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Q. Recently you published salaries of county officials. . . except a few. . . the county commissioners were not listed. What is their yearly salary or do they receive payment according to the meetings held or both? RD, ST JOHNS

A. Not 1, not 2, but 3 things determine the amount of money paid to commissioners. Each commissioner receives \$150 a month except the chairman who is paid \$175. In addition they are given \$25 a day for each meeting or \$15 for a meeting of 3 hours or less. Finally, they are accorded 10¢ a mile. This policy, which according to county clerk Ernest Carter, is below the state average, was set by the board of commissioners in 1969. Carter estimated the average remuneration each commissioner received in '71, not including mileage, was approximately \$3,390.

Q. I am a US Army veteran employed fulltime. Before entering the Army I attended college for a year. I would like now to take some correspondence courses, but cannot afford the high costs of correspondence fees. Am I eligible for assistance as a veteran? JE, ST JOHNS

A. Start hitting the books again. The VA regional office in Detroit is sending you an application which you should return with copies of your separation papers, marriage license and children's birth certificates if applicable. You have 36 months of educational benefits eligibility up to 8 years after your discharge. One month of eligibility is deducted for every \$220 paid. If you plan on starting winter term, VA wants you to get in your application as soon as possible.

Q. It has been brought to our attention by both children and veterans that the American flag is not being used at some of our schools and we are wondering what the reason is. It is very hard to explain this to our children when we are trying so hard to retain the rights we are fighting for. Concerned veterans of VFW Post 4113. ST JOHNS

A. The whole thing is up in the air right now. St Johns school superintendent Earl Lancaster agrees with you in that the problem definitely needs correcting. And he's been trying. The flagpole at Central Elementary School has been broken since last spring, but Old Glory should be waving again soon. The school bought a new device to install that would eliminate the pulley which caused the breakdown originally. Lancaster says it had a chain that wouldn't work and has since been replaced. Now because the pole is 30 feet in the air and there aren't any more steeple chasers, the school has to rely on Consumers Power. Even though the season is long past, Consumers should be visiting the school with its cherry picker soon.

Speak Out

LAST WEEK'S QUESTION:

Do you feel pay raises for elected officials should be put to a public vote. YES: 87%

"We pay them, so we should have some say in how much we pay". "It doesn't seem right they can just decide to legislate themselves a pay raise". "Some politicians probably wouldn't make so much if it was up to the voters."

NO: 13%

"It would be discriminatory against elected officials. If we're going to set standards, why not apply the same to school salaries, too. After all, tax dollars are involved there also."

THIS WEEK'S QUESTION:

The County Road Commission has said they need a substantial amount of money to improve county roads. Do you feel that money should come from the county's share of Revenue Sharing? YES - NO

OK Bobenal re-zoning request

Kroger gets go-ahead

ST JOHNS -- Grocery shoppers will be able to fill their baskets at a new \$1

million Kroger store in St Johns next May.

Rezoning of the proposed building site southwest of Southgate Shopping

Plaza from single family residential to commercial was unanimously approved Monday night by city commissioners.

Plans to begin construction at the 1-half acre site in December have been announced by Bobenal Investment Co. Alma Bobenal, landlord for Southgate businesses, will lease the new building to Kroger.

The ordinance calls for a 5-foot buffer above the existing grade between the new store and a nearby residential area, Prince Estates.

It is to be planted heavily with overgreen trees no less than 5-feet high when planted.

The greenbelt is in lieu of a 3-foot masonry wall which met with opposition from the neighboring property owners. Distance between the tree border and rear of the shopping center was set at 75 feet at the Oct 10 commission meeting.

Bobenal is required to place a \$10,000 deposit to assure the installation and maintenance of the greenbelt. The developers will tie into the 54" Prince Drain for the storm water runoff.

Monday night's action which met with no resistance, follows 3 months of controversy over the rezoning. At earlier planning commission meetings, area residents expressed concern over commercial buildings too close to their homes. They also contended such a structure would overload the area's sewer system and create a traffic problem.

The traffic problem has tentatively been solved in 1 area. City commissioners held the first reading of an ordinance to vacate Elm St east of Hampshire Dr. Monday. If passed by commissioners, following the second reading at their Dec 12 meeting, the street rights-of-way would be turned over to the property owners. Thus a possible access to the shopping center through the residential district would be eliminated.

Al Fortino of Bobenal was present at Monday's meeting and expressed gratitude, saying, "the expanded shopping area is one thing necessary to satisfy consumer needs resulting from St Johns growth. Now we plan to go

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Old and new business

It's old and new business as newly elected and outgoing DeWitt Township officials meet Monday night for an information session. Discussing township office business are (front, from left) Dale Emerson, supervisor; Jack Kzeski, 4-year trustee; Eileen Corr, 4-year trustee; Oliver Angell, treasurer, (rear, from left) Ted Powell, outgoing trustee; Donna Syverson, re-elected clerk; Bill Purves, serving the 2nd 2 years of a 4-year trustee term; Roger Pline, serving the 2nd 2 years of a 4-year trustee term, and Milt King, outgoing supervisor.

Christmas activities in full swing

ST JOHNS -- A series of children's story hours along with a home decorating contest are 2 additional features to this year's Jaycee-Jaycette Christmas program.

The story hours will be held on each of three Saturdays in December while the decorating contest will be conducted during the week of Dec 10.

According to Mrs Hila Bross, city librarian, attendance at the story hours will be limited and tickets must be secured from the library in advance of the program. The schedule of story hours is as follows:

9:30 to 10 am - Pre-school children through kindergarten, limit 20 children.

10:15 to 11 am - 1st through 3rd grade children, limit 25.

11:15 to 12:15 - 4th through 6th grade children, limit 25.

The full schedule will be conducted on each Saturday Dec 2, 9 and 16 and tickets must be obtained in advance.

Area residents wishing to participate in the home decorating contest may do so simply by sending their name and address (on the adjoining form) to Mrs Paul Maples, 701 S Kibbee, St Johns,

48879. Judging will take place in two classifications - religious and general - and entrants must clearly indicate in which category they wish to be judged.

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Helen Makara wins \$10,000

\$t Johns has winner

ST JOHNS -- \$t Johns has a super winner!

She's Helen D Makara, officially declared a Super Winner in the Michigan Lottery Monday. That's when her ticket with the winning numbers "130" and "544" was validated through the PX Store in St Johns to the state lottery bureau. Her ticket automatically entitles her to \$10,000

But for Miss Makara it could be the best is yet to come. Tomorrow (Thursday) she'll be one of the stars at Michigan's first Super Drawing at the National Guard Armory on S Washington in Lansing. The payoff will be a grand prize of \$200,000 with \$50,000 to the second place winner and \$10 to 3 third place recipients. If more than 10 qualify additional second prizes of \$50,000 will be added.

"If I hit it big I just might be tempted to announce an early retirement," confided Ms Makara Monday as she gave her ticket to a relative for safe keeping. She's been employed at Oldsmobile for 20 years as a committee woman for UAW Local 652.

Her fellow employees will be among those who reap the benefits of her success. "I'm going to throw a big party for the 500 Oldsmobile workers I represent at the Union Hall," she decided, adding it will undoubtedly be an all-night affair.

Otherwise she doesn't plan to change her style of living much. "If I'm the top winner," she said, "I'd like to buy some acreage. Then I'd like to spend the rest

of it on some of my relatives who need it--like some of them don't own their own homes and the like."

Ms Makara's winning ticket was 1 of 13 she bought during the first week of sales. "I bought 13 tickets because my house number ends in 13, my clock number at Oldsmobile is 013, I've signed quite a few important papers on the 13th and I started buying the tickets on Nov 13. she admitted.

"I didn't even think about looking at my tickets when I saw the winning numbers in a grocery store about 5 pm Friday," she said. But after a niece, Elaine Gavenda of Lansing called her to say a ticket with "130" on it had won her \$25, she dug her tickets out of a dresser drawer.

"I put away the tickets to save for antiques. I noticed I had 130 and 544 on the same ticket but I figured it was worth \$50. I called my nephew, George Gavenda of St Johns and he nearly fainted when I told him what I had," she smiled.

It's been 4 days since Ms Makara found out she's won at least \$10,000, and she still can't believe it. "I never win anything," she maintains. When asked if she feels lucky about Thursday's drawing, she replied faintly, "no."

But that didn't stop her from going out and buying 13 more tickets for this week's regular drawing--a routine she plans to include in her schedule from now on.

Church of God has new pastor

ST JOHNS -- Rev W Jeff Webb is the new Pastor of the St Johns' First Church of God. The Webbs moved here from Greenville, Michigan where he pastored for 4 1/2 years. Pastor Webb is a 1949 graduate of Anderson College, Anderson, Ind. Previous pastorates have been Floyd Church of God, Midland, Michigan, Willshire, Ohio Church of God, Irondale Church of God, Anderson, Ind and Madisonville Ky Church of God. He has been chairman of the Michigan General Assembly of the Church of God for 1972 and is the new chairman of the Board of Church Extension of the Michigan Assembly. Pastor Webb has also served on the City Ministerial Association where he has pastored. He has interests in Mental Health and youth camping. His hobbies are hunting and fishing.

Yorktown, Ind and Joyce, a junior at Anderson College, Anderson, Ind



PASTOR WEBB

Yule time buys in County News

ST JOHNS -- It's Christmas time inside the County News and St Johns merchants are playing Santa Claus.

Each week, from now until Christmas, be sure to check the 4-page section in the County News sponsored by St Johns merchants.

The section is devoted to helping you, the Christmas shopper, in finding that perfect gift at the price that makes the holiday season a joy instead of a chore.



Ring up \$10,000 for Miss Helen Makara of St Johns. Monday Ms Makara presented her winning lottery ticket with the numbers "130" and "544" to PX Store clerk, Arlene Williams, left, who validated it with the state lottery bureau. The ticket automatically entitles Ms Makara to \$10,000 and a chance for \$200,000 at Thursday's "super drawing" in Lansing.

Clinton gets \$185,435

Revenue funds are announced

LANSING — State Senator William S. Ballenger (R-Delta Township) has announced that mid-Michigan counties will be receiving a generous share of the roughly \$221.9 million earmarked for Michigan during the next three months through the new federal revenue sharing program.

Clinton County will receive a total of \$185,435 in December. Of this, the county government will get \$101,419. The communities of DeWitt, Fowler, Elsie, Eagle, Maple-Rapids, Hubbardston, Ovid and Westphalia will share \$25,792; St. Johns will receive \$24,064; and, in addition, the 16 townships will receive a total of \$34,660.

Although no specific requests for the revenue funds have been received by county commissioners, at least 1 county office has asked for assistance. The Clinton Road Commission made a presentation to the board at its Nov. 9 meeting asking for \$850,000 for road resurfacing over a 5-year period. The county's revenue sharing could possibly be a source from which the money could come.

"About \$74 million of this Michigan money will be used by the state government, and some \$147.9 million will be channeled into the coffers of local governing units," Ballenger explained.

"Within my 30th Senatorial district, the present projection shows a total of \$2,955,532 being allocated to the counties of Montcalm, Gratiot, Clinton, Eaton, and Shiawassee Counties and the governmental units within their borders," added Ballenger.

The 31-year-old lawmaker said he understands that "the first revenue sharing payment has been scheduled for the early part of December, and it will represent about half of the total payment to be made to each unit of government. A second payment will follow sometime soon after the first of the year."

The allocation for each governing unit was derived from a formula based on population, local taxing effort, and a multiplying factor.

Ballenger cautioned that "the figures are by no means final. The original computation relied on 1967 tax figures for each area. These are now being replaced by 1972 tax figures. This means that these figures should be viewed as a rough indication — not a 100 per cent accurate computation — of the amount that each area will receive."

All grants to the county governments will be made to the county treasurer.

with the County Board of Commissioners determining how these funds will be spent. Likewise, city and village grants will be forwarded to the city and village treasurers.

Michigan's share of 1973 revenue sharing money is expected to be even higher than 1972's — somewhere in the neighborhood of \$241.6 million — and payments will be made on a quarterly basis, beginning about April.

Ballenger noted that, under federal revenue sharing, the US Congress will return to the states and their local governing units approximately \$30 billion over the next five years.

"This revenue sharing program, considered one of the major accomplishments of the Nixon Administration, is perhaps the most monumental and far-reaching federal-state undertaking of the decade. By means of this program, the states and their local governing units hopefully will recover vitally-needed resources which will enable them to fulfill more effectively their role in the federal system," he added.

Elsie Lions set Yule contest

ELSIE — The Elsie Lions Club will again sponsor their Christmas Home Decorations contest, with final judging scheduled for the week of Dec. 10 and winners to be announced the following week.

This contest is open to anyone within

the Elsie trading area, including the village of Bannister. Any displays within the 2 villages will be viewed and scored without further action.

However, displays in the rural areas will be covered only if called to the

attention of Chairman Dick King at 862-5442. All entries must be in by Dec. 11. Displays will be classified in 4 groups, including 1 for commercial establishments, schools or churches, with cash prizes in each category and a grand prize for the display judged best overall.

The winners will also be invited to attend the Lions Club Christmas Party

Dec. 18. Members of the Lions Club are eligible to compete except for the cash prize which will be awarded to the 2nd place winner should a Lion be a winner in any category.

Judging will be by a team of judges with no prior knowledge of the persons responsible for any display, thus insuring scoring solely on the basis of the display itself.

Federal funds aid libraries

DEWITT — Every year the school libraries in DeWitt and other communities benefit from a federal program begun in 1965, the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965.

funds under Title II to supplement the school district's own efforts. Books, filmstrips, records, picture sets have been purchased with Title II funds to give students a greater variety of appealing materials than could otherwise be possible.

National Right to Read effort, which holds promise that by the end of the 1970's, no child shall leave school without the basic skill and desire to read to the full limit of his capability.

This is the last year that the program will be in effect unless President Nixon signs the new education act that has been presented him.

This goes along with the

City Commission

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ahead with the project as soon as possible."

In other action city commissioners accepted a bid of \$18,387 for 2 trucks with dump boxes from Egan Ford Sales, St. Johns.

Gave permission to the Seventh-Day Adventist Church to operate a sound unit during the Christmas season.


Authorized city manager Harvey Weatherwax to work with Mrs. Juanita

O'Leary to obtain sewer hookup for 2 lots on Scott Rd and referred a request by Ms. O'Leary asking for rezoning of 3 lots on Scott Rd from single family residential to duplex dwellings to the planning commission.

