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Murder case will go to trial

ST JOHNS - Chiyako Harrison of St Johns stood mute at her arraignment of 2d degree murder charges of her 17-month old daughter and waived a jury trial. The trial before Judge Leo Corbin has not yet been set. Her \$10,000 bond was continued. She was charged with the 2d degree murder of her daughter, Lisa Harrison, after the child died of severe head injuries. The 23-year-old mother resides at 1524 S. Lansing, St Johns.

Child killed in accident

A 3-year-old child was killed Friday, Nov 1, when he fell from a car and was struck by a second vehicle. Dead is Robert George Hart, of 728 S. DeWitt Rd. The accident occurred at the US 27 and Biochol Rd intersection James Bush, 20, of 728 S. DeWitt Rd turned left from Biochol onto US 27 when the child, a back seat passenger in the 4-door car, fell from the vehicle. He was struck by a north bound car driven by Melvin Harrison, 43, of 3621 Jones Lake Rd, Lansing. Harrison was not held. The police are still investigating the accident.



This was just part of the action at St Johns Jaycees and Jaycettes treated area youngsters to Halloween fun and games at Smith Hall Halloween evening.

St Johns has new mayor

ST JOHNS - St Johns City Commissioners appointed Roy Ebert as new mayor and

John Arehart vice-mayor, at their last meeting.

Both received unanimous ballots. Ebert has been on the City Commission for the past 4 years and was serving as vice-mayor at the time of his appointment. Arehart was elected to the Commission last year.

The mid-term-appointment of the new mayor and vice-mayor was made necessary by the resignation of former mayor Robert Wood, who resigned because of business reasons. Appointed to fill Wood's remaining time on the Commission was Donald Roesner.

Incumbent Mayor wins in DeWitt

DEWITT - Murl Eastman was re-elected mayor in DeWitt Tuesday, defeating William Drouin 330-303.

Elected to 4-year City Council terms were Charles Bauer (307), James Boyd (353) and Robert Drouin (316). They defeated Ronald Hofmeister (232), Michael Mandrick (217) and Hazel Myers (195).

Winning 2-year terms are Frank Deak with 388 votes and Gerald Kirchen who had 431 votes. They defeated Robert Sulter (212) and Leilani Costello (190).

The city of DeWitt reported nearly 70% voters turning out for the 1974 General Election. Of the 1022 registered to vote in the city, 700 persons went to the polls Tuesday.

Free blood screening at Clinton Memorial

ST JOHNS - Free blood-screening tests for diabetes will be available at Clinton Memorial Hospital in St Johns as part of a search for more than 102,000 unknown diabetics in Michigan. Dan Parsons, Chief Laboratory Technologist, stated that testing is only for people who don't know whether they have diabetes. Those who are known to have diabetes will not be tested. The tests will be from 1 pm to 3 pm Sunday, Nov 17 at Clinton Memorial Hospital, 805 S. Oakland in St Johns.

Since diabetes is best detected after a person has eaten, menus are suggested for those being tested. Anyone tested should include all the foods in the amounts suggested, and the meal should be eaten 2 hours before the test, but water, nor to smoke, chew gum or eat candy, cough drops or other foods after the meals.

The suggested breakfast is fruit (a banana, canned fruit or large glass of fruit juice), 1 cup cereal, cooked or flakes, one-half cup milk; 2 teaspoons sugar; 2 pieces toast or bread; one tablespoon jelly or jam; and coffee or tea with cream and sugar if desired. The pre-test lunch suggested is vegetable or cream soup, 5 crackers, meat or cheese sandwich with 2 slices of bread, 1 cup milk, and dessert of cake, pie, pudding or a similar choice. Another suggested lunch is hamburger and bun, French fries or potato chips, dessert and a large glass of pop but not diet pop.

Patients should report to the hospital an hour and 45 minutes after eating, and meals should take no longer than 15 minutes to eat. Children with a family history of diabetes may be tested if accompanied by an adult. Of the 22,974 persons tested in Michigan last year, 435 were diabetics, 183 were potential diabetics and 77 had low blood sugar.

Hospitals, health agencies and the Michigan Diabetes Association are cooperating in the free program, and have asked those who know they are diabetic not to take the test. Those who have been tested before and not found to be diabetic may come for a current test.

"The St Johns Lions and Rotary Clubs are paying a large portion of the expense involved in providing this free screening, while Clinton Memorial Hospital is paying the rest", Parson explained.

Court rules brothers violated probation

ST JOHNS - Keith and Lyle Mayers, local dairy and cash crop farmers, were found Monday by Circuit Court Judge Leo Corbin to have violated conditions of their parole and will face possible court action Nov 18.

The 2 were charged with violating terms of their probation following an incident in which a car owned by Paul Eldridge, 6342 W. Kinley Rd, was damaged after 2 dead raccoons were placed in it.

Claiming the brothers were involved in the incident was Gary Hull, currently serving time in the county jail on a malicious destruction of property charge stemming from the same incident.

He claimed he put 1 of the raccoons in the Eldridge car and that Lyle Mayers put the other dead animal in the car.

As a result, it was determined \$2000 damage had been done to the 1974 Ford.

The Mayers and Hull met while Hull was serving time in the county jail for disorderly person and the Mayers were serving time for larceny of cattle.

The letter was "D" and it stood for "Don't"

ST JOHNS - The letter was "D" and it stood for "Don't" and it meant "Don't Smoke" and that's what kind of day it was in St Johns, Monday, Nov 4.

"Don't Smoke Day" was sponsored by the 5th hour health class at Rodney B. Wilson High School, who asked smokers not to light up for 24 hours.

As an added incentive for smokers not to light up, they were asked to sign pledges promising they wouldn't smoke for the 24-hour period.

Democrats win 4 seats

New faces on County Board

ST JOHNS - Five new faces will be on the Clinton County Board of Commissioners in January, following the Tuesday night General Election. Results are unofficial pending ballots going to the Board of Canvassers.

Of the 5, four are Democrats. Winning in the 1st Dist was LeRoy Vincent (D), who defeated Charles Sills (R) 665-580. Walter Nobis (R) defeated Patricia Silvernail in the 2d Dist 745-417. He is the lone new Republican to win office on the board.

In the 3d Dist, Harold Martin (R) easily won re-election, defeating his Democratic opponent, Walter Sevenski 862-369. Maurice Gove (R) was re-elected in the 4th Dist 791-543 over Joe Humenik (D). Elaine Brockmyre (D), by the very slim margin of 3 votes, unseated 6th Dist Republican Don Gilson. The final vote was 690-677.

Duane Chamberlain (R) was re-elected in the 6th Dist 792-564 over his Democratic challenger Richard Divine. In a close battle in the 7th Dist, Roger Overway (R) was re-elected to the board

with his 697-642 win over Ruth Ann Townsend (D). Dyle Henning (R) had little problem in being re-elected to the 8th Dist seat, defeating George Speidel 1034-887. It was a close battle in the 9th Dist incumbent with Alta Reed (R) being defeated by Max Calder (D) 608-491.

Virginia Zeeb (R) was re-elected in the 10th Dist over Milton King (D) 740-585. Incumbent Richard Hawks (R) was defeated in the 11th Dist by Charles Gutzki (D) 788-641.

Township election results

Following are Tuesday's results in township races where candidates faced opposition.

DEWITT TWP	
Supervisor-	
Dale Emerson (R)	1456
Ted Powell (D)	1294
Treasurer-	
John C. Kirschner (D)	1387
Oliver Angell (R)	1349
Trustee-	
Roger A. Pline (R)	1453
Richard Older (D)	1410
Kenneth Geisenhaver (R)	1347

WATER TOWN TWP	
Clerk-	
Mildred McDonough (R)	699
Elaine Amos (D)	458
Trustee-	
William V. Montgomery (R)	718
Syver Thingstad (R)	679
Betty Harlow (D)	503

BATH TWP	
Supervisor-	
Thomas Woodruff (D)	1023
John Addis (R)	424
Treasurer-	
Carl Crofts (D)	918
Alice J. Loomis (R)	478
Trustee-	
James Cronk Jr (D)	800

Mary Black (R)	569
Allen Rosekrans (D)	971
Richard Morrill (R)	420

Complete results next week

ST JOHNS - For complete results on how Clinton County residents voted in local, state and national elections see next week's County News. Scheduled to be published next week is the precinct-by-precinct results.

VICTOR TWP	
Treasurer-	
Jean Morrill (R)	307
Vern E. Fosnight (D)	182
Trustee-	
Daniel T. Morris (D)	262
Arlo Stichter (R)	225
Constable-	
Daniel B. Jorae (D)	267
John H. Arnlt (R)	225

EAGLE TWP	
Clerk-	
Alice Sullivan (R)	395
Anne Love (D)	287
Treasurer-	
Carl Lietzke (R)	429
Paul D. Edgecomb (D)	249

OVID TWP	
Clerk-	
Porter Martin (R)	506
Gary Kurka (D)	350

Lewis wins judge's race

ST JOHNS - District Judge Frederick Lewis won re-election to the 6th Dist bench in Tuesday's General Election. He defeated challenger William Jackson 7081-4077.

Judge Lewis will begin serving his 1st full term in the office. He originally was appointed to fill a vacancy created by the death of Roland Duguay.



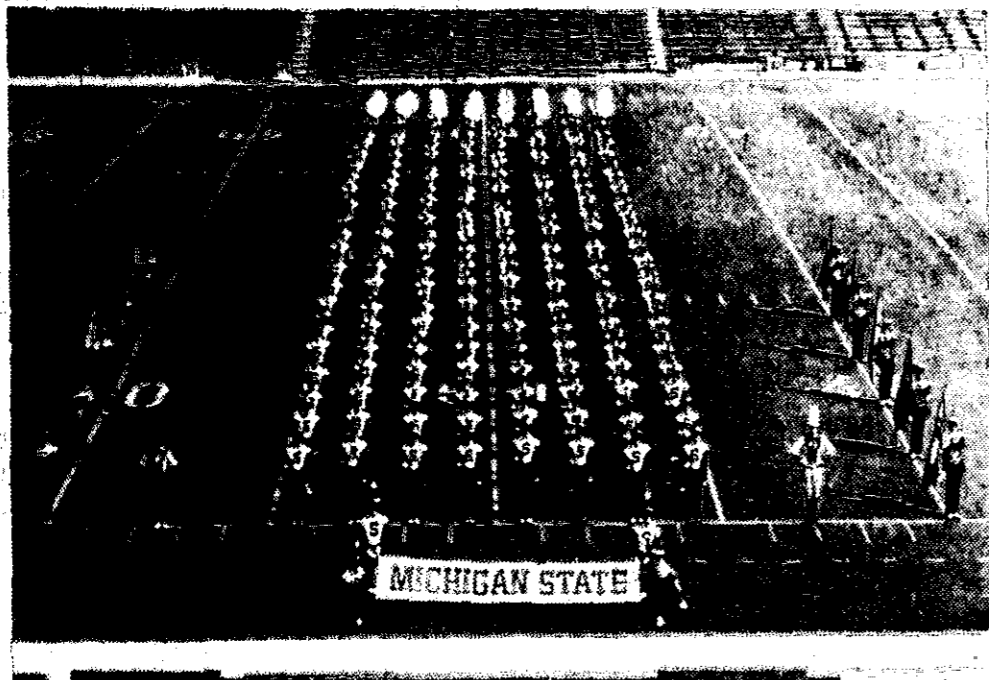
Paul McNamara, St. Johns area United Way campaign chairman, hears reports from division chairman during a recent report meeting. Contributions have reached 60% of the \$25,000 goal with 2 weeks left in the 1974 campaign.

BLOODMOBILE COMES TO FOWLER

Friday, November 8th

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH HALL

TIME: 1 P.M. - 7 P.M.



MSU Spartan marching and playing ensemble

Varsity Night Saturday

ST. JOHNS - Musical entertainment will be the main feature on Varsity night Nov. 9, 7:30 pm at the high school gym. For \$1 adults will be able to see special routines from the twirlers, cheerleaders, trixies, pixies, and soloists. Children will be admitted for 50 cents. The Redwing Marching Band will play selections from the

1974 football season. A dance band, the Barbershop Quartet, the 8th grade band, 9th grade band and the Heather Pipers featuring Mr. Fred Lewis will also contribute to the evening's entertainment. A special feature will be a marching and playing ensemble from the Michigan State University Spartan Marching

Band, who performed several years ago.

Varsity night is a money making project as well as an evening of entertainment. Proceeds will go toward providing uniforms, band camps and equipment for the school bands.

Eleven appear in Circuit Court

ST. JOHNS - Eleven persons appeared in Circuit Court at the most recent motion day to face arraignment or sentencing. They were:

Diana Lee Lantrip, 28, 6031 Winterset Lansing, pled guilty to possession of controlled substance. She was released on personal recognizance bond and is to be sentenced Nov. 18.

George Fuller, 27, 1200 W. Grand River Rd., Owosso, stood mute to charges of uttering and publishing a forged instrument. He requested a jury trial. Bond was continued.

Mark Jury, 19, Capitol Trailer Park, DeWitt Township, stood mute to breaking and entering an unoccupied dwelling and pled guilty to larceny over \$100.

Barry Knickerbocker, 18, 1311 W. Kinley, St. Johns. Arraignment on breaking and entering and larceny from an unoccupied building charges adjourned for appointment of attorney.

Robert Deroover, 22, DeWitt Twp., pled guilty to larceny of over \$100 from unoccupied building and stood mute on breaking and entering.

Lillian Pipes, 49, entered a plea of not guilty to charges of delivery of heroin and

demanding a jury trial. Douglas Henry, 19, 2015 S. Logan, was to be arraigned on breaking and entering charges. Arraignment adjourned for appointment of attorney.

Jack Wood, 721 Merrill, Lansing, pled not guilty to breaking and entering with intent to commit larceny. The matter is to be set for trial.

Gary Hull, was sentenced to 120 days in the county jail after pleading guilty to malicious destruction of property, placing a dead raccoon in an automobile belong to Paul Eldridge of rural St. Johns.

Robert Hogarth, 32, 713 Randolph, Jackson, received 4 years probation with the 1st 90 days in the county jail on charges of larceny by trick of over \$100.

Fred Foster, 6901 US 27, Rt. 5, St. Johns, was placed on probation for 2 years with the 1st 90 days in the county jail after pleading guilty to attempted uttering and publishing a forged instrument.

Thomas Butler, 18, 705 S. Mead, St. Johns, was sentenced to 2 years probation with the 1st 30 days in the county jail after pleading guilty to larceny in a building.



K of C celebrates 25th anniversary

The Knights of Columbus of St. Johns recently celebrated their 25th anniversary. Among the members present left to right were: Jim Fedewa, master forest degree; Bernard Gereke, state advocate; Thomas Kavanaugh, chief justice of the State Supreme Court and supreme national director; Arnold Pohl, district deputy, and Joe Mullaney, grand knight of St. Johns Council.



Cutting the cake at St. Johns Knights of Columbus 25th anniversary celebration. left to right are: Arnold Pohl, Bernard Gereke, Thomas Kavanaugh, and Joe Mullaney.

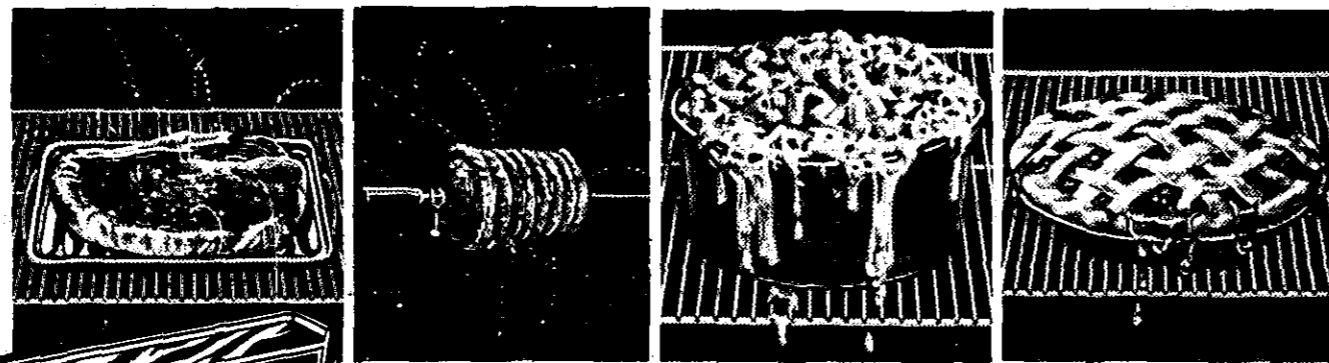
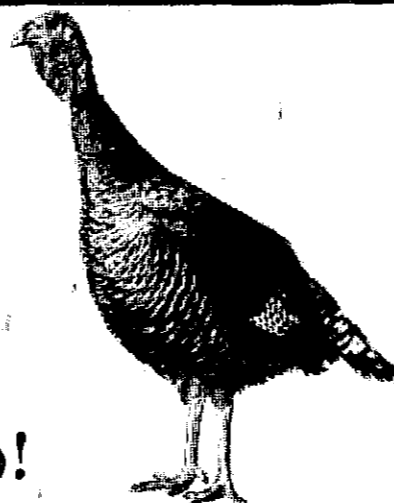
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Time to pay those tickets

ST. JOHNS - St. Johns officials are urging all persons with outstanding traffic or parking tickets to pay them as soon as possible.

Those who do not pay the tickets are subject to arrest and prosecution.

Guest speaker to be at Exchange Club meet

ST. JOHNS - Guest speaker at the Nov. 14 St. Johns Exchange Club noon meeting will be Dennis Dunnigan, recently appointed Clinton County planner.

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REGULAR CLINTON COUNTY ZONING COMMISSION MEETING

The Clinton County Zoning Commission will hold a regular meeting on Thursday, November 21, 1974 at 8 p.m. in the Court-house, St. Johns, Michigan.

Any person having interests in the county or their duly appointed representatives, will be heard relative to any matters that should properly come before the Zoning Commission.

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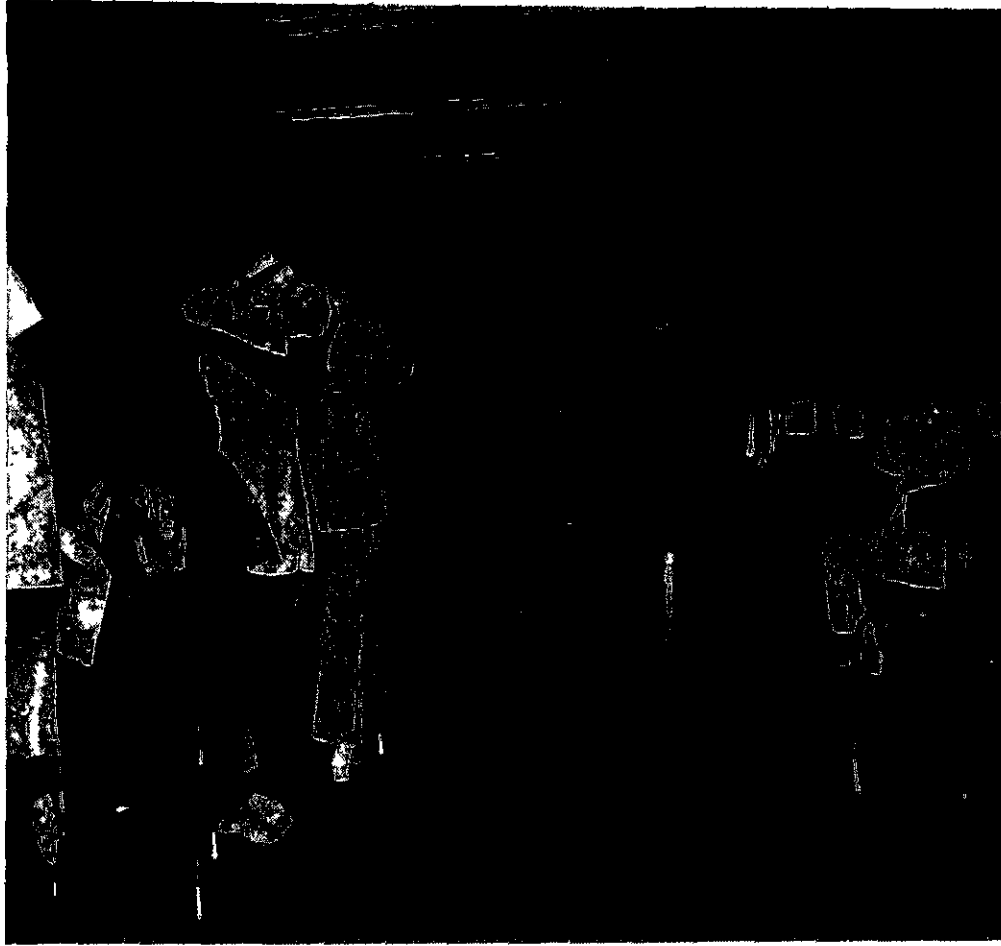
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Cosmetology program--offering a skill to go along with high school diploma

ST JOHNS -- For several students in Clinton County high schools, their high school graduation isn't going to mark the beginning of job hunting without training or experience.

Those students are participants in the shared time cosmetology school in St Johns training girls from St Johns, Fowler, Pewamo-Westphalia and Uvid-Elsie Schools.

A 2-year program, it is designed to prepare the student to take the state board exam at the conclusion of the 2nd year.

That means, as the program participants leave high school, they are prepared to enter their occupational field as part of the area's working force.

The program was first offered to area high school students last year and classes were conducted in Lansing.

This year, however, the former Bee's Chevrolet-Oldsmobile building on W. Higham in St Johns is the site of the new quarters for the program.

Conducting the program are 2 full-time teachers and a part-time teacher - Dorothea Jones, director; Colleen Cameron, junior level instructor and Judy Verus, instructor.

Students receive instruction in 4-hour blocks, 20 hours a week.

Junior level students begin instruction with mannequins and, after 350 hours of instruction, advance into working with the general public.

The facility welcomes local patrons and can accommodate 20 customers at a time.

Their services include long and short hair styling, facials, permanent waves, scalp treatments, etc.

The St Johns location for the cosmetology center was decided upon because of previous problems with students traveling to and from the Lansing-based center.

Because of travel time, it was difficult for students to get in enough hours to qualify for the state board at the end of their 2 years.

Now, students are qualified to take the state board at the end of 2 years, including a short summer session.

The course is just one of several offered in the shared-time program. Others include food services, auto mechanics, building trades, agricultural mechanics, health assistance, electronics and drafting.

Center holds open house

ST JOHNS -- An open house will be held Monday, Nov 11 at the Cosmetology Center. The public is invited to see the facility at 110 W. Higham from 7-9 pm.



Junior year students begin their practical application of cosmetology with mannequins.

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Police Department reports busy two weeks

ST JOHNS -- It's been a busy past 2 weeks for the St Johns Police Dept. Following are the police activities for that period.

Travers Auto Parts, 1012 N US 27, was broken into Oct 23. At least 10 tape decks, 6 tires, numerous 8 track tapes, and 2 mag wheels were stolen. The incident is still under investigation.

Regino Salazar, 18, of 2934 E Walker Rd, St Johns was arrested Oct 24, for the possession of marijuana. Salazar plead guilty and will be sentenced Nov 18, 9 am at the District Court.

James Douglas Welton, 23, of 335 E St Joseph St, Lansing was arrested Oct 25 for possession of marijuana. He has pleaded not guilty.

Richard Andrychowski, 50, of 121 N Court, Howell, was

arrested Oct 27 for driving under the influence of alcohol. This is his 3d offense. He demanded examination in the District Court, which is set for Dec 19, 9:30 am. He was released on \$500 bond.

Dennis Bruce Martain, 38, 544 Mason Rd, Fowlerville was arrested Oct 27 on drunk and disorderly charges. He plead not guilty and was released on \$50 bond. His pre-trial hearing is set for Dec 23, 4 pm.

John Edward Lachapelle, 18, 803 N Mead St, was arrested and charged with larceny from a building, Arnolds Drug Store, Oct 29. He was released on \$200 bond, and his pre-trial hearing is set for Dec 3, 3:30 pm.

Kathy Jo Masarik, 22, 609 N Morton St, was arrested Oct 30 and charged with driving under the influence of alcohol. She

pled not guilty and was released on \$100 bond. Her pre-trial hearing is set for Dec 5, 10:25 am.

Duane Rudy, 500 W Higham St reported Oct 30, that a stereo and AM-FM radio was stolen from his car which was parked in the 300 block of Clinton Ave.

Robert Joseph Daniels, 7301 S Williams Rd, reported to the police Oct 30, that a 8 track tape deck and tactometer were stolen from his car, parked on the 100 block of E Railroad St.

Robert Eugene Ball, 42, 7311 E Round Lake Rd, Laingsburg, was arrested Oct 31, and charged with driving under the influence of alcohol. He was released on bond.

