterson, playing just over half the game, scored 27 with a career high 24 rebounds and three assists. Jennifer McPherson added 15 points and six rebounds, Kara Alward eight rebounds and nine points, Tricia Drenth eight points and Sara Essenberg five assists.

Ellsworth hosted East Jordan Tuesday, then hosts Mackinaw City Friday night for the Northern Lakes title.

The Lancers will enter district play Wed., Nov. 17, at 8 p.m., playing the winner of the Bellaire-Mancelona game.

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Area graduate returns to Michigan

Football is the motive that drew 1989 East Jordan High School graduate Aaron Brock back from Minnesota.

Brock decided to make the move to Alma College after spending two and a half years at Vermilion Community College in Ely, Minn. He plays on the defensive line for the varsity football team.

"Everyone is committed, and I think we have an outstanding team," he said.

Brock is very confident of his new team's future abilities.

Football is not the only reason Brock came to Alma. He liked shortening the drive home and was impressed by the small size of the campus

and the 15:1 student to teacher ratio.

"I like being able to talk to a professor anytime I want," he said.

Brock received a trans-

fer scholarship to Alma for demonstrating superior academic achievement at Vermilion where he achieved a 3.5 GPA, was involved with Stu-

dent Senate and was Chairman of the Student Life Committee.

He is majoring in exercise and health science and minoring in math,

with plans for a career in secondary education.

Brock is the son of Richard and Nancy Brooks of East Jordan and Aaron Brock of East Jordan.

EJ runners tough it out

East Jordan's Tina Richards, Mike Newkirk, and Neil Booze ran in the individual races in the Nov. 6 Class "C" State Final Run at Grand Rapids.

Neil and Mike were running well at the two-mile mark when both runners started getting the dreaded runner's cramps. They fought through the pain and Booze ended up 17th while Newkirk was 25th. Their times were 17:17 and 17:45.

Tina was still suffering from her recent illness and it did hinder her race. Still, she managed a 5th place in 20:21. With her gutsy finish she also won All-State honors.

East Jordan takes runner-up title - revisited

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following information was inadvertently deleted from last week's summary of Oct. 25 cross-country action at the Edwardson Invitational.

Central Lake's super freshman runner Ryan Shay was the over all winner at 15:47.

The middle school of East Jordan fared even better by winning the Invitational race as well as the Conference Championship. Scoring for the home team were Nathan Sothard third (10:55), Gary Brooks sixth (11:13), Joel Bitler 14th (11:28), Dave Miller 24th (11:43), Dustin Tinney 27th (11:49), Brad Carey 28th (11:49.78), Erick Brooks 29th (11:52). The top girl finisher was Holly Cole in fourth place at 13:07.

Welcome new son

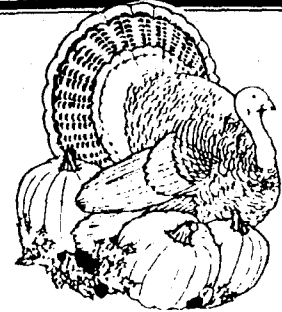
A son, Blake Elliott Keith Groll, was born to Kandy and Tony Groll of Ft. Wayne, Ind., on Oct. 26, 1993. Blake came home to sister, Tadem, and brother, Chase.