Accepted the resignation of I. nald Gilson from the board of review and appointed Dr. Clifford Lumbert to fill the 2-year term.

Canceled its Dec. 25 meeting

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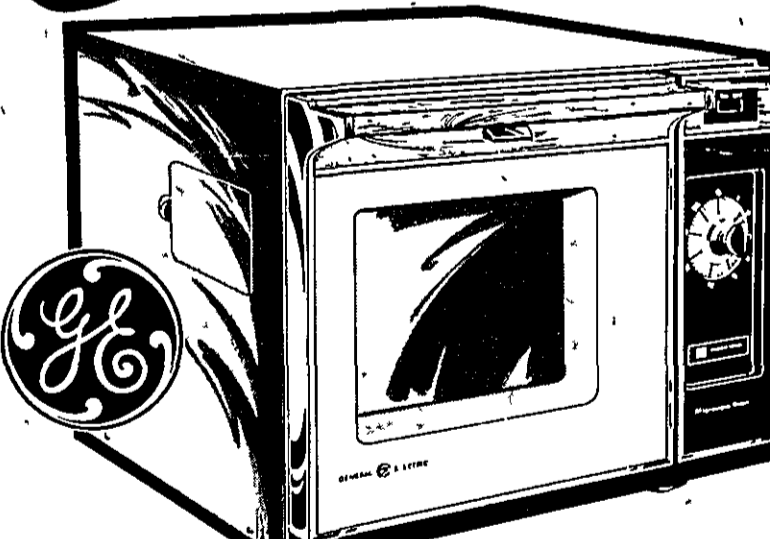


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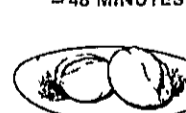
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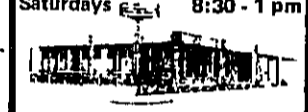
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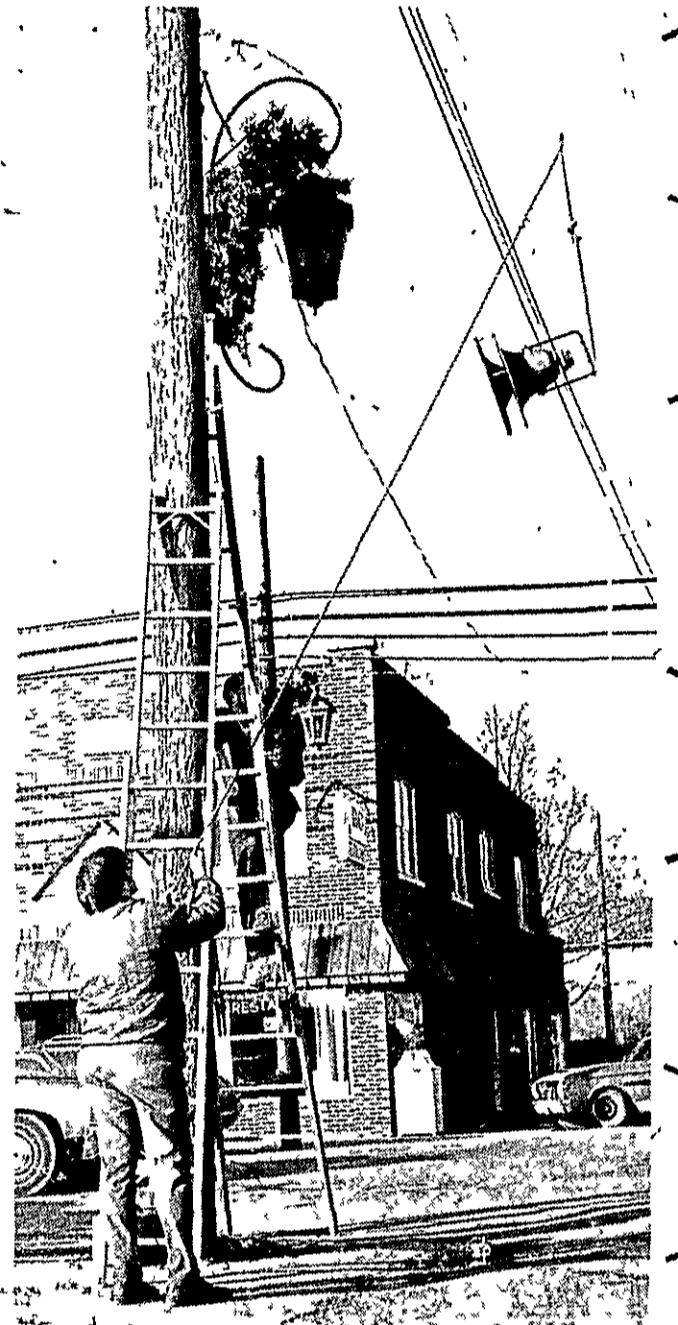
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Two members of the DeWitt Memorial Board went fishing Thursday . . . for an out-of-order loud speaker. Doug Twiss, standing, and Bill Plan plan to get the amplifying equipment working in time for next summer's DeWitt Ox Roast.



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Steven C Root earns US Army Bronze Star

Steven C Root of St Johns, recently honorably discharged, from the US Army with the rank of sergeant, has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal for "outstanding meritorious service" while serving in the Republic of Vietnam.



STEVEN C ROOT

118 CMU students are from Clinton

MT PLEASANT - Clinton County has a total of 118 students enrolled at Central Michigan University this semester, according to figures distributed this week by the CMU Registrar's Office.

All of Michigan's 83 counties are represented by CMU's fall semester enrollment, ranging from 1,470 from populous Wayne County to one graduate student from Keweenaw County at the northern tip of the Upper Peninsula.

While 13,994 of CMU's 14,317 students this fall are from Michigan, 32 other states are represented on campus by 253 students. In addition, there are 70 foreign students at CMU. New York students form the largest contingent of out-of-state students with 42, followed by Ohio with 37 and Texas with 29.

Root completed basic training at Ft Knox, Ky and underwent combat infantry training at Ft Polk, La. He graduated from the Non-commissioned Officers School at Ft Benning, Ga and was then assigned to Vietnam, where he served from July, 1971 to February, 1972.

A citation accompanying the Bronze Star stated, "The Bronze Star Medal is presented to Sgt Steven C Root, who distinguished himself by outstanding meritorious service in connection with military operations against a hostile force in the Republic of Vietnam.

"During the period July 1971 to February 1972, he consistently manifested exemplary professionalism and initiative in obtaining outstanding results. His rapid assessment and solution of numerous problems inherent in a combat environment greatly enhanced the allied effectiveness against a determined and aggressive enemy.

"DESPITE MANY adversities, he invariably performed his duties in a resolute and efficient manner. Energetically applying his sound judgment and extensive knowledge, he has contributed materially to the successful accomplishment of the United States Mission in the Republic of Vietnam. "His loyalty, diligence and devotion to duty were in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army."

Root is the son of Mr and Mrs Charles Root of 109 Oak, St Johns.



Dick King starts work on his home as Elsie citizens and merchants prepare their places for the Christmas Decoration Contest. Dick hopes this contest will get the people out and take part.

Loaded gun costs cash

BATH - Two Bath residents were sentenced to 10 days in the County Jail and fined \$100 after pleading guilty in District Court of shining deer with an artificial light with a firearm accessible.

Pleading guilty to the charges were Daniel R Jubb, 18, of 4124 Drumheller, Bath, and Doug Henry, 17, of 12609 Wood St, Bath.

Grain Prices

This week's grain prices as reported from St Johns Co-op are wheat-\$2.25; corn, \$1.23; oats, 80¢; soybeans, \$3.69; and navy beans, \$8.

Bath Twp appoints Mrs Wicks secretary

Iona Wicks was appointed township secretary Monday by the Bath Township Board of Trustees. Mrs Wicks previously performed the secretarial duties in conjunction with her work as township treasurer.

The Board approved a monthly salary of \$500 for the appointment. By her own wishes Mrs Wicks' employment will continue no later than March 1.

In addition to regular responsibilities, Mrs Wicks will help orient newly-elected treasurer, Thomas Woodruff, to his duties.

In related business, Woodruff suggested that he assume the township secretarial functions as of January 1. The matter was, however, tabled until the next board meeting.

Other business included an announcement by Supervisor VanSickle in regard to the closing of Coleman Road between Perry and Upton

Roads. VanSickle said the closing, requested by the Eisenhour Construction Co, would be discussed at the November 22 meeting of the

Clinton County Road Commission.

He added that the school board and area residents would be notified.

Fulton hosts voter meeting

The Fulton Board of Education of Middleton, is hosting a public meeting at the Fulton High School Commons on Tuesday, Dec 5 at 8 pm.

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss all aspects of the proposed Middle School and the 2 high school room additions which will be voted upon on Saturday, Dec 9.

Polls for the election will open at 7 am and close at 8 pm.

All registered electors of the school district who are 18 years of age, have resided in the State of Michigan for 6 months and in the district 20

days previous to the election are eligible to vote.

Firearms violation

Donald L Carn, 20, 10204 S Krepps, DeWitt, pleaded guilty in District Court to a charge of carrying a loaded gun in an automobile.

He was fined \$68, plus a \$4 judgment fee and \$3 conservation fee.

Dr Grost receives AAFP fellowship

KANSAS CITY, MO--James M. Grost, MD, of St Johns, has been named a fellow of the American Academy of Family Physicians.

The degree of fellowship is an acknowledgement of successful completion of 600 or more hours of accredited continuing medical study, or attainment of diplomate status in the specialty of family medicine as a result of passing a certifying examination administered under the aegis of the American Board of Family Practice.

scientific assembly in New York City.

Ceremonies were held in Madison Square Garden's Felt Forum before more than 10,500 persons.

Fellowship candidates wore academic robes, with hoods bearing the blue and gold Academy colors, and mortarboard caps. The oath of fellowship was recited en masse.

THE AMERICAN Academy of Family Physicians, representing more than 32,000 family doctors, is the only national medical group requiring members to take continuing study.

Its members must take a minimum of 150 accredited hours every 3 years. Headquartered in Kansas City, Mo, the AAFP is observing its 25th anniversary this year. It is the largest of medicine's specialty groups.

Fellowship entitles the conferee to use the title, "Fellow of the American Academy of Family Physicians," or "FAAFP."

The degree was conferred Sept 26 upon more than 4200 members of the Academy in conjunction with the AAFP's annual convention and



JOHN AYLSWORTH

Aylsworth named 4-H treasurer

John R. Aylsworth, 4-H Agent, St Johns, was elected as treasurer of the National Association of Extension 4-H Agents for a 2-year term at their annual meeting in Milwaukee, Wis.

The 1300 member national association elected another Michigan agent, Ed Poole, as President.

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Family and Society

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Anniversary open house articles accompanied by a photo must be in the News office no later than 5 p.m. on Friday to insure coverage in the next edition of the paper.
Articles brought in later than Friday will be used as time and space allow.

Thelen-Nobach vows said in Westphalia

WESTPHALIA -- Before family and friends, Miss Karen Thelen and Tom Nobach were united in marriage at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Westphalia at 1:30 in the afternoon Saturday, Nov. 18. Father James Schmitt performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thelen of Westphalia and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Nobach of Fowler.

Organist for the ceremony was Mrs. Danitl Spitzley and ladies of the St. Mary's choir sang.

The bride, given in marriage by her parents, wore a floor length white gown of satin and lace. White chantilly lace decorated the bodice and encircled the bottom of the gown. Chantilly lace also edged the floor length veil.

Miss Judy Thelen was her sister's maid of honor. She wore a floor length gown that featured lantern sleeves. The bodice was in a lavender bubble material and the bottom was dark purple velvet.

Miss Linda Thelen of Westphalia and Mrs. Ginny Nobach of Fowler were the bridesmaids. They wore identical gowns in shades of pink and burgundy and light mint and dark green.

Mike Nobach, brother of the groom was best man. Doug Messer and Jim Ernst assisted as groomsmen.

Joseph Thelen, the bride's brother, and Tim Nobach, brother of the groom were ushers.

The Fowler Conservation Club was the scene of the 6 pm reception for 250 guests.

After a honeymoon at Niagara Falls, the couple will reside in Fowler.

They're engaged



ANITA M ROSITAS

Mrs. Dionicia Rositas of 700 S. Church St. and Antonio Rositas, Route 5 both of St. Johns announce the engagement of their daughter Anita M. Rositas to Robert James Lowe. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Lowe of Route 1, Hoover Rd., St. Johns.

The bride-elect will be a 1973 graduate of St. Johns High.

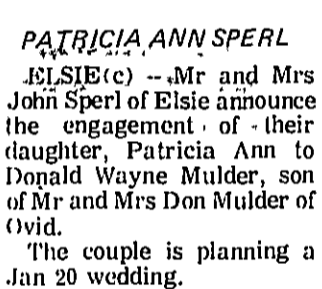
The prospective groom is a 1965 graduate and is employed at Sealed Power in St. Johns.

A June 23 wedding is being planned by the couple.



SHARON DERBY

Mr. and Mrs. William Derby of Ithaca are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter Sharon Anne to Tim D. Bunce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Bunce of St. Johns. They are planning a Dec. 23 wedding. Sharon is teaching in the St. Johns Public School system and Tim is employed by Telephone Power Inc. of Grand Rapids.



PATRICIA ANN SPERL

ELSI E -- Mr. and Mrs. John Sperl of Elsie announce the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Ann to Donald Wayne Mulder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Mulder of Ovid.