Dennis W Smith, 110 N Lansing St, reported on Nov 3 a theft of a 1972 Honda 250 which was stolen from his home.



Former "Gospel Troubadour"

The Chords, a gospel-singing male quartet from Youngstown, Ohio, have recently acquired the talents of Tom Fowler, a local tenor.

The group will make their St Johns debut at the First United Methodist Church on Sunday evening, Nov 10, at 6:30 pm.

This collection of young men is billed as "one of the best and

youngest full-time organizations touring the nation, as well as fast becoming one of the most popular."

The public is invited to attend this special service. A free-will offering will be taken and light refreshments will be served in the church basement after the concert.

Harlow Hoyt has seen our little one

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VETERAN'S DAY

In fact, Harlow was the first to visit our little one on the morning of Oct. 30. Our little one was wide-awake at 7 a.m. (just as it is every morning) and Kay Atkinson was caring for it when Harlow arrived.

Gosh, our little one was excited- an excitement that continues to even as you read this, because each day it's number of visitors has increased almost double from the day before. Harlow was the first but more and more are visiting our Plaza 27. Don't you wait any longer - visit our little one today...

it's giving you something to talk about!!

The wide-awake bank makes it all so easy.

Member FDIC

DeWitt Twp minutes

Synopsis of the regular meeting of the Township Board held on Tuesday, October 29, 1974 at the Township Hall, 780 E Wieland Road, Lansing, Michigan.

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 p.m. by Supervisor Emerson.

Board members present: Corr, Purves, Syverson, Emerson, Angell, Kzeski and Pline.

The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

The agenda was approved with the addition of Bell liquor license added.

The fire report was given by Pline. Approved the purchase of new uniforms for the fire department, half of them will be purchased from Federal Revenue Sharing money.

The Park Commission minutes were reviewed. Adopted a reservation policy for the Valley Farms park shelter.

The Police Committee minutes and police report were reviewed.

The Supervisor reported on the progress of the new police building. The hardship ordinance was discussed with the attorney. Adopted the Uniform Construction Code Ordinance. Approved Bell liquor license with the change of address. Adopted a central mailing address resolution.

Members of the Planning Commission will be meeting Wednesday with Tri-County Planning regarding our own zoning. A bulletin board will be purchased. Our next Board meeting will be Tuesday, November 12th because of the holiday.

Adjournment at 9:04 p.m. Respectfully submitted, Donna B. Syverson, Clerk. Approved by Dale S. Emerson, Supervisor.

Mary LaBrie becomes Mrs Roger Snider

ST JOHNS -- Mary C LaBrie became the bride of Roger A Snider, Saturday, Aug 17, at 2 pm in St Joseph Catholic Church. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev William McKeon. Altar flowers were white glads.

Diane DeWitt sang several selections for the prelude accompanied by John Warstler on guitar. Robert Koger sang "The Lord's Prayer" and "Entreat Me Not To Leave Thee", accompanied by Evangeline Caudy on the organ.

The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Robert LaBrie of 303 Wight St, St Johns, and the groom is the son of Mr and Mrs Kenneth Snider of 306 S Baker St, St Johns. The bride, escorted to the altar by her parents, wore a dacron polyester organza gown with a scooped neckline, overlaid with lace and extending over the shoulder to form cap sleeves. Her chapel length veil was held in place with a flowered head piece. The bride carried a bouquet of blue and white daisies and baby's breath.

The maid of honor was the bride's sister, Theresa LaBrie. The bridesmaids were, Mary Holmgren of Saginaw, a friend of the bride, Michelle LaBrie, sister of the bride, and Jeanne Snider, sister of the groom. Lisa Allen, of Coopersville, cousin of the bride, was flower girl.

The girls wore floor length, pale blue and white checked gingham, knit acetate dresses and carried straw baskets filled with daisies and baby's breath. The baskets were brought from Mexico by the bride's father. Their head pieces were daisies.

The mother of the bride wore a double knit aqua colored, floor length gown and a corsage of white daisies and aqua tinted sweetheart roses. The groom's mother wore a double knit pink floor length gown and a corsage of white daisies and pink tinted sweetheart roses.

The best man was Allan Rappuhn of St Johns, friend of the groom, who preceded the groom and his parents to the altar. The groomsmen were, David Banta of Muskegon, Kim Olsen of Niles and Robert Young of Detroit, college friends of the groom. The ring bearer was Andrew Allen of Coopersville, cousin of the bride. Ushers were Stephen LaBrie and Robert G. LaBrie, brothers of the bride and Mark Barz of Goderich, Canada, friend of the groom. Hosts and hostess were Dr and Mrs Henry Burkhardt and Mr and Mrs Harold Rappuhn, all of St Johns.

A reception for 275 guests was held at St Joseph Social Hall following the ceremony. After a week long honeymoon at the bride's parents cottage and sailing on Grand Traverse Bay, the couple will reside in Grand Haven, Michigan. The groom is a student at Grand Valley State College and also works part time for the college as a graphic artist. The bride is employed as a dental hygienist by Thomas J Lowe, DDS and Dale E DeBoer, DDS.



MRS ROGER A SNIDER



MRS TOMMY MARTIN ORR

Linda Kramer and Tommy Orr are wed

LANSING -- Linda Sue Kramer became the bride of Tommy Martin Orr Oct 12, at 1:30 pm at the Saint Casimir Catholic Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Clements Kramer of 10837 Kimball Rd, Pewamo, and the groom is the son of Mr and Mrs Martin Orr of 6726 S Washington Ave, Lansing.

Father Albert Hounberger performed the double ring ceremony before an altar dressed with white and yellow mums, and Dianna Moore and Ron Allen provided the music.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a long sleeve gown trimmed with white lace featuring a hood, long flowing train, and a high neckline. She carried a bouquet of white and yellow rosebuds, white mums and baby's breath.

The bride's attendants were: Mrs Jane Fouty, of Oklahoma City, cousin of the bride; and Mrs Anita Weller of Portland, Mich, niece of the bride. The flower girl was Wendy Kramer of Pewamo, the niece and godchild of the bride.

The attendants wore forest green gowns accented with long capes and black slippers. They carried bouquets of yellow roses, yellow and bronze mums with baby's breath, and wore jade necklaces, a gift from the bride.

The brides mother wore a long gown with gold accessories, and a corsage of rosebuds and baby's breath. The mother of the groom wore a long green gown with black accessories, and a corsage of white rosebuds and baby's breath.

The best man was Glenn

25th anniversary

Mr and Mrs Alois Sipka and Mr and Mrs Otto Kus were surprised Sunday, October 27, when a reception was held for them at St Therese Hall, Lansing, honoring their 25th wedding anniversary.

Two hundred guests were present for the event which was hosted by their children Mr and Mrs Bob Smith of DeWitt, Mr and Mrs David Sipka of Grand Rapids, Mr and Mrs Paul K Jopke of St Johns, Jim Kus of Okemos and his fiancée Melody Horne of Lansing, Dori Kus, and Larry Kus of St Johns, and guest Lee Smith.

Mrs Sipka, the former Geraldine Wieber and Alois Sipka were married April 26, 1947 in St Johns. They have resided in Lansing since that date.

Mrs Kus, the former Donna Wieber and Otto Kus were married November 5, 1949 in St Johns and have since lived in St Johns.

Coming event

NOV 16 - The Owosso Chapter of Parents Without Partners will co-host with the Genesee South Chapter at the Mid-Michigan Regional Conference at Hawaiian Gardens, 4501 Grange Hall Road, Holly, Michigan, Nov 16. Theme of the Conference is "Family Life - In and Out of Marriage" and includes speakers, workshops, dinner and dancing to the music of Paul Dunlap's band.

All widowed, divorced or legally separated parents are welcome.

Donation for the entire day is \$9 for members, \$10 for prospectives. Donation for dance only is \$3 for members, \$4 for prospectives. Further information may be secured by calling 313-629-8663 or 517-723-2314.

Open House

An open house will be held at West Bingham Church, Nov 17 from 2 til 5 pm in honor of Mr and Mrs Donald B. Jaquish who are celebrating their 40th wedding anniversary. Friends and relatives are invited.

Their children, Mr and Mrs John Jaquish and family, and Mrs Glenna J. Cressman and family, will be the hosts.

The former Alberta Emmons and Donald B. Jaquish were married in Lansing, Nov 17, 1934. They have lived in the area most of their lives with the exception of 5 years spent in New Mexico.



MR & MRS DONALD B JAQUISH

Pline and Berkhausen united

ST JOHNS -- Jacqueline Pline became the bride of Jon Mark Berkhausen Aug 10, at 2 pm at St Joseph Catholic Church, St Johns.

The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Francis Pline, Rt 6, St Johns. The groom is the son of Mr and Mrs Romaine Berkhausen of 1102 S. Swegles St, St Johns.

The Rev William Hanked performed the double ring ceremony.

Gladiolas and yellow carnations dressed the altar, and the St Joseph folk singers and organist Jackie Schieder were featured in the ceremony.

The bride, escorted by both parents, wore an ivory nylon polyester gown trimmed with antique lace. The gown featured full sleeves which were also trimmed with the lace, a cummerbund at the waist, a lace yoke and high collar. The cathedral veil was fastened to a lace headpiece.

The bride carried a bouquet of four large orchids embedded in a cross shaped spray of yellow roses fastened with a yellow lace ribbon.

The maid of honor was Kathy Randolph. The bridesmaids were: Vicki Kellogg; Linda Berkhausen, sister of the groom; Sandy Spousta; and Kelly Spicer. The junior bridesmaid was Shelly Pline, sister of the bride.

They wore identical sleeveless dacron eyelet gowns

lined with yellow rayon polyester. The stand up collar was trimmed with ivory lace, and matching lace trimmed the ruffle at the hemline. Long sleeve jackets were worn over the gowns.

The attendants carried a single long stem yellow rose with green and white streamers.

The mother of the bride wore a sleeveless beige polyester crepe gown, and a corsage of pink roses.

The groom was also given away by his parents. The best man was Clark Berkhausen.

The groomsmen were: Paul Richards, of Grand Rapids; Bruce Pline, brother of the bride; Doug Thurston, of

Lansing; and Phil Knight of Big Rapids. The ushers were Allen Boettger and Craig Bartholomew.

A reception was held for 400 guests at St Joe's School gym at 6pm. The host and hostess were Mr and Mrs Roy Pline. Mrs Clark Berkhausen and Mrs Irene Pline served the cake, and serving the bridal table were Mrs Allen Boettger and Mrs Mike Brown.

The bride is a 1971 graduate of St Johns High School and the groom is a 1969 graduate of Rodney B. Wilson High School.

After a wedding trip to Colorado, the couple will be at home at 1740 W Price Rd, St Johns.

Marriage licenses

Mark B. Graves, 18, 12101 Airport Rd, DeWitt; Katherine R. Bentley, 18, 11441 Francis Rd, DeWitt.

Clinton Junior Alexander, 46, 4418 E. French Rd, Elsie; Doris Jean Ellis, 38, 4418 E. French Rd, Elsie.

Roger Wayne Harris, 20, 524 South Maple, Maple Rapids; Debra Kay Pritchard, 19, 609 N. Morton, Lot 57, St Johns.

Robert Lewis Kalocy, 23, 11312 Ridge Rd, R 2, Elsie; Shirley Ann Pospisil, 23, 11316 Ridge Rd, R 2, Elsie.

Richard Dean Lake, 25, 2096

N. State St, Ionia. Linda Ray Garcia, 29, 209 W. Oak St, Ovid.

Donald Keith Dennis, Jr, 19, 12231 Wacousta Rd, Eagle; Debra Kay Tucker, 19, 4526 Addison Rd, Lansing.

Jeffery Cartwright, 20, 545 Valley Rd, Lansing; Brenda Brewster, 18, 14131 Turner Rd, DeWitt.

Randall L. Brown, 19, 14207 Turner Rd, DeWitt; Doreen M. Theroux, 19, 1109 S. Geneva Rd, DeWitt.

Paul Andrew Barrett, 18, R 6, St Johns; Wendy L. Hawley, 19, 9417 E. Walker Rd, Ovid.

Call No. 491		Chapter No. 15429		National Bank Region No. 7	
REPORT OF CONDITION, CONSOLIDATING DOMESTIC SUBSIDIARIES, OF THE					
CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK OF ST. JOHNS, St. Johns					
IN THE STATE OF Michigan, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON October 15, 1974					
PUBLISHED IN RESPONSE TO CALL MADE BY COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, UNDER TITLE 12, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 161.					
ASSETS		Dollars	Cts.		
Cash and due from banks (including \$ unposted debits)		2,376,645	78		
U.S. Treasury securities		2,233,256	85		
Obligations of Federal Financing Bank		None			
Obligations of other U. S. Government agencies and corporations		3,022,899	09		
Obligations of States and political subdivisions		4,372,624	69		
Other securities (including \$ None corporate stock)		278,843	38		
Trading account securities		None			
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell		600,000	00		
Loans		16,385,324	05		
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises		364,874	67		
Real estate owned other than bank premises		1,35,812	19		
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and "associated companies"		None			
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding		None			
Other assets (including \$ None direct lease financing)		251,254	60		
TOTAL ASSETS		30,214,639	28		
LIABILITIES					
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		3,751,761	52		
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		17,371,423	47		
Deposits of United States Government		15,645	99		
Deposits of States and political subdivisions		5,838,945	87		
Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions		None			
Deposits of commercial banks		None			
Certified and officers' checks, etc.		362,369	83		
TOTAL DEPOSITS		\$ 26,941,146.66			
(a) Total demand deposits		\$ 5,265,947.69			
(b) Total time and savings deposits		\$ 21,675,198.98			
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase		None			
Liabilities for borrowed money		None			
Mortgage indebtedness		None			
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding		1,369,003	10		
Other liabilities		20,210,149	76		
TOTAL LIABILITIES		28,214,639	28		
RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES					
Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS rulings)		280,798	53		
Other reserves on loans		None			
Reserves on securities		None			
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES		280,798	53		
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS					
Capital notes and debentures		None			
% Due					
% Due					
Equity capital-total		1,623,690	99		
Preferred stock-total par value		None			
No. shares outstanding		504,930	00		
Common Stock-total par value		60,493			
No. shares authorized		50,493			
No. shares outstanding		350,000	00		
Surplus		768,760	99		
Undivided profits		None			
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserve		None			
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS		1,623,690	99		
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS		30,214,639	28		
MEMORANDA					
Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date		26,857,220	00		
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date		16,682,291	73		
Interest collected not earned on installment loans included in total capital accounts		None			
Standby letters of credit		None			
Herold W. H. Mellman, President (Name and title of officer authorized to sign report) hereby declares that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.					
We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.					
U.S. Government Securities of \$ 2,225,000 were pledged at Oct. 15, 1974 to secure Public Deposits of \$ 400,000 of Treasurer of the State of Michigan and for other purposes					
John B. Stevenson, Director					

Clinton County 4-H Fair Association			
Address (no. & street, RFD, city, state & zip code)			
1003 S. Oakland, St. Johns, Michigan			
Organized under what law			
Act 80, Public Acts 1885 as Amended, Sec. 10218-210227			
		Date reorganized May 25, 1965	
FOR FISCAL YEAR	October 1 1973	THROUGH	October 31 1974
CASH RECEIPTS		CASH DISBURSEMENTS	
GATE & PARKING		SALARIES	\$1000.00
GRANDSTAND		EXPENSES OF EMPLOYEES	
MIDWAY & CONCESSIONS		OFFICE SUPPLIES & PRINTING	\$ 86.30
COMMERCIAL SPACE RENTALS		GRANDSTAND & ATTRACTIONS	
ENTRY FEES	\$ 218.00	JUDGES, POLICE PROTECTION, ETC.	\$ 969.28
STALL & TENT RENTALS		TOTAL PREMIUMS PAID (from page 2)	\$4731.00
LIVESTOCK SALE	\$1031.48	RIBBONS & TROPHIES (from page 2)	\$ 679.20
RACE FEES		RACING PURSES	
ADVERTISING		RACING EXPENSES	
STATE - PREMIUMS	\$3806.64	TENT RENTALS	
STATE - RACE PURSES & PHOTO FINISH		UTILITIES (PHONE, ELECTRIC, ETC.)	
STATE - BUILDING & REPAIR	\$1767.85	ADVERTISING & PROMOTION	\$ 738.90
COUNTY FUNDS	\$4940.00	INSURANCE & TAXES	
MEMBERSHIP FEES	\$ 5.00	MAINTENANCE & REPAIR	\$ 54.20
OFF SEASON RENTALS		CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS	\$2987.52
DONATIONS	\$ 880.00	NEW EQUIPMENT & RENTAL	\$ 677.00
LOANS		LOAN PAYMENTS	
OTHER (itemize)		DUES & SUBSCRIPTIONS	\$ 15.00
		REFUNDS	
		CORPORATION FILING FEE	\$ 10.00
		OTHER (itemize) Straw, Paper	\$ 174.19
		Table Cloth, Felt, Safety Pins,	
		Garbage Removal, Garden Boxes	
TOTAL	\$12,648.97	TOTAL	\$12,122.59
BEGINNING FISCAL YEAR CASH BALANCE (IN ALL ACCOUNTS)			
\$ 462.64			
PLUS TOTAL RECEIPTS (FROM ABOVE)			
\$13,111.61			
LESS TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS (FROM ABOVE)			
\$12,122.59			
TOTAL ENDING FISCAL YEAR CASH BALANCE (IN ALL ACCOUNTS)			
\$ 989.02			
We, <u>George Hazle</u> and <u>John Aylsworth</u>		President (print) Secretary (print)	
being duly sworn depose and say that we are respectively the president and secretary of the <u>Clinton County 4-H</u>			
<u>Club Fair</u> and that the foregoing statements contained herein on pages 1 and 2, are actual			
cash transaction of the fiscal year period so stated, as required by law. It is understood that any falsification of such statements			
herein will be subject to the penalty so designated in Act No. 188, Public Acts of 1921, as amended.			
President (signature) <u>George Hazle</u>		Secretary (signature) <u>John Aylsworth</u>	
Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and for said county of <u>Clinton</u>			
this <u>1st</u> day of <u>November</u> A.D., 1974			
Notary Public	City	My Commission Expires	
<u>Mary Libey</u>	<u>Elsie, Michigan</u>	<u>July 25, 1975</u>	

Engagements

Watts-Chant

Mr and Mrs John Watts, of 2450 W. Walker Rd, St Johns wish to announce the engagement of their daughter Susan Ella to Chris Lee Chant, of 6952 S. Airport Rd, DeWitt. He is the son of Lee Chant, the same address and the late Lois Gene Chant.

Thelen-Schafer

FOWLER - Mr and Mrs Edgar Thelen of Route 2 Bauer Rd wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Ann Marie, to Steven L. Schafer, son of Mr and Mrs Jerome M. Schafer of 510 Elm St, Fowler.

Miss Thelen is a 1974 graduate of Fowler High School and is presently employed at Michigan School Service.

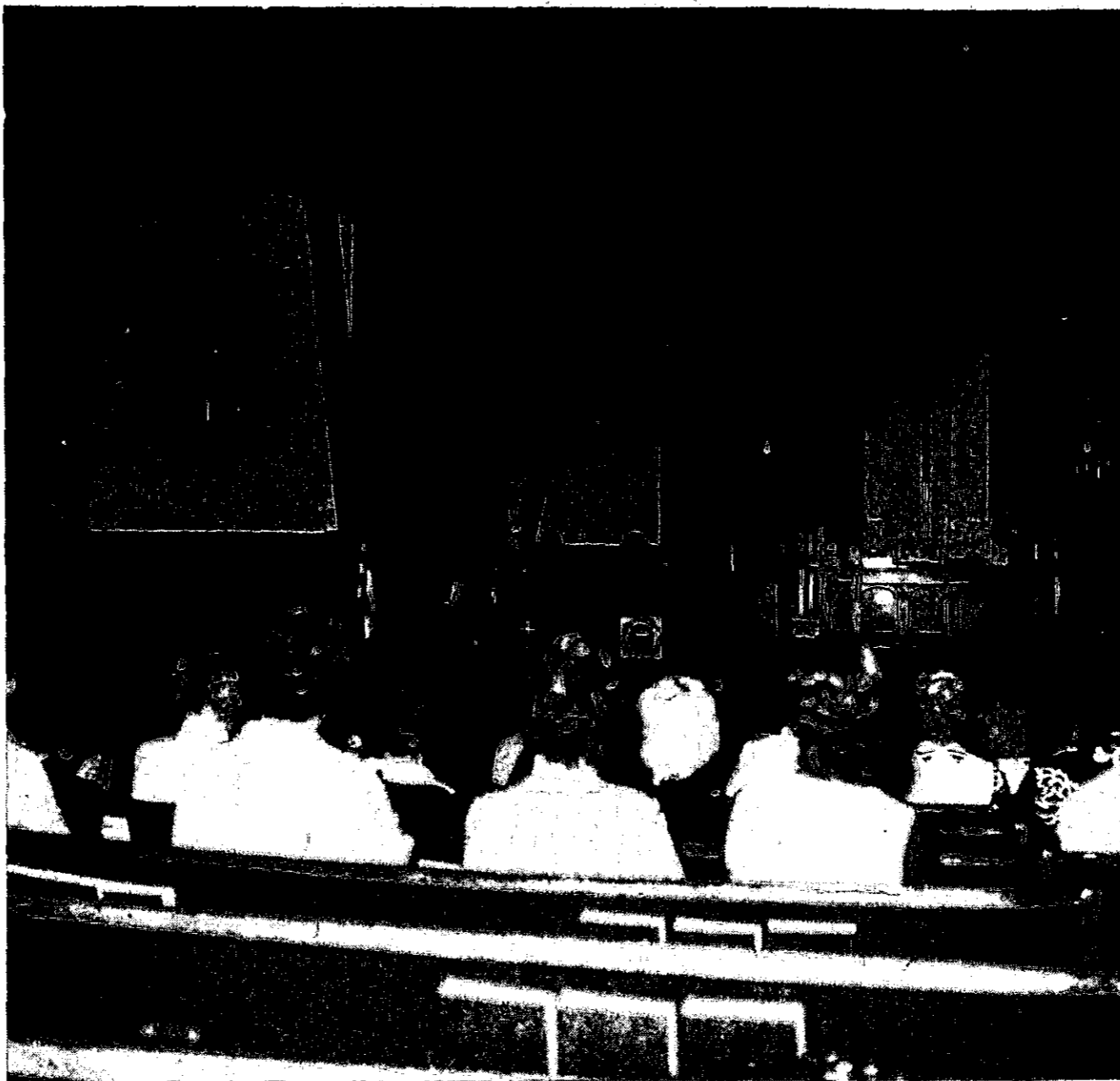
The prospective Bride-groom is a 1972 graduate of Fowler High School and is employed at Rehmann's Clothing Store.

The couple are planning a May 10 wedding.

The bride elect and the prospective bridegroom are both 1973 graduates of St Johns High School and he is self-employed. A Feb 8, 1975 wedding date is set.



Mrs. Stanley Olszewski (left), State President of Mich. State Federation of Women's Clubs and Mrs Wayne Kooi, West Central District President, view art and crafts exhibits at the recent convention in St. Johns.



St. John's Mayor Roy Evert addresses the West Central Dist. Women's Club convention in St. Johns.

St Johns--Site of District Women's Club Convention

ST JOHNS -- The Clinton County Federation of Women's Clubs entertained 116 women from 5 counties Oct 17 at the St Johns Congregational Church for the 53rd annual convention of the West Central District of the Michigan State Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs Wayne Kooi of Grand Haven conducted the all-day program as district president of clubs from Clinton, Ionia, Kent, Montcalm and Shiawassee Counties as well as the city federations of Grand Rapids and Greenville.

Mrs Stanley Olszewski, state president of the Michigan Federation of Women's Clubs, named areas needing emphasis on community improvement programs by local clubs; bicycle and car safety, safety in the home, crime prevention, control of obscenity, drug abuse

and alcoholism, consumer education and patriotism.

At the convention luncheon prepared by the Women's Fellowship of the Congregational Church, Mrs Justin Sleight of Lansing spoke about the year she and her husband recently spent in Sierra Leone in Africa where Dr Sleight was a missionary worker in the field of ophthalmology.

Donelle DeWitt on the flute; Jess Massey, 2 vocal selections and Rosa Leonard on the violin.

All arrangements for the day were coordinated by Mrs John Rumbaugh of St Johns, 2nd vice-president of the West Central District and Mrs Roy Davis, president of the Clinton County Federation.

Music scholarship winners from St Johns High School shared their talents for lunch-time entertainment. They are

At the end of the day's program, Douglas Carpenter and Morris Apple, conducted a tour of their home, the former Hick's mansion.