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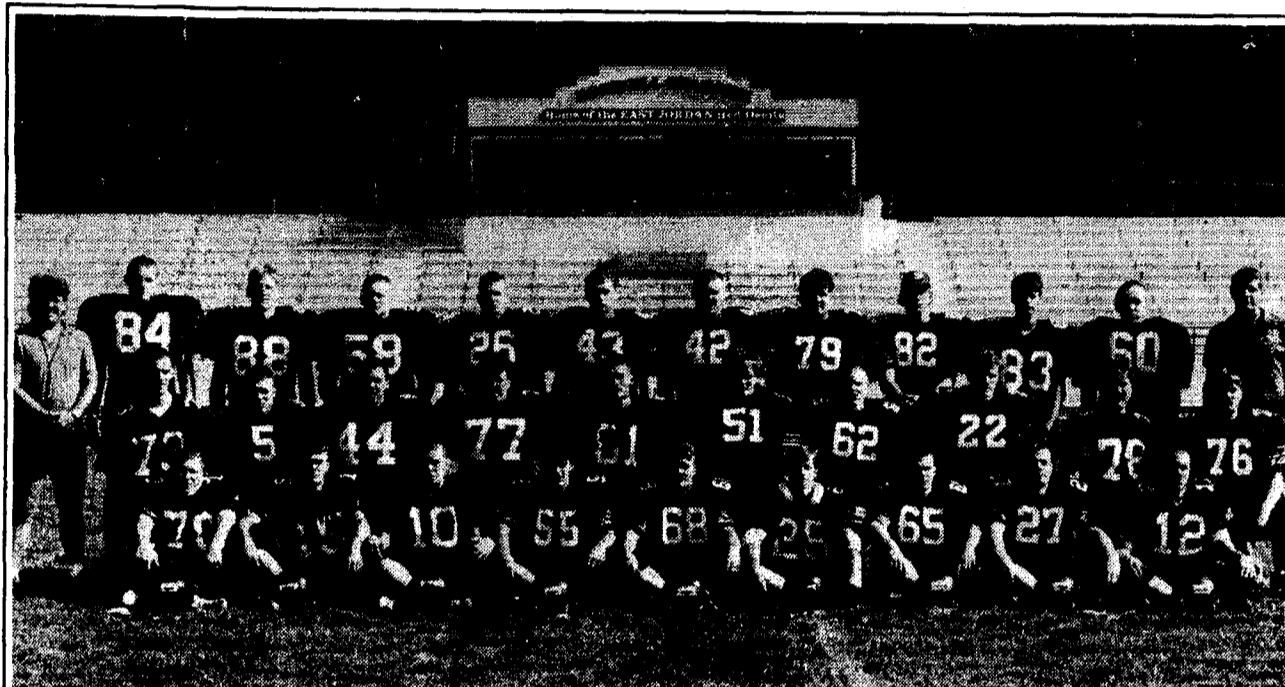
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A Salute to East Jordan's 1993 athletic champs!

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THE FIRST-EVER EJHS football team to make the playoffs posed for this portrait at the start of their record-breaking season. Pictured (back, from left) are Adam Skrocki, Steve Wiltfong, Jon Crawford, Matthew Sherman, Chad Raymond, Josh Pepin, Ken Teeple, Brent Leech, Jamie Mattson, Steve Goebel, (middle) Cory Chambers, Kevin Rebec, Nate McWatters, Jerome Johnson, Aaron Otis, Jeremiah Lucas, Cliff Mayhew, Kirk Falco, Mike Merrill, Mike Sarasin, (front) Kevin Jones, Nate Clark, Tom Worgess, Ben Banfield, Pat Whiteford, Jerry Neumann, A.O. Wood, Yaro Middaugh and Karl Redmer. At far left, Coach Al Peterson; far right, assistant coach Bob Rebec. Missing: Bob Donnellan, Don La Cross, Kevin Bavers. Also listed on team roster: Sanford Sweet and Don Williams.



BREAKING CHARLEVOIX'S 13-year string of conference wins, this year's cross-country team placed an impressive six runners with all-conference honors. Pictured (back, from left) Coach Dennis Snarey, Andrew Otis, Josiah Middaugh, Jim Malpass, Ed Hettig, Neil Booze, Mike Newkirk, assistant coach Matt Peterson, (front) Tina Richards, Michelle Kauska, Nate Gagnon, Becky Kauska and Anna Salinas.



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Ruby Childs

Our Interesting Neighbor

By Priscilla Arcure

She came to town to teach the children of Central Lake. The youngest in a family of 12, Ruby Childs spent two years attending normal college to prepare herself for what was to be a gratifying lifetime profession.

It was a scary challenge to this 20-year-old as she stepped off the train in this town so strange to her. But the warmth with which she was greeted and treated soon put her at ease and was the sustaining factor that made her life here so enjoyable.

"I felt like a country bumpkin with my tiny suitcase when another new teacher was arriving at the same time from Chicago with her huge trunk, full of clothes," Ruby remembered. She went directly to the home of Mrs. Fox (Homer's mother) on State Street where she had heard she could rent a room.

Life at the Fox home wasn't the typical rooming house situation as she was offered wonderful meals, home-made bread and cookies and most of all, warm friendship. Her pupils would come out of the way, on their way to school, just to walk her to school. She soon became acquainted with the families of her students and they all cooperated in making the school experience the best possible.