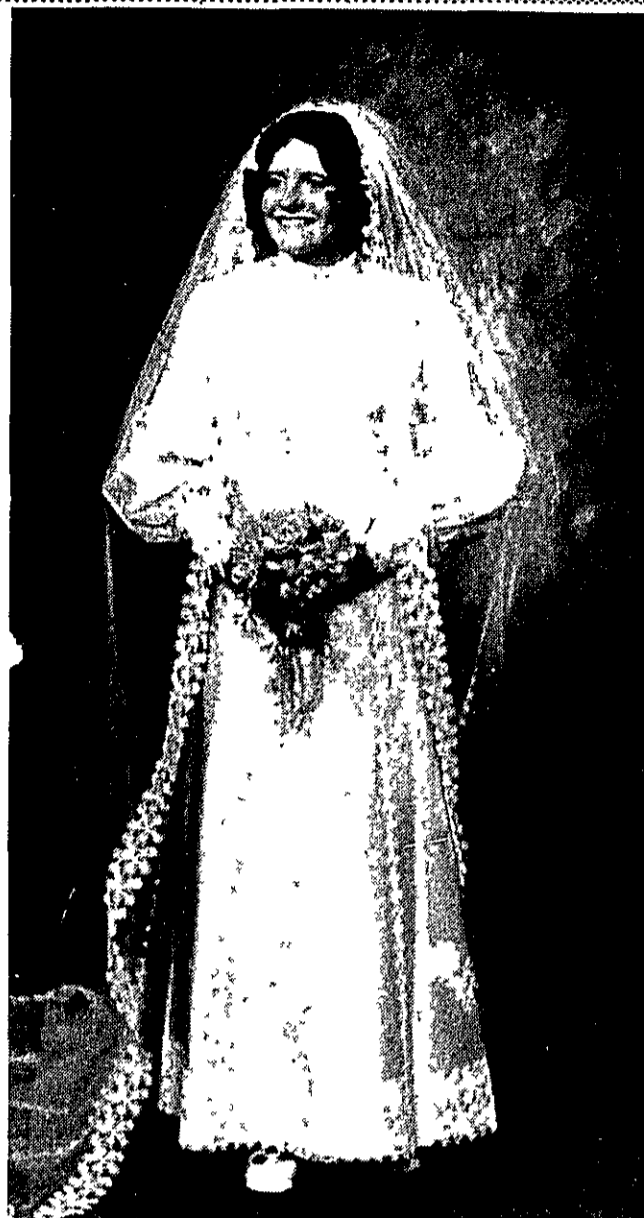
The couple is planning a Jan. 20 wedding.

Mary Wohlers in Cantata

Miss Mary Wohlers, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Wohlers, 107 Spring St., St. Johns, plays violin in the University Orchestra at Andrews University, Berrien Springs.

The orchestra will participate with other music organizations there in performing Ralph Vaughan Williams' Christmas cantata, "Hodie," Dec. 2.

Miss Wohlers is a senior majoring in medical secretarial science at the Seventh-day Adventist university in southwestern Michigan.



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Donald C. Sexton Jr., 18, 102 Main St., Elsie and Paula J. Welter, 20, 102 Main St., Elsie.

Society sets bazaar

LAINGSBURG -- The Laingsburg St. Isidore's Altar Society of the Catholic Church will hold its annual Christmas bazaar Saturday, Dec. 2 in the church social room.

It opens at 10 am and will continue until a drawing for cash prizes after the 7:30 pm mass.

There will be Christmas items, candies, baked goods and a lunch booth for refreshments.

Club views slides from Orient trip

OVID -- The Travel Department of the Ovid Crescent Club met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. W. Aldrich. There were 13 members and one guest present.

Mrs. Myron Woodruff presided for the business session. Plans were discussed for the evening of Dec. 4, when the Travel Department will host the Crescent Club general meeting at the home of Mrs. W. Barthel.

Mrs. George Parmenter, the speaker for the evening, shared her many colorful slides and experiences gathered from the recent trip that she and her husband made to the Orient. Mr. and Mrs. Parmenter traveled aboard a cargo freighter-passenger ship called the Orient Pearl. A 62 day trip turned into a much longer journey due to the engine failure of the big ship, plus the effects of the typhoons in the area of Hong Kong.

Mrs. C. Squier and Mrs. O. Smith assisted the hostess with refreshments.

Methodists hold Bazaar

The United Methodist Women, of the Bath United Methodist Church, will hold its annual Christmas Bazaar and smorgasbord supper, Dec. 2, at the Church, Main St., Bath.

The Bazaar is from 4 to 8 pm with supper 5 to 7 pm. Christmas decorations, toys, handiwork and baked goods will be sold.

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BY HILA BROSS



Mrs George Glover returned Thanksgiving night after spending two weeks visiting in the homes of her sons, Edward Losey of Pinckney, and Stanley Losey of Howell.

Lee DeWitt was a Thanksgiving weekend guest in the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs Henry Jury, in Jackson.

Thanksgiving dinner guests at the home of Mr and Mrs Dale Crawford were their daughter and family, Mr and Mrs Kenneth Gladstone and Tammy and Treasa, Myrtle Salisbury, Mr Crawford's mother, Mrs Ray Crawford, of Grand Rapids, Mrs Crawford's aunts, Mrs Hazel Carver of Eureka, Mrs Gladys Coslett of Elsie, Mrs Vernell Davis and Mr Davis of Mt Pleasant, and Mrs Martha Phelps, also Mrs Phyllis Hatinger and Mr and Mrs James Munger of Lansing, and Mr and Mrs Clyde Maneval of Eureka.

Weekend guests at the home of Mrs Herbert Rhynard were her grandson and his wife, Mr and Mrs Ronald Thoresch of New York City.

Mr and Mrs Earl Whitlock, Mrs Doris Daniels and sons, Gerald and Roy, were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Dean DeLaMater in Charlotte.

Mrs K L Jones was hostess to 16 guests for a mid-day dinner Thanksgiving Day, and 12 for the holiday supper. Her grandson, Richard Jones, was home from Michigan Technological University in Houghton, her sister, Mrs Carl Schutt came from Jackson, also Carol Stoy of Lansing, and Mr and Mrs Thomas Schutt and children, Jeff, Lori and Wendy of Lansing.

Mr and Mrs Earl O Whitlock, with Mr and Mrs Stanley Whitlock and family, were in Detroit last Sunday for the occasion of the 25th wedding anniversary of their daughter, Doris, and her husband, Peter Daniels. Present also were Mr and Mrs Earl J Whitlock and family of Lansing, and Mr and Mrs Dean DeLaMater and children, Holly and Alex Hettler, of Charlotte.

Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr and Mrs William G Wilkie included Mr and Mrs Fred Mayers of St. Johns, Mr and Mrs David Mayers of Chicago, Mr and Mrs Stephen Thornburg and

infant son of Frankfurt, Germany, Dale Mayers of Kalamazoo, Duane Wilkie of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Wilmer Wilkie of Baguia City, Philippines, Mrs David Shirlen of Hanahan, S. C., Miss Phyllis Wilkie of East Lansing, Mr and Mrs Garth Wilkie and family of St Johns, Mr and Mrs Richard Wilkie and family of Grand Rapids, and Mr and Mrs Bernard Wilkie and family of Okemos.

School Menu

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Dec 4 Hamburg Gravy on Mashed Potatoes
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Fruit Cake

Dec 5 Chili & Crackers
Potato Chips
Salad Mold
1/2 pint Milk
Cinnamon Roll

Dec 6 Baked Chicken
Mashed Potatoes & Gravy
Parsley Carrots
Pear Half
Roll & Butter
1/2 pint Milk
Cookie

Dec 7 Hot Dog on Bun
French Fries - Senior High
Hash Browns - Junior High
Cole Slaw
1/2 pint Milk
Cherry Crisp

Dec 8 Italian Spaghetti
Green Beans
Sliced Peaches
Roll & Butter
1/2 pint Milk
Cookie

Holiday hustle and bustle puts lots of pressure on a hostess. If you do make a mistake, the first rule is: Don't panic! Here are a couple of remedies for those kitchen mishaps. Should you oversalt the soup, plunk in a raw potato slice to absorb the excess salt. If you're preparing the turkey stuffing and find you're short a 1/2 cup of packaged fine dry bread crumbs, simply substitute 1 cup (2 oz) of homemade crumbs from 3 or 4 slices of dry bread.

St Johns Woman's Club puts emphasis on ecology

ST JOHNS -- The St Johns Women's Club has been giving some serious attention and consideration to some of the more demanding problems of the times with particular emphasis on a surrounding community, in its most recent programs.

The theme-setting ideas for this past month's programs were the National Election and Conservation, respectively.

Nov 16, 4 Ashley High School students and their science teacher, Steve Larson showed their presidential award-winning film, "Everything Is Beautiful," done as an ecology class project last year.

Although limited by a modest budget and equipment, the class of 4 used 16 mm motion picture camera and tapes of pop music to so effectively present the contracts in the national ecology crisis as to place them among the 50 schools over the nation to win the award.

Scenes filmed in Gratiot County and in Lansing showed the beauty of skyline, a woodpecker in silhouette, a squirrel's nest, and a snow-covered landscape as contrasted with the degradation of chimneys belching forth smoke, dead animals in streams, a polluted river, littered roadsides, and trash-scattered landscape.

They even showed the pollution problems caused by an incinerator in back of their own school, which has since been taken care of.

ESPECIALLY effective in showing human indifference were shots of "Do not litter" signs with debris scattered beneath them and an especially staged enactment of motorists opening a car door to toss out their trash.

Mrs Virginia Jones, Woman's Club chairman of the day, commented that she was surprised to find out that there was a high school ecology class and that the audience was impressed by the outstanding work of a 1-year class.

Just prior to the national election, public affairs chairman, Loretta Escher, focused on the seriousness of our nation's commitment to democracy and the importance of citizens keeping informed to exercise their right to vote.

She pointed out the dilemma of the individual voter on election day faced with a ballot of names and elective offices, particularly on the local, county, and state level with which he may not be familiar.

"It is not always possible to get all you need to know from the newspaper," she said. "Besides you can't be sure how biased a news story may be by its very arrangement and selection of information. At least in a signed column, you know it's opinion."

EMPHASIZING the importance of good choices and understanding of government at the local and county level as a good foundation in a representative democracy, she pointed out that staying

informed can be confusing to people who move from one state to another.

She then urged the Woman's Club to consider backing an effort for local voter education in St Johns, suggesting perhaps the publication of a voter's handbook for our community, an annual know-your-city-and-county-officials reception or tea, or small non-partisan forums for full discussion of offices, candidates and issues in the months prior to an election.

Defining in her own terms what the Woman's Club National Federation theme

for this year of "respect, reverence, and responsibility" means to all citizens of our democracy. Mrs Escher explained, "it's respect for each other, responsibility to educate ourselves and share the workload, and reverence for higher ideals."

The next Woman's Club meeting will be a festive holiday event Dec 6 at the home of Mrs James Leon, 1248 Wildcat Road, featuring local pianist and organist Diantha Witteveen on the program and a bake or buy sale to raise funds for Girl's Town.

VFW ladies plan for Xmas party

ST JOHNS -- The VFW Ladies Auxiliary to St Johns Post 4113 met Nov 21 for its pre-Thanksgiving party.

Leatha Estes and Hazel Worall were hostesses for the evening. Games were played and prizes were won by Joyce Beebe, Eloise Hambleton, Judy Price and Leatha Estes. A luncheon was served to end the evening.

Plans are currently being made for the auxiliary Christmas party which will be held Dec 19 at the post home. Members are

reminded to bring a dish to pass, own table service and a \$1 gift.

The December business meeting will be Dec 5 at 8 pm at the post home.

The auxiliary has been having a mini-bazaar on Monday nights before the social hour. The next bazaar will be held Dec 11 with plenty of homemade candy. Judy Price is the chairman of the bazaar. Any members who are able to donate sugar are asked to contact Mrs Price at 224-3085.



GERMAINE SMITH AND JIM THELEN

They're engaged

FOWLER -- Mrs Mary E Smith of Route 2, Bauer Road, Fowler, announces the engagement of her daughter, Germaine to Jim Thelen, son of Mr and Mrs Gregory Thelen, Route 1, Charlotte Highway, Sunfield.

The bride-elect, a 1970 Fowler High School graduate, is employed by the

State Department of Treasury. The prospective bridegroom graduated from Portland St Patrick in 1969 and is employed at Oldsmobile.

A June 9 wedding date has been set by the couple.

Announce marriage

Mr and Mrs Frank Prikasky of Elsie announce the marriage of their daughter Betty Jane to Gary Dean Rockafellow, son of Mr and Mrs Russell Rockafellow of Grand Blanc. The couple were married in Flint Oct 27. The new Mr and Mrs Rockafellow are both attending Genesee Community College and both are working at the Whaley Child Care Center. They are making their home in Flint.

Births

WARNKE -- A girl, Kerry Ann, was born to Mr and Mrs Anthony Warnke of R 2, St Johns Nov 12 at Carson City Hospital. She weighed 5 pounds, 4 ounces. The baby has 1 brother and 1 sister. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs A E De Vuyst and Mr and Mrs William Warnke. This mother is the former Sharon De Vuyst.

Births



AUGER -- A girl, Karen Elizabeth, was born to Mr and Mrs Rick Auger of Smithfield, Utah Nov 15 at Latter Day Saints Hospital. She weighed 7 lbs, 15 ozs. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Frank Auger of Maine and Mr and Mrs Roman Simon of Fowler. The mother is the former Anne Marie Simon.

BECK -- A girl, Sheila Louise, was born to Mr and Mrs George Beck of Palms Nov 17 at Deckerville Hospital. She weighed 7 lbs. The baby has 2 brothers and 1 sister. The mother is, the former Lois Huggett.

DICKENSON -- A boy, David Scott, was born to Mr and Mrs Alfred C (Dick) Dickenson of 1165 S Warren Rd, Ovid Nov 19 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 lbs, 4 1/2 ozs. The baby has 1 brother and 1 sister. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs E W Dickenson and Mr and Mrs Max Barrett. The mother is the former Jeannie Barrett.

DOERR -- A girl, Dianne Lynn, was born to Mr and Mrs Michael Doerr of 1892 S Krepps Rd Nov 19 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 5 lbs, 10 1/2 ozs. The baby has 2 brothers and 3 sisters. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Leroy Newhall and Mrs Frank Doerr. The mother is the former Barbara Newhall.

OVERMYER -- A boy, Colin Kelly, was born to Mr and Mrs Keith Overmyer, 241 E Elm St, Elsie Nov 14 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 8 lbs, 8 1/2 ozs. The baby has 1 sister. Grandparents are Mrs Margaret Gladwell and Mrs Neva Craig. The mother is the former Ruby Darlene Craig.

TUTTLE -- A girl, Teresa Jean, was born to Mr and Mrs Dennis Tuttle of Dearborn Heights Nov 20 at Outer Drive Hospital. She weighed 8 lbs, 5 ozs. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Loree Findlay and Mr and Mrs Farice Tuttle. The mother is the former Jean Findlay.



Jaycettes ask for toys

Toys for needy Clinton County children are being sought by the St Johns Jaycettes. Dropoff boxes have been placed around St Johns including this one at the CLINTON COUNTY NEWS office at 120 E Walker. Linda Kremer accepts the first toy from News circulation manager Joel Sanchez. Other dropoff points are the D & C Store, Quality Discount and Sears, Roebuck & Co. The drive continues through Monday.