Coming events

NOV 7 - Bingo for retired and semi-retired at Knights of Columbus. Doors open at 1 pm, Bingo starts at 2 pm. Participants are to take "white elephants" for prizes.

NOV 7 - Congregational Church Fair St Johns. "Something Celestial". Nov 7, 9:30 am - 8:30 pm Smorgasbord Beef & chicken. Serving at 5:00, 6:00, & 7:00 pm. Call 4-2636 mornings for reservations. There will be: crafts, fish pond, cake walk, white elephant, candy, produce, raffle-quit, afghan, turkey.

NOV 8-9 - The Greenbush Senior Citizens are having a Barn Sale on Friday and Saturday, Nov 8 and 9, from 9 am to 6 pm at the Greenbush Township Hall, located 4 miles north of St Johns on US-27 and 1 1/2 east on French Rd. Antiques, clothing, bake sale, coffee and donuts.

Nov 9 - St Joseph School in St Johns, is having their annual Carnival in the gym, Saturday, November 9, from 5 to 10 pm. Games, booths, food, prizes and fun for all. A one week Florida trip for two or \$650.00 cash is the Grand Prize.

NOV 12 - The Alpha Eta Chapter of Delta Kappa

Gamma will meet in the community room of Central National Bank at 7 pm.

NOV 12 - Tuesday at 8 pm in the Student Commons Room of Fulton High School there will be a meeting to interested persons to discuss the Middle School Curriculum.

NOV 14-15 - Lansing Community College's Studio Theatre presents an all-student production of "The Apple Tree" on Thursday and Friday, at Central United Methodist Church. Curtain time is 8 pm. For ticket information call the Performing and Creative Arts Department at 3737-012.

NOV 15, 16 & 17 - Pewamo-Westphalia Community Players present "Don't Drink The Water," at 8 pm in the Pewamo Elementary School. Proceeds go to the William Steinke Memorial Scholarship Fund.

Nov 18-19 - Income Tax School for Practitioners, Hospitality Inn, East Lansing - Repeating Dec 9 & 10.

Nov 19, 26 & Dec 3 - Farm Estate Planning and Operating Agreements Workshop. First Meeting at Smith Hall. Others at Central National Bank.

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BIRTHS

A boy, Michael Sean, was born to Mr and Mrs Timothy J. Davarn of 205 Leona Dr, Pewamo, at Sparrow Hospital. The mother is the former Laura Platte.

A boy, Thomas McCort Walker, was born to Mr and Mrs Terry A. Walker of Grand Ledge, Oct 1, at Sparrow Hospital.

A boy, Lee Scott, was born to Mr and Mrs Richard L. Powers of 307 S. Dibble, Lansing, Oct 1, at Sparrow Hospital. The mother is the former Janet E. Fellows.

A boy, Henry Carl, was born to Mr and Mrs Charles H. Kahle of 229 Wielano Rd, Lansing, Oct 3 at Sparrow Hospital.

A girl, Cammy Elizabeth, was born to Mr and Mrs Alan R. Dickinson of 10607 Lowell Rd, DeWitt, Oct 5 at Sparrow Hospital. The mother is the former Cynthia Binkley.

A girl, Rebecca Sue, was born to Mr and Mrs Jon M. Thelen of 809 N. Oakland, St Johns, Oct 7 at Sparrow Hospital.

A girl, Autumn Weather and Rosemary, was born to Mr and Mrs Ronald W. Every of 1548 W. Harper Rd, Mason, Oct 8.

A boy, Casey Douglas, was born to Mr and Mrs Rex T. Schmusler of 15320 Rikard Lane, Bath, Oct 8 at Sparrow Hospital. The mother is the former Judy M. Albrecht.

A boy, Michael David, was born to Mr and Mrs David L. Long of 8611 W. Juddville, Elsie, Oct 9. The mother is the former Sally Miller.



Students display soup labels

Students in St Johns elementary schools display Campbell's soup labels and their collection receptacles now-seen around the St Johns area. The classes have 50,000 as their label goal, which will be redeemed for audio visual equipment in the schools. Representing their schools in the photo are (from left) Troy Spellman, Central School; Steve Smith, Swegles; Darcy Swedenberg, East Ward; Robin Bensinger, Swegles; Jim Swanchara, St Joes; Scott Deloff, East Ward and Mark Egres, Swegles.

On Oct 23, it was reported that Phyllis Flak married Vincent Moran. In the story the bride's name was misspelled and read Falk instead of Flak. The Clinton County News regrets the error.

Gen Tel prepares for new "Life Line" service

General Telephone recently received Michigan Public Service Commission approval to offer a special limited residential telephone service called "Life Line," according to Bob Wellman, operating vice president for the company. The

new service will be available in General Telephone exchanges throughout the state by the end of 1976.

Life Line service is expected to appeal to those who would not normally use telephone service except for illness, security and other emergency or generally limited uses.

Life Line is a service limited to 20 calls per month at a rate of \$2.00 less than the one-party service rate in an exchange. Additional local calls will cost Life Line customers 10 cents each.

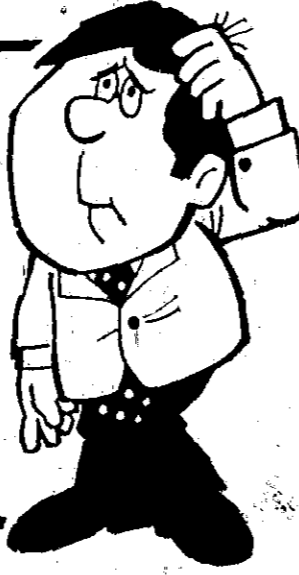
The specialized equipment necessary to provide Life Line service has been ordered and the company is now preparing an installation schedule by exchange, Wellman said.

He added that customers would be advised when the service is available in each exchange.

General Telephone had filed an application with the Michigan Public Service Commission in April to provide Life Line service.

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3. Be sure and print your name and address plainly on your entry.
4. Mail your entry to Contest Editor, The Clinton County News, St. Johns, before 6 pm Friday or deliver it personally to The Clinton County News office before 5 pm Friday. Mail must be postmarked no later than 6 pm Friday.
5. Contest winners will be announced each week in The Clinton County News.
6. Only one entry per person is allowed.
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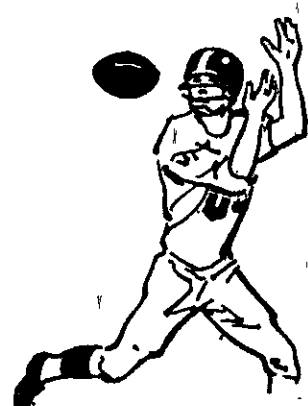
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Mrs. Laura Mullaney (left) Welcome Wagon hostess, and Mrs. Jim Pelham (right) assistant hostess, welcome Mr. and Mrs. John Cockrum, owners of the Clinton Theatre as new sponsors of the Welcome Wagon in St. Johns.



Officers this year of the St. Johns Welcome Wagon Newcomers Club are (from left) Mrs. Dee Geer, secretary; Mrs. Laura Mullaney, hostess; Mrs. Donna Buckley, president; Mrs. Peg Lehnen, treasurer; Mrs. Edna Whittaker, historian; and not shown is Mrs. Mary Pelham, assistant Welcome Wagon hostess.

St Johns Morning Musicales hosts visitors from Owosso

ST. JOHNS -- St. Johns Morning Musicales hosted the recent meeting with the Owosso Musicales. Members and guests met at the First Congregational Church for a morning coffee followed by a program provided by the Owosso Club. Elizabeth Downie organist for St. Paul's and Christ Church of Owosso, played several organ selections, Reger Benedictus Opus 59, No. 9 and 3 movements of Sonata II by Hindemith. Patricia Nixon, saxophonist explained the origin of the saxophone and its less familiar use in the field of classical music. The velvety, emotional tone of the instrument was expressed in the Aira by Jacques Ibert with organ accompaniment. Tableaux de Provence by Paule Maurice and Introduction and Samba by Maurice Whitney with piano accompanist Mary Ann Mitchell completed the program. Mesdames DeWitt, Patton, Lawrence and Campbell served on the coffee committee. The next club meeting will be in the evening Nov. 14 at 8 pm in the home of Mrs. Roy Briggs.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To the Editor:
On behalf of the Lansing Branch of the Cystic Fibrosis foundation, I would like to express my sincere appreciation to the people of St. Johns for their generous contributions to the "Breath of Life" campaign for 1974. The combined efforts of all volunteers produced a total of \$20,473.00. St. Johns alone accounted for a record high of \$1,000.00. Thanks Again!
Sincerely,
Gary Swan, President

DeWitt VFW buys Post Home

DeWitt Veterans of Foreign Wars Post and Auxiliary 671 have purchased the old Community Church building on North Bridge Street, DeWitt, for their Post Home. They will hold their 1st meeting there Nov. 12. The Post and Auxiliary meet the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month. The Post meets at 8 pm while the Auxiliary meets at 7:30 pm.

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American Legion Auxiliary reports on fall activities

ST. JOHNS -- The Edwin T. Stiles Unit 154 of the American Legion Auxiliary of St. Johns met Oct. 15 at the post home, President Jean Bartholomew presiding. Following the opening ritual Sandi Nelson and Chris Shafley were introduced by 1973 Girls State Chairman Betty Knight. The girls spoke of their experiences at Girls State at Olivet College in June. Membership Chairman Alice Brooks reported 126 paid members. We have a quota of 161 for our Unit Department. President Louis Ferguson is asking all Units to try to have quota by her birthday Nov. 12. Anyone who has not paid can contact Alice Brooks.

Reports on Fall Conference held in Midland were given by Kay Misher and Jean Bartholomew in the Children and Youth Program this year. Units are requested to save all commemorative stamps, duck stamps, foreign postage stamps, all stamps costing more than 10 cents... bonus coupons on food stuffs, cigarette coupons and if you have any trading stamps you do not have a place to turn them in please donate them as they can be used last year with this program. Michigan alone was able to purchase 300,000 pounds of high protein food worth \$10,162.00 for worthy causes. A donation of \$25 was sent from the Unit for the "bed fund" at the Otter Lake Children's Home. Their program this year is to raise \$5,000 to replace beds and mattresses in some of the cottages.

The Americanism essay theme this year is "America Your Greatest Heritage". Chairman Joan Doly will be placing rules for this in the schools and the Bement Library. February is Americanism month and the essay winners will be asked to read their essays at our meeting in February. The Foreign Relations CARE Country this year is East Java. Our "cup of Java" was passed and the money collected throughout the year will be used to further the people of Java. Rehabilitation Chairman Marjorie Pardee reported our Units 32 gifts had been purchased and were all boxed now and ready for delivery to the Veterans Hospital at Saginaw. Gift shop days are December 10-11-12. A \$10.00 donation was sent to "Jo McDonnell's Operation Telephone." This money is used by a serviceman overseas to make a phone call home. On November 16 a Leadership Development Course will be conducted at the Post home at 9:30 am. Anyone in the area wishing to attend please send their reservation to Kay Misher, 102 E. Cass, St. Johns, no later than Nov. 12. The cost is \$1.50 and the school will last 3 1/2 to 4 hours.

The Elsie Post 502 of the American Legion and Auxiliary will host the 8th District meeting Nov. 10th. Service officers school will start at 12 noon. Dinner at 1:30 pm and the meetings will begin at 3 pm. The next regular meeting of Unit 154 will be Nov. 19 at 8 pm. Guests of honor will be the Gold Star Mothers of our Unit, all Past Unit Presidents and all new members. Anyone who has not been initiated or received their membership pin please contact Frances Conn who will have charge of the program.



Leon Brubaker receives a Welcome Wagon Newcomers Club basket from Mrs. Laura Mullaney, Welcome Wagon hostess, honoring the Alaby and Brewbaker Inc. insurance firm as a new sponsor for Welcome Wagon in St. Johns.

Fowler PTA now PTO

The Fowler PTA decided to change its name to the PTO in a meeting held Oct. 14, 8 pm at the Fowler High School. In other business, the PTO held elections and selected committees.

The following officers were elected: Donna Holcomb, president; Nancy Myers, vice president; Karen Thelen, treasurer; Mary Ann Chartrand, secretary; Floyd Berry, father vice president; David LaGurie, teacher vice president. The members of the program committee are: Roy Ellsworth, Laurie Knudsen, Pat Schafer, Connie Watt, and Judy Bozung. Wava Messer is in charge of publicity. The members of the refreshment committee are: Deb Bower, Nancy Myers, Mart Feldpansch and Kathy Andersen. The next meeting will be held on Dec. 9.

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Fowler aims for perfect season, Eagles take on Fulton Friday

FOWLER - The unbeaten Fowler Eagles will defend their perfect 8-0 record in the season finale Friday night at Fulton.

The Eagles ran their unbeaten streak to 8 last Friday when they defeated Bellevue 28-6. Bellevue's lone touchdown

was only the 3d TD allowed by the Fowler defense this year. Only a total of 20 points have been scored against the Eagles

in 1974. Mike Graff put the Eagles on the scoreboard in the 1st quarter when he tossed a 22-

yard scoring pass to John Mueller. Lee Feldpausch ran the 2-point conversion and the Eagles led 8-0. Later Bellevue scored on a 50-yard pass interception by Mike Clark.

The Conversion attempt to give Fowler an 8-6 lead. Terry Thelen added another touchdown for the Eagles in the 2d period, going in from the 1-yard-line. The conversion attempt failed and, going into the 2d half, Fowler led 14-6. Neither team scored in the 3d period.

Mueller picked up his 2d touchdown of the evening in the 4th quarter, scoring from the 8-yard-line. He also carried in the 2-point conversion.

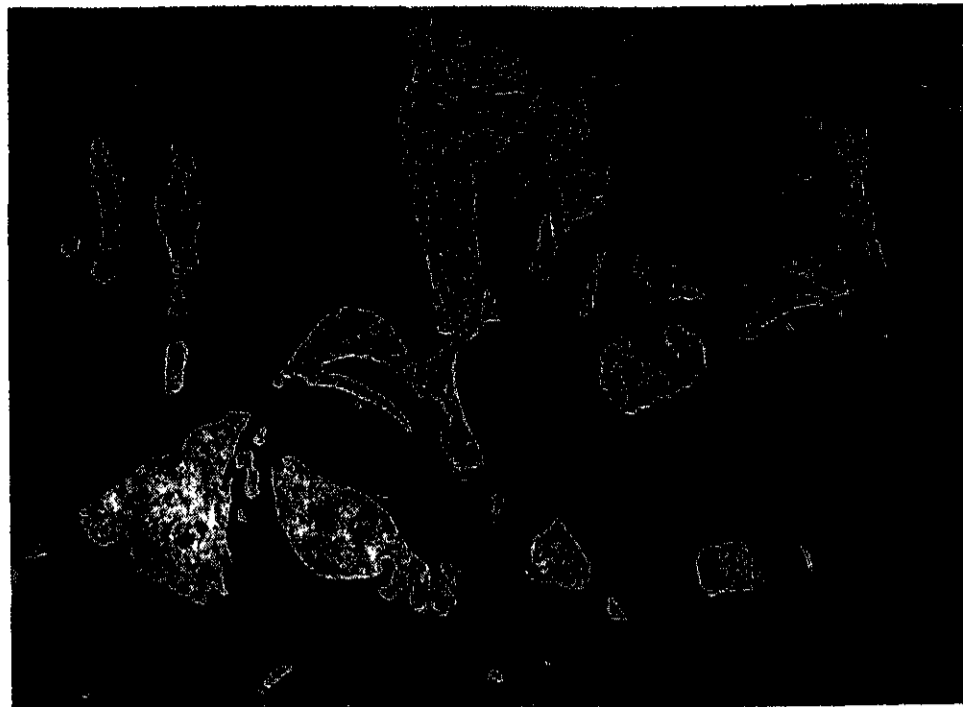
Graff added his 2d TD of the game to cap the Fowler scoring when he went in from the 2-yard-line. The kick for extra point failed. The Eagles rushed for 132 yards and Graff was 4-for-17 in the air for another 85 yards.

Bellevue was held to 62 yards on the grounds and 14 in the air. Terry Thelen led the offensive running for Fowler with 70 yards in 19 carries.

Defensively Norm Koenigsnecht led the charge with 14 tackles and he also blocked a Bellevue punt.

An offensive tackle, Koenigsnecht ran the Fowler tackle eligible pass and added a 50-yard pass reception to his statistics for the evening.

If the Eagles knock off Fulton Friday, they will have undisputed possession of the CMAC championship. A loss would give them at least a tie if Pewamo-Westphalia wins their final game against Webberville. They are 7-1 for the season with the only loss being to Fowler.



This Bellevue runner met the same fate that runners have met all year against the tough Fowler defense. The Eagles have yielded only 20 points all season.

Pewamo-Westphalia bombs Webberville 50-8

WEBBERVILLE - Pewamo-Westphalia started scoring at the beginning of their game Friday night with Webberville and kept scoring until the end of the game.

Before the game was over, Pewamo-Westphalia was heading back home with a 50-8 victory. Pat Thelen set the pace much of the evening, tossing to

receivers to set up scoring opportunities. Thelen picked up 157 yards from his quarterback spot. Larry Theis scored the last TD of the game when he went in

from the 2-yard-line. Dave Smith carried across the 2-point conversion and P-W led 8-0 as the game barely got underway.

It was Theis again in the first quarter, this time scoring from the 26. Dan Leneman kicked the extra point, 1 of 6 he kicked before the game was over. Thelen himself put 6 more points on the scoreboard then when he went in from the 15-yard-line.

Webberville got into the scoring action in the 2d quarter when Mike Bloom scored on a 2-yard run. The conversion failed. Then it was Theis' turn again, this time scoring from the 1-yard-line.

Luke Pohl then notched 1 for the defense, picking off a Webberville pass and returning it all the way for a P-W TD. Pohl scored that 1 on defense and added another on offense when he opened the 2d half with a 13-yard touchdown.

Keith Schaffer rounded out the scoring for the Pirates, returning a punt 45-yards for the touchdown. Webberville added 2 points to their lone touchdown when the Pirates yielded a safety. The victory gives the Pirates a 7-1 schedule.

They close out the season Friday against Olivet at home.

Marauders lose in last 3 minutes

It happened again. The Marauders had it going, only to lose in the final 3 minutes, a fate they have suffered more than once this season.

This time the last minute loss came at the hands of Bridgeport 19-14. Ovid-Elsie started the game in powerful fashion, scoring the 1st time they had the ball.

Paul Case capped a 68-yard drive when he took it in from the 17-yard-line. The kick by Perry Munson for the extra point failed, giving O-E a 6-0 lead. With time running out in the 1st half, Bridgeport's Linell Spiller scored from the 1-yard-line. The extra point was good to put Bridgeport ahead 7-6 at the half.

Then the Marauders began the 2d half the same way they started the 1st-by scoring. Right after the kick-off, Munson added 6 points to the scoreboard when he hit Geiger on a 7-yard-pass.

Jack Bashore held the ball for the extra point, but threw to Geiger to give the Marauders a 2-point conversion.

But, with 5 minutes left in the game, here came Spiller again, this time on an 80-yard shocker. It was Spiller again with 3 minutes left in the game, when he put Bridgeport ahead to stay with a 3-yard touchdown run.

Statistically, Ovid-Elsie outgained Bridgeport 261 to 230 in total yards. Ovid-Elsie also led in 1st downs 14-12. Jim Quine led the rushing attack for the Marauders, carrying the ball 15 times for 102 yards. Paul Case picked up 70 yards in 16 carries.

Defensively, Dean Hibbler was the leader with 16 tackles. The Marauders take on St Johns Friday at home.

The Marauder freshmen lost 19-14 and the Jayvees lost 12-8. The Jayvees finished with a 3-3 record and freshman rolled a 5-1-1 record.

Bees lose to Williamston, 3-way tie in Ingham loop

WILLIAMSTON - The Bath Bees fell to Williamston Friday night 26-20, a loss which threw the Ingham County League into a 3-way tie for 1st place.

A win would have given Bath sole possession of the title, but the conference season wound up with Bath, Williamston and Stockbridge tied for the crown with 5-2 records.

Williamston exploded for 2 touchdowns the first quarter against Bath Friday.

Dave Conklin scored first for the Hornets, going in from the 1.

The point after was good to give Williamston a 7-0 lead. John Moss later scored in the same period for the Hornets, the conversion attempt failed, and

the Bees trailed 13-0. Joe Brown added another 6 points for Williamston on an 11-yard run. But, Bath came back when Montee Skorich, Bee quarterback, went in from the 1.

He later passed to Steve Hawks, who lateraled the ball to Joe Green, who went in for the Bees' 2d touchdown. Skorich passed to Hawks for the 2-point conversion to pull Bath within 5 points, 19-14 at halftime.

Williamston kept up their scoring attack in the 3d quarter, picking up 7 more points on an 85-yard touchdown journey by Brown and the kick for extra point.

Skorich added Bath's final touchdown on a 3-yard run



These boys are among 200 students who are being taught gun safety at St Johns High School through a program set up by the Department of Natural Resources.

Gun safety taught at St Johns H S

ST JOHNS - Any boy or girl from 12 to 16 years old who wishes to go hunting this autumn must complete the hunter safety course. This is the law, and this is why St Johns High School is teaching 200 boys the fundamentals of gun safety.

The Hunter Safety Course is sponsored by the Department of Natural Resources and taught through St Johns High School by Wayne Morrison, physical education teacher, and Bob

Ballard, teacher and coach. The boys went through 1 week of classroom instructions before being taken to a shooting range where they were able to apply what they had learned in class.

All the boys completing the class will be awarded a Hunter Safety Certificate by the DNR, which will enable them to purchase a hunting license.

Ernie Haas devised the shooting range on his land for the boys, and the ammunition was provided by Barry Dean of Dean's Hardware, St Johns.

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DeWitt to close out season against Laingsburg

DEWITT - The DeWitt Panthers close out the 1974 football season in the final

CMAC contest of the year at Laingsburg Friday night. The Panthers will be carrying

an even 4-4 record in the season finale, following an 8-0 victory over Olivet Friday night.

The score of the game came in the 2d quarter when Dave Powell charged in from the 2-yard-line.

Quarterback Warren Willis tossed to Bob Strauss for the 2-point conversion.

Powell's offensive efforts were not his only contribution to the game. In the 3d quarter, he intercepted a pass on the DeWitt 10-yard-line to end an Olivet scoring threat.

While DeWitt evaded their record at 4-4, Olivet fell to 1-7 for the season.

St Johns frosh breeze over Alma

ST JOHNS - St Johns freshmen gridders breezed over Alma last week, 40-6.

Scoring for St Johns were: -Eric Bailey in the 1st quarter, conversion failed.

-Eric Bailey on 17-yard run in the 2d quarter. -Bailey again in the 3d quarter on 41-yard run. -Jason Bargar on 14 yard run in 4th quarter.

-Lynn Thelen, who recovered a punt in the end zone, blocked by Dave Rice.

-John Cardenas, who ran in a 2-point conversion. -Bob Gladstone on a 5-yard run around end and another 2-point conversion run by Cardenas.

Jeff Cox led the defense with 9

tackles and Jim Shaley added 8. Coach Al Werbish also praised the play of Wayne Sperry along with end Jay Henning. St Johns had 375 total yards. The Redwings finished the season with a 4-3-1 record.

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Cash and due from banks (including 5,000,000 reserved for FDIC)	5,160,020	01
U.S. Treasury securities	3,187,328	06
Collateral of Federal Reserve Bank	-	-
Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	2,566,136	58
Obligations of State and political subdivisions	2,644,214	25
Other securities (including 1,550,000 reserved for FDIC)	1,303,806	28
Trading account receivables	811,622	77
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	-	-
Loans	62,818,827	20
Real estate, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	811,622	77
Real estate owned other than bank premises	47,681,128	18
Investments in nonaffiliated subsidiaries and "consolidated companies"	-	-
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptance outstanding	-	-
Other assets (including 1,000,000 reserved for FDIC)	160,514	71
TOTAL ASSETS	67,859,221	41

LIABILITIES	Dollars	Cts
Deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	11,349,996	12
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	76,712,712	63
Deposits of United States Government	27,212,118	18
Deposits of State and political subdivisions	6,950,263	53
Deposits of foreign governments and other institutions	-	-
Deposits of commercial banks	-	-
Cardinal and other "debits", etc.	553,494	28
TOTAL LIABILITIES	117,266,180	68

RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	Dollars	Cts
Reserve for bad debts based on loans (not on payment to FDIC) and other reserves on loans	126,482	06
Reserve on securities	-	-
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	126,482	06

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	Dollars	Cts
Capital stock and advances	-	-
Surplus	1,907,110	00
Reserve for contingencies and other capital account	3,685,656	72
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	5,592,766	72

MEMORANDA	Dollars	Cts
Amount of total deposits for the 12 months days ending with call date	55,031,000	00
Amount of total loans for the 12 months days ending with call date	62,298,000	00
Amount of total assets for the 12 months days ending with call date	-	-
Amount of total liabilities for the 12 months days ending with call date	-	-
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	67,859,221	41

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Redwings do it -- upset Alma

By Jim Phipps
County News Sports Writer

The coach surveyed the noisy locker room, then raised his voice to be heard.