For \$900 a year she taught two grades and coached girls basketball. "And I certainly didn't know much about basketball!" In remembering those days with her typical pleasant expression she reflected, "It was a lovely situation; it was a nice time."

Ruby enjoyed an active social life in Central Lake. Another teacher, Wayne Childs, offered to take her to get her teaching certificate and that turned out to be the start of a lifetime relationship.

Ruby and Wayne loved to dance. They square-danced at the Odd Fellows on Friday nights and round-danced in Charlevoix on Saturday nights.

In winter the popular sport was sliding down Dean Hill. She laughed as she recalled the time she and Wayne pulled their bobsled all the way up the steep hill and somehow, while turning around, she ended up



RUBY



WAYNE

on the sled before Wayne was seated. "Suddenly I was on my way down all by myself!"

Ruby and Wayne were married in 1930 and they both taught for a short time until the decision was made to consolidate the schools. A new rule was made that married women could not teach.

"The only thing in town women couldn't do was work with children," Ruby remembered - a philosophy she has never understood. That created a hardship for the young couple as they both had education loans

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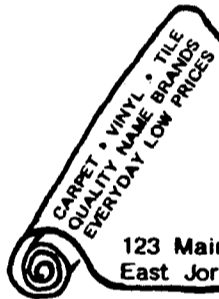
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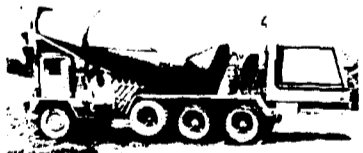
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Helen Williams of Frankfort and Ruby Patterson visited Miller and Frances Young.

Jerry and Vesta Stallman of Suttons Bay were overnight guests of Miller, Frances and Josie Young and Barbara Mikus on Monday. Dorothy Westover visited in the afternoon.

Word was received of the sudden death of Joan Chapin, wife of Theodore Chapin, Oct. 28. Sunday a memorial for Joan was held at the Young home. Joining the Young family were Barbara Mikus, Vesta and Jerry Stallman, Thad and Nancy Grant and daughters from Lake Leelanau, Scott and Carol Dean of Traverse City, Yvonne and Emily Blaney.

JO'S NEWS

By Jo Somerville 544-6347

Marvel Eckhardt of Brethren came on Tuesday afternoon and took her mother Bertha Knowles home from Meadow Brook for a couple days visit with her and sisters Arlene and Gus Brinkman and Mary Sue and Rich Lavanway and families.

Harold Hallum of Alden, Pat Stuck of Fife Lake and Lloyd Burns locally "The Tunesters" played for the Halloween party and dance at the Suttons Bay high school cafeteria last Saturday evening. A fun evening was had by the large crowd who attended.

Jean Ruttan returned home over the weekend from a visit in Canada. Visiting and helping relatives who are sick there.

Lodema Springstead and Jo Somerville visited Tuesday with friends at Meadow Brook. They all had a good Halloween. With 600 friends and dressed up as monsters and critters coming to get a treat and entertain-

ing the patients.

Bud Giddings of St. Charles, spent Tuesday and Wednesday visiting his mother Marianne Giddings, helping with chores and had a nice visit.

Several senior citizens went by Dial-A-Ride to the senior center in Mancelona and enjoyed a delicious turkey dinner. Many were in Halloween costumes and were judged. Later they enjoyed the music and dancing, with a big crowd attending.



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Ruby Childs: Our interesting neighbor

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that had to be paid off.

Ruby gave up her teaching and eventually had two children, Mary Jane and Alan. She became a member of the long list of patients Dr. Duffie went out of his way to assist when she became ill before the birth of her daughter. Dr. Duffie decided she needed to go to the University Hospital in Ann Arbor. Surgery was performed by a noted surgeon and she recovered without incident several months before her baby was born. "People helped people," she reflected.

Fifteen years later, the rule concerning married teachers was lifted and Ruby went back to her beloved profession. She had occasionally substituted without pay, which kept her in touch with the education process. Her genuine love for the profession was evident in the innovative ideas she developed in instructing the children.

Always conscious of her students' social attitudes, Ruby would indirectly advise them when necessary. One year she taught boys and girls to knit. That

became quite a craze and before she knew it they were knitting many items in and out of class.