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Fowler High School

Team work for victory

by Ann Thelen

Football season came and went so fast we could hardly catch our breath! Especially since the teams did so well. And now basketball is knocking at our doors. Everyone, coaches, players and fans are anxious to open the door and let it in. That door will open Friday Dec 1 against Portland St Pats. The game will be played there.

Fowler High is participating in the Annual Voice of Democracy essay contest sponsored by the Veterans of Foreign War. Three students, Kathy Spitzley, Eileen Schmitt and Brian Thelen will compete. This year's theme is "My

Responsibility To Freedom."

Intramural basketball teams have been set up for both boys and girls. Games will be played at half-courts in the gym noon hours. A tournament session will follow later in the year.

The movie feature "A Raisin In The Sun" and an assembly on VD have been presented to the student body by the Student Council, so far this year, along with an informative session from one of Ralph Nader's representatives.

The Student Council headed this year by Bill Thelen and advised by Harvey Middleton is doing

an adequate job - vice president is Mel Pohl, secretary, Montie Klein and treasurer is Ann Koenigsnecht. The rest of the Student Council is made up of the class presidents and a boy and girl representative from each class.

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St Johns High School

SJH Happenings

by Theresa Huard

Saturday, Nov 18, the St Johns Redwing Marching Band traveled to Western Michigan University. Leaving the high school at 8:15, the band arrived at Western about 10:45. After practicing for 45 minutes, the band lined up at 12:30 and marched to the stadium.

The 3 numbers that were played were "Eyes Off You", "Make Me Smile", and "Hawaiian War Chant", with Doug Merignac and Drew Carpenter as soloists.

The 1972 Girls Basketball team has received the title of the West Central Conference Champions. Defeating Charlotte, Ionia, Alma, Hastings, Grand Ledge, and Waverly for a 6-0 record with 2 non-conference wins and 2 non-conference losses.

High scorers for the season were Gina Mazzolini with a total of 107 points, Becki Conly with 74 points, Lynne Grost with 46 points, Angie Sirrine with 43 points and Mary Beth Rehman with 42 points leading the team to a total of 457 points for the season.

The J.V. team ended their season with a 7-2 record with their two losses going to Lakewood. Total points for the team was 343 with 60 points going to Jennifer Ott, 47 to Julie Harris and 43 to Linda Eisler.

Sunday, Nov 19, the 1972 football team had their banquet at the St Johns High School Cafeteria at 6 pm.

Gordon Vandemark was Master of Ceremonies and Jud Staley, president of the Football Club was the first speaker.

Roger Depape, coach for the freshman team and John Wilcox assistant coach gave tribute to their players for their good record and to the managers, Wayne Studor and David Cole.

The team finished with a record of 5-2-1 and a total of 218 points with their most enjoyable victory against Waverly.

The JV coach, Al Werbish, and his assistant coach, Dick Vitek was the next speaker. Coach Werbish summarized his 4-2-1 season in one word - "Pride".

After that, line coach for Varsity, Joe Gonzales, gave tribute to his linemen, with the boys getting their letters. Seniors were Cary Rappuhn, Mark Crosby, Dave Harger, Marv Pettit, Jerry Smith, Randy Devereaux, Jim Hebler and Bruce Irish. Juniors who received their letters were Dick Parker, Ray Whitford, Brian Downing, Chris Stamka, Ray Schueller, Brent Coffman, Kris Halfman, Wayne Ploermon, Chris Richards, Alan Weatheruax, Gary Thelen, Mich Lynch and Gilbert Martinez.

Head coach, Ernie Becker, then gave letters to the backfield consisting of Gary Mankey, Dave Miller, Steve Flegel, Bob Hunter, Bruce Cameron, Mark Barz,

George Rosner, Marty Brewbaker, John Hayes, Russ Waggoner, and Kevin Knight. Managers for the varsity were Harry Moldenhower, Tim Bary and Dan Downing.

Coach Becker and Coach Gonzales then gave out Senior Awards. These awards were old football helmets that were cut in half, with the boys name and position on the side of it. Seniors who received these awards were Gary Mankey, Randy Devereaux, Jim Hebler, Marv Pettit, Bruce Irish, Dave Miller, Bruce Cameron, Cary Rappuhn, Mark Crosby, Bob Hunter, Jerry Smith, Dave Harger, and Steve Flegel.

Special awards went to Bruce Cameron as Most Valuable Player, Jim Hebler as Most Improved Player, and the guts award going to Jerry Smith, Bruce Irish and Bruce Cameron made the All Conference Team on both offense and defense while Bruce Cameron also received the league rushing title. Co-Captain awards went to Ray Schueller and Mark Barz.

Coach Becker then presented a trophy to 10 boys who participated in 20 sessions in the Summer Weight Lifting Program. Receiving these awards were Marty Brewbaker, Gary Mankey, Ben Mills, Mark Crosby, Brian Downing, Ed Riley, John Hayes, Bob Hunter, Harold Welman.

Bruce Cameron, Bruce Irish, and Gary Mankey then presented awards to the coaches, and a gift certificate for \$40 was given to Marv Pettit from the football team and a letter sweater or a jacket from the Wrestling Team.



P-W window Homecoming success

By VAL HILL

The annual Pewamo-Westphalia Powder Puff football game was held on Nov 16. The junior girls defeated the senior girls by the humiliating score of 18-0. Last year this year's seniors set 2 school records. The first was the highest score ever, 38, and the first junior team to defeat a senior team. The juniors now hold the distinction of being the second team to defeat the seniors. Jo Lyn Spitzley and Cindy Thelen were the key to the junior offense, while the once great senior defense couldn't hold them.

The following three nights, Nov 17, 18 and 19, the Pewamo - Westphalia Community Players performed a 2-act play entitled F.L.I.P.P.E.D. The play is a few days in the struggle of a group of women fighting for women's lib. It was their fight for "freedom, equality, and fraternity - I mean sorority". The production required almost 50 actors, most of whom doubled as the stage crew, moving a revolutionary type of stage setting. This play has opened the doors to even harder stage settings for P-W's C.P. and PAC clubs.

The money gained from the play goes for the William Steinke Memorial Scholarship Fund. Seniors who are worthy of a money grant, and of course plan on attending some future schooling, are given a portion of the money. One-half of the money must be paid back, no interest is charged.

During the past two weeks the Senior class has been selling boxes of milk chocolate candy. The only purpose is to help the financial needs of the Senior class in their final months of school. Also helping will be the selling of Christmas trees in the upcoming weeks. It has been a Senior project for quite a few years.

The football season is finally over. The Pirate's Varsity squad finished, under the direction of Coach William Marks and Asst. Coach Doug Rearick, over the .500 mark. A large part of the Pirate's success was due to Roy Piggott. I only hope the fine JV squad has enough good players to replace the graduating seniors.

Although football may be over, both wrestling and

basketball practices have begun another season. The Varsity basketball team, under the direction of Coach Harry Peacock, is hard at work practicing to create an even better team than the district champion team of last year. The wrestling team, under the direction of their new coach Doug Rearick, is practicing hard. Charles Bengal, wrestling in the unlimited weight class may very well have his very best season ever this year. We will just have to wait and see how everyone performs.

The students of P-W also had Friday off for Thanksgiving vacation. For most people it was a much needed and deserved rest before the hectic Christmas season begins.