"You guys can be very, very proud of yourselves," he shouted.

The St Johns Redwings grew quieter.

"Nobody in the conference hit us like you did tonight," praised the coach. "You're a very fine team!"

Cheers broke out from the victorious Wings and the coach, Dave Arnold of Alma High, walked from the locker room to return to his disheartened Panthers.

St Johns had just stunned high scoring Alma by shutting out the visitors 12-0 in one of the Redwings' most complete victories of the season. The score might have been higher, but a penalty nullified a 10-yard touchdown run by quarterback Keith Haske with 16 seconds remaining in the game.

The defeat dropped Alma into a tie for the West Central championship with -- so what else is new? -- Grand Ledge. Each finished the WACAC season with a 5-1 mark, while St Johns took an impressive runner-up position (technically a 3rd-place tie) with Waverly at 4-2.

Because of St Johns' triumph, Grand Ledge backed into its 6th straight possession of part or all of the WACAC title. The Comets had earlier lost to Alma 28-20 in double overtime, and held on to defeat St Johns 7-6 despite being outplayed by the Wings.

Alma came to St Johns Friday with a 30-point scoring average and a 9-point defensive allowance. Among their 6 straight victories were a pair of shutouts and 2 games in which the victims scored just 1 TD apiece.

The Panthers' effort against Grand Ledge had ended a 15-game winning streak by the Comets and helped boost Alma to an 11th place ranking in the UPI's state Class B poll.

But St Johns struck twice in

the 2nd quarter for the victory margin and came up with the big defensive plays the rest of the way to keep Alma in its unfamiliar position on the low end of the score.

The Panthers had not trailed any team since losing the season opener at Saginaw Douglas MacArthur, 17-14.

St Johns finished with a 172-47 edge in rushing yardage, holding down a team that had managed 209 yards a game in that category. The Panther defense had yielded an average of 90 yards rushing before coming to St Johns.

The Redwings scored their 4th shutout of the season at the expense of a club that had rolled up 45 points once and more than 55 points twice. St Johns limited Alma to just a third of its customary 1st down total by gaining 10 to the Panthers' 5.

And the Wings totaled 3 interceptions for the night, a drastic experience for Alma quarterback Mark Vosler. He had just 5 passes all season.

The Panthers' leading rusher, Rick Bird, suffered a 60-yard dropoff in his rushing yardage -- the Wings held him to 15 yards in 14 carries, down from his usual 77 yards. Brad Cell, 2nd leading Alma runner, started on defense and registered an interception of a Haske pass despite playing with a bothersome hip pointer. He was forced back into regular offensive duty by circumstances and gained 34 yards, down from his average of 66.

The Redwings dumped Vosler 3 times for losses totaling 21 yards. They covered and rushed well on pass plays, leaving him with just 3 completions in 10 tries for a total of 18 yards.

Alma slipped into St Johns territory just once in the 1st half, and that only to the 47 yard line. The Panthers managed just one threat -- a 3rd quarter penetration to the St Johns 20-yard line, but Wings Nick Pytkoway and Curt Pettigrew were responsible for respective zero gain and 10-yards lost to kill the drive.

Interceptions went to Nick Koenigscknecht in the 1st quarter, setting up the 2nd St Johns touchdown, and to Brian Pertler and Pytkoway in the desperate 4th period attempt to rally.

The Redwings scored the 1st TD at 10:30 of the 2nd period after taking an Alma punt from the St Johns 41 yard line. Aided by a 15-yard pass interference penalty, the Wings got to the Alma 43. Kevin Knight ran 2 yards, Mark Green received a 4-yard pass, then Haske capped it with a 37-yard touchdown scramble. Alma blocked the extra point kick.

The teams exchanged punts, but Knight's punt to the end zone from the Alma 48 left the Panthers at a disadvantage. Koenigscknecht intercepted on the 1st play from the 20 yard line, giving St Johns the ball at the Alma 49.

Eight plays later, the Wings had all the points they needed for insurance. Wellman gained the 1st 17 yards on a burst off left tackle. Haske converted a 4th and 2 from the Alma 24 yard line by running 18 yards. Two plays later he flooded the end zone with receivers and picked swingback Ryan Pertler from 4 yards out for the score. The extra point pass went incomplete.

Alma reached the St Johns 28 yard line in the 4th period, aided by a 15-yard penalty, but tackle-end Jeff Hazle blocked a pass on 3rd down and 8, and Vosler overthrew his receiver on a 4th down pass that would have fallen short of the required 1st down yardage.

The remaining 2 St Johns interceptions occurred when Alma was well back in its own territory. Wellman finished with 77 yards, Haske 54 and Knight an unaccustomed low of 21. Alma was most prepared for Knight, leaving the others more free.

"We just plain got beat tonight," said Arnold. "St Johns but hit us. We just didn't block the way we should, and we fell down in the secondary -- their passing beat our best defensive halfback. What can I say?"

Haske completed 4 of 9 passes for 77 yards, including long

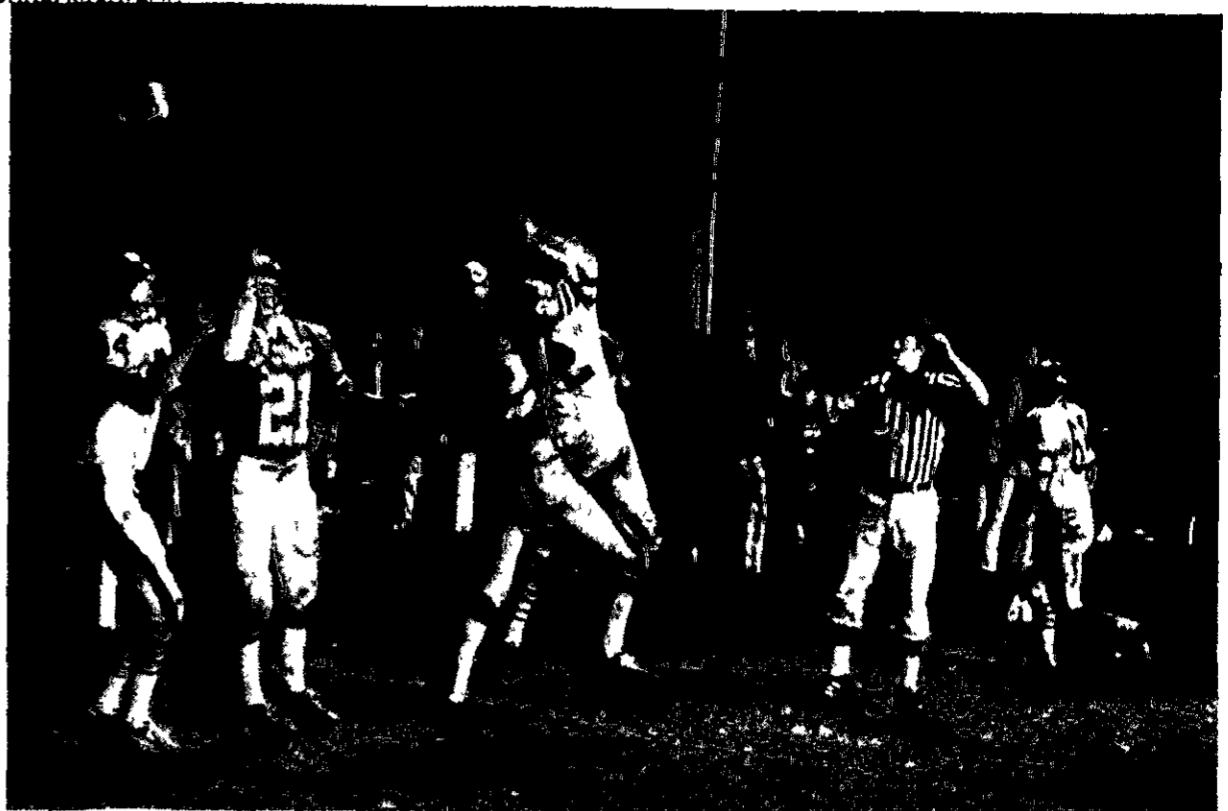
passes of 36 yards to Koenigscknecht and 32 to Kalem Latimer. The interception came when Alma's Pat Scott tipped a pass on the 1st series. Cell was nearby and alertly grabbed the flipped football.

"We didn't really play any better than we did against Grand Ledge, but last week we dropped the ball on a couple of passes and this week we didn't," said Wing coach Joe Gonzales. "And this is the 3rd straight game when everyone on the field has had a good game."

Jeff Thornton led the tackle parade with 12 hits, Dan Whitmore followed with 10, Hazle 9 and Pettigrew 8. Gang tackling and group rushes were notable throughout the contest. "We took away their two favorite plays," added Gonzales, "They rely on the quick outside pitch and the dive by the 2nd man through."

Gonzales paused, then added with satisfaction, "They beat us last year on that off tackle pitch. It would have been the easiest thing in the world to tie down after losing to Grand Ledge, but this team did not give up. And it will get up for next week, too."

He referred to Friday's visit to Ovid-Elsie for the season finale in the traditional non-league neighborhood rivalry. A victory would mean 2 in a row against O-E and a 6-3 overall record. The Wings prefer not to think about the result of a loss



Redwings and Panthers scramble for the aerial, but it goes out of the end zone in Friday night's upset victory over Alma.

Redwing varsity girls fall to Ionia

October 31 was Halloween night, but the treat wasn't for the St Johns Girl's Varsity squad as they dropped their third conference game of the season to the Ionia Bulldogs by a score of 59-32.

St Johns ran into trouble early in the game as the Ionia girls built up a 5-point lead, before St Johns could get two points on the board.

During the first half the Redwings were able to tie the game up, but that was the only time during the contest that St Johns would come in reach of a victory.

Turnovers plagued the St Johns team, along with very cold shooting.

St Johns was only down by 4 points at the end of the first half,

13-9, and at the half the score stood 23-14 in favor of Ionia. During the 3d quarter St Johns ran into foul trouble with three of their starters carrying 4 fouls with another one carrying 3. St Johns scored 13 points in the 3d quarter, but that wasn't enough for in the 4th quarter the Ionia team exploded for 25 points. The Redwings are currently 5-3 in the conference.

The Red's next home game will be Tuesday Nov 12 against the Grand Ledge Comet's. Earlier in the season St Johns was defeated by the Comets by one point.

Scoring for St Johns was as follows:

	FG	FT	F	TP
Donna Harrah	0	0	0	0
Betsy Wirk	1	0	3	6

Jennifer Ott	3	0	4	6	Diane Knight	0	0	0	0
Linda Sperry	0	4	0	4	Kendie Knight	0	1	2	1
Nancy Rogers	1	0	1	2	Myra Ostrander	0	0	1	0
Cindy Exelby	0	0	0	0	Linda Eisler	3	0	4	6
Vicki Mee	0	0	0	0	TOTAL	0	0	0	0
Julie Harris	2	3	4	7					32

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Redwing jayvee girls cage team victorious over Ionia

On Oct 31, the Redwing Girl's Basketball teams travelled to Ionia for a West Central Conference game.

The Redwing Junior Varsity squad pulled out their 9th win of the season against 1 loss. Taking only a 3-point lead in the first quarter, the jayvees began putting it altogether with good defensive playing by all team members, and taking a 19-9 lead at the half.

As second half action got under way the Redwings popped in 13 points, to the Ionia girls 9, to lead 32-19, during the final quarter the Ionia squad outscored the Redwings 17-11, but the St Johns Jayvees held on to take the win by a final score of 43-36. St Johns scoring was as follows:

	FG	FT	F	TP
Karen Feldpausch	0	3	0	3
Dana Haske	0	0	0	0
Michelle Wawczyk	5	1	3	11
Melanie Escher	0	1	2	1
Elvinda Martinez	0	0	0	0
Cheryl Stump	0	0	0	0
Gerilyn Faivor	0	0	1	0
Debbie Everts	2	0	3	4
Kelly McCarthy	0	0	0	0
Jeanna Hallenbeck	2	2	4	6
Janet Purtil	1	0	1	2
Denise Harrah	1	0	1	2
Marcia Thelen	6	0	2	12
Lori Henning	0	0	0	0
Sharon Karber	0	0	0	0
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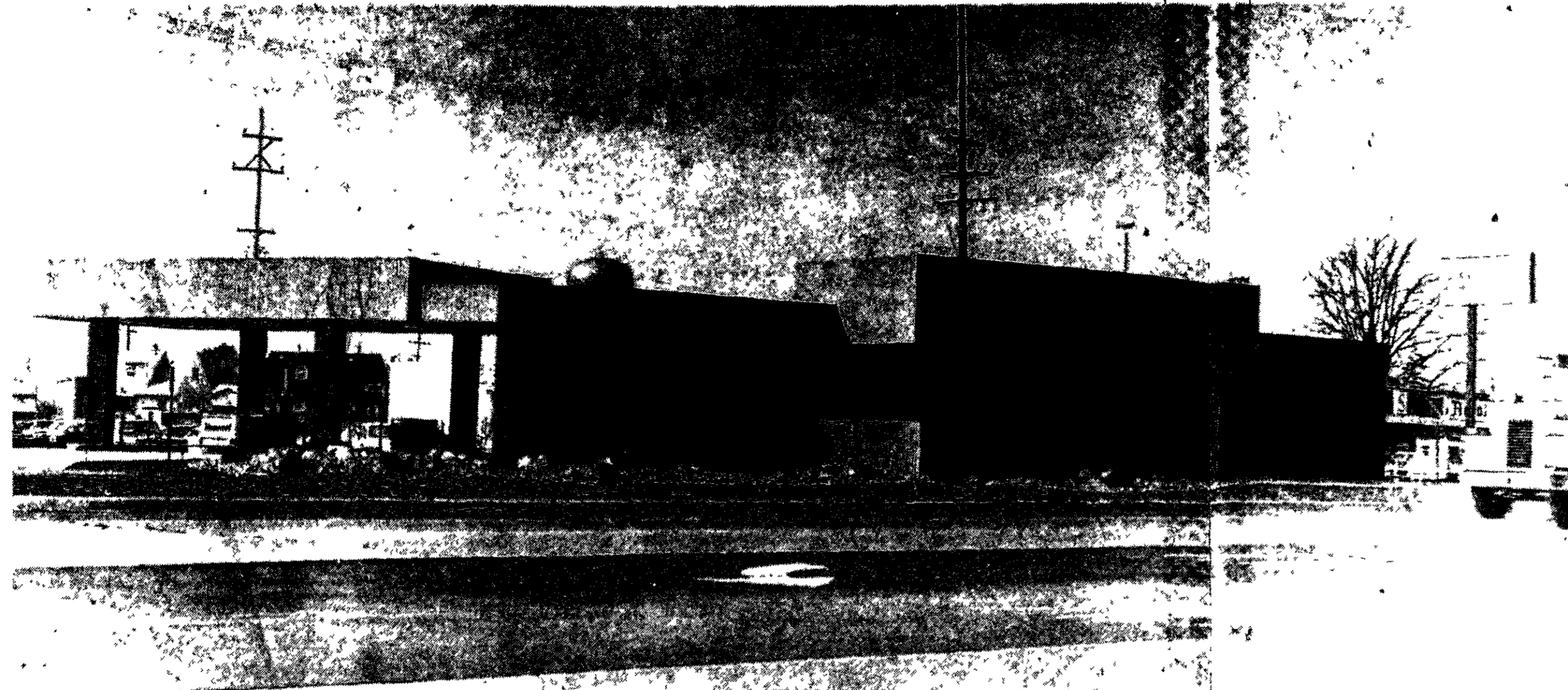
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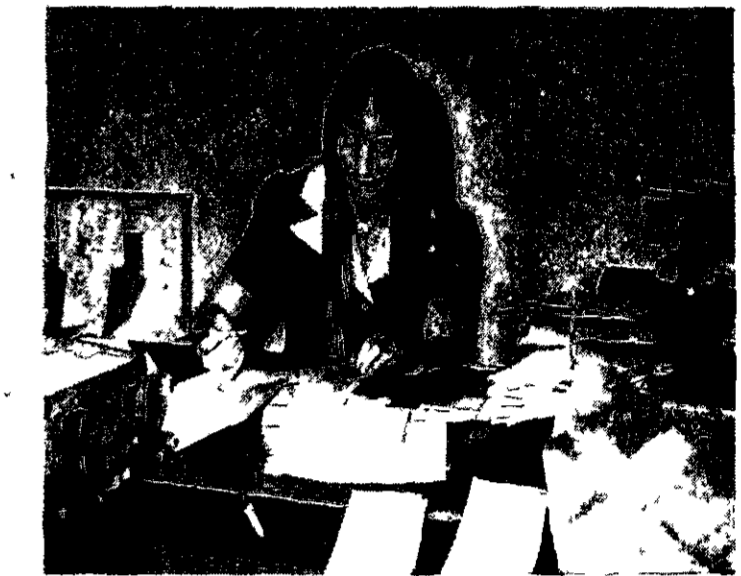
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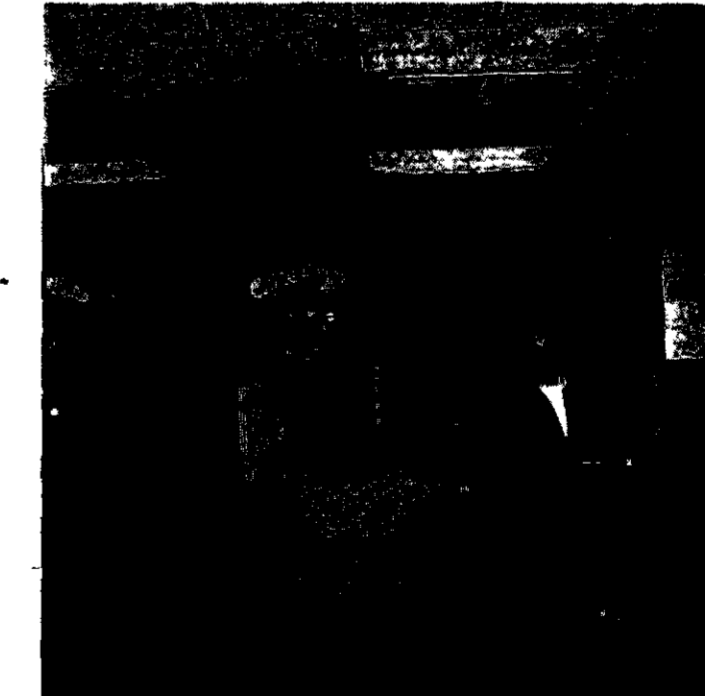
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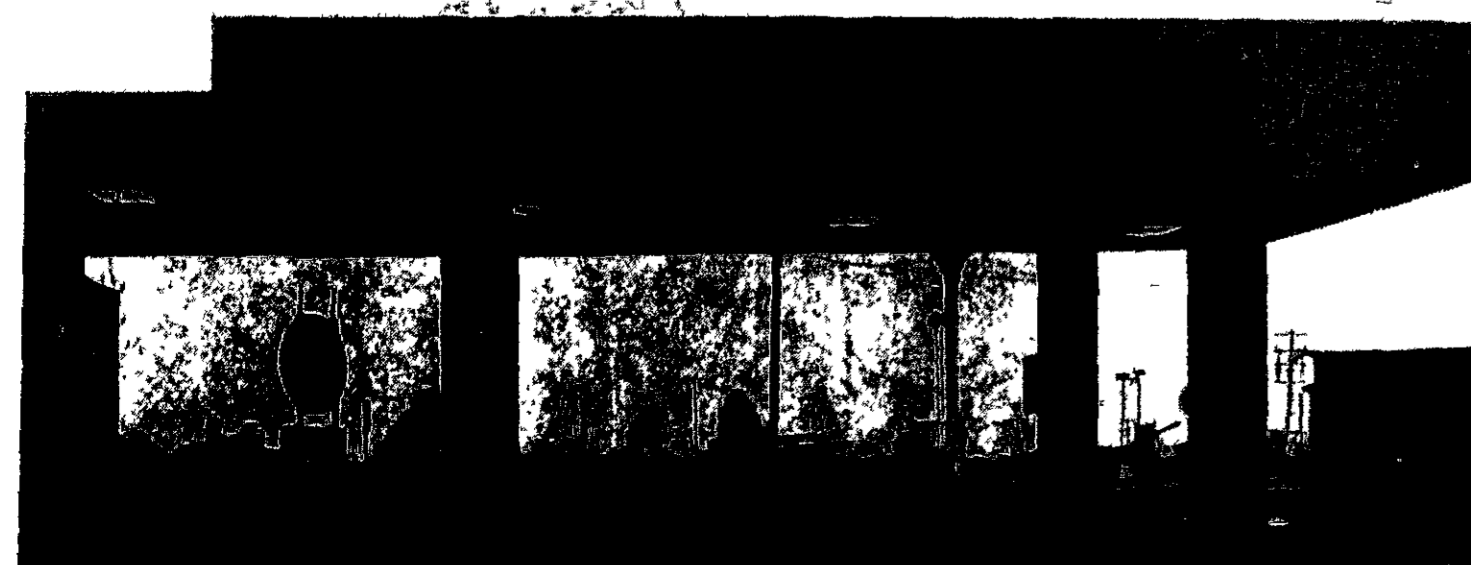
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Extension workshop displays Yule items

Double N extension women work on stage display for the Christmas Workshop held at Smith Hall, Tuesday, Nov 12 from 11 am to 9 pm. The workshop is sponsored by Clinton County Extension groups and has many interesting and varied items on display. Shown are (from left) Doris Swatman and Arlene Smith working on Santa Claus. Free punch, coffee and cookies will be served.

Much activity at St Joes with school carnival

St Johns - St Joseph's school gym will be buzzing with activity Saturday, Nov 9 from 5 pm until 10 pm with the annual school carnival.

The kitchen will be open during the carnival to provide hot dogs, sloppy joes, cider, chips, and other good things all at last years prices, for hungry visitors.

Over 30 game booths will be featured, with some of the prizes being groceries, cakes, and blankets. A white elephant booth will offer used or new articles for sale.

A special feature will be a magician to dazzle the crowd with his mysterious tricks.

A raffle will be held at the close of the carnival, with the first prize being a 1 week trip to Orlando, Florida, or \$650 in cash.

The profits from the carnival will go to the school to provide playground supervision, reading and math materials, a guard for the M 21-Oakland crossing, a librarian and visual and teacher aids.

Wilson concert

The 60 piece Olivet College Orchestra, directed by David C McCoy, will present a concert Tuesday, Nov 12, at 7:30 pm in the Wilson Jr High School Auditorium.

The Olivet College Music Department has grown considerably over the past few years and has just recently dedicated a new fine arts complex on their campus.

Members of the Olivet Orchestra will be treated to a potluck dinner before the concert. This will be put on by members of St Johns Orchestra and their parents. The St Johns families will also house the college students for the night.

Tickets are available from St Johns Orchestra members or can be bought at the door at \$1.25 for adults and 75 cents for students. Proceeds from the concert will go to a high school orchestra student, Jeanne Parker and her family who were recently left homeless by a fire. The public is invited to attend.



Sister Romaine Pajot, Janet Sipkovsky, Mrs Diane George and Mrs Marion Kurncz display prizes to be awarded at the St Joseph School Carnival.

Adventists welcome new pastor

ST JOHNS - The St Johns congregation of Seventh-Day Adventists have recently welcomed their new pastor to the newly completed house of worship on South Oakland Street.

Pastor Paul E Penno comes to the Owosso and St Johns churches from an associate minister capacity held by him at Detroit Metropolitan, located near Grand River and Southfield.

Other than being born and reared in the home of a minister, this father is pastor of the Wyoming and Sparta SDA churches. Penno's background and his preparation for the ministry is as follows: he received his undergraduate degree in 1970 from Southern Missionary College, Collegedale, Tennessee. Seminary studies were completed in 1973 at Andrews University, Berrien Springs, Michigan with the conferring of a Master of Divinity Degree. He and his wife, a native of New Orleans, Louisiana, make their home in the parsonage at 1530 N Hickory Street in Owosso.

Adventist services are held each Saturday morning with worship service at 9:15 am and Bible Study departments for all ages at 10:30 am. The public is always welcome.

Receives degree

Sharon Henderson, daughter of Mr and Mrs Winchell Brown of 408 S. Baker, St Johns, received her Master's degree in Education from Michigan State University, summer term 1974. Mrs Henderson, her husband Bruce and two sons, Mark and Todd, live at 4610 Norwick, Lansing.

Both Mr and Mrs Henderson are teachers in the Holt Public School System.