She found her fifth-graders "interesting, because they knew so much." When she first started teaching she had about 14 pupils a class but after consolidation she was given both fifth and sixth-graders, and her classes sometimes would number about 40.

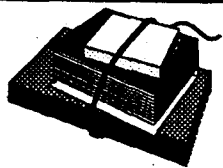
During these years her husband Wayne continued as a teacher of seventh and eighth-graders and coached sports. He also spent several years serving as principal and then as superintendent. He later went into farming for a couple of years but returned to teaching social studies to complete his 30-year teaching career.

Her experiences as a teacher have provided Ruby with an interesting perspective about education and the role of the teacher and family in the community. "There are a lot of good things children don't learn in books," she commented. "Parents were different. The cooperation and help of local parents were what made my job so rewarding."

Today, this youthful 84-year-old lives in the same house she and Wayne shared, one they purchased as a small three-bedroom tar-paper covered house. With the additions over the years it is now a comfortable and inviting home on a beautiful piece of property overlooking a stream on the edge of town.

Ruby resides there with her son, drives her own car

and gets out and about every day she can. If she doesn't plan something, her faithful dog reminds her when it's time to go for a walk and she bundles herself up and off they go. At times, memories of the hundreds of devoted students she served cross her mind. This is the lady who, some 60 years ago, wondered how she'd ever make it as a teacher.



I LOVED THIS BOOK

Finnegan's Week

By Joseph Wambaugh

As usual with Joseph Wambaugh novels, the myriad of characters cover all facets of the social strata. A middle-aged cop who aspires to be an actor but with a level of talent that causes his agent to advise him not to quit his day job. And Jules Temple, a sleaze who just happens to own a waste disposal company, which isn't too careful where they dump the material.

The plot takes some unique twists assisted by Abel, the slightly larcenous truckdriver, and his partner Shelby, a gap-toothed biker who disdains soap, water and clean clothes for drugs of any kind. Woven into the plot is the theft of some shoes from a Navy warehouse, the illegal dumping of hazardous waste in Mexico by Jules's drivers, a very descriptive narration of a fight in a biker's bar and numerous other subplots.

In the end the good guys nearly win while the bad guys get their just rewards in some unusual fashion. The dialog is quick, interspersed with some earthy figures of speech, but all in all it conforms well with the characters.

While this book will not win the Pulitzer prize, readers will find this an excellent way to forget about high taxes, lousy television programs and Washington politics.

This book is available in the Central Lake Township Library.

By Jerry Simowski

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TORCH LAKE TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION

A Public Hearing will be held Tuesday, November 16, 1993 at 7:30 p.m. in the Township Hall at Eastport to receive public input on the proposed adoption of the 1992 Revised Comprehensive Development Plan.

A copy of the 1992 revised Comprehensive Development Plan is available for viewing at the Township Hall.

The regular meeting of the Planning Commission will be held following the Public Hearing.

John Berst, Chairman
Doris Leech, Secretary

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PUBLIC NOTICE

SNOWPLOWING SERVICE -UNIMPROVED COUNTY ROADS

Because of limitations imposed by narrowness, trees, stumps, steep grades and soft surfaces, the Antrim County Road Commission is unable to provide snowplowing service on unimproved county roads. In order to provide such service, the unimproved road must be improved (including gravel surfacing) to minimum plowing standards.

The following procedure is established to provide for such road improvement to allow county snowplowing:

1. Person requesting improvement apply to the township board in the township where the road is located.
2. Township board requests the road commission to inspect the road and jointly determine if the improvement is justified. If the improvement is approved, the road commission will submit an estimate of the cost of the necessary improvement.
3. Upon approval of the project the road commission will agree to pay for 1/3 of its costs. The remaining 2/3 of the cost must be met by others, such as the township, the person requesting the service or other interested parties.
4. The road commission will schedule the work to be done. The person requesting the improvement shall deposit his share of the estimated cost with the road commission before the work is started. The township may authorize their participation in the work by resolution.

The above procedure is a restatement of existing road commission policy adopted on January 18, 1973. Persons living on or considering living on unimproved county roads are herewith advised of the necessary procedure for having such roads improved for wintertime plowing.