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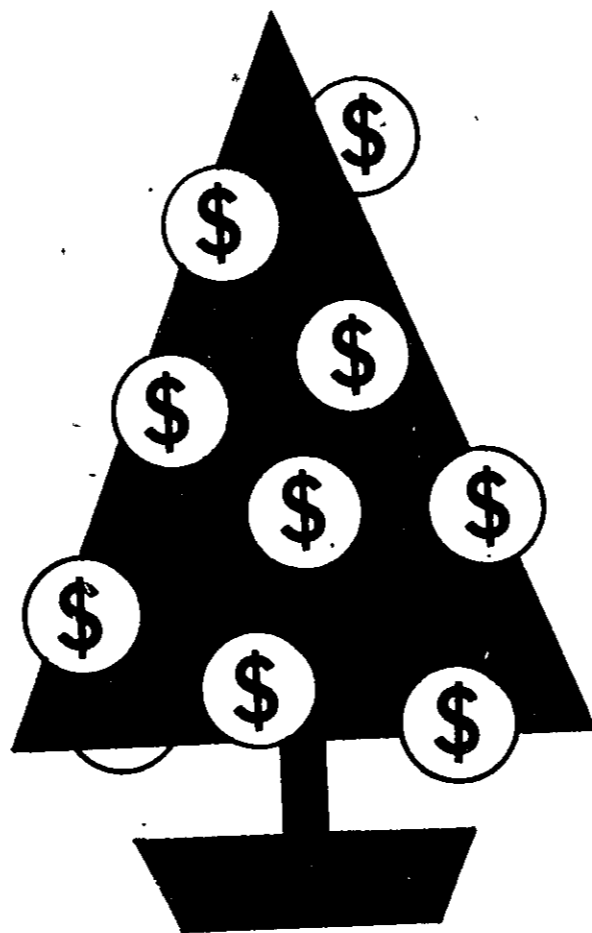
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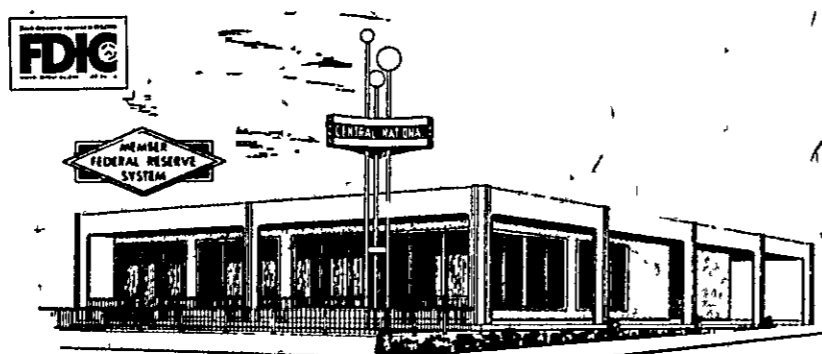
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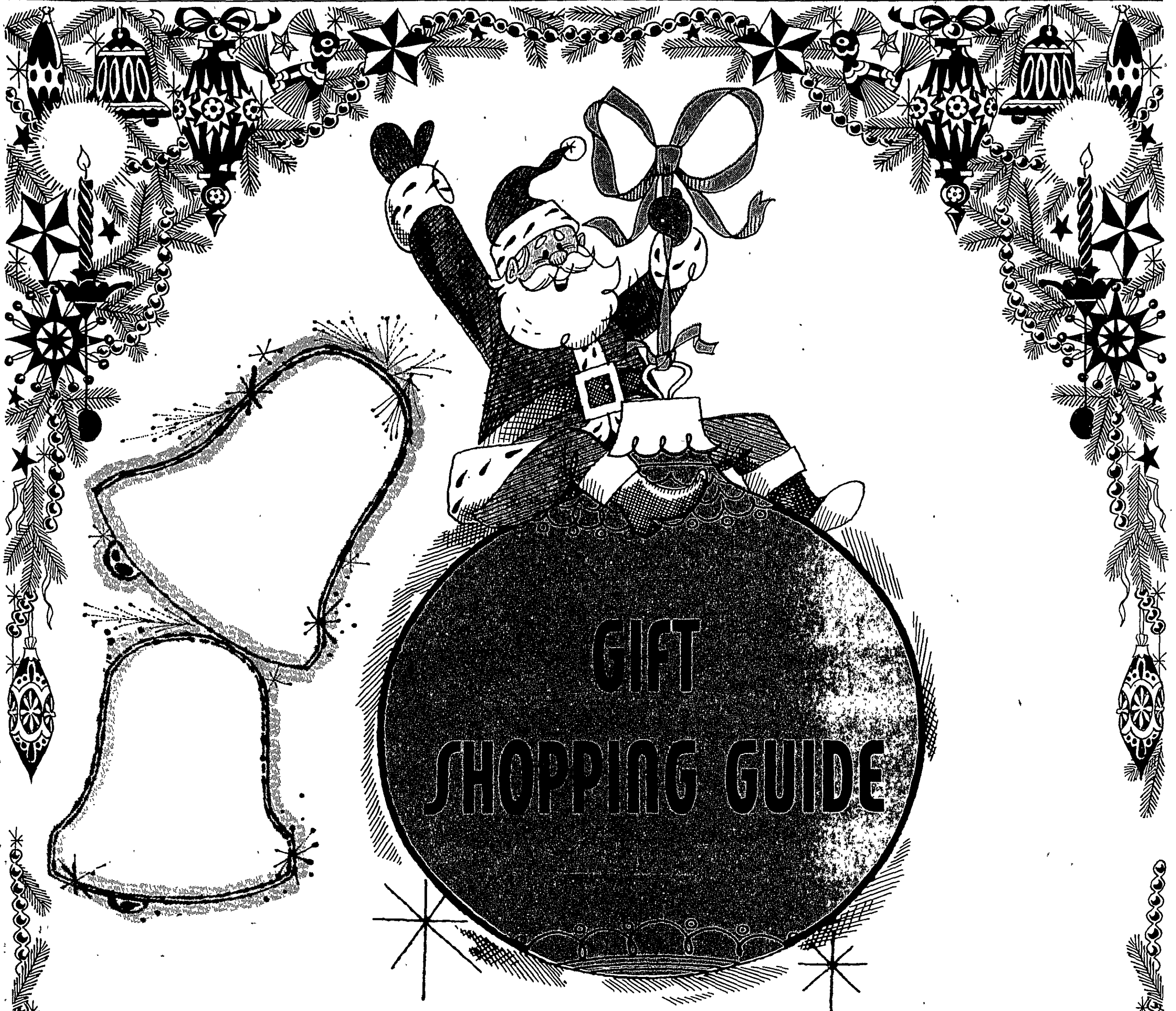
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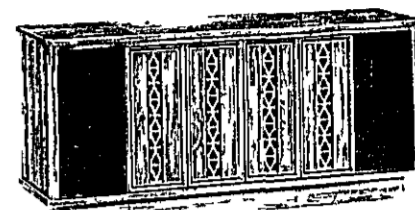
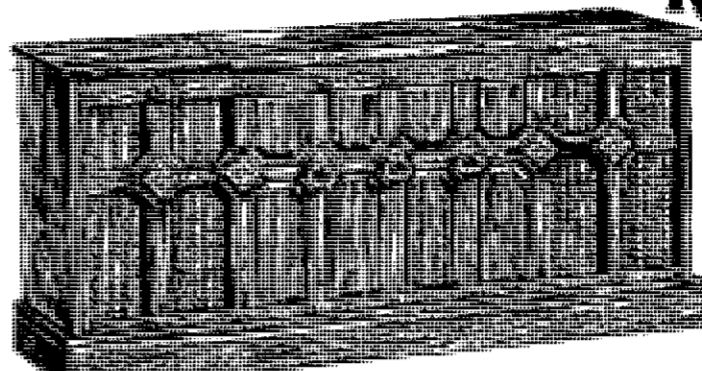
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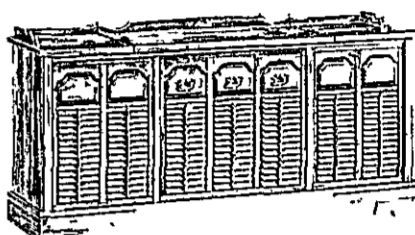
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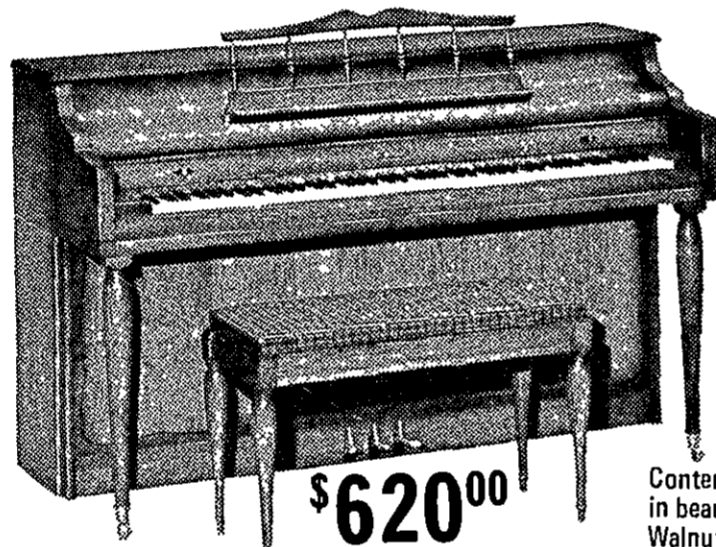
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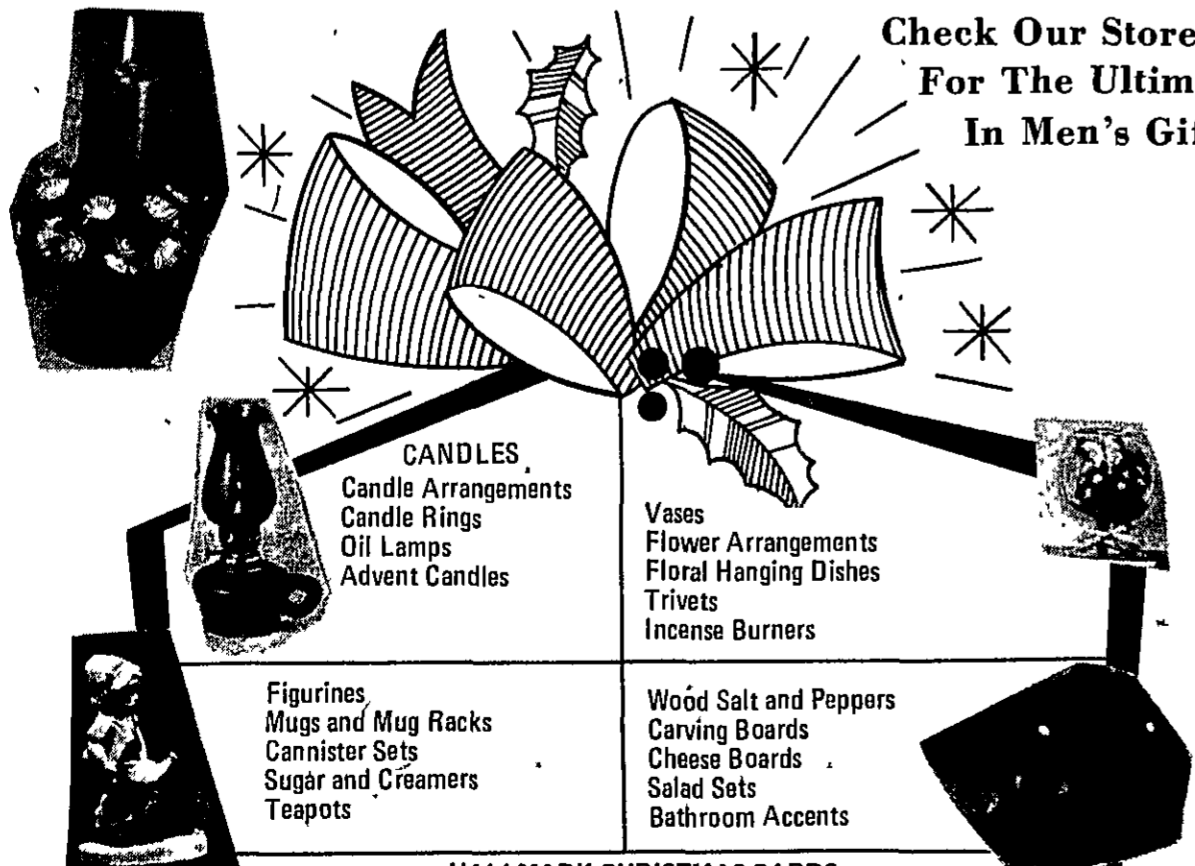
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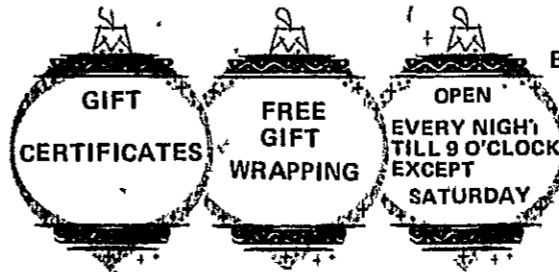
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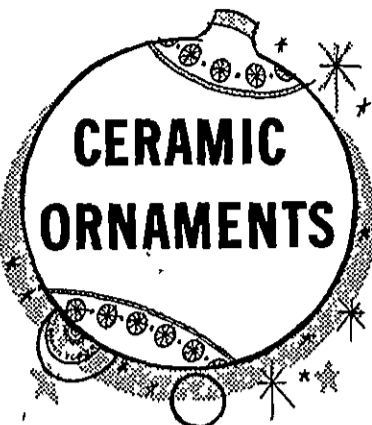
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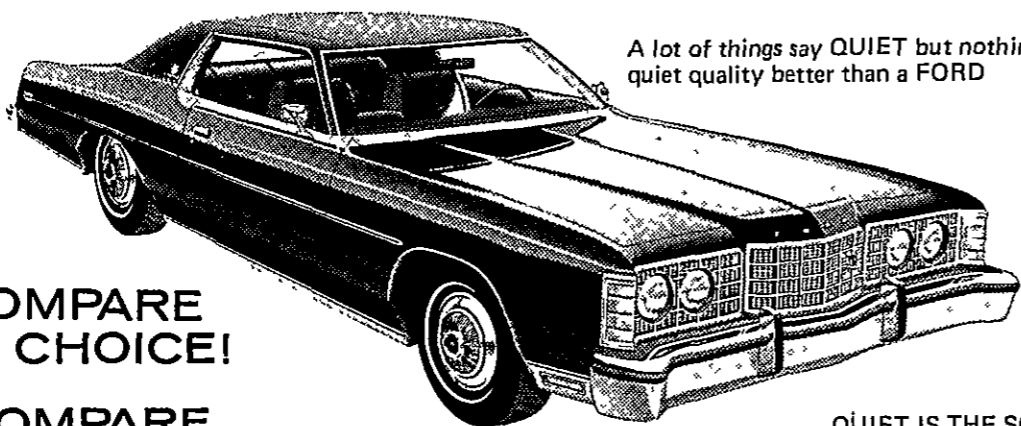
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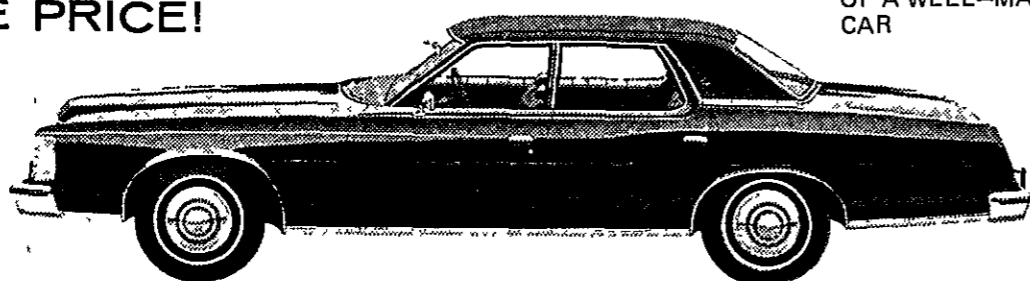
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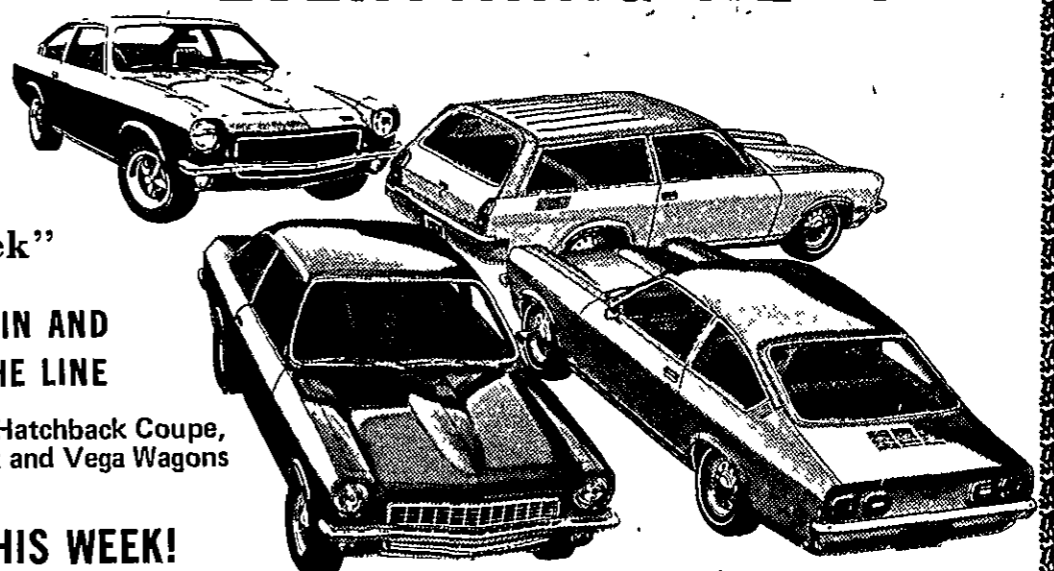


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Clinton area obituaries

Clyde V Houser

ST JOHNS -- Funeral services were Nov 24 at Osgood Funeral Home, St Johns for Clyde V. Houser, 64, 303 N. Lansing St, St Johns. Rev Harold Homer officiated with burial in Eureka Cemetery.

Mr Houser died Nov 21 at Carson City Hospital.

Born Feb 4, 1908 in Cadillac, he was the son of Josiah Houser and Clara Bolenbaugh. He married Marian Beck Nov 3, 1926, in St Johns. He lived the last 27 years at his present address, and had been a driver for interstate trucking.

Surviving are his widow, Marian; 1 son, Allen, Route 6, St Johns; 3 daughters, Mrs Margaret Hart, Mrs Susan Lovegrove and Mrs Janet Poland, all of St Johns; 1 sister, Mrs Bertha Reese, Flint; 8 grandchildren, and a great-grandchild.

Alexander Morrice

Services were held Nov 16 from Marsh Funeral Chapel in Marlette for Alexander L. Morrice, 72, 6547 Chard St, Marlette, and formerly of St Johns.

He died Nov 13 at Memorial Wing, Marlette Community Hospital following an extended illness.

He was born in East Plains Twp; Ionia County, Sept 6, 1894, the son of the late George and Ruth Morrice. He was a graduate of

Rowell School and St Johns High School and attended Ferris State College in Big Rapids.

A veteran of World War I, he served with the US Navy.

On Nov 30, 1927, he was married in Detroit to the former Lorraine Butler, who survives.

They lived in Imlay City and in 1930 moved to Marlette, where he went into the Shellane Bottle Gas Business. He served as mayor of Marlette, library board and was Township Clerk for 16 years.

He was a member of the Duff 2d Presbyterian Church and Marlette American Legion Post 163.

Surviving are his widow; daughters, Mrs Chris (Marilyn) Kurtzweil of Port Huron and Mrs Thomas (Susan) Gates of LaPalma, Calif; son, Bruce Morrice of El Cajon, Calif; 3 sisters; 3 brothers; and 8 grandchildren.

Rev Vern O. Mueller of the 2d Presbyterian Church officiated with burial at Imlay City Cemetery.

Frank Sharick

ST JOHNS -- Funeral services were Nov 25 at Bethel Menonite Church for Frank Sharick, 80, 505 W Baldwin, St Johns, who died Nov 22 at Clinton Memorial Hospital following a short illness.

Rev Calvin Kaufman officiated with burial in Washington Twp Cemetery. Visitation was at Osgood Funeral Home, St Johns until Saturday morning.

Born in Metamora, Ill Feb 13, 1892, he was the son of John and Ellen Sharp Sharick. Jan 14, 1913, in Illinois he was united in marriage to Helen Lown, who survives.

Mr Sharick came to this area in 1920 and had lived at his present address since 1947. He was a Clinton County Deputy Sheriff for over 20 years and a Clinton County court bailiff.

Surviving are his widow, Helen; a daughter, Mrs James (Esther) Bachman, St Johns; 3 sons, Vernon, Milton and Clayton, all of St Johns; 1 brother, George Sharick, Shipshewake, Ill; a sister, Mrs Hazel Marchand, Metamora, Ill; 10 grandchildren, and 16 great-grandchildren.

Margaret Sturm

Margaret C Sturm, 88, Route 1, Lyons, died at Clinton Memorial Hospital, St Johns Nov 21.