PASTOR PAUL E PENNO

Transcendental Meditation-- soothing the stress and strain

By Deborah LaParl
County News Writer

ST JOHNS - In this age of stress and strain, it seems the only way to relax is to take a 2 week vacation, and at todays prices, not many people can afford to do that.

Now it seems there is an organization which offers relief from stress if a method they teach is practiced 10 to 20 minutes twice a day. That method is called Transcendental Meditation (TM).

A free public introductory lecture will be held Wednesday, Nov 13, at 7:30 in the Central National Bank Community Room to give interested persons more information about meditation.

Several Clinton County residents are already meditating.

Bruce MacCracken, a teacher of this method stresses that TM is not a religion or a philosophy. He said a person does not have to change their life style to practice meditation. It is, he said, a way to rid the nervous system of every-day stress and strain that builds up.

"The first meditation allows the body to achieve a deep level of rest approximately twice as restful as the deepest sleep," MacCracken said. MacCracken said in sleep stress is eliminated, but not the deep stress. Meditation takes care of this deep stress, he said.

MacCracken said everyone, with the exception of severely retarded people, can learn to meditate. Four-year old children and retarded people have learned how, he said.

Not only does the meditation process rid the body of stress,

but meditators have also claimed better eye sight, hearing, reaction time, clearer thought, and several other physical improvements.

In a pamphlet published by the TM group, studying the effects of meditation on subjects, these claims were substantiated with medical evidence. In one instance, people with high blood pressure saw their blood pressure drop after meditation.

The organization has been in the United States since 1958 when Maharishi Mahesh Yogi, the founder, brought the 5000-year old art to this country. Since then, MacCracken said, the meditation has grown in popularity. Evidence shows that 14,000 are joining each month.

MacCracken cites senators, politicians, and many athletes as meditators, Joe Namath being one.

MacCracken said there are 33 TM centers in the United States and close to a million in the world. He said "There are TM centers in every country except the iron curtain countries, and we're working on them."

Graduate

student nurse

ST JOHNS Marilyn Beeman, is now a graduate practical nurse at Sparrow Hospital in Lansing following Lansing Community College graduation exercises recently.

Attending her graduation ceremonies were her parents, Mr and Mrs Robert Chant of St Johns.



Mrs Jeanette Mehney (left) and Mrs Marie Woodhams present the story of food production and food prices, a program available to any interested group in the area.

Farm Bureau speakers team available in area

Two 30 minute presentations are available to schools, civic organization and church groups in Clinton County through the County Farm Bureau.

Entitled "Bread & Milk" and "Thoughts For Food", the two programs give the story of food production and food prices.

Mrs Dick (Marie) Woodhams and Mrs Bruce (Jeanette) Mehney, who voluntarily give of their time to these programs are proud of their farm business and tell their story to help promote a better understanding of agriculture.

Mrs Woodhams and her husband Dick operate a 400 acre farm in St Johns. They raise beef cattle and sheep. They have one son and two

daughters. Besides being a homemaker and partner in the farm work, Marie and her husband have hosted several exchange students from other countries.

Jeanette Mehney and her husband Bruce, operate a 160 acre dairy farm in St Johns. They have 3 children, ages 15, 11, and 8. Jeanette is an enthusiast of many activities, including sewing, refinishing furniture, cooking, keeping the farm records and doing the evening milking. For information about obtaining either of these programs for clubs or organization in Clinton County call the Farm Bureau office - 224-3255.

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- 1973 Oldsmobile Royale, 4 door hardtop, power steering and brakes, radio, air conditioning.
- 1973 Oldsmobile Vista Cruiser Wagon, 9 passenger, air conditioning, AM-FM radio.
- 1973 Oldsmobile 98 Luxury Sedan, full power, air conditioning, AM-FM radio, vinyl top.
- 1973 Oldsmobile Cutlass Solon, 4 door, V-8, automatic, power steering and brakes, AM-FM stereo radio, vinyl top.
- 1973 Oldsmobile 96 Luxury Coupe, full power, air conditioning, AM-FM radio.
- 1973 Chevrolet Impala Custom, 2 door hardtop, V-8 automatic, power steering, power brakes, AM-FM radio, air conditioning.
- 1972 Oldsmobile Royale, 2 door hardtop, power steering, power brakes, AM-FM radio, vinyl top, air conditioning.
- 1972 Vega Hatchback, 4 cylinder, automatic, radio.
- 1971 Corvette V-8, 4-speed, radio.
- 1971 Oldsmobile 98 Luxury Sedan, full power, air conditioning, AM-FM.
- 1971 Chevrolet Caprice, 4 door hardtop, V-8 automatic, power steering and brakes with radio, air conditioning and vinyl top.
- 1971 Chevrolet Kingswood Estate Wagon, air conditioning, automatic, power steering and brakes, radio.
- 1970 Ford Mustang Mach I, V-8, automatic, power steering, radio.
- 1970 Chevrolet Impala, 2-door hardtop, V-8, automatic, power steering and brakes, radio.
- 1970 Opel GT, 4-cylinder, 4-speed, radio.
- 1970 Ford Torino, 2 door hardtop, V-8 automatic, power steering, radio.

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- 1970 Ford 1/2 ton Pickup, V-8 automatic, power steering, radio.
- 1968 Dodge Van Camper, V-8 standard transmission, Expando top.

Farming and 4-H - - - in Clinton County

Bill's Column

Act now against winter pests

By WILLIAM LASHER
Extension Agriculture Agent

Act now to keep such pests as spiders, centipedes, millipedes, crickets, wood cockroaches and springtails out of your home this winter.

Caulk tightly around the building foundation, windows and eaves.

If possible, dry out the basement and under porches. Control plumbing leaks and install insulation to correct condensation problems. If necessary, use fans or dehumidifiers to dry closets and bathrooms.

Outdoors, make sure shrubs and flowers are far enough away from the foundation to allow sunlight and wind next to the building.

For more pest control information, ask for a copy of Extension Bulletin E-652, "Casual Home-Invasive Pests" at your County Cooperative

Extension Office, 1003 S. Oakland St. St. Johns.

Another summer's gone and the lawn mower will soon be retired in favor of the snow shovel. A number of fine fall days still remain, however, and they offer an ideal opportunity to give your home grounds a landscape check-up.

Here are a number of landscape maintenance chores such a check-up might reveal:

Apply wood chips or mulches of other organic materials to the areas around trees, evergreens or shrubs. Avoid materials likely to contain weed seeds.

Remove extended growth of ground covers which have overlapped sidewalk, drive or patio areas.

Trim shade trees to remove heavy lower limbs that obstruct

views or prove bothersome in other ways.

Reshape the boundaries of walks and driveways to encourage users to follow intended pathways.

Remove or recycle objects, including weeds, which tend to detract from the basic quality of the landscape.

Consider adding a grassy mound or rock composition or other landscape feature composed of natural materials. Such a feature will help to relieve bareness and, if materials used in the construction of your home are repeated in it, help to unify home and grounds.

These maintenance activities are as much a part of the home landscape as the design and layout itself. Take care of them now, and get a start on next year's outdoor living season.

4-H Chatter



"Challenge"

By JOHN AYLWORTH



CHALLENGE

"Challenge," Michigan's 4-H Wilderness Adventure program, will be introduced to other Michigan counties after a successful pilot summer program in Clinton and Allegan Counties. The new program will be introduced to prospective volunteer leaders and 4-H Youth Agents at a leader training conference to be held Dec 6 & 7 at Kettunen Center near Tustin.

The two-day conference will familiarize adult leaders with the program and also give them training in outdoor leadership and some Challenge activities.

Clinton County was one of the two pilot Michigan counties who offered this new project this summer in five 4-H clubs. Challenge Club, Camping Club, 4-H Wonders, Happy Hustlers and Fowler Busy Bees. These leaders found the project very interesting and interested youth in outdoor activities, who may or may not be interested in regular 4-H program. Two clubs will be offering "Challenge" project this winter, doing some winter camping and survival experiences.

The leaders and teen leaders who worked with "Challenge" this summer met Monday evening to evaluate the program and some resource literature being developed for the program. They viewed a film on "Hypothermia," which

is the rapid progressive mental and physical collapse of the human body. "Hypothermia" is the number one killer of outdoor recreationists and generally would be prevented with adequate preparation for outdoor activities.

Any club or group wishing to know more about the Challenge project should contact the Extension Office in St. Johns-224-3288

Challenge activities include: Wilderness Survival, Climbing and Mountaineering, Caving, Orienteering, Repelling, Obstacle Courses, Sols, Canoeing, Indian Lore and others.

Craft leaders workshop

4-H Craft leaders and teen leaders are invited to attend a craft leaders workshop on Tuesday, Nov 14 at 1 pm in the St. Johns Central National Bank.

Tom Reed, Gratiot Extension Agricultural Agent will lead the discussion which is designed for Home Economics Study Group leaders to reteach to their members.

However, anyone interested in the topic is invited to attend. A variety of ways to protect

It's Skating Time

The following 4-H clubs have reservations to attend the 4-H Roller Skating Activity Thursday, Nov 21 at the Ranch Roller Rink in St. Johns from 7 to 10 pm. The Clavers, Happy Hustlers, Dallas Dusters, 4-H Wonders, Green Clover Community, Swingin' Bingham's, Jolly Knitters, Bengal Community, Country Cousins, Fowler Busy Bees and Watertown Grove 4-H Club.

Steer project

4-H members planning to have a 4-H steer project are reminded they need to sign up at the Extension office in St. Johns before January 1 and the animal must be on feed by that time if they want to enter the animal in the Fair and Livestock sale next August. Members who want to enter their steers in the Rate of Gain Contest should have the animals weighed on an official scale before Jan 1, 1975 and send the weight slip to the Extension Office.

Protect your property and here is how

ST. JOHNS - Protecting Your Property is the subject of a meeting scheduled for Thursday, Nov 14 at 1 pm in the St. Johns Central National Bank.

Tom Reed, Gratiot Extension Agricultural Agent will lead the discussion which is designed for Home Economics Study Group leaders to reteach to their members.

However, anyone interested in the topic is invited to attend. A variety of ways to protect

yourself and your property ranging from locks to insurance will come up for discussion. What works, what may not. Often people are not sure about what their insurance policy says or more specifically what it does not say.

Some communities have developed special safeguards for their products. These and other ideas will be explored and shared during the session.

Extension calendar

- Nov 9-Fall Horticultural Workshop, MSU, Horticulture Building, 9:30 am to 3:30 pm.
- Nov 12-Family Living Christmas Workshop-Smith Hall-11 am to 8:30 pm.
- Nov 13-Planning Commission-7 pm-Court House
- Nov 14-Family Living Christmas Workshop-Smith Hall-11 am to 8:30 pm.
- Nov 14-Family Living Program-"Property Protection"-Central National Bank, St. Johns - 9:30 am.
- Nov 18-Clothing Pattern Alteration Workshop-Part III, 7:30 pm Smith Hall.
- Nov 18-19-Income Tax School for Practitioners, Hospitality Inn, East Lansing-Repeated Dec 9 & 10.
- Nov 19-4-H Craft Leaders Workshop-Smith Hall-7:30 pm.
- Nov 19, 26 & Dec 3-Farm Estate Planning and Operating Agreements Workshop First Meeting at Smith Hall. Others at Central National Bank.
- Dec 4-5-Telfarr Check in.
- Dec 4: Family Living Behavioral Weight Control, Central National Bank, 9:30 am.
- Dec 7-DHIA-MABC Annual Meeting and Dinner-Bingham Grange.

Chloe's Column

Play and your child's development

Chloe Padgitt
Clinton County Home Economist



Since we've been talking about your preschooler, we've learned some of the values of play. We discussed ways you might help your child play and what you can learn from watching him play. Let's take a look at what play can do for your child.

Play aids development physically, mentally, and socially. Your child learns to walk and then may start pulling a toy across the floor. Play develops muscles helping him gain skill in managing his body. Children learn much about their world while playing. Play lets them know how things taste and feel. For instance, ice is cold and flowers smell pretty.

In play, they learn how to get others to cooperate. They learn how sharing works.

Play expands your child's mind. By concentrating on his activities, he solves many

problems in his play. For instance, he can build the blocks into a house that will stand. He'll probably fail at first, but by trial and error, he succeeds.

Play offers many problems for solution: how to fit parts of the puzzle into the right spots; how to dress and undress the doll.

Play helps him make decisions. Children's minds are developed through creative play. Creative play is making something out of things at hand. It comes natural to most children if they are surrounded with proper tools.

Blocks, sand, water, costumes and fingerprint, for example, let a child experiment. The mechanical wind-up toy rattles around the floor. However, it's not creative. The real fun comes from doing or making something yourself.

Play eases tension. Your child's playlife can help him gain emotional balance. He gets satisfaction from learning to build a good house of blocks, for example.

Play lets him express the feelings he dare not show in everyday life. He can show his dolls or stuffed animals how hurt or angry he is. In play, he's free from the domination he has in the adult world about him.

Play can form good habits. He can learn respect of property and the rights of others in play. In group activity, he can learn to share toys. Supervised games can help him learn to be a good loser as well as to play fairly.

Habits of orderliness may grow out of having a place for his toys. Putting them away at the end of the play period or before he goes to bed at night may help this habit, too.

Carland News

By Mrs Pudge Deming

Mr and Mrs Gregory Shiakas of 3485 Carland Rd., Carland, have recently returned to their home from vacationing two weeks in Hawaii.

Mrs Edith Oberlin of Carland has returned from a week's vacation spent visiting her sister in Illinois.

The Carland United Methodist Church hosted "The young Generation" group from the Durand area. Sunday evening with both young and old enjoying their joyful singing and testimonies. Bible study classes are held each Tuesday evening at the Carland United Methodist Church at 7 pm. The book Hebrews is now being studied. The public is welcome.

Mr and Mrs Leo Deming of Carland and their daughter and family, Mr and Mrs Richard C. Mead and son Brian spent Saturday evening in Alma visiting Mr and Mrs Forrest Inks, to help Mr Inks, an uncle of Mrs Deming's, and great-uncle of Mrs Mead's, celebrate his birthday.

The award-trip of 4-Hers that are qualified from Shiawassee County 4-Hers of this area is scheduled for Nov 21-24.

The 4-H trip is awarded to twelve 4-H members who will join Clinton and Gratiot youth to Toronto, Canada.

The square dance, "Harvest Moon" is set for Nov 30.

All 4-H members, parents, leaders and friends of 4-Hers are invited to the dance with the Rhythm Finders providing the music. Cost is \$1 per person. The time is from 8:30 pm until 12:30 am, at the Casino in Cornuna.

Mrs James (Carol) Lehman of rural Carland, officially opened the third annual State 600 Club Tournament at Capital Bowl and was caught in TV 12's Ed Phelps camera light, as it was a perfect start, her ball went in for a strike. The tournament will continue for four more weekends, and Carol is the organizer of the 600 Club

Pewamo

Surprise birthday party Sunday afternoon October 27 for Mrs Nicholas Blauwikel of John Ball Park Grand Rapids. The Blauwikel family surprised her by celebrating her 83rd birthday which was Oct 30. Present were Mr and Mrs John Blauwikel, Ruth Peter and Bill Blauwikel and Mr and Mrs Lawrence Blauwikel, Nick and Sue Blauwikel both of Pewamo and Mr and Mrs Harry Blauwikel and family of Grand Rapids. Ice cream and cake were served wishing her many happy returns.

Jack Parks and sons of Ionia spent Wednesday afternoon October 16 with his mother Mrs Dorothy Parks.

Mrs Edith Melvin a former Pewamo resident and now of St. Johns was pleasantly surprised on her 88th birthday which was Oct 19. A family get together at the home of her daughter-in-law Mrs Joseph Melvin of Muir. Many relatives and friends were present for the happy occasion.

Mr and Mrs Lauren Parks and family of Maple Rapids spent Saturday evening Oct 26 with their mother Mrs Dorothy Parks.

Mrs Barbara Steinke will be hostess to a baby shower at her home on East Bluewater high way Pewamo Sunday Nov 3. The honored guest will be Mrs. Thomas Steinke.

Blue Star members met Wednesday evening October 23. Following the business meeting names were drawn for the new hostesses for 1974-1975. They are November Mildred Fox, December Ida Fox, January Mary Ann Wood, February Dorothy Schneider, March Dorothy Heckman, April Bernita Cook, May Irene Fedewa and September Marian Hafner. Rolls and coffee were served followed by Pedro. First in Pedro was Mrs Vera Cook second Regina Kramer. The mystery package was won by Mrs Irene Smith. The next meeting will be Nov 20. Hostess Mrs Mildred Fox co-hostess Mrs Corneilia Schafer.

Mrs Martha Millers 15th great grandchild arrived on Oct 10. When little Michael David Long was born to Mr and Mrs David Long of rural Elsie. He weighed 4 lbs and 8 oz when released from the hospital.

Mrs Robert Rock is a surgical patient at the Carson City Osteopathic Hospital. She had major surgery Friday October 25th.

Andrew Walaskay of Grand Rapids and Tom Burton of Sheridan were Sunday visitors at the home of Arnold Hattis.

Mrs Dorothy Parks spent Monday October 7 with her daughter Mrs Harriet McQuillan.

Mrs Dorothy Parks and Mrs Dolly Cook spent Sunday afternoon Oct 20 with Mr and Mrs David Parks and family of rural Ionia.

The Handi Club met at the home of Mrs Pauline Cook in Lansing after eating out the afternoon was spent playing Pedro. Mrs Lou Shoemaker won the door prize. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs Mable Cook.

Mrs Dorothy Parks and Mrs Wima Cook spent Sunday October 27 with Mr and Mrs Harry Hattis at Portland.

Mrs Leone Hillbrandt enjoyed her 66th birthday, when Mr and Mrs Clyde Silvermail and her son John Hillbrandt took her out for a birthday dinner in Portland, the evening was spent at the home of Mr and Mrs Robert Silvermail and family at Matherton. Birthday cake and ice cream were served. Mrs Hillbrandt received many cards and gifts.

Mrs Jerry Ferris and her daughter Shirley Young and granddaughter of Lyons were visitors of Mrs Leone Hillbrandt during the past week.

Clyde Shoemaker was discharged from Carson City Osteopathic Hospital Wednesday Oct 23 after having surgery and being hospitalized a week.

Funeral services for Mrs Clara Weber 82 of Westphalia

were held Wednesday at 10:00 pm at St. Mary's Catholic Church at Westphalia. Interment in St. Mary's Cemetery. Survivors from Pewamo were Thomas Weber, Mrs Joesetta Linn and Mrs Eleanor Klein.

Mr and Mrs Ronald Klein of route 1 Pewamo are parents to a girl born 6:56 pm Thursday October 24 weighing 6 lbs and 8 oz.

About 40 members attended the Senior citizens pot luck dinner starting at 12:30 pm. Friday. A short meeting followed the dinner the entertainment was card bingo. Expected guests at the home of Mrs Barbara Steinke are Mr and Mrs Thomas Steinke of Saginaw Nov 1 weekend.

Annual supper Nov 6. Serving starts Wednesday evening at 5 pm. By Womens Society, Christian Service at the Methodist Church dining hall.

Mrs Corneilia Schafer was hostess to the Pedro Club at her home Tuesday afternoon October 29.

Mr and Mrs Tasson of Ishpeming spent two days visiting at the home of Mrs Dorothy Schiska.

Mrs Hilda Schafer spent Sunday afternoon with her daughter, Sister Marie Diane at Grand Rapids.

Mrs Irene Fox is a medical patient at the Carson City Osteopathic Hospital.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Nault of Republic spent a week with their sister Mrs Dorothy Schiska. They left Monday morning Oct 28 for Texas Sunday Oct 27 Mr Nault's son from Brimingham spent the day at the Schiska home.

Mrs Roger Leonard of Lansing spent the week with Mr and Mrs Clyde Shoemaker. Mr. Leonard came Saturday for the weekend.

Mr and Mrs Donald Shoemaker of Clare were Wednesday visitors of Mr and Mrs Donald Shoemaker of Clare were Wednesday visitors of Mr and Mrs Clyde Shoemaker.

Carland News

By Mrs Pudge Deming

Mr and Mrs Paul Lowrey of Midland were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs Clara Horn in Carland.


Mr Roger Gilbert, who was accidentally shot while pheasant hunting, has returned to his home here in Carland after spending a few days in the Owosso Memorial Hospital.

Mr and Mrs Les Forrester of rural Carland, Mr and Mrs Jerry Horn and family and Mr and Mrs Howard Horn, all of rural Carland and Mr and Mrs Leo Deming of Carland attended the National Honor Society Induction Ceremony at the Ovid-Elsie High School when Vickie Forrester and Jill Horn were inducted into the society.

Kim Winkler, nephew of Mrs Deming, was also inducted into the society along with 8 other chosen students of Ovid-Elsie High School. Mr and Mrs Thomas Winkler and family of Ovid and Mr and Mrs Lewis Walling of Elsie also attended in Kim's honor.

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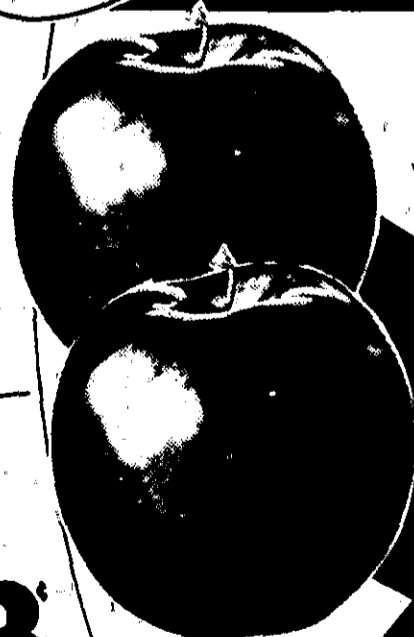
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Ovid—Elsie Area News

Sixty-eight heads better than one for Ovid project

OVID - What would you do if you were only a 5th grader and decided that you would like to purchase something for your science class? Especially if you didn't have the money to begin with?

Well, that was the question asked Mrs Suzanne Lamond, 5th grade math and science teacher at the East Elementary school recently. The students, after doing a lot of thinking, figured they had a solution that might work.

They asked Mrs Lamond if they could stage a money making project. They could use the proceeds to buy some kind of a "sort of domestic pet" or purchase some fish for the room's aquarium.

She soon learned they had a well organized plan they had discussed thoroughly among

themselves and had decided to have a bake sale; selling only to the children in their own immediate school building. Mrs Lamond gave the nod of approval.

The next step was to approach their parents as to whether the mother's would go along with the idea of baking cookies, candy or whatever, "free of charge" for the children. They said they'd be glad to do their part.

Plans were finalized, a date was set and word spread quickly. "If you wanted to donate to a worthy cause, bring your nickles, dimes or pennies and be your own buyer for all the goodies, you could eat."

The big day finally came and with a big turn-out, things started popping and the pennies, nickles and dimes came

rolling in. When it was all over, the children had collected \$49.20. With so much money came many ideas as to what would be the most beneficial thing all could enjoy.

Working on an elimination basis, they decided to purchase 2 hamsters, a cage, food and supplies. Some fish will be bought later on. The food and supplies are ready and waiting. A sum of money left over will be used for something else such as math supplies or some kind of a science model.

The students are so enthused over the results of this project, they are making plans for another later in the semester. As the old saying goes, "If two heads are better than one, just look what happens when you put 68 heads together."



Jodie Jones (5th grader) Mrs Suzanne Lamond, [teacher] and Kristy Dennison (also 5th grader) looking at the new family of hamsters that arrived at the East Elementary School.

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The Esther Circle of the United Methodist Women were given a special "Thank You" for mending their Crusader Choir robes.

A much needed garage at the United Methodist Church parsonage is nearly completed. Special thanks go to 15 men from the church who held a "garage raising bee" Saturday. The women of the church served dinner to the men.

In looking to the future, the Administrative Board of the Elsie United Methodist Church is considering the following goals for the next five years:

- 1 Increase of attendance four times the present
- 2 New classes started
- 3 Rejuvenate exterior of all existing buildings
- 4 Increase emphasis on education program (children and youth)
- 5 Sunday evening services
- 6 More involvement in United Methodist programs
- 7 More publicity (newsletters, papers, etc)
- 8 More music groups
- 9 Balance budget
- 10 Youth retreats

11 More prayer and study groups

12. Sharing Groups.

13. More involvement in local responsibility (100%).

14 Planning retreat

15 Camping promotion.

Any reaction to these goals is invited to help in their achievement.

Church calendar special dates

The Elsie WMW will hold its regular meeting Wednesday, Nov 6 at 8 pm with installation of officers and pledge service.

The Youth Fellowship group will have a breakfast at the home of Jim and Karen Carroll on Sunday, Nov 10 at 8 pm.