The above policy was adopted at the regular meeting of the Antrim County Road Commission on March 14, 1988.

Arthur Biehl, Chairman
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TORCH LAKE TOWNSHIP

SPECIAL MEETING
NOVEMBER 2, 1993 - 7:30 P.M.
TOWNSHIP HALL - EASTPORT

Present: Schmidt, Cowell, Smedley, Dawson, Hubbell - Smedley left at 8:40 p.m.

Planning Comm.: Berst, Bowden, Kamp, Cutting, Matthews, Hoeft, Hubbell.

Prof. Planner: L. Sullivan.

Bd. of Appeal: O. Manchester, B. Brophy, J. Heizer, A. Champine (Abs.) - Lambert.

Zoning Adm.: M. Conroy.

1. Meeting was called to order and pledge was given to the flag.

2. Supervisor discussed roles and responsibilities of various boards.

3. Application procedures were discussed.

4. Record keeping and it's importance was covered.

5. J. Berst discussed goals of the Planning Comm. and submitted a short report to all in attendance.

6. Manchester stated the ZBA did not have things they were working on - that this Board reacted to requests.

7. Zoning Administrator did not have any procedure problems to discuss and said that he would attend P.C. or ZBA Meetings if there was a special problem or he was requested to do so.

8. No Board concerns left to discuss at this time.

9. J. Norris asked about structure of tower in C.L. Twshp. and flashing red lights and what, if anything, could be done so that those impacted by something of this sort might be notified before it occurred. Other than contacting the County, no-one seemed to have an answer.

D. Hoeft asked if there was a possibility of beautifying the Township Hall. Officials hope so - however, it was on the bottom of the list at the Annual Meeting.

Supervisor said he would like to have another joint meeting in several months.

Meeting adjourned at 9:15 p.m.

Elva Cowell, Clerk

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ANTRIM COUNTY ORDINANCE NO. 2(1977) PARKING ON ROAD RIGHT-OF-WAY & PLOWING DRIVEWAYS

The following ordinance is published to remind residents of certain practices which:

- A. Interfere with plowing of county roads;
- B. Create serious hazards to the traveling public; and
- C. Expose violators to substantial penalties as well as personal liability in the vent of accidents caused by such activities.

SECTION 1. No person shall park or abandon any vehicle or other objects or occupy the right-of-way of a public road in any manner which interferes with snow removal or maintenance on any public highway, street or alley.

SECTION 2. No person shall park or abandon any vehicle or other objects or occupy the right-of-way of a public road in any manner which encumbers, obstructs, or endangers the use of any public highway, street or alley.

SECTION 3. No person shall deposit on any public highway, street or alley or the right-of-way thereof, snow or ice which has been removed from private driveways or private property.

SECTION 4. The County Clerk is hereby directed to cause this ORDINANCE to be published as soon as possible in all newspapers of general circulation in the County. This ORDINANCE shall take effect sixty (60) days after its adoption by the Board of Commissioners.

SECTION 5. Any person who shall be convicted of a violation of this ORDINANCE shall be subject to a fine not to exceed One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) or imprisonment in the County Jail for ninety (90) days or both.

John Pemberton, Manager
Antrim County Road Commission

146-12-47-1tc

Mayoral business dominates council meeting

BY DEB SAYGERS HOBBS
Contributing Writer

Russ Peck was not presiding as mayor at the Nov. 2 meeting of the East Jordan City Council, but he still claimed a share of the attention.

The first order of council business was to establish how "temporarily resigning" Peck would be replaced until a mayor was selected on Election Day.

The council decided to follow past practice and appoint whoever received the most votes in the mayoral election. Peck later won the election with a vote of 240.

Peck was in the audience as the council made the decision.

"I am asking for resignation because of my beliefs," Peck reiterated. "Should I be the top vote getter I would be willing to serve."

Council member Ruth Gee objected to the conditions Peck assigned to his resignation.

"I never heard of a 'temporary resignation' before," said Gee. "Either he resigns or he doesn't resign."

But Gee agreed with the rest of council that the people's vote should determine who would fill the vacant position until inauguration in January. Guy Vallance cast the only negative vote.

Before the council moved beyond the issue of the mayor's resignation, council member and mayor pro tem Greg Chappuies made a statement.