She was born in Germany and came to live in Lyons Twp in 1928 where she had resided for the last 44 years. She was married to Albert

Sturm May 8, 1917, who preceded her in death.

She belonged to the altar society, of St Joseph's Church and a member of American Legion Auxiliary of Ionia.

Funeral services were Nov 24 at St Joseph's Catholic Church, Pewamo, with burial in the church cemetery. Estep Funeral Home, Muir was in charge of arrangements.

Surviving are 3 daughters, Mrs Margaret Elliott, Detroit, Mrs Bernadette Bissell and Mrs Rita Motz, St Johns, and 2 sons, Gerald, Lyons and Robert, Lyons; 1 brother, Joseph Reis and 2 sisters, Cecelia Goodman and Mrs Florence Joyce, all of Cleveland, Ohio.

George Chick

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He was born Sept 5, 1897 in Ionia County, son of Fred S and Nellie Brayton Chick. He graduated from Hubbardston High School in 1916 and came to Maple Rapids in 1942.

March 21, 1925, he wed Hazel Tyler in Ionia. A member of the Maple Rapids Congregational Christian Church, he was a farmer and had worked at Sealed Power Co, St Johns.

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Surviving are his widow, Helen; 4 sons, William, St Johns, Thomas, Denver, Colo, James, Atlantic City, NJ and Rev C Jack, Ada, and 15 grandchildren.

Harley A Miller

Funeral services were held for Harley A. Miller, 73, of Eureka at the Osgood Funeral Home in St Johns, November 25. Reverend Paul Jones of Eureka officiated and burial was made in Eureka Cemetery.

Mr Miller died Thursday at Clinton Memorial Hospital after a long illness.

He was born at Eureka, Michigan June 7, 1899, son of Otis and Sarah Miller. He had resided there all his life. He was a carpenter by trade.

Surviving are one brother, Elston of St Johns, and one adopted sister, Mrs Mable Godfrey of Eureka; two nephews, Keith Miller of Green Bay, Wis, Robert Miller of Midland, Mich, and

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Ada Manly

Ada H Manly, 92, 1316 Briarwood Rd, Lansing, died Sunday, Nov 26 at Jackson Nursing Home following a long illness.

A native of Fenton, she was born Oct 8, 1880, the daughter of Henry and Lina Walton.

She was married to Aden J Manly and lived most of her life in the St Johns area.

She was a member of the United Methodist Church and Order of the Eastern Star.

Surviving are 1 son, Aden J Manly of Lansing; 2 daughters, Mrs Miriam Richardson of Flint and Mrs Margaret Reynolds of Athen, Pa; hrother, Dr Walter Walton of New York City; sister, Mrs May Atkinson of Royal Oak, 6 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren.

Services will be held Wednesday, Nov. 29, at Osgood Funeral Home in St Johns.

Rev Francis Johannides will officiate with burial at Mt Rest Cemetery.

Mrs Cora Planck

Mrs Cora Mae Planck, of 1714 High St, died at St Joseph Hospital in Logansport, Ind.

She was born in Shreveport, La, the daughter of James and Maude Motley.

She was past president of Garden Club, a member of First Baptist Church and the Daughters of America No 39.

Survivors include her daughter Mrs Virginia Moore of Ovid, a sister Mrs Georgia Kyle of Texarkana, Texas, a grandson and 2 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were Monday Nov 20 at 3 pm at Kroeger Funeral Home, the Rev Paul Grant officiating. Burial was at Mt Hope Cemetery.

Norma Galbavi

Services were held Nov 27 from Hoag Funeral Home for Norma M Galbavi, 52, 1715 W Price Rd, St Johns.

She was born in Montrose, May 30, 1920, the daughter of Marion and Elizabeth Brown. She died Nov 23 at Lansing General Hospital. A former resident of Dimondale, she moved to Clinton County 1 year ago.

Surviving are her husband, Frank; 3 sons, Philip of Mason, Frank of St Johns, and Steven of St Johns; 2 daughters, Mrs Josephine Tinsley of San Francisco and Arlene of St Johns; 4 sisters, Mrs Doris Vincent of Midland, Mrs Daisy Jenner of San Francisco, Mrs Anna Spiegel of Bannister and Mrs Orma Denys of Los Angeles; 3 brothers, Howard Brown of Louisiana, Henry Brown of Hemlock and Leslie Brown of San Jose, Calif and 1 grandchild.

Al Carson officiated with burial at S Bingham Cemetery.

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Service Personnel



Seaman Fruchey

GREAT LAKES, Ill -- Navy Seaman Recruit Kim A Fruchey, son of Mrs Dorothy K Fruchey of 116 W Williams, Ovid, graduated from recruit training at the Naval Training Center in Great Lakes.

He is a 1972 graduate of Ovid-Elsie High School in Elsie.

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FTG3 Darling

DENNIS MICHAEL DARLING, Navy FTG-3, son of Mr and Mrs Oliver Darling of 121 N Second St, Elsie, recently left aboard the USS Tularc (LKA-112) for his third tour overseas.

The Tularc, which is an amphibious cargo ship, took a load of cargo donations for the Philippine flood victims, for Project Hand Clasp to Subic Bay. The ship is scheduled to arrive back in the United States in April.

His wife, Darlene, is staying with her parents, Mr and Mrs Frank Hoshield, on North Hollister Road, Elsie.

Pfc Prikasky

Private Michael E Prikasky, son of Mr and Mrs Frank Prikasky, 20547 W Ridge Rd, Elsie recently completed a military police training course at the US Army Training Center, Ft Gordon, Ga. During his eight weeks of intensive military police training Pfc Prikasky received specialized instruction in the technical skills he will require as a military policeman stationed throughout the world or in one of the metropolitan areas in the United States.

Some of the subjects he received instruction in included traffic control, civil and military law, communications and unarmed defense methods. He entered the Army in May 1972. The 20-year-old soldier is a 1970 graduate of Ovid-Elsie High School. His friends may write him at PFC Michael E Prikasky, 526 MP Co, UIC - CUSA, Fort Meade, Md 20755.

Stir up a punch

Serve holiday visitors this flavorful yuletide salute. Just before serving time, combine 4 cups dairy eggnog, 2 bottles (10 oz) chilled ginger ale, and 1 can (6 oz) frozen concentrated orange juice. Break away from the party occasionally to stir the punch.

Airman Latham

WICHITA FALLS, TEX -- Airman Terry G. Latham, son of Mrs Nelda J. Beard, 116 S. Knowlton St., Elsie, has graduated with honors at Sheppard AFB, Tex, from the US Air Force communications specialist course conducted by the Air Training Command.

Airman Latham, who learned to operate teletypewriter equipment used in the world-wide Air Force communications system, is being assigned to Aviano AB, Italy, for duty. He will serve with a unit of the Air Force Communications Service which provides global communications and air traffic control for the USAF.

Airman Vettraino

ORLANDO, Fla - Navy Airman Recruit EUGENE A VETTRAINO, son of Mr and Mrs Gene Vettraino of 11530 US-27, DeWitt, graduated from recruit training at the Naval Training Center in Orlando.

A 1972 graduate of DeWitt High School, he is scheduled to report to Aviation Electronics Technician School, Memphis, Tenn.



Fred Root

Private First Class Fred A Root of St Johns has been assigned with the US Army Military Police in Frankfurt, Germany.

After completing basic training at Ft Knox, Ky he completed the US Military Police School, graduating Sept 8.

While in Germany he has been selected to represent the US Military Police Army Unit in basketball competition.

He is serving with the 9th Military Police Detachment, V Corps, APO 19175.

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CLINTON THEATRE
ST. JOHNS, MICH.

We will be CLOSED during the month of December With the Exception of the St. Johns Chamber of Commerce Sponsored CHRISTMAS MATINEES Dec. 2 - 9 - 16

SHOWTIMES: 1 P.M. and 3 P.M.

The Theatre will also be open the evening of Dec. 31 for the Lion's Club Annual New Year's Eve Show.

Open Letter

from VAN W. HOAG

Dear friends,

It deserves emphasis that the time, the place, the character of the funeral service, the merchandise used, the cemetery selected - these are decisions of the family of the deceased. The funeral director acts only as a representative of the family.

The clergyman should be consulted in matters that concern him before any decisions are made.

Respectfully,

Van W. Hoag

Hoag Funeral Home ST. JOHNS, MICHIGAN

PUBLIC AUCTION
to be held by Clinton County Sheriff's Department
ABANDONED OR STOLEN PROPERTY
Date of Sale: Saturday, Dec. 9
Place: Jail Garage
Time: 1 P.M. Sharp

If ownership is proved before day of sale, the property may be turned over to owner and cancel the sale in so far as the claimed property is concerned.
Saturday, December 9, 1972 at 1:00 at Jail Garage

LISTED PROPERTY

1 ROTO BEAM	1 NORELCO SI' AVER (NEW)
1 LEATHER SUIT CASE	1 SEWING MACHINE PORTABLE (NEW)
1 SUIT CASE (CLOTHES & PAIR SHOES)	1 G.E. RADIO
1 BLANKET	1 POCKET RADIO REAL-A-TONE
1 MAN'S 26" BIKE AMF	1 BOX CAMERA & FLASH
1 GIRL'S 26" BIKE AMF	1 SET JUMPER CABLES
2 BELT & HOLSTER SET	1 SET WRENCHES 3/8"-11/8"
1 SLEDGE HAMMER	1 FLASH LIGHT
1 SET GOLF CLUBS, BAG & CART	1 12 FT. TAPE
1 BOWLING BALL & BAG	1 BOX FISHING TACKLE
1 14" T.V. G.E. (PORTABLE)	1 FLEX HANDLE
1 COLEMAN ICE CHEST	1 MASON CHISEL
1 STYROFOAM ICE CHEST	1 GRIDDLE
2 METAL ICE CHESTS	1 COPING SAW
2 PONY BEER KEGS	1 TIP-UP
6 HALF BARREL BEER KEGS	1 ICE SPUD
5 BEER KEG PUMPS	7 SETS CUFF LINKS (NEW)
2 SET 21 PIECE SILVERWARE (NEW)	3 BOOKS BLUE CHIP STAMPS
1 INSTAMATIC 154 CAMERA (NEW)	4 BOOKS S & H GREEN STAMPS
1 INSTAMATIC MOVIE CAMERA (NEW)	1 DAISY BB GUN

TAX NOTICE

The 1972 Winter (School-County) Tax Notices for the City of St. Johns, real and personal property taxpayers, will be mailed Thursday, November 30, 1972. These taxes are due December 1, 1972 and are payable thru February 15, 1973 without penalty and collection fee. Winter notices will also include unpaid 1972 city taxes.

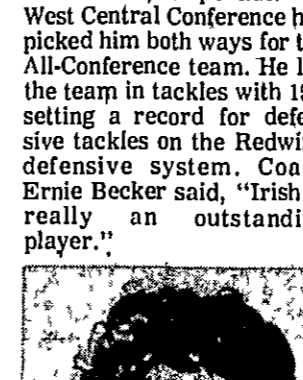
Tax receipts will be mailed by the Treasurer's Office provided that a stamped, self-addressed envelope is enclosed with tax payments mailed to the St. Johns City Offices.

Eugene W. Simon
City Treasurer
City of St. Johns

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All-County Gridiron Offense



BATH:
Fritz Ordway -- The senior Bath quarterback rushed for 460 yards and passed for another 468 on 24 completions in 56 passes.
He was also the kickoff man and punter and consistently sailed the ball into the endzone on kickoffs. Coach Ron Skorich describes Ordway as a "good team leader and a very strong runner."

DON HENRY -- Henry, a 6'1", 185-pound senior end caught 14 passes for 206 yards and was the Bees' leading receiver. Coach Skorich also said Henry was "a very strong blocker throughout the season."

Tony Thelen -- The senior end was picked this year as 1st team, All-League, Thelen was on last year's 2nd team, All-League and 1st All-County team and was nominated for all-state. This year, he hauled in 11 passes for 105 yards and 1 touchdown. Coach Steve Spicer said, "His blocking on the off tackle play has been the big factor for our improved offense." His coaches feel Thelen is a strong All-State material.

Tom Couling -- An offensive end, Couling has been picked 1st team, All-Conference. The 140-pound Couling hauled in 11 receptions this season and established an average of 21 yards per reception. Four of the aeriels tossed to Couling went in for touchdowns.

running back, has been the leading ground gainer in the West Central Conference for 2 years. Logically, he's also been All-Conference in his junior and senior years. This season, he rushed for 660 yards and 6 touchdowns and was the basic Redwing offensive threat. Coach Ernie Becker describes him as "One of the most outstanding players I've coached. He has a tremendous attitude and desire."

OIDV-ELSIE:
Gary Groom -- A 6-3, 195-pound senior halfback, Groom has been All-Conference for the past 2 seasons. Because of a broken foot, he only played in 5 games this season, but still scored 28 points and rushed for 400 yards. As a punter, he averaged 40 yards per punt. He averaged 5 yards a carry.
Tom Kirinovic -- A strong team leader, Kirinovic, at quarterback, led the Marauders to another championship season. He passed for 9 touchdowns and 3 2-point conversions. His passes were on the mark 41 out of 95 times for 700 yards

and he also picked up 250 yards rushing, mostly on the option. Kirinovic has been picked All-Conference honorable mention 2 years in a row. Coach Mark O'Donnell says, "He's a good team leader and plays safety when not on offense. He fumbled only twice all season."

PEWAMO-WESTPHALIA:
Roy Piggott -- Piggott, 6-1, 175-pound running baek, scored 11 touchdowns this season. He kicked 2 extra

points. He rushed for 452 yards in 102 carries. He caught 13 passes for 123 yards and was named both ways to the All-Conference team. Piggott also had 21 pass completions on 41 attempts.

Dan Theis -- (photo not available) An offensive tackle, Theis was 1 of the Pirates best blockers all season. Whenever the Pirates had 3rd and short yardage, they picked Theis's right tackle spot to run through and he was there with the blocking.

★★★★★★ YMCA sets cage league

The Town & Country Department of the Young Men's Christian Association, Lansing, will again this season offer a Town & Country Church Basketball League for Men & Boys of all ages.

- Midget Boys Division (10 yrs & under)
- Junior Boys Division (12 yrs & under)
- Intermediate Div (15 yrs & under)
- Senior Boys Division (18 yrs & under)
- Men's Division (Open)

The deadline for team entries is Tuesday Dec 12, 7 pm. Any church sponsored team in Central Michigan with a home floor is invited to join the League. Players are required to attend some church 3 out of 5 Sundays. For further information contact Norman G. Hicks, League Secretary at YMCA, 489-6501, Ext 55.