The Elsie UM Men's Club will hold a Pancake Supper Saturday, Nov 16 with serving beginning at 5 pm. Proceeds will go to the Elsie Building Fund.

Mrs Geraldine Geiger underwent major surgery recently at the Owosso Memorial Hospital.

Are you a victim of wasted energy?

Wasted energy can victimize all homeowners if they don't prepare for the winter heating season, says Paul M. Gardner, urban manager for Consumers Power Company's Lansing Division.

"When we say 'wasted energy' we refer to that amount of heat that escapes from a home because of poor or inadequate insulation, drafty windows, dirty furnace filters or other wasteful practices," Gardner said.

The urban manager recommended that homeowners give their entire home heating system a thorough inspection this time of the year to ensure that it is in peak condition for winter.

"We urge you to check your furnace for 2 reasons - efficiency and safety," Gardner said. "Dirty or clogged filters will not allow the furnace to operate efficiently and this wastes fuel. If a chimney is clogged with an obstacle such as a bird's nest, the exhaust fumes will not properly vent to the outside air. This is a potentially fatal problem that can be alleviated by a thorough inspection."

Gardner said that Consumers Power studies show that up to one-third of the fuel used for heating a home can be wasted if the dwelling is improperly insulated and overly drafty.

HE SUGGESTED the following tips to help insure that the home and not the outside air is heated.

- Properly insulate the dwelling. The general recommended level is 6 inches of quality insulation in the ceiling to keep the heat inside where it is needed.
- Install storm windows. Their cost can be recovered in a few years through energy savings you will realize. The storm windows keep heat from escaping through drafty windows.
- Keep the fireplace damper closed when the fireplace is not being used. Warm air rises, and the heat in your den or living room will leave the home through an open fireplace damper. Always be absolutely sure fire is completely out before closing damper.
- Keep window shades, curtains and draperies drawn at night. It helps insulate against the cold.
- Check all radiators, grills, vents and registers to be sure they are free from obstructions that would restrict the flow of heat.

• CHECK FOR PROPER humidity in your home. Dry air requires more heat to maintain comfortable warmth.

• If part of the home is not being heated, such as a garage, basement, attic or spare bedroom, keep doors to them closed and sealed off from the rest of the house.

• Caulk leaks or cracks in foundation, walls, or along sills with a good grade of caulking compound. Studies show that a crack equal to a one square inch hole will let in about 100 cubic feet of cold air per hour.

• Lower thermostat setting by a minimum of 5 degrees at night upon retiring, or at any time when your home is not occupied for a period of time.

It is estimated that by lowering your thermostat the recommended 5 degrees just during the 8-hour sleeping period at night will result in a 7 percent energy savings.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION on preparing your home for the winter heating season may be obtained through your local Consumers Power Company office.

Shepardsville

Mr and Mrs Charles Walker spent the past weekend in Wausau and Lake Mills, Wisconsin. While there they attended the wedding of her nephew, Tom Pirwitz to Patricia Mercer Oct 26.

Mr and Mrs Richard Barker and daughters, Sue and Lori of Monroe, Michigan were recent callers of her grandfather John Spencer and his wife.

Dr John R. Bartlett of Rochester, NY is spending a few days with his parents, Mr and Mrs Spencer Bartlett.

The Administrative Board of the Shepardsville United Methodist Church will meet on Monday evening, Nov 4 at the church.

Mrs Lucile Pellow and Mrs Marian Aldrich were among a group of 23 who recently enjoyed a cruise among the Bahamas. Stuart Baker, son of Mrs Grace Baker, was in charge of this group.

Mr and Mrs Chauncey Green of Ovid entertained at a family buffet dinner on Sunday October 27 for Mr and Mrs Bernard Metter of Fairdale, Kentucky and Ann and Mrs Mark Jarvis. Ann and Mrs Mark Jarvis have just returned from a tour of duty in Germany and is on a short furlough. He will report for duty at a camp in South Carolina.

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Elsie

Sunday School classes, 3rd and 4th grades, will sponsor an ART SHOW on December 8 at the Elsie United Methodist Church. It will be open to all the community. The classes will be contacting other churches to offer the opportunity to participate.

This is not a contest, but a chance to show the community creative efforts. They may use any artistic media (sculpture, ceramics, creative writing, photography, painting, drawing, drama, etc.) Entries may be brought to the church fellowship hall on Friday evening, Dec 6 and Saturday, Dec 7, in the afternoon or evening. The OPEN HOUSE will be held on Sunday, Dec 8.

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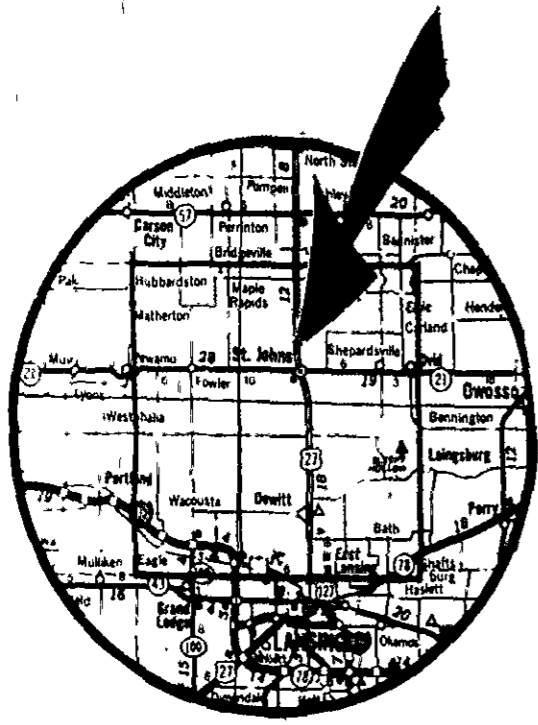
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Miscellaneous 27

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Miscellaneous 27

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Wanted Miscellaneous 28

TIMBER WANTED - Logs and standing timber. Logs delivered to our yard DEVREAUX SAWMILL, INC., 2872 W. Hubbardston Rd., Pewamo, Mich. Phone 593-2424 and/or 593-2532. 40-1f-28

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WANTED - To buy good used cars. See Bees Chevy-Olds, St. Johns. Phone 224-2345. 4-28

Notice 29

SEMI DRIVER TRAINEES NOW BEING CONSIDERED. Have you longed to go over-the-road? If you're serious, maybe you could qualify for on-job-type semi-driver training now being co-ordinated with major motor carrier on over-the-road basis. No experience required, must be at least 21 years of age. For immediate application and information call (513) 275-1870. NOW, or write to National Freight-Haulers' Association, P.O. Box 1471, Dayton, Ohio 45401. 28-2-p-28

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FOWLER RESIDENTS - Take your ads to Finkbeiner's Pharmacy for fast, convenient service. 50-dh-1f-29

I AM NOT responsible for any debts but my own after October 30th, 1974. Leo Weber. 27-3-p-29

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BINGO - Holy Family Church, 510 Mabbitt Rd., Ovid. Mondays 18-1f-29

CERAMICS - Ceramic classes have fun making useful gift, will take outside firing. Bath, Haslett area 641-6652 after 6 p.m. Joanne Ceramics, 15947 Center Rd. 28-3-p-29

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DRAPERIES, wallpaper and carpeting, shop them altogether to get proper correlation. 28-3-p-29

PHONE SALES tickets for Clinton County Sheriff's Posse from your home. Ovid, Elsie, Bath, DeWitt, Wacousta, Westphalia, Maple Rapids. 224-8101 or 224-8177. 28-1-p-29

CONCRETE WALLS - Fedewa Builders, Inc., 6218 Wright Road, 5 1/4 miles south of Fowler. Phone 387-3811. 8-1f-29

WANTED - Good used cars to buy. Call Bees-Chevy-Olds, St. Johns. Phone 224-2345. 4-1f-29

Card of Thanks 30

MUELLER - I wish to thank Drs. Smith and Jordan, nurses and nurses aids for their wonderful care. Fr. Schmitt, my relatives, neighbors and friends for their visits, cards, flowers and gifts sent to me during my stay at the Carson City Hospital. Lucille C. Mueller. 28-1-p-30

WALKER - I wish to thank Dr. Stephenson, personnel of Clinton Memorial Hospital, Pastor Travis and Jerry Wiedenbener for calls and prayers, the Friendly Fringe F B Group, Berean S.S. Class, all others for visits, prayers, food, flowers and gifts, also our three daughters Verita Thornton, Janet Rademacher and Judy Lietzke, also granddaughter Cindy Thornton. Everything was appreciated very much and helped shorten the time since my accident in August. God bless all of you. Mrs. Howard Walker. 28-1-p-30

LEAGUE - We wish to thank the Bath Township Police Department and Fire Department for a job well done. Park Lake Improvement League. 28-1-p-30

BURNS - We wish to thank all our children and grandchildren, relatives and friends for all their gifts and cards received on our 50th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burns. 28-1-p-30

SPITLEY - Many thanks to Frs. Schmitt, Hankerd and Goering, Mrs. Russell, Chun, Fitzpatrick and Grost, nurses, aids, relatives, friends, neighbors and especially my family for the many cards, visits, flowers, food and prayers during my hospitalization and since my return home. Marcella Spitzley. 28-1-p-30

MORRISON - We wish to thank all our relatives, neighbors and friends for their expression of love and sympathy given to us on behalf of our husband, father and grandfather, Russell Morrison. We are especially grateful to those who came to our aid and helped us during those first days after our sudden loss. Mrs. Ina Morrison. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Walker. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sturgis. Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Morrison. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Morrison. 28-1-p-30

During their stay, the men had the opportunity to visit with the many professionals in their own fields and sometimes participate, as did Robert Lee who was able to teach school for a short time in the St. Johns area.

Fowler minutes

Regular Meeting October 14, 1974

The meeting was called to order by President Pettit at 7:05 pm. Roll call was taken. There were four councilmen present. Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read. Current bills in the amount of \$5,713.57 were presented for payment. A motion was made and supported to pay all current bills except \$408.68 from Clinton County Drain Commission until further information is obtained from them. A motion was made and supported to purchase two park benches with backs, two players benches, and one picnic table from Herbert Jennings, Inc. for the Village Park under the State funded Recreation project. Mr. Jud Bancroft of the Clinton County Historical Society was present to discuss the possibility of moving the Round School house into the Village and restoring it. The adoption of the State Construction code was discussed. The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 pm.

Catherine Rademacher Village Clerk



Supper-club and TV artist Barbara McNair is one of many celebrities helping the American Cancer Society's Crusade. The beautiful singer urges all her fans and friends to give generously to the ACS to support research, education and service to cancer patients and their families.

Australians visit local Rotary Club

The local Rotary Club (Dist 636) was recently visited by 6 Australians from the Sidney area, who were taking part in a visiting group exchange program sponsored by the Rotary Foundation of Rotary International.

The project was started to foster international understanding and to provide an opportunity for young business and professional men to study other communities.

The team, comprised of 5 business and professional men and a Rotarian leader lived with different Rotarian families for the 7 week period beginning Sept 15, and ending Oct 30. This enabled them to study the ways of life of their hosts, and develop personal acquaintances.

The members of the team were: team leader and the only Rotarian in the group, Bob Burnett, shoe retailer; minister Keith William Farmer; agricultural scientist Brian Freeman; school teacher Robert Lee; lawyer Paul Ward-Harvey; and high school teacher Robert Wells.

The team visited the southwest Michigan area, including Battle Creek, Kalamazoo, Jackson, Ionia and Lansing and toured many companies, farms, and places of interest in the areas.

The team is returning the visit of a similar team from Michigan who visited Australia in March, 1974.



Visiting Australians lunch with local Rotarians at Daily's restaurant after a tour of local farms.

Salon 581 meets

Salon 581 Clinton County 8 & 40 held their October meeting at the home of partner, Etta Smith.

Installation of officers took place before an altar of white

centered with a bouquet of red and white carnations.

The following are the officers for 1974-75. Le Petit Chapeau, Frances Conn, (Mrs Robert); LeDemi Petit Chapeau, Premiere, Mrs Alice Brooks; LeDemi Petit Chapeau

Deuxieme, Etta Smith (Mrs Donald J. La Petite Cassiere and Secretaire, Evangeline Caudy (Mrs John); L'Archiviste, Mrs Cereida Hicks; L'Aumonier, Mrs Nelda McWilliams; LaPetite Concierge, Jean Bartholomew (Mrs Ladd) and Pouvair, Ann Walker (Mrs Jack).

Installing officers was Partner, Mrs Anita Lyaam. Chapeau Frances Conn named the following as Chairman, Child Welfare, Mrs Nelda McWilliams, Membership, Evangeline Caudy; Ritual and Emblems, Ann Walker, Nurse Scholarship, Jean Bartholomew, Publicity, Etta Smith.

An invitation was received by the Salon to a reception for LeChapeau National, Mrs Lella Hunt at Lansing on Oct 27.

The partners are to bring articles of clothing at the National Jewish Hospital in Denver to the November meeting.

The November meeting will be at the home of Mrs Nelda McWilliams.

Lions sell doughnuts for band trip

ST. JOHNS - Shoppers will be able to treat themselves to fresh doughnuts Friday and Saturday when the local Lions Club sponsors a doughnut sale.

Walt Pierce, owner of Pierce's Bakery, will make the doughnuts at cost with the profits going to support the band trip to

Dallas, Texas for the Lions Convention in June 1975.

The plain doughnuts will sell for \$1 a dozen, and can be ordered by calling any Lions Club member, or purchased downtown and at Krogers Friday from 4 pm until 7:30 pm and on Saturday from 10 am until 2 pm.

Consumers Power again says "Stop shooting insulators"

Marksmanship practice should be confined to certified targets and not electric line insulators, warns Paul M. Gardner, Consumers Power Company's Urban Manager for the Lansing Division.

"The incidents of electrical power being lost to an area resulting from errant gunshots is increasing at an alarming rate," Gardner said. "When several thousand customers have their power interrupted because of one careless or thoughtless hunter it is indeed an unfortunate situation and could become dangerous."

Two separate incidents in Western Michigan resulted in 6800 electric customers being out of service for periods ranging up to several hours. Both incidents were caused by an insulator being shot off the crossarm of a utility pole. The porcelain or glass insulators keep the electricity from flowing into the crossarms of the poles. When the insulators are shot off, they shortcircuit the electricity and cause the interruption of

service. In some cases, the pole burns causing possible fire damage to the surrounding area.

In the past year, the company has investigated 60 incidents of service interruptions due to gunshots damaging insulators, transmissions lines or substations. It has cost the utility over \$18,000 to repair this damage.

"The statistic we are most concerned about is that nearly 52,870 customers have experienced service interruptions because of errant gunshots during the past year," Gardner said.

Gardner pointed out that heating systems are knocked out of service when the electricity is interrupted and that an energized line that falls to the ground could cause a brush fire or seriously injure anyone who comes into contact with it.

He also cautioned that public health and safety agencies

could be unable to react to an emergency if their electric power is lost.

Gardner said that most incidents of gunshot damage occur in rural areas, but lately several cases have occurred near larger communities.

Consumers Power is continuing to patrol electric transmissions and distribute lines to discourage marksmen from using the insulators and line for target practice.

Also, the company has standing reward offers for information resulting in conviction of persons who damage Consumers Power equipment.

Company records show that the greatest number of gunshot damage incidents are reported in late October and November, perhaps as a prelude to the hunting seasons in this state. During the past year, the largest number of incidents was reported in the Flint, Jackson and Muskegon areas, along with the northern section of the lower peninsula that is included in Consumers Power's service area.

Cowgirls to raise sight saving money

The world famous Texas Cowgirls will test their basketball skills against coaches from Fulton High School in Middleton in an exhibition game on Thursday, Nov 14. Tom Webb, a teacher in Perrinton is recruiting the coaches.

The game will be played at the Fulton High School gym. Game time is 7:30 pm.

The Cowgirls are on a 60,000 mile tour of the nation and will make more than 150 ap-

pearances in cities and towns. A pre-game and half time show will be on the program at Middleton.

Tickets are \$1.75 for adults, \$1.50 for high school students, and \$1.25 for elementary students. Proceeds will be used for sight conservation and other Lions Club projects.

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 Howard D. Weir - Final Account
 Frank Galbavi - Final Account
 Arthur G. Miller - Claims
 Clara Weber - Probate of Will
 Bernard F. David - Claims

Real Estate Transfers
 (From records in office of Register of Deeds)

Oct 22: Weber Lumber Co to Carl L. and Rita F. Weber, Lot 7, Fox's sub.
 Oct 22: Vorce, Eileen E. to Eileen E. Vorce and Dennis D. Duff, Lot 24, Ballantyne Wee Farms
 Oct 22: Olds, Donald C. and Beverly E. to State Homes, Inc, Lot 283 Clinton Village No. 3.
 Oct 22: Metzger, Mildred Chase to Donald C. and Beverly E. Olds, Lot 283 Clinton Village No. 3.
 Oct 22: Webster, Larry D. and Catherine L. to Wesley J. Jr and Julie A. Bush property in Sec 12, Greenbush
 Oct 22: Sloum, Kenneth M. and Janet M. to Joseph F. and Isabel Donahue property in Sec 5, Bath
 Oct 23: Luecht, Minna M. to Marlene N. Petrowsky property in Sec 4, DeWitt
 Oct 23: Kogebain, Arnold H. and Naomi, Kolassa, Edith J. to Robert M. and Mary Jane Markham property in Sec 4, DeWitt
 Oct 23: Fedewa Enterprises to Alan B. and Barbara J. Almy property in Sec 7, Watertown
 Oct 23: Ballentine, Bernard N. and Velma A. to Fedewa Builders, Inc property in Sec 4, Bath
 Oct 24: Freund, Luke J. and Elizabeth A. to Joseph W. and Roberta J. Frybyski property in Sec 29, Watertown
 Oct 24: Logan, Inc to Carl D. and Carol A. Meister, Lot 67, Geneva Shores
 Oct 24: Schaefer, Clare F. and Elaine A. to Henry J. and Helen K. Stump, Lot 7, 8, 9, Bk 8, Lance's
 Oct 24: Stewart, Newton D. and Margaret R. to Peter M. and Rozanneh Boyer, Lot 119, Westchester Hgts
 Oct 24: Chvatal, Charles B. to Peter M. and Rozanneh Boyer, Lot 118, Westchester Hgts
 Oct 24: Hildorf, Robert and Carol to Gamahel and Victoria Arias, Lot 13, Perrins 2nd

Oct 25: Rozen Woodard, Inc to Jerold A. Motz property in Sec 22, Greenbush.
 Oct 25: McDonald, James C. Sr and Pearl A. to Dennis L. and Judy Payne property in Sec 24, Ovid.
 Oct 25: Rozen Woodard, Inc to Thomas P. and Debra A. Williams property in Sec 5, Olive.
 Oct 28: Bragdon, Richard A. and Norma J. to John A. and Edna M. Hannon, Lot 37, Elmhurst Est No 2
 Oct 28: Millbrook Meadows, Inc to Theodore L. and Joyce E. Powell, Lot 15, Millbrook Mdws No 2
 Oct 28: Forman, Basel F. and Vna to Terrence Dungworth and Sandra Lynn Dungworth property in Sec 32, Riley.
 Oct 28: Csapos, Vincenta/k/a Vincent Csapos and Charolette Csapos, Fleming (Csapos) Mary to Daniel P. Csapos, Lots 26, 27, Patterson's Add
 Oct 28: Powell, Theodore L. and Joyce E. to Gary L. and Patricia M. Newcombe, Lot 40, Millbrook Mdws No 2
 Oct 28: Wilcox, Ardath L. to Wayne R. and Georgia M. Wilcox, Lot 2, Assessors Plat, DeWitt
 Oct 28: Wilcox, Wayne R. and Georgia M. to John T. and Louise G. Fawcett, Lot 2, Assessors Plat, DeWitt

Said premises are situated in the Village of Ovid, Clinton County, Michigan, and are described as:
 Lots 19 and 20, Block 4, Village of Ovid, Clinton County, Michigan according to the plat recorded in Liber 21 of Deeds, page 367, Clinton County, Records.
 During the six months immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed.
 Dated August 26, 1974
 North American Acceptance Corporation
 1720 Peachtree Road, NW, Atlanta, Ga 30309
 Kenneth M. Davies, P.C.
 2034 Guardian Building Detroit, Michigan 48226 27-5

Notice to be served upon each known party in interest at his last known address by ordinary mail, with proof of mailing, at least fourteen days prior to said hearing
 Dated, October 21, 1974
 S/LEO W. CORKIN
 Circuit Judge
 Walker & Moore
 By S/ Jack Walker, attorney
 117 E. Walker
 St. Johns, MI 48879 27-4

County of Clinton, once a week for four (4) consecutive weeks, commencing no later than October 30, 1974
ORDER - NOTICE
 STATE OF MICHIGAN
 DISTRICT COURT 65-2
 CLINTON COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, ST. JOHNS, MICHIGAN
 Westphalia Builders & Supply Co., Plaintiff -vs- Deryll D. Brown, Defendant
 To the above named Defendant
 PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that an action has been commenced against you in this Court by the above named Plaintiff if you have any lawful defense to this claim or wish to arrange payment, you or your attorney must appear and answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law, by December 13, 1974, at the clerk's office at the address shown above, in any event, not later than fifteen (15) days after service of summons and complaint. A Default Judgement will be entered against you if you fail to do so.
 PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Plaintiff in the above action is suing for goods and materials delivered to Defendant between April 2, 1974, and November 26, 1973, in the sum of Four Thousand Seven Hundred and 53/100's (4,073.53) Dollars, plus interest, costs and attorneys fees.
 Dated October 23, 1974
 Frederick M. Lewis,
 District Judge
 COUNTERSIGNED
 Kathleen Dean
 Deputy Clerk 24-4

Attorney for Petitioner:
 Jack Walker
 WALKER & MOORE
 117 E. Walker
 St. Johns, Mich. 48879
 Phone: 517-224-3241

Coralee Roof & Nedra Rayburn,
 Petitioner
 502 S. Baker
 St. Johns, MI 48879 28-1

PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING
 State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of CLINTON Estate of PHYLLIS A. H. MOSS, M.J.
 TAKE NOTICE: On Wednesday, November 20, 1974, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the Petition of Shirley F. Craner, Guardian, for License to Mortgage Real Estate of said ward Persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing to show cause why such license should not be granted.
 Dated: October 29, 1974

Attorney for Petitioner:
 Robert H. Wood
 Maples and Wood
 210 N. Clinton
 St. Johns, Mich
 Phone 224-3238

s/Shirley F. Craner, Petitioner
 R # 1, St. Johns, Mich 28-1

PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING
 State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of CLINTON Estate of Elnor May Bell, Deceased File No 19267.
 TAKE NOTICE: On Wednesday, November 20, 1974, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the Petition of Raymond C. Bell, Executor, for allowance on his Final Account.
 Dated October 31, 1974

Attorney for Petitioner:
 Robert H. Wood
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 St. Johns, Mich.
 Phone 224-3238

s/Raymond C. Bell, Petitioner
 510 S. Baker, St. Johns, Michigan 28-1

Robert W. Pettit, Its President
 Catherine M. Rademacher,
 Village Clerk
 I hereby certify that the above ordinance was duly passed at a regular meeting of the Village of Fowler Council, held Oct 28, 1974, and ordered published in the Clinton County News
 Catherine M. Rademacher,
 Village Clerk 28-1

LEGAL NOTICES
 MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Lloyd E. McMaster and Joyce McMaster, his wife, 238 W. Williams Street, Ovid, Michigan to North American Acceptance Corporation, 1028 Genesee Towers, Flint, Michigan Mortgagee, Dated July 9, 1973, and recorded on July 18, 1973, in Liber 272, on page 289, Clinton County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Eight Thousand Five Hundred Seventy-Six Dollars and 93/100 Dollars (\$8,576.93), including interest of 1 1/2% per month.
 Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the North door of the Court House in St. Johns, Michigan, at 10:00 o'clock AM, Local Time, on Tues. Dec 10, 1974.

Notice is hereby given, that the petition of American Bank & Trust Company, a Michigan Corporation, as Trustee of the Bath Pleasant Hill Cemetery Fund, praying that its Eighth and Final Tri-annual Account, covering the period from December 31, 1971 to September 30, 1974, be allowed, will be heard in the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton in the Courtroom in the City of St. Johns in said County this 21 day of October, 1974.
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Obituaries

Winnie Bond

Winnie Richmond Bond, 86, of 601 W Walker, St Johns, died Friday, Nov 1, at Clinton Memorial Hospital after a short illness.

She was born in St Johns Oct 13, 1888 the daughter of Otis and Elizabeth Crawley Richmond. She attended public schools in St Johns, where she lived all her life.

She was a member of the Rebecca, No 139, of St Johns, and the Maccabees. During her life, she worked as a bookkeeper for P DeWitt and R E Benson Plumbing and Heating.