"I feel the people of the Second Ward were done a disservice - neither Jerry Cihak or myself knew Jerry Alward was being considered (as police chief)."

"At first I thought it was a quick and frivolous decision," Chappuies continued, "but then I learned it was not."

Chappuies went on to say that he wasn't made aware of any interviews or deliberations proceeding. He feels that if the other members are truly concerned about a splintered council, he and Cihak would have been included.

Cihak concurred and expressed concern that the action was unfair to other possible candidates for the position.

Audience member Lee Arnold asked why the new chief was chosen in this manner.

"Because the council has the power to do it," replied retiring First Ward councilman Russ Gee.

Gee seemed annoyed later when downtown business owner Arlon Leonard repeatedly accused council members of behind-closed-doors meetings to make the decision.

"There weren't any secret meetings," said Gee. He explained that he only discussed the issue with one other council member, Lyle Etcher.

Gee and Etcher interviewed Alward's former em-

ployer, Antrim County Sheriff Dale Roggenbeck.

"Then how did you convince the others to vote your way?" Leonard wanted to know.

"I just made the motion," answered Gee. "They're the ones who voted."

During the visitors' forum, Leonard gave an extensive, sometimes rambling list of concerns about the council.

"My two people that I voted in don't represent me anymore," said Leonard. He repeated a former demand that most of the council should resign.

Audience member MaryLou Breakey inquired about guidelines for the new chief of police.

She was concerned that the city not pay for three years of schooling, as was the case for former chief John Imeson, just to have him move on to another job.

Chappuies explained that the police chief position was governed by standard guidelines set for all city employees. A \$2,000 education fund is budgeted for this fiscal year.

The employee must have permission from the council before expecting payment for schooling.

A figure of \$100,000 was mentioned several times as the investment made by the city in Imeson. Chappuies explained that the figure represented Imeson's wages, benefits and schooling for three years.

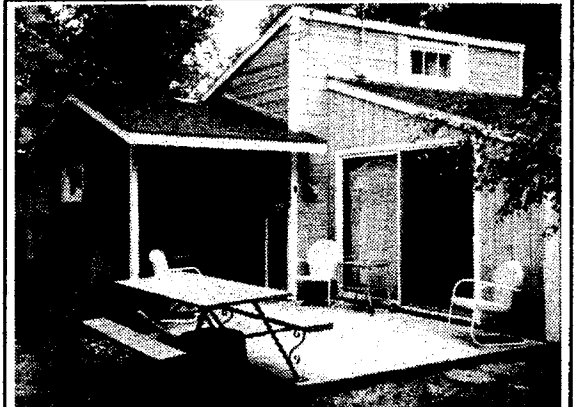
"Pretty good salary," remarked Breakey. Alward has been hired at \$26,500 with a six-month probationary and review period. Officially, he will take over the position Nov. 22. In the interim, officer Paul Timmons has been named acting chief.

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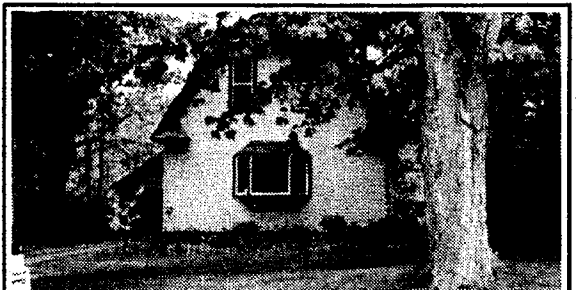
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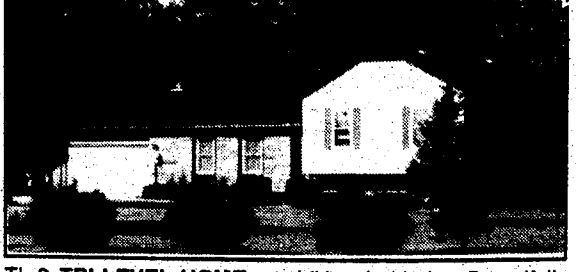


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District pairings set

First-round District Tournament action for East Jordan's girls basketball team is scheduled for Tues., Nov. 16, at 7 p.m. The game, against Elk Rapids, will be played in the Charlevoix High School gym. Winners of Tuesday and Wednesday games will square off for the finals Fri., Nov. 19; same place and time.

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