FWLER:
Larry Halfman -- The 1st team All-League running back piled up 900 yards for 5.5 per carry average this

DeWITT:
Gary Bouts -- Offense or defense, Bouts is a standout both ways. This is his 2nd year for All-Conference both ways and he's been a 1st team All-State twice on defense, once as a linebacker and this year as an interior lineman.

ST JOHNS:
Bruce Cameron -- Cameron, the 5'7", 145-pound

Bruce Irish -- A tackle on both offense and defense,

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Sports

P-W, Fowler, DeWitt players are All-League

First Team: Offense
End: Tony Thelen, Fowler and Tom Couling, Dewitt.
Tackle: Gary Bouts, Dewitt and Steve Rickle, Potterville.
Guard: Chris McNeilly, Dewitt and Roger Betz, Springport.
Center: John Rivera, Springport; Q.B.: Steve Montgomery, Bellevue; H.B.: Gary Baum, Springport; H.B.: Dan Lenneman, Portland St. Pats; F.B.: Larry Halfman, Fowler.

Second Team: Offense
End: Tom Wrobel, Laingsburg; Tom Coe, Webberville.
Tackle: Dave Osborne, Fowler; Tom Rüssman, Portland.
Guard: Neil Simon, Fowler; Pat Stump, Portland.
Center: Scott McDougall, Laingsburg.
Q.B.: Terry Baker, Portland; H.B.: Ralph Locke, Springport; H.B.: Roy Piggott, Pewamo-Westphalia; F.B.: Duane Schooltz, Dewitt.

Second Team: Defense
End: Bill Feldpausch, Fowler; Chris McNeilly, Dewitt.
Tackle: Dave Osborne, Fowler; Pat Stump, Portland.
Guard: Roger Betz, Springport.
Linebackers: Rich Epkey, Fowler; Tony Thelen, Fowler; Randy Whitcomb, Bellevue; Randy Wilkinson, Springport.
Halfbacks: Pat Thelen, Fowler; Rick Perry, Olivet.

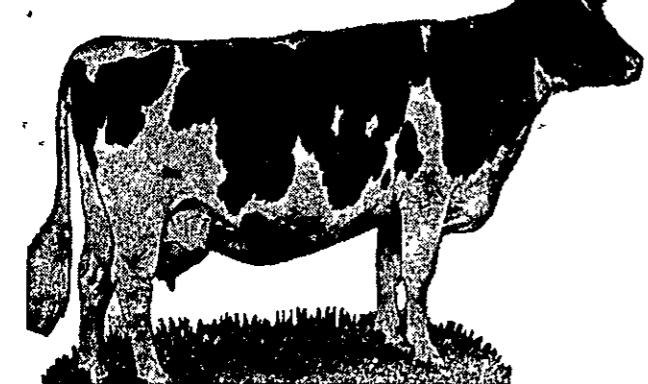
Ballinger honored at

Olivet College sports banquet

OLIVET -- A St Johns resident, Brian Ballinger, son of Mr and Mrs Robert Ballinger of St Johns, was honored at the recent Fall Sports Banquet held at Olivet College. Brian was honored for his participation on the Olivet football team.

PUBLIC AUCTION

COMPLETE CLOSEOUT . . . HOLSTEIN DAIRY HERD - FARM MACHINERY
PONYS - HOGS - HAY and STRAW



Owner has rented his farms and is discontinuing farming
MONDAY, DEC. 4
at 10:00 a.m. promptly

LOCATION -- East edge of Alfordton, Ohio. On U.S. 20 forty miles west of Toledo, Ohio.

HOLSTEIN DAIRY HERD -- 28 cows and heifers, now producing milk or due to freshen soon. These are nearly all young cows, including 11 3-year-old cows either just fresh or due to freshen soon with second calves. Three first calf heifers. Ten 4, 5, and 6-year-old cows in full production or due to freshen soon.

A number of these cows will be fresh by sale day or will freshen in the next couple of months. Five Holstein heifers calvehood vaccinated and bred in July. Two Holstein vaccinated heifers 10-months old. The fresh first calf heifers are also calvehood vaccinated. Three Holstein calvehood vaccinated heifers 9-months old. Holstein bull calf 9-months-old. Five Holstein calves 4-months old. Four Holstein calves 7-weeks old. Plus some small calves that will sell separate. Pure bred Holstein breeding bull, excellent breeding bull with production records.

This is an excellent herd of dairy cattle. Mr. Dammon has been in the dairy business for more than 35 years. He started with good cattle and has developed an excellent herd of large cattle with fine production. Some of the cows when fresh will produce up to 100 pounds of milk. There are many very large excellent type young cows. Here is an opportunity to increase your present herd or replace some of your present cows.

Last year this herd of cattle produced 193,909 pounds of milk with an average test from 3.7 to 4.1 buttermfat from the slips from the milk plant, plus the milk used to raise nearly all his calves. The herd produced \$14,604.53 milk actually sold to the milk plant. If you need cows this is a sale you should attend. They have all been raised by Mr. Dammon, he does an excellent job milking these cattle and they are probably one of the healthiest herd of cattle you could ever buy from.

DAIRY EQUIPMENT -- Surge pipe line milker, late model milker with new pump last spring, 4-speed pulsator, new style electric brain and automatic washer, will sell as one unit; Creamery pack 200 gal. milk cooler in excellent condition; set of stainless steel wash racks; gas water heater; 15-ft. metal cattle feeder; 2 electric fence chargers.

4 TRACTORS -- COMBINE -- 2 TRUCKS

1968 model 3020 diesel, wide front, 16.9x34 rear tires and front weights, tractor is like new; 1955 model JD 2510 diesel, excellent condition; 601 Ford tractor with Wagner loader, cylinder on buckets, both dirt and manure bucket; Int. H tractor.

J.D. 45 Hi-Lo combine, 1968 model, square back with 12-ft. grain table, good condition.

1964 Chevrolet 1-ton truck, model C30, 4-speed transmission and 10-ft. bed with grain bed, stock rack and stock chute; 1965 Chevrolet C10 pickup, runs good, make good farm trucks.

MACHINERY -- J.D. 24T baler, like new, has baled less than 10,000 bales; New Idea Super 1-row corn picker, 1968 model, like new; JD F145 4x14 steerable plow; J.D. RW 8-ft. 6-in. wheel disc; JD 494A corn planter with herbicide attachments; McCurdy 40-qt. elevator with 1 h.p. electric motor; New Idea late model pull-type mower; JD No. 896 roll bar side rake; New Idea No. 202 p.t.o. spreader, excellent condition; 13-run grain drill; New Idea wagon with hay rack; Campbell 6-ton wagon, like new with flat bed; Oliver 4-row 3-pt. cultivator; 7-ft. cultimulcher; Gehl hay conditioner; JD 3-section spring harrow; JD spike harrow; Oliver 7-ft. pull disc; Brillion cultipacker; Implement trailer with stock rack; 12-ft. rack for Ford truck; Case 3x14 plow; Husky pull-type sprayer, used one time, complete with pump and drops; New Idea wagon and Kill-Bros gravity box; Massey-Ferguson wagon and Kill-Bros gravity box; 4-in. grain auger and motor; Husky 16-ft. portable single chain elevator and motor, like new; New Imco 3-pt. rear blade; new 3-pt. rotary mower; barrel of petro lube; 55 gal. barrel of oil; 5 gal. pail of grease; and a lot of other small farm articles.

HAY and STRAW -- Approximately 4000 bales of first cutting mixed alfalfa and grass hay, good hay made without rain. 200 bales second cutting alfalfa. 1500 bales straw.

PONIES and EQUIPMENT -- Team of chocolate matched mare ponies, 5 and 6 years old, very nice, 40-in. broke for parades, set of double pony harness, like new, complete trim and accessories. Team sorrel matched ponies 5 and 6 years old, 46-in., well broke for parades and have been pulled some. Set of double pony pull harness like new, complete trim and accessories. Rubber tired pony wagon; double pony cart; bob sled and 2 sets single driving harness. These are pretty ponies and nearly new equipment. If you would like to own a pair of ponies be at the auction.

HOGS and EQUIPMENT -- Two second litter brood sows with 9 and 11 pigs; bred gilt; 13 feeder pigs; and Spotted Poland purebred boar, 1-year old; good hog waterer and hog feeder.

PLEASE NOTE -- This is an auction of fine dairy cattle and farm machinery. Also two teams of the nicest ponies you will ever find. Mr. Dammon was an excellent farmer and raised this herd of cattle and kept his farm machinery in the best of condition. Plan to attend this auction on Dec. 4. We will see you there.

TERMS -- Cash sale day.


ORDER OF AUCTION -- Small articles will sell first. Sale starts at 10:00 a.m. Farm machinery will follow, probably about 11:00 a.m. Tractors, combine and trucks will sell at approximately 12:00, followed by feed, hogs and ponies and pony equipment. For the cattle and dairy equipment you should not be at the auction later than 1:30 p.m. Some of the smaller cattle will be the first sold.

Lunch by the Alfordton Methodist Church
Please save this adv. for future reference

OWNER **Mr. & Mrs. Alvin Dammon** Ph. 419-924-2563
Alfordton, Ohio
AUCTIONEERS -- Don Fry, Edon, Ohio, Robert Shinabery, Hudson, Michigan
and Ross Mocherman, Montpelier, Ohio Clerk--Elsie Gearhart, Edon, Cashier--Lester Krill, Edon.

A Star is Born

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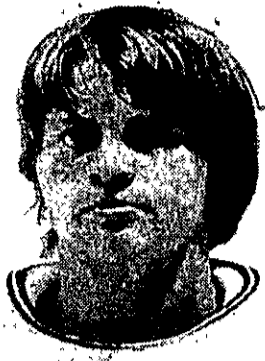
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St. Johns

All-County defense standouts

Honorable mention

BATH:

Dan Bass -- (photo not available) Bass, a 5-11, 180-pound freshman defensive end, averaged 11 tackles a game and was an excellent pass rusher. He nailed the opposing quarterback 9 times this year and 22 tackles against Leslie. Bass also recovered 5 fumbles during the season. His coach says, "He's always around the ball—he has a really good sense of the game."



Mel Pohl -- As a defensive tackle, Pohl was named to the All-League 1st team this season. He assisted in 53 tackles, toppled 20 runners by himself and dropped 14 runners behind the line of scrimmage. He also had 4 fumble recoveries taking 1 all the way for a touchdown.

DAVE ELSIE -- Dan Egbert -- Egbert, a 6-2, 180-pound senior, is 1 of 3 Ovid-Elsie defensive players named to the Mid-Michigan B All-Conference Team. He had 54 unassisted tackles and 58 assists for a total of 112 tackles. He also had 3 pass interceptions and 3 fumble recoveries.

Randy Loynes -- Loynes, 6-3, 190-pound senior, is another All-Conference player. He had 63 unassisted tackles and 30 assists at his middle guard spot. He blocked 2 punts and sacked the quarterback for losses 24 times.

Nethaway, 6-3, 265 pounds, is only a junior and will be back next year. A strongside tackle, he had 53 unassisted tackles with 25 assisted tackles. He got to the quarterback 5 times and scored 8 points on defense with a safety and a touchdown from a recovered fumble. This is the 2nd year for him to be named All-Conference.



DeWITT:

Chris McNeilly -- McNeilly has been All-Conference for 2 years as an offensive guard, but Coach Tom Isanbart describes him as a standout both ways. In his linebacker position, McNeilly picked off 6 interceptions during the season. On offense his toe was good 13 out of 13 times for extra points plus 1 field goal.



Bath falls 63-55 to New Lothrop veterans

Bath's Bees dropped their 1st game of the basketball season to a veteran New Lothrop squad Friday 63-55. Suffering from cold shooting in the last half, the Bees fell behind 16-9 in the opening quarter. New Lothrop continued their scoring pace in the 2nd quarter to outshoot the Bees 22-10 for a 28-19 halftime lead.

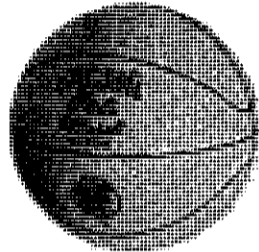
with Cantwell picking up 20 points on 9 field goals and 2 of 3 free-throw attempts. Ordiway pumped in 16 points on 8 field goals. They were followed by Doug Kesson with 8 points, Robin Tucker with 5, Glen Tarrent with 4 and Larry Anderson with 2.



Robb Nethaway -- Another All-Conference player,



Coming next week county cage preview



Tom Ashley -- Ashley, described by Coach Isanbart, as 1 of the 2 best players on the squad, was named All-Conference at his defensive halfback spot. At 6-2 and 200 pounds, he has been a starter for the Panthers for 4 years.

In the 3rd quarter, the Bath defense tightened and Bee shooters found the range as they began to close the gap. New Lothrop outhit the Bees 18-14, but Bath was on the way to a hot 4th quarter.

Three players hit in double figures for New Lothrop. Matt Ebenhoeh led all scoring with 23 points, Vince Wendling added 12 and Terry Birchmeier finished with 10.

IN THAT FINAL quarter, Bath hit for 22 points while holding New Lothrop to 8. At one point, they closed the gap to 7 points.

DEFENSIVELY, Ordiway paced the Bees with 12 rebounds and Tucker picked off 10.

New Lothrop opened the season with just 1 player lost from last year's team, which finished the season with an 18-2 record.

As a team, Bath could only hit for 23% in the 1st half, but the offense jelled in the 2nd half, hitting on 46% of their shots for a 35% game total.

Dale Cantwell and Fritz Ordiway led the Bath offense

New Lothrop held a 51-41 edge on Bath in rebounding and turned the ball over 18 times, while the Bees lost the ball 22 times.

After a Tuesday game at DeWitt, Bath is host to Leslie Friday night.



FOWLER:

Rich Epkey -- A 1972 2nd team All-League selection, Epkey had 52 assisted and 15 solo tackles at his linebacker position. He also picked off 4 interceptions, returning 1 for a 6-yard touchdown. His coach, Steve Spicer, "I've never had a young man work as hard as Rich."

WESTPHALIA -- Snowmobile season has hit Clinton County and the Westphalia Jaycees are welcoming the winter-time activity with snowmobile races Dec 3 2-1/2 miles west of Westphalia with races beginning at 1 pm on snow or grass,

depending on the weatherman. Entry fee is \$5 per machine and registration is from 10:30 am until noon.