Surviving are: 1 sister, Mrs Ethel Barnes, St Johns; 1 step-daughter, Mrs Florine Peabody, of Elsie, and 4 step grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday, Nov 4, at 1:30 pm at (Gassgood Funeral Home, Justin Shepard officiating. The place of burial is Mt Rest Cemetery.

Hurley Grinnell

ST JOHNS -- Hurley Ray Grinnell, 49, 136 West Oak St, Ovid, died Wednesday, Oct 16, in Clinton Memorial Hospital, St Johns, after a 5 month illness.

Mr Grinnell was born Jan 6, 1925, in Laingsburg, the son of Sidney and Emma Grinnell. He attended schools in Laingsburg and moved from there to Ovid in 1951.

In Morris, Mich, July 28, 1951, Mr Grinnell married Alice Cotton. He was a member of Laingsburg VFW, and served in World War II. Mr Grinnell worked as a metal finisher at Diamond Reo, Laingsburg.

Surviving are his wife Alice; 2 sons Richard and Kurt, both of Ovid; 8 grandchildren; 2 sisters Mrs Roy Hart of Shafsbury and Mrs Dale Stubbart of Morris; 4 brothers, Everett of Morris, Theodore of San Antonio, Texas, Lawrence of Oklahoma, and Ray of Corona. Three other brothers preceded him in death.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Oct 19, 11 am at Holy Family Catholic Church, Father Joseph Aubin officiating. A rosary was said Friday, Oct 18, 7 pm at the Houghton Chapel in Ovid.

A military service was held at Mt Olivet Cemetery, Laingsburg.

Edwin Oden

WACOSTA -- Edwin Oden, 78, of 9297 W Herbison Rd, Wacosta died Oct 29.

He was born Nov 5, 1896 in Watertown Twp, the son of George and Margaret Oden. He

married Sylvanna Adams, and lived most of his life in Clinton County where he was a farmer. Mr Oden had been a member of Wacosta Masonic Lodge for 55 years, the Modern Woodmen of America for 50 years, and a member of the Clinton County Farm Bureau.

Surviving are 1 daughter, Mrs Floyd (Amelia) Jastram of Wacosta; 1 granddaughter; and 3 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Friday, Nov 1, 2 pm at the Peterson-Murray Funeral Home, conducted by Wacosta Masonic Lodge No 359. The place of burial was Wacosta Cemetery, the Rev Robert S Nelson officiating.

Carrie Morse

PERRINTON -- Carrie Morse, 89, died Tuesday, Oct 29, at Brown Convalescent Home, Perrinton. Mrs Morse is a former resident of Ovid. She was born in Ovid, May 7, 1885, the daughter of Warren and Clarinda Skutt. In Lansing, 1918, she married Edward E Morse.

Surviving are 3 daughters, Mrs Clarinda Schworer of St Johns, Beulah Randall of Coopersville; 1 son Edward Morse of Lansing; 29 grandchildren and several great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Thursday, Oct 31, 2 pm at Lee A Aummel Funeral Home in DeWitt, the Rev Robert Prange officiating. The place of burial is Gunnesville Cemetery.

Arley Brace

BIG RAPIDS -- Arley Brace, 73, of 7442 Park Place, Wacosta, Mich, died suddenly on Oct 26, at the Community Hospital in Big Rapids.

Mr Brace was born in Watertown Twp, and lived most of his life in Wacosta where he moved from 5 years ago. He was retired as a supervisor of Fabric at Motor Wheel Corp.

Surviving are his wife Pauline; 1 daughter Dorothy Albert of Atlanta, Georgia; 3 grandchildren; 1 sister Laura Stackman of Farwell; and 1 brother, Raymond Brace of Fountain, Fla.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, Oct 29, at 3:30 pm at Holkan Funeral Home, with the Rev J Chandler Adams officiating. The place of burial is in Wacosta.

Glynn Trowbridge

OWOSSO -- Glynn Trowbridge, 81, M-21, Ovid died Monday, Oct 21 at Memorial Hospital in Owosso.

Mr Trowbridge was born Nov 24, 1892, the son of Clark and Kate Trowbridge. He attended

schools in Lansing, and moved from there to Ovid in 1932. Mr Trowbridge was never married.

Surviving is one brother, Floyd of Ovid.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Oct 23, at 1 pm at Houghton Chapel of the Ovid Funeral Home. The burial service was at Mt Hope Cemetery, Lansing with the Rev Earl Copelin officiating.

Jennie Motz

ELSIE (C) -- Funeral services were held Monday, Oct 28 for Mrs Jennie Motz, 84, Bannister at the Carter Funeral Home in Elsie. She died Thursday afternoon at the Clinton Memorial Hospital in St Johns. She had been ill for 5 days following a severe fall.

The Rev Miriam DeMint officiated at the service and burial was made in Ford Cemetery.

Mrs Motz was born in Czechoslovakia on Feb 2, 1890. She came to the United States in 1906 and resided in Ashley and Bannister area for 64 years.

In March of 1908 she married Joseph Motz of East St Louis, Ill. He died in January of 1970. She was a member of the ZCBJ Lodge number 225.

Survivors include: three sons, Joseph of St Johns, William and James, both of Ashley; one sister, Antonie Bina of Yugoslavia; six grandchildren; 19 great grandchildren.

Paul Chapko

ELSIE (C) -- Funeral services for Paul A. Chapko, 68, of 3796 E. Roosevelt Rd, Ashley were held Friday morning from St Cyril Catholic Church with the Rev Fr Thomas Kowalczyk officiating, and burial in Ford Cemetery, north of Elsie. Bible prayers were read Thursday evening at the Carter Funeral Home in Elsie.

Mr Chapko died Tuesday evening at the Clinton Memorial Hospital, St Johns following a car-tractor accident Friday when he was taken to the hospital.

Mr Chapko was born Jan 17, 1906 in Czechoslovakia and has resided in Ashley and Pompeii for more than 50 years. He and Anna Bendick were married in Bannister on June 30, 1934. A farmer, he was member of St Cyril Catholic Church.

Besides his widow, Mr Chapko is survived by a daughter, Mrs Shirley Mills of Ashley; a son, Thomas of Perrinton; nine grandchildren; one step-sister, Mrs Anna Cibop of Chicago, Ill; a brother, George Chapko of Downers Grove, Ill, and two step-brothers, Mike Kovac of Hazelcrest Ill and Charles Kovac of Chicago.

John Gimm

ELSIE (C) -- John Gimm, 102 years old, former resident of Elsie passed away Monday afternoon (Oct 21) at the Ovid Convalescent Center, where he had been a resident for the past several years. Funeral services were held Thursday from the Carter Funeral Home in Elsie.

Mr Gimm was born May 24, 1872 in Thurso, Canada. He resided most of his life in the Elsie and Ovid areas and was married to Dora Rhode in 1899, who preceded him in death in 1919.

Surviving are: 2 daughters, Mrs Margaret Jackson of Elsie and Mrs Lillian Linman of Albion; 7 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren and 6 great-great-grandchildren.

Leo Riley

Funeral services were held Monday Nov 4 at St John the Baptist Catholic Church for Leo M Riley, 44, of Elwell Mi. Father E.R. Fox, officiated.

Mr Riley died Thursday Oct 31 at the Gratiot Community Hospital in Alma, after a lengthy illness.

He was born Sept 17, 1930, in Hubbardston, the son of William and Margaret Riley. Mr Riley worked as a mason during his life.

Surviving are: 5 daughters, Mrs Theresa Masarik, of St Johns; Mrs Frances Mohrke, of Big Rapids; Mrs Margaret Joy of Fort Wayne Ind, Rosemary Riley and Joyce Riley, both of St Johns; 3 sons, Michael, William, and Patrick all of St Johns; 4 sisters; 1 brother; and 2 grandchildren.

Burial Ground Corp meeting

The annual meeting of the Eureka Burial Ground Corp was held Saturday evening, Nov 2 at the Eureka School with 13 members present.

The following board members were re-elected to succeed themselves for a 3 year term: Lois Woodbury, Gladys Barton and Rhinard Schulz.

Officers for the new year remain the same, they are: president Jim Burnham, first vice president Lois Woodbury, 2nd vice president Jim Graham and secretary-treasurer Erna Robinson.

The board expressed disappointment that so little interest was shown by the lot owners.

City of St Johns Commission meeting

ST JOHNS CITY COMMISSION
September 23, 1974

Mayor Wood called the regular meeting of the St Johns City Commission to order at 7:30 pm.

COMM PRESENT: Arehart, Ebert, Hannah, Wilcox, Wood
COMM ABSENT: None
STAFF PRESENT: Weatherwax, Humphrey, Maples, Vermette

Motion by Comm Ebert, supported by Comm Wilcox to approve the regular meeting minutes of September 9, 1974 and the special meeting minutes of September 18, 1974 as presented. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm Ebert, supported by Comm Arehart to approve the warrants. Motion carried.

Mayor Wood asked for additions and deletions to the agenda as presented.

Two additions and one deletion were made.

Motion by Comm Ebert, supported by Comm Wilcox to approve the agenda as amended. Motion carried.

The City Clerk presented and read the resignation from Mr Wayne Hicks.

Motion by Comm Hannah, supported by Comm Wilcox to accept Mr Hicks' resignation and further to instruct the City Clerk to write a letter of gratitude to Mr Hicks for his service to local government. Motion carried.

The City Clerk presented a memo from the Building Inspector and a letter from the County Zoning Administrator regarding a new State Construction Code.

Discussion followed concerning the various alternatives presented to the City Commission.

Motion by Comm Wilcox, supported by Comm Arehart to adopt Ordinance 270, and further to authorize its publication. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm Ebert, supported by Comm Wilcox to open the Public Hearing on the Railroad Street vacation. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm Ebert, supported by Comm Arehart to close the Public Hearing on the Railroad Street vacation. Motion carried.

Comm Ebert then discovered that the description published in the newspaper was improper.

Motion by Comm Ebert, supported by Comm Wilcox to table the Railroad Street vacation until such time as the proper proceedings have been accomplished. Motion carried.

The City Clerk stated that Bingham Township Supervisor had contacted him and stated that the Paseka deannexation petition had been tabled.

Motion by Comm Arehart, supported by Comm Hannah to table the Paseka annexation until the necessary deannexation papers were received from the Township. Motion carried.

The City Clerk read an excerpt from the City Planning Commission minutes of September 5, 1974 regarding a communication from the Zoning Administrator concerning any further annexations, that before being accepted by the City Commission they should be referred to the Planning Commission for their recommendation prior to final action. It was stated that the wording of the motion was not exactly as moved.

Discussion followed concerning the recommendation.

Motion by Comm Hannah, supported by Comm Ebert to accept the Planning Commission recommendation concerning the study of annexations. Motion carried.

The City Clerk then read a second recommendation regarding the Clarence Ebert property annexed to the City.

The City Clerk explained the rejection, by the State, of the annexation of Mr Clarence Ebert's property. Further discussion followed.

Commissioner Hannah asked the following questions:

(a) What was the status of the Building Code discussion which was supposed to be placed on the September 23rd agenda?

The City Clerk stated that the tabled discussion had been covered under the earlier heading of "Building Code" in this meeting.

(b) Whether a letter received from the Scott Road Corporation concerning the installation of storm sewers required any action of the Commission.

The Manager stated that he believed that the contractors were working in that area at this time, and therefore made a letter a mute question.

(c) What is the delay in the enforcement of the Scott Road Traffic Ordinance?

quotations or estimates been acquired?

The City Manager stated that he had contacted some firms in this regard, but as of yet, had not received any formal quotes on the renovation and/or cleaning of the digester.

The City Clerk read a communication from the Clinton Area Ambulance Service stating their decision that a \$50 per capita assessment would be sufficient to operate in the coming year.

Discussion followed concerning last year's request and whether any money had been budgeted for the ambulance service.

Motion by Comm Hannah, supported by Comm Wilcox to approve the \$50 per capita request of the Clinton Area Ambulance Service, based on the 1970 census, and further to authorize the City Treasurer to draw a check in the appropriate amount. Motion carried.

The City Manager stated that he needed authorization to pave East Sturgis Street as had been previously discussed.

Motion by Comm Wilcox, supported by Comm Ebert to authorize the City Manager to have a base course of asphalt placed on Sturgis Street from where the pavement now ends to Scott Road, thus adding it to the 1974 paving program. Motion carried.

The City Manager presented a letter from the Clinton County Drain Commissioner granting approval of the holding pond in the Steel and Wallbridge drainage district, provided all requirements from his office will be included in the final design, as per meeting of August 22, 1974, and further, that the City of St Johns will be responsible for operation and maintenance of the area upstream from the outlet of the ponds and any damages that might occur from flooding.

The Manager stated that this was the only letter thus far received concerning this topic.

Comm Wilcox stated his concern that the letter did not include the approval of the other two ponds not specifically mentioned.

Richard Bush of Williams & Works, stated that the Drain Commissioner had been presented with a complete set of plans and that the Drain Commissioner's engineer had given the approval of all the ponds to him by phone.

Upon the suggestion by the Mayor, the City Manager stated that he would attempt to acquire an additional letter that was more specific concerning the two ponds from the Drain Commissioner.

The City Manager presented a memo listing the eight bidders for the holding pond project of which Frazier Brothers Drainage Const Inc was low bid with \$273,221.24 as well as a financial statement of the same.

Williams & Works presented their recommendation to award the contract to Fraser Brothers Drainage Contractors, Inc and stated that the ponds must be on line and functioning by December 31, 1974 and must be finished out by June, 1975.

Discussion followed.

Motion by Comm Ebert, supported by Comm Arehart to accept the low holding pond bid of Fraser Brothers Drainage Contractors, Inc at a price of \$272,349.70 and further, to authorize the Mayor and Clerk to sign the contract.

Comm Wilcox asked for a roll call vote on the motion.

YEA: Arehart, Ebert, Hannah, Wood
NAY: Wilcox
Motion carried.

Comm Wilcox stated his reason for a "no" vote as based on the Drain Commissioner's letter.

Discussion followed concerning the financing of the project.

City Manager suggested that alternative #2 of the last item of the aforementioned report be considered.

Motion by Comm Ebert, supported by Comm Hannah to accept the City Manager's report including alternative #2 "Water Department" as the plan for financing the holding pond project.

YEA: Arehart, Ebert, Hannah, Wood
NAY: Wilcox
Motion carried.

Mr Olson of Williams & Works was present and stated that 40 tests had been completed and that testing would now be done daily on the storm sewer project. Also, that 25% of the tests had failed, however, the contractor had been ordered to remedy the situation.

The City Manager stated his concern over the difficulty that the cross trenches in the streets from the storm sewer project would cause in plowing snow in the streets this winter.

The Engineer stated that there was a possibility that the contractor would apply an additional layer of asphalt which would help alleviate the problem, and further that if

they did apply said layer, they would not be relieved of their settling responsibility over the course of the winter.

Mr Bush stated that he would contact the contractor.

The Manager asked if the aforementioned agreement could not be reached with the Contractor that he be authorized to place wedges on the edge of the trenches to protect the snow plows, and also that he be allowed to purchase hot mix asphalt to place in the large chuck holes in the City's streets.

There was a general agreement to the Manager's request concerning the wedging as well as the acquiring of the hot mix.

The Mayor read a statement prepared by himself advising the Commission of his resignation as a member of the St Johns Commission effective October 1, 1974.

Motion by Commissioner Wilcox, supported by Comm Arehart to accept the Mayor's resignation with deep regret and further to instruct the City Manager and City Clerk to make provisions for a farewell get together on behalf of the Mayor. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm Hannah, supported by Comm Wilcox to adjourn. Motion carried.

Mayor Wood declared the meeting adjourned at 8:50 pm.

ST. JOHNS CITY COMMISSION

October 2, 1974

Mayor Ebert called the special meeting of the St Johns City Commission to order at 4:35 pm.

COMM PRESENT: Hannah, Arehart, Wilcox, Ebert
COMM ABSENT: None
STAFF PRESENT: Maples, Wood, Gurski

Mayor Ebert read a communication from the City Clerk stating the prospective dates and costs of having a special election.

Comm Arehart stated that normally he is not in favor of appointment, however, being the time in office would be short and the cost very substantial, he would be in favor of appointment.

Comm Hannah agreed with Comm Arehart and said he would be in favor of appointment.

Comm Wilcox stated he felt there should be a special election.

Motion by Comm Arehart supported by Comm Hannah that the Commission fill the vacancy and remainder of Mayor Wood's term by appointment YEA: Arehart, Hannah, Ebert NAY: Wilcox
Motion carried.

Mayor Ebert asked that the appointment of a Commissioner be placed on the agenda for the October 15, 1974 meeting.

Motion by Comm Hannah supported by Comm Wilcox to adjourn. Motion carried.

Mayor Ebert declared the meeting adjourned at 4:45 pm.

October 15, 1974

Vice Mayor Ebert called the regular meeting of the St Johns City Commission to order at 7:30 pm.

COMM PRESENT: Wilcox, Ebert, Hannah, Arehart
COMM ABSENT: None
STAFF PRESENT: Weatherwax, Maples, Humphrey, Vermette

Motion by Comm Arehart, supported by Comm Hannah to approve the regular meeting minutes of September 23, 1974 and the special minutes of October 2, 1974 as amended. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm Arehart, supported by Comm Wilcox to approve the warrants. Motion carried.

Vice Mayor Ebert asked for additions or deletions to the agenda as presented.

Several additions were made.

Motion by Comm Arehart, supported by Comm Wilcox to approve the agenda as amended. Motion carried.

Mrs Joseph Cartwright was present and presented the legal description of that portion of East Railroad Street they desired vacated. A brief discussion followed.

Motion by Comm Hannah, supported by Comm Wilcox resolving to set a public hearing for November 12, 1974 at 7:45 pm for the vacation of the following portion of Railroad Street:

The North 4-feet of Railroad Street right-of-way, traversing parallel to the West 58 feet of Lot 117, vacated Traver Street, and all of Lot 118, according to the original plat of the City of St. Johns.

Motion carried.

Vice Mayor Ebert received a request for a street light on Kibbee Street between Traver and Strugs.

The City Engineer stated that leaves were being picked up and would continue to be during the remainder of the season.

Further, that it was the County's responsibility to maintain the roadway on US-27 and M-21.

Motion by Comm Arehart, supported by Comm Ebert to set Thursday, October 31, 1974, from 6:00 pm to 8:30 pm for truck-or-treating. The fire whistle will be sounded at the aforementioned times. Motion carried.

Comm Hannah nominated Mr Don Rosener for the position of City Commissioner; Motion by Comm Wilcox, supported by Comm Arehart to appoint Mr Don Rosener to the St Johns City Commission, and that a unanimous ballot be cast on his behalf. Motion carried.

Comm Arehart nominated Mr Edward Mikula for the Board of Appeals.

Comm Wilcox nominated Mrs Mary Hutton but was informed that she had indicated she was unable to accept a position at the present time. The nomination of Mrs. Hutton was withdrawn.

Motion by Comm Arehart, supported by Comm Hannah to cast a unanimous ballot for Mr Edward Mikula for the position on the St Johns Board of Appeals. Motion carried.

The City Clerk presented a list of proposed election inspectors to serve at the November 5, 1974 General Election.

Motion by Comm Arehart, supported by Comm Wilcox to appoint the list of election inspectors as submitted for the November 5, 1974 General Election. Motion carried.

City Manager asked the Commission to appoint a managerial representative to the M.E.R.S. meeting.

Motion by Comm Hannah, supported by Comm Arehart to appoint City Treasurer, Gene Simon, as the representative to the upcoming M.E.R.S. meeting. Motion carried.

City Clerk presented the following recommendations from the St Johns Planning Commission:

The following is an excerpt from the St Johns Planning Commission Meeting of October 3, 1974.

Motion by Member Coleman, supported by member Morris to recommend to the City Commission that the area described as: Beginning on the East-West 1/4 line at a point N87°42'45" W 1453.78 feet from the East 1/4 corner of Section 9, T1N, R2W, City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan, Thence N27°17'15" E 888.55 feet, thence N87°42'45" W 1216.14 feet to the North-South 1/4 line, thence S0°49'48" W 240.0 feet along said North-South 1/4 line to the Northwesterly right-of-way line of Highway US-27, thence S 41°26' E 158.14 feet along said right-of-way line to a point of curvature, thence Southwesterly 517.60 feet along the arc of a 1707.0 foot radius curve to the right whose cord bears S32°44'50" E 615.62 feet, Thence S 45°44'40" E 167.74 feet to the East-West 1/4 line of said Section, Thence S87°42'43" E 690.0 feet to the point of beginning, containing 21.01 acres, more or less. Be rezoned from Municipal Center to General Commercial subject to the following stipulations:

1. That the Proposed storm water holding pond be constructed and operating properly and approved by the City prior to issuance of any building permit.

2. That all storm water be directed to the holding pond.

3. That the holding pond outflow be regulated as stated in Mr Stephen's letter of October 1, 1974; Mr Weatherwax's letter of September 30, 1974; and Mr Chapman's letter of September 26, 1974, all of which agree.

4. That the holding pond be functional and kept in operation until adequate sewer or drains are provided sometime in the future.

5. That the location, easements, legal issues and maintenance of said holding pond be subject to negotiations between Willard Searles and the City Commission.

6. That it meets all criteria of the Michigan Department of State Highways and Transportation and at no cost to the City.

Discussion followed.

Motion by Comm Arehart, supported by Comm Wilcox to accept the Planning Commission Recommendation to authorize the City Attorney to draft an Ordinance in pursuit thereof, and to set a public hearing on said Ordinance for November 12, 1974 at 8:00 pm. Motion carried.

The City Manager presented a letter from Assistant Fire

Chief Cornwell requesting an extension of his time of service.

The City Manager then presented a letter from Fire Chief Maier concerning the extension.

Discussion followed.

Motion by Comm Hannah, supported by Comm Wilcox to table the extension request of Assistant Chief Cornwell until the next regular meeting, but that he be allowed to remain active with the department, pending a firm recommendation from the Fire Chief. Motion carried.

City Manager

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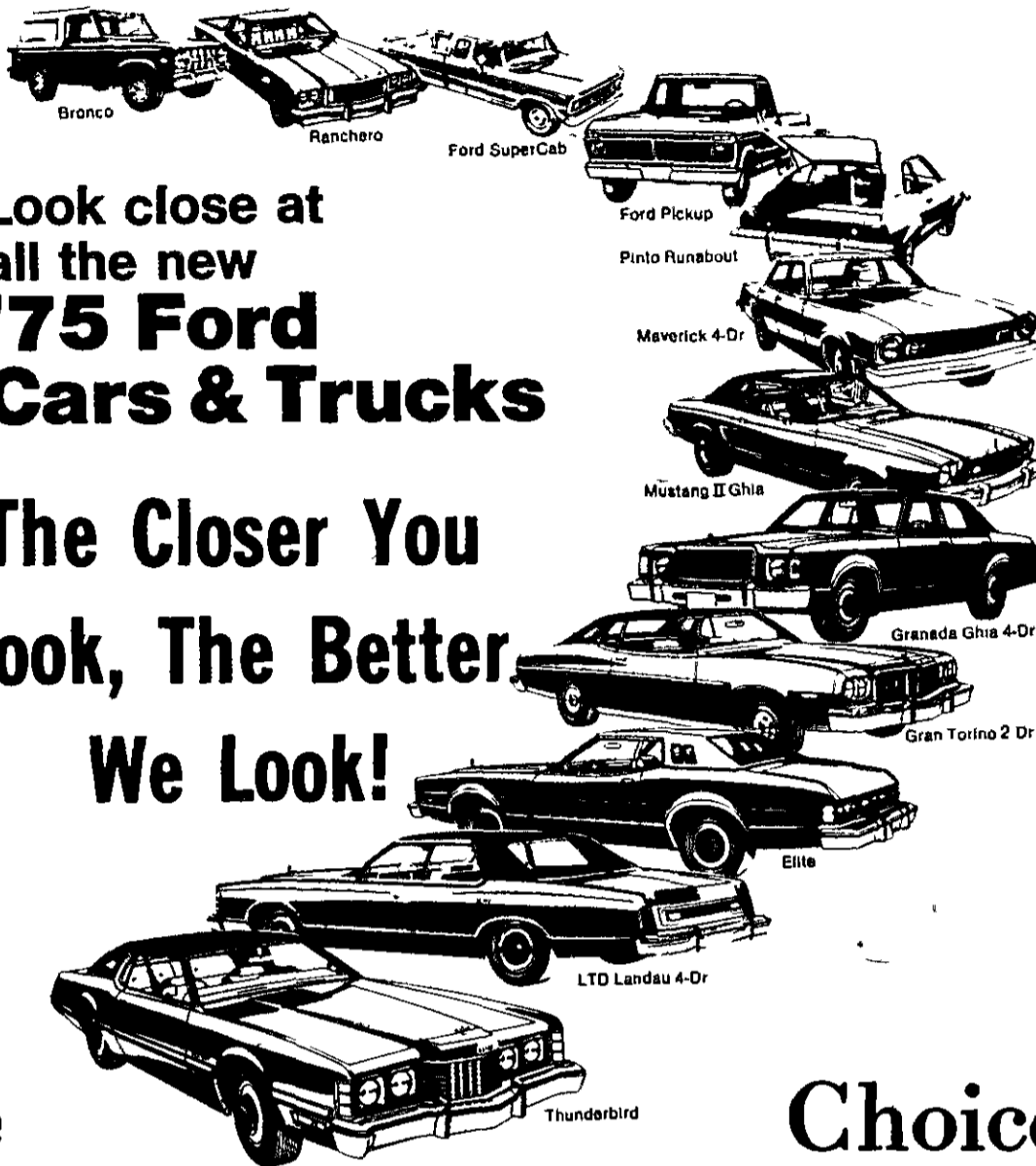
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Removing Car Emission Kit Fruitless?

If you were thinking about removing emission control equipment in your new car to boost gasoline economy, you may be doing more than polluting the air. According to a study by the Environmental Protection Agency, chances are you'll be getting even poorer gas mileage.

The EPA in its survey took 10 cars to private garages and service stations, instructing mechanics to "do what's necessary to improve gasoline mileage."

Changes made by the repair shops resulted in an average loss of 3.5 per cent in fuel economy and a drastic increase in hydrocarbon, carbon monoxide and oxides of nitrogen emissions.

Cost of the work done by the garages ranged from \$12.50 to \$37.50. In addition to disconnecting emission control equipment, garages generally enriched the carburetor idle setting and advanced timing with individual losses in fuel economy of up to 15.5 per cent.

Right?

No, Wrong

Will tires last longer if the air pressure is reduced by about four pounds during a long distance trip?

No. Tires should be kept at their recommended inflation pressure for all normal driving. Pressure should be checked at least once a month. Underinflation causes excessive wear at the outer edges, overinflation causes excessive wear at the center.

If your car won't start and a clicking sound is heard when the ignition switch is turned, you know the battery is dead and should be replaced.

Wrong—save your money. It may not be the battery at all. First check for corroded battery terminals, which often causes the symptoms of a run-down battery. Clean them up and try again before investing in a new battery.

Is the only purpose of shock absorbers to keep the car from bouncing?

No. Shock absorbers are intended to keep the wheel in contact with the road under all driving conditions, so this becomes a safety consideration. Firm shock absorbers will prevent loss of control when steering or braking in an emergency under rough road conditions. Also, shock absorbers help to reduce suspension and tire wear due to excessive wheel hop.

In Germany Car Care is Given Top Priority

Service, Maintenance Now Seen As Most Important Phase of Automobile Ownership

By OLAF GEORGE WILLIAM FERSEN

The Germans are frequently accused of loving their cars more dearly than their children. A status symbol as well as a means of individual freedom of movement, the car in Germany is valued as an important personal investment that has to be taken care of.

Rising prices and increasing labor costs, the critical space problem on a partly obsolete network of roads and the latent threat of higher taxes and gas prices are a constant worry to car owners.

Service and maintenance these days are definitely ranging before performance and prestige value in prospective buyer considerations.

The liberal use of salt as a means of melting ice and snow on wintry roads has taught many car owners the hard way the meaning of rust corrosion. Statistics figure out the average loss of value per car and year by corrosion to be around 200 Deutschmarks (\$155).

Many car manufacturers fit their products with longlife-undersealing these days. In all cases where this is not being done, purchasers are well advised to have their new cars undersealed when new — before costly cleaning and de-rusting operations become necessary.

Body Protected

During the last two years two other systems of protection against corrosion have proved their worth: spraying of all chassis and body box section internals with a protective coating or filling them with plastic foam.



OLAF GEORGE WILLIAM FERSEN, who contributes the accompanying article on Car Care in Germany, is a former United Press Berlin correspondent, who at one time was in the repair business and later a chief editor of the magazine *Automobil-Illustrierte*. He continues to specialize in writing for motoring magazines in many countries.

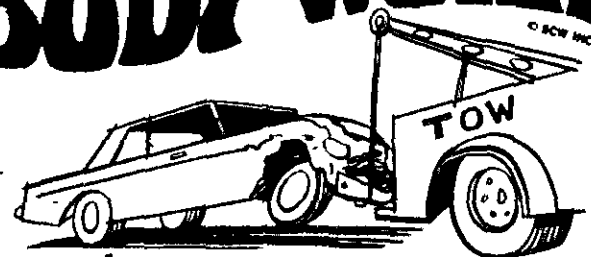
Mounting labor costs have steeply increased maintenance and servicing bills more recently. A new regulation requires workshops to hang out the amount charged per hour, so customers can figure out what their bill may look like. With labor cost between 30 and 45 Deutschmarks (\$8 to \$11)

garage trade tries to counter this with publicity methods.

The currently threatening fuel-shortage, however, seems to make all

other worries look minor. The discussion between motorists seems to center about one theme only: how to achieve improved fuel economy?


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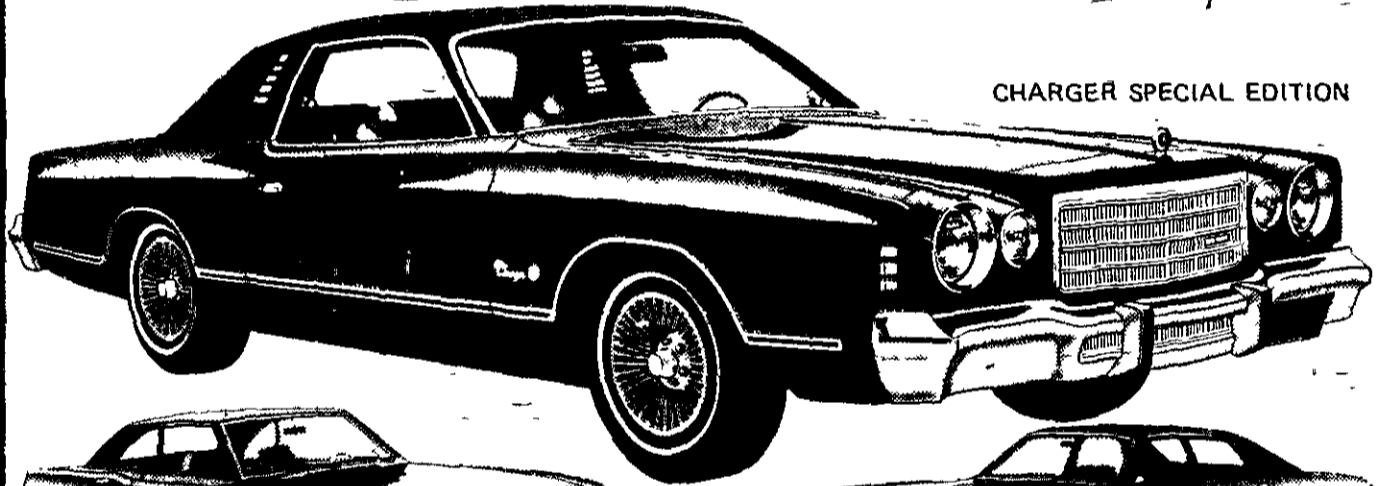


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Guess Again

If your favorite service mechanic tells you that you need a universal joint, he's not inviting you to invest in a bar near the United Nations building. He's telling you that a critical part of your car's drive shaft needs replacement.

There are a number of common automobile service terms that could be confusing. If you don't talk the language. The American Petroleum Institute provides a short dictionary of those terms.

BAD SHOCKS — *Your mother-in-law is coming.*

Shock absorbers improve the riding comfort by softening the impact of bumps in the road. For safety, shocks should be checked for damage, wear or fluid leaks.

KING PINS — *Royal brooches.*

Not really. They're metal rods which allow your front wheels to pivot when you make a turn. If they're worn, get them fixed; it's dangerous.

FRONT END WOBBLE — *A go-go dancer.*

Wrong again — it's a vibration caused by worn parts of the steering mechanism, wheels that are out of line from hitting bumps, or worn king pins . . . and it should be corrected immediately.

WORN SHOES — *Hippie sandals.*

It's brake shoes they're talking about. When you step on the brake-pedal the shoes are hydraulically forced against the brake drums, causing the car to slow down. Improperly adjusted shoes may cause premature wear and damage to the brake drum.

FILTER — *The end of a cigarette.*

There are three filters on your car. One helps keep dirt out of the air entering the carburetor, another purifies the oil circulating in the crankcase, and a third traps sediment from the gasoline before it enters your carburetor. These filters need periodic cleaning or changing.

CATALYTIC MUFFLER — *An exotic fur neckpiece.*

Nope. Catalytic mufflers are pollution control devices currently designed to reduce certain exhaust emissions. Basically, they chemically "purify" the gases left after the fuel has burned.

PLUGGED PCV — *An assassinated foreign dignitary.*

Missed again. The Positive Crankcase Ventilation valve is a pollution control device designed to help cut down on emissions into the air we breathe. When it isn't checked regularly, it could hamper your car's performance.

Car Rally Teaches Youth Gas Economy



The Champion Spark Plug Company Economy Rally, conducted in San Diego and the San Francisco area, began and ended at the gasoline pumps where cars were filled before and after the run. Gasoline was carefully measured to make sure accurate readings of consumption were gathered to determine winners fairly.

The meter on the gasoline pump crept slowly toward the four-gallon mark. As it stopped at 3.8 gallons and filled the gasoline tank of the car, part of the assembled crowd cheered while another group groaned.

This unusual setting for a high school competitive event was a gasoline station in San Diego, California and the event itself was the first Champion Spark Plug Company Economy Rally.

The assembled students and teachers were concerned with every drop of gas used.

The Rally, inaugurated by Champion, sought to show that gas economy, safe driving and good fun can be achieved by even the most inexperienced drivers.

All competitors from 10 high schools in San Diego were recent driver training graduates and newly licensed to drive. Yet the results they achieved in getting exceptional gas mileage would do credit to experienced drivers.

Objectives of the rally were simple. Each car, containing a driver, student navigator and teacher observer, covered a course of 60 miles. The course included city street,

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That advice—and the reasons why—is presented below for the benefit of their elders, to whom gasoline economy is even more important than it is to the young folk.

expressway and rural roads. The driver was to complete the course in 90 minutes.

alignment.

Average mileage per car was 19,220 m.p.g. Winning car was a '73 import with average mileage of 27,836 m.p.g. Cars ranged in size from small imports to full-size American models.

According to Champion Rally Co-ordinator Fred Agabashian, "These youngsters may be high school students but they're doing a great job of teaching all of us how to drive safely and economically."

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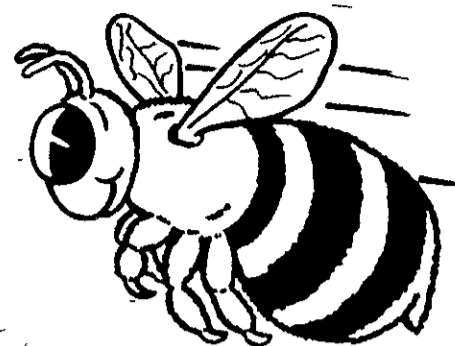
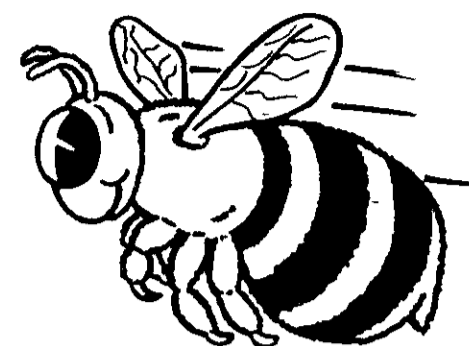
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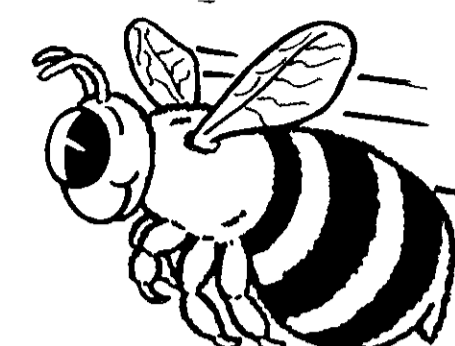
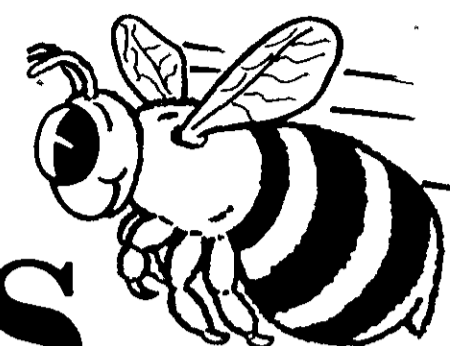
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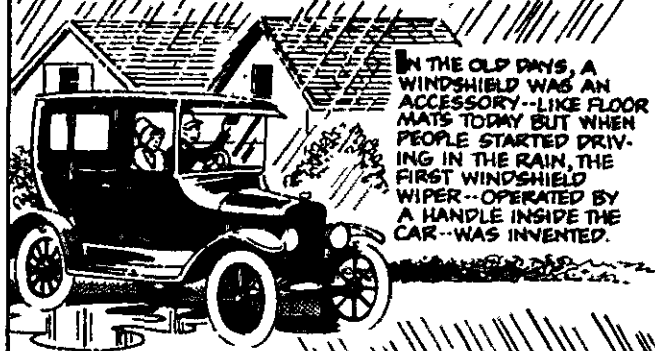
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AUTO FACTS

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IN THE OLD DAYS, A WINDSHIELD WAS AN ACCESSORY--LIKE FLOOR MATS TODAY BUT WHEN PEOPLE STARTED DRIVING IN THE RAIN, THE FIRST WINDSHIELD WIPER--OPERATED BY A HANDLE INSIDE THE CAR--WAS INVENTED.

NOW, ON MANY LATE-MODEL CARS BLADES DISAPPEAR BEHIND THE COWL AND ARE ONLY SEEN WHEN THEY'RE ON-- BUT THE BLADES SHOULD BE CHECKED OFTEN TO SEE IF THEY ARE PETERING FROM THE ELEMENTS--AND FROM WEARING OUT.



Why You Can't Get Started

Servicing or replacing the car battery may not be the answer to a car's winter starting woes.

That's what a high percentage of motorists learned when they experienced starting failure and sought to correct it solely through attention to the battery.

According to a hard-starting survey conducted by Champion Spark Plug Company last winter, repeated failure was experienced by 38.9 per cent of car owners who had their batteries charged after initial "can't starts."

Repeat Failures

Of those motorists installing a new battery af-

ter not starting, 25.9 per cent had at least one other failure.

When car owners treated starting woes with engine tune-up, they had better success in forestalling future problems, the survey showed. Rate of repeat can't starts was 14.6 per cent after a tune-up. Installation of new spark plugs alone was a better answer to starting trouble than battery service since 18.7 per cent had additional problems with new plugs.

The survey also revealed hard starting continues to be the leading problem confronting motorists. In the U.S., 29 per cent of owners reported at least

one failure last winter. In Canada, 30 per cent had trouble.

Cold weather was not solely to blame for starting trouble. Warm weather regions in the U.S. were only slightly below the national average in reported "can't starts."

Coast Starts Hard

In Pacific Coast states, 27 per cent of car owners surveyed had at least one failure while the South Atlantic states had a 28 per cent "can't start" rate.

These areas also had the lowest incidence of tune-up purchases in the U.S.

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dow if you're going to keep the stupid window open

FREEZIN' ELOISE
Winnipeg, Man.

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Seven Points to Help You Start Cold Motor

1. Transmission: To lessen the load on the starter, release manual shift transmissions by depressing the clutch pedal; place automatic transmissions in "neutral" before attempting to start the engine.

2. Electrical Accessories: Shut off lights, windshield wipers, defrosters, heater, radio, etc., before attempting to start the engine. This will assure maximum voltage available for both the starter motor and the ignition system.

3. Choking: While complete setting of hand choke is obvious, some drivers don't realize that most automatic chokes must be set "on" by depressing the accelerator before starting. (Many cold weather starting failures are due entirely to this oversight.)

4. Pumping the Accelerator: An additional one or two pumps on the accelerator pedal will dump

grinding away or you may overheat the starter motor and cause excessive drain on the battery.

7. Shut-off: Place transmission in "neutral" and run engine at fast idle. When switch is off, depress accelerator to "flood" the engine. This will insure a supply of gasoline in the cylinders for the next start.

A complete check of the ignition system and spark plugs before the first cold snap hits is advised. A weak ignition coil, defective distributor points or worn spark plugs can kick starting voltage requirements way up. And, of course, if battery voltage is too low to meet these increased demands, the engine won't start

Like people, car engines are reluctant to get going on cold mornings. It's a small wonder when near-zero temperatures thicken various lubricating oils and greases which makes it tougher for parts of the engine to move.

Also, the colder the temperature, the less efficient the battery becomes. At zero degrees, for instance, the battery is only about half as efficient as on a normal summer morning.

Herewith is a list of tips from Champion Spark Plug Company. These will keep voltage demands on your car's battery down during the vulnerable period when the battery loses much of its punch.

raw gasoline into the intake manifold and help get enough vaporized fuel into the cylinders during very cold weather.

5. Throttle Setting: When the starter is energized, the accelerator should be about half way

down to get enough air rushing through the manifold to pick up the fuel and carry it into the cylinders.

6. Starter Motor: Energize the starter at relatively short intervals. Avoid

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Tune-Up No. 2 is Called Vital, Here's the Why and How of It

Take your car to your service station and ask the attendant to give your car "Tune-Up Number 2" and he'll probably look at you and scratch his head. He knows about tune-ups, but he probably doesn't know about "the second tune-up."

Yet "Tune-Up No. 2" is a vital part of your car's

maintenance, one that's long overdue in most cars.

Tune-Up No. 2 is simply a thorough inspection and check of all the components in your car's cooling system and replacement of those parts that are worn or malfunctioning. It is a cooling system tune-up.

Why is it important? To

understand the need for a cooling system tune-up, we must first look at the function of the system. The cooling system keeps the operating temperature of the engine at a level at which it will perform at top efficiency.

Keeping Its Cool

To accomplish this task, automobile manufacturers have developed the pressurized cooling system which allows special coolants (not water) to rise well above the ordinary boiling point without "boiling over." The cooling system on the average automotive engine must be able to withstand in excess of 17 pounds of pressure combined with underhood and coolant temperatures that range from 278° F. to 300° F.

These higher temperatures and pressures put tremendous strains on all cooling system components — hoses, V-belts, water pump, thermostat, radiator cap.

It takes only one of these key parts to fail or

SHOULD YOUR SERVICE STATION attendant look puzzled when you ask him for a Tune-Up No. 2 check-up, just hand him this list. Run over it first to familiarize yourself with what needs to be done.

1. Visually check coolant level for indication of leaks or excessive oil content.
2. Check with pressure tester for internal and external leaks.
3. Visually check oil for water content.
4. Test thermostat for proper opening and closing.
5. Check heater valves.
6. Check heat gauge for accuracy.
7. Drain and back flush cooling system.
8. Clean radiator core of bugs and check for clogging.
9. Clean engine heavily covered with grease and oil.
10. Test radiator pressure cap.
11. Check radiator neck cap seat for nicks or scratches that could release pressure.
12. Check water pump bearings.
13. Check fan blades and pulley for alignment and balance.
14. Inspect all hose and clamps for deterioration.
15. Check core plugs and drain cocks for leakage.
16. Refill system with coolant and check for airlocks.
17. Recheck entire system for leaks.
18. Check and adjust tension of V-belts.
19. Check and reset ignition timing to eliminate ping.
20. In cases where cooling system continues to overheat, check other possible causes.
21. Replace belts, hose, clamps, thermostat and cap as necessary.

malfunction to cause the engine to overheat with costly internal engine damage as the likely result.

If you are driving a late model car and it's been

more than a year since you've had your cooling system checked, you're overdue for trouble. You're ready for "Tune-Up No. 2."

It's Worth It

The cost of a cooling system tune-up is relatively small compared to the potential savings you could realize by preventing a costly break-down or

expensive engine repairs. A cooling system tune-up normally takes about an hour and a half to accomplish and it carries a nominal flat rate of \$16.00 plus parts

If your service station man or garage mechanic doesn't know about "Tune-Up No. 2," ask him to check his Flat Rate Manual or have him contact

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Windshield Wipers Need Special Care in Winter

As with so many other vital components on your car, your windshield wipers are most likely to fail just when you need them the most—during the next rainstorm.

During the winter, windshield wipers have to fight freezing snow, ice, slush and road salt.

In the summer, heat, smog, and even your service station attendant's windshield washer spray work together to reduce the efficiency of your wiper system. It's no wonder, after sitting quietly on your windshield deteriorating day-in and day-out, that they often fail to do their job.

Check When Raining

The best time to check your windshield wiper system is during a rainstorm. Or you can check it the next time you go through a car wash. You can also perform a good check while someone sprays your windshield with a garden hose. However you choose to check your wipers, you should check them on both the fast and slow speeds.

If any trouble symptoms are present, you should replace as much of your wiper system as is necessary to eliminate the problem. In many cases, all that is needed is new squeegees (the rubber part that contacts the windshield).

Replace Both Blades

When you do replace all or part of your wiper blades, make sure you replace both sides at the same time.

Here are five visible or audible indicators that will signal need for attention to your windshield wipers. Clear driving vision is especially important during the bad weather season.


Check for the following signs of malfunctioning:

1. **STREAKING** — area of unwiped moisture within wiping area.
2. **HAZING** — a thin, hard-to-see-through film covering most or all of the wiping area even after the blade has just wiped.
3. **CHATTERING** — a "stuttering" motion of the blade accompanied by a "chattering" noise as the

blade sweeps across the windshield, with some areas left unwiped.

4. **SCALLOPING** — a ragged outer edge in the wiping pattern.

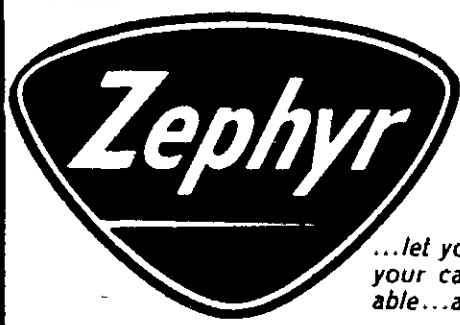
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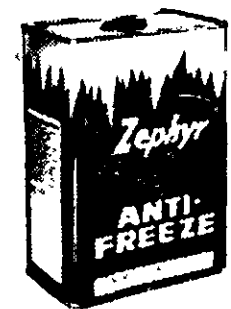
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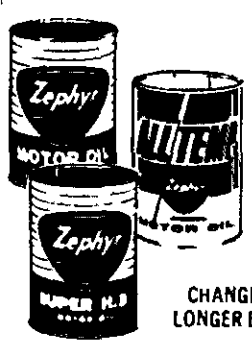
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Dwindling Oil Supplies, High Fuel Prices Mean . . .

Car Care More Important Than Ever

Like the dieter who has just shed 20 pounds and rewards himself with a double banana split, the motorist seems to be celebrating the abatement of the severe

gasoline shortage with a new binge of wastefulness. At least this is the contention of the U.S. Federal Energy Agency which is detecting signs of "business as usual" when it comes to use of fuel.

Even though the supply of gasoline at the fuel pump is more plentiful now than earlier this year, serious problems remain. Gasoline prices are in some cases double what they were before the crisis. Some say they are going to rise even higher.

Oil supply dwindles daily

There is still only a given amount of oil left in the earth and that supply dwindles every day. Noted author Barbara Ward is among those who believe that the supply of crude oil will be exhausted in a century or two.

On the shorter term basis, there is still a lack of political stability in many parts of the oil-producing world and black gold remains a potent bargaining weapon.

Thus common sense dictates that the motorist continue the gasoline-saving efforts he made during the depths of the shortage. He should continue to observe those prudent practices of careful driving.

He should adhere to speed limits that are not only saving gasoline but human life as well.

He should continue to maintain his car's engine and other components related to good gas economy.

Yet, here's what seems to be happening. Police report that cars are being driven faster than the 55 mile per hour speed limit. Expressway traffic jams are reaching their pre-shortage density as public transportation and car pools are being abandoned.

With the hardest driving days of all coming upon us this fall and winter, it is hoped that good car maintenance remains a habit with the motorist.

Fall and winter driving conditions often create slow and stop-and-go-traffic patterns. This situation is wasteful of expensive fuel and only a car with a well-tuned engine can get efficient gas consumption.

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