Spectator ticket prices are \$1 for adults, 50¢ for those 13-17 and free for those under 12.

Westphalia kicks off snowmobile season

Snowmobile Safety Course

Members of the Sleepy Hollow Conservation Club, will feature a Department of Natural Resources snowmobile safety instructor who will instruct a snowmobile safety class Dec 9 at 10 am at the Club grounds, 1 1/4 west of US 27 on Mead Rd. Those interested may register at Beck and Hyde Farmarina, S-H Farms,

Bee's Sports Division and Dunkel Snowmobiles. For additional information, call the above dealers or Michael Zigler at 224-2981.

Registration deadline is Dec 8. A maximum of 80 young people will be accepted for the 1st class. If more than 80 register, another class will be held after Jan 1.

Bowling News

SHIRTS & SKIRTS		
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Dunkel's	33	15
Kelly Tires	33	15
Guy's Sunoco	30 1/2	17 1/2
Slop Shots	29	19
Central Nat Bank	25	23
Coldstream	25	23
The PB's	22	26
Mai-Tai	20	28
Dry Dock	20	28
Patterson & Sons	19	30
Lucky Wonders	16 1/2	31 1/2
Ralyke Farms	15	33

High game individual - Rollin Dunkel, 228. High individual series - Dick Urban, 561. High game team - Kelly Tires, 692. High team series - Mai-Tai, 1917. High game - Kay Penix, 548 series.

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PART TIME - Local auto and fire insurance inspections. Polaroid and auto repair. Phone collect 399-3933. (313). 29-3p-nc

HIGH SCHOOL graduate to train for full time dental assistant. Reply giving age, work experience and marital status. P.O. Box 303, St. Johns. 29-3p-nc

WANTED BABYSITTER in your home or mine. Preferably someone with preschool child. Call 862-5302. 31-1p

MATURE EXPERIENCED BOOKKEEPER wanted for one girl office. Must know double entry system and do payroll. Some typing. 25-30 hours weekly. DeWitt, St. Johns area. 224-7671. 31-2p-nc

MAN OR WOMAN to sell Rawleigh Household Products. Can earn \$3.50 and up per hour. Age, experience or number of hours no barrier. Call collect: (815) 232-7416. Write: Ray Harris, Rawleigh Co., Freeport, Illinois 61032. 31-1p-nc

WANTED: Babysitter in my home, 6:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Phone 224-6331 after 3:00 p.m. 31-1p-nc

NEEDED - IMMEDIATELY lady or young girl to come in to babysit for 17 month old toddler. Must have own transportation. Hours from 8 to 5. \$20.00 a week. Phone 224-7502 after 5:00. 31-dhft-nc

CARSON CITY HOSPITAL has immediate opening for a part time R.N., 3 days a week. 7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. shift. Experience preferred. Excellent wages. Apply personnel director, Carson City Hospital. Phone 584-3131 extension 336. 31-1p-nc

SALESMAN WANTED: We have an opening in Clinton County. You will be calling on heavy equipment and farm accounts, selling a complete line of wholesale quality lubricants. Can adjust territory to full or part time. Please mail replies to John C. Vos, 3519 Algonac Dr., Grandville, Michigan 49418 or call before 8 am. Phone 534-6648. 31-3p-nc

Jobs Wanted

175 WATT MERCURY vapor lights installed on your pole or building. \$60 installed complete. Call 834-5502 for complete information. 30-5p-nc

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WANTED: Typing to do in my home; correspondence, term papers, manuscripts, anything. Phone 224-6170. 30-3p-nc

Miscellaneous Wanted

WANTED TO BUY ANTIQUE hanging or table lamps. Reasonable please. Call 224-6228. 18-dhft

TIMBER WANTED: logs and standing timber. Logs delivered to our yard. DEVEREAUX SAWMILL, INC., 2872 N. Hubbardston Rd, Pewamo Mich. Ph. 593-2424 and/or 593-2552. 40-ft

Miscellaneous Items

FOR SALE: Woodard black wrought iron table, glass top, with 4 chairs, dining room table, buffet and 4 chairs, 2 end tables and lamps. 9748 W. Main Rd., Ovid. Phone 834-2489. 31-3p-nc

FOR SALE: Implement double axle low boy trailer with electric brakes. \$600. Phone 677-2281. 31-2p-nc

LIVE MUSIC every Saturday night! American Legion Club, St. Johns. 31-5p-nc

EXCELLENT, efficient, economical, Blue Lustre carpet cleaner. Rent electric shampooer \$1. Dean True Value Hardware, downtown St. Johns. 31-nc

FOR SALE: King size mattress and box springs. \$50. Condition fair. Phone 593-2006. 31-1p

FOR SALE: Color TV and Stereo. Call Doug Angell 834-5400. 31-3p-nc

FOR SALE: One Signet coronet, nickel plated. Erick Richards, 233 E Elm St, Ovid 834-5654. 31-2p

FOR SALE: Four - 14" Chevy wheel rims. Erick Richards, 233 E Elm St, Ovid 834-5654. 31-2p

FOR SALE: Mister chair, in good condition, \$20. Phone 224-7205. 31-1p

FOR SALE: Ladies new green short coat, has zipper closing. Size 44. Never been worn. Reason for selling, too large. Will take \$20.00 for it. Call 224-4886. 31-2p-nc

1972 VACUUM CLEANER \$21.50. Brand new sweeper, paint damage in shipment, excellent working condition. Includes all cleaning tools plus rug shampooer. Cash price \$21.50 cash. Call Bath collect 641-4333, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Electro Grand. 31-1-nc

1972 MODEL SEW MACHINE \$38.50. Slight paint damage in shipment. Only 6 left. Comes with a beautiful walnut sew table and writes names and is fully equipped to Zig-Zag, buttonholes and makes fancy designs by inserting Cams. Only \$38.50 cash or terms arranged. Trade-ins accepted. Call Bath collect 641-4333, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Electro Grand. 31-1-nc

SHOP EARLY from our many Christmas catalogs for full selections and lowest prices. Finkbeiners, Fowler, Phone 593-2606. 22-1f-nc

FOR SALE: Wheel chair with extended back and other attachments. Phone 669-3764. 29-3p-nc

DO UPHOLSTERY AT HOME for extra money. Learn the right way at The Upholstery Shop, 119 N. Bridge St., DeWitt. Phone 669-5058. 44 years professional experience, tools and equipment furnished. Fabrics at wholesale prices. \$30.00 for 21 hour course. 29-1f

ALBRING SALVAGE CO. We buy junk cars, copper, brass radiators, starters and generators, etc. 9 miles north of Elsie to Cotter Rd. Phone 862-4632. 13-24-p-nc

VACUUM SALES & SERVICE Kirby Center of St. Johns, 1104 S. US-27, Federal Land Bank Building, 224-7222. 23-1f-nc

FOR SALE: 2-700-13 snow tires with wheels, less than 2000 miles. \$30 for both. 834-2814 Erwin Cannon. 30-2p-nc

FOR SALE: Fireplace wood, hard and dry, \$8.00 per cord at the farm. 3634 Green Rd. Phone 651-5214. 29-3p-nc

FOR SALE: Assorted greeting cards, many, many Christmas items for all ages from tots to adults. Gifts for the bride or graduate. For leisure shopping call Madge Craig 834-2671 or write 7630 West Hubbard, Ovid, Michigan, 48866. Will deliver. 29-3p-nc

HAPPY TRAILS BOUTIQUE featuring tops, bell bottoms, all imported items from England and Europe. Hours 9:00 to 5:30 Monday thru Thursday, 9:00 to 9:00 Friday and Saturday, 12:00 to 5:00 on Sunday. See the cave featuring Pinball machines. Phone 224-2060. 2583 S. US-27. 1/2 block south of Daley's Restaurant. 23-1f-nc

FOR SALE: Parts for all electric shavers. Levey's Jewelry, Elsie. 1-1f

FOR SALE: Wood and steel portable cattle mangers. Simon's Planing Mill, Fowler. Ph. 583-2000. 28-1f

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Cattle

FOR SALE: Holstein Bull, service age. Frank Kirinovic 834-5275. 31-3p-nc

WILL QUIT MILKING. 10 Holstein cows, some fresh, rest due soon. William Jandernoa 593-3376, Pewamo. 30-2p-nc

FOR SALE: One Holstein heifer, A. I. sire. Due soon. Don Witt 224-3965. 31-1p

Hogs & Sheep

FOR SALE: Corriedale ram. Paul Koeningknecht, Fowler 593-2258. 31-1p

FOR SALE: Hampshire purebred stock hogs, service age. Also 2 purebred Suffolk ram lambs. 7 3/4 miles west of DeWitt, 9800 Howe Rd. 29-3p

Notice

LIVE MUSIC every Saturday night! American Legion Club, St. Johns. 31-5p-nc

DR. TERPSTRA will not be in the office December 6th through December 10th. Office will remain open for routine business matters only. 31-2p-nc

OLIVE TOWNSHIP BOARD will meet Monday, December 4th at 8:00 p.m. at the Township Hall. Agatha Lyon, Clerk. 31-1p-nc

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FOR SALE: Good hay and wheat straw. Large bales. Phone 669-9874. 29-3p

FOR SALE: 600 bales, first or second cutting hay. Call after 5:30. Phone 862-5171. 31-1p-nc

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Farmall Super C with narrow front. Farmall A with plow and cultivator. M.F. No. 300 Ski-Whiz. M.F. 350 Ski-Whiz. M.F. 12 garden tractor with hydro-stat drive and 42 inch mower.

Oliver 1800 diesel with 18.4 x 34 tires with duals. Int. 350 utility with New Idea loader.

M.F. 180 diesel with 15.5 x 38 tires. M.F. Super 90 diesel, excellent condition. J.D. 12 ft. wheel disc, good condition. A.C. 12 ft. wheel disc, 1 year old. Farmall M w/new overhaul.

Sattler & Son, Inc. Phone 236-7280 Middleton

FOR SALE: Live Geese. 1005 E Main, DeWitt, Phone 669-9485. 31-1p-nc

Farm Machinery

FOR SALE: International 303 combine, bean and corn equipped. Phone 981-6628 or 584-6409. 31-1p-nc

FOR SALE: John Deere R diesel tractor in good shape. \$900. Phone 647-7831. 31-1p-nc

FOR SALE: New Idea 300 pull type, 2 row cornpicker, wide row. Phone 682-4326. 31-1p-nc

NORWOOD hay savers and silage bunks, all steel welded with rolled edges to last a lifetime. See at our yard, 5 1/4 miles south of Fowler. Ph. 587-3811, Fedewa Builders, Inc. 29-1f

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Snowmobiles

FOR SALE: 72 TNT 440 with slides and cover. 311 W. Higham. Phone 224-7687 after 6:00 pm. 31-2p

WILL TRADE. Have 6 snowmobiles, Mercury and Scorpions. Would like acre of land to build on, will pay difference for right site or will consider anything of value. Call Hank Furman, Furman Realty Co. 224-3236 31-1

Garage Sales

GARAGE SALE: Thursday, November 30th, Friday, December 1st from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. 1003 Lincolnshire Dr., St. Johns. Owner transferred out of state. Free coffee. 31-1p-nc

Mobile Homes

FOR SALE: Mobile home, 1967 Topper, 12 x 60, sharp walnut paneled. Must Sell! Call 834-2842 after 6:00 pm. 31-2p-nc

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FOR SALE: Pair of 12 inch wide Firestone 12.25-15 Indy low profile tires and mags to fit Chevy, have adapters so they fit Ford, American Motors or Chrysler. Also set of American Mags to fit above cars. Phone 224-7502 after 12 noon. 25-dh

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CAINS, Inc. BUICK-PONTIAC OPEL-GMC 2 blocks west, 2 blocks north Phone 224-3231 St. Johns 2-1f

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FOR RENT: Trailer space in Pewamo on M-21. Phone 593-3309. 31-1p-nc

SIMON'S PLANING MILL Manufacturers of: Truck, pick up, hay and grain racks, forage boxes, bunk feeders, portable cattle mangers and accessories. Custom woodworking. 268 S. Henderson Fowler, Michigan Phone (Area 517) 593-2000 E.O.W.

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FOR RENT: Apartments, 2 bedroom downstairs, partially furnished, 1 bedroom upstairs furnished. Heat included for both. Deposit and references required. Phone 224-7743. 31-1p-nc

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Symbol of Service The Briggs Company REALTORS 200 W. State St. Phone 224-2301 **Elsie Branch Carter - Melvin Bldg Ph. 862-5391**

NEARING COMPLETION in Prince Estates, large 2 story on corner lot, 3 large bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, plus laundry area, family rm. w/glass door to patio, din rm., 2 car attached garage, full basement. No. 118. **APPROX. 10 ACRES** rolling land w/large basement barn and other buildings, 4 bedroom tri-level home in a beautiful setting, black-top road, a natural for horse lovers, you must see this one. No. 51. **EAST OFF US-27 ON KINLEY ROAD** 3 bedrooms, large all carpeted, kitchen w/stove, sliding glass door to patio, garage and basement. No. 511.

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S. SCOTT ROAD save \$500.00 off the price and do your own painting, din. rm. has sliding glass door to patio, 1 1/2 baths plus laundry area, 2 car garage plus full basement. No. 114. **4 FAMILY INCOME** can be your ticket to future financial security, live in one unit for practically nothing. No. 123.

NEW LISTING 3 bedroom home w/separate dining rm., close to shopping area. Ideal for elderly couple that doesn't care to drive for shopping, 1 car garage, nice kitchen and washer and dryer on first floor, house only 2 years old.

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LOCAL FIRM DESIRES INDIVIDUAL, PREFERABLY MARRIED HOUSEWIFE, INTERESTED IN OFFICE POSITION PART-TIME. WORK OFFERS WIDE VARIETY OF INTERESTS CONNECTED WITH ADVERTISING. WILL TRAIN PERSON WILLING TO ACCEPT THIS ROLE IN A CHALLENGING FIELD. SUBMIT RESUME TO BOX Z, CLINTON COUNTY NEWS, ST. JOHNS, MI. 48879.

NEW EQUIPMENT

2 row narrow row head for John Deere No. 34 chopper. John Deere mixer grinder (Special sale price - \$2300.) 2 New Idea picker-shellers.

USED TRACTORS

Farmall M gas tractor. John Deere 3010 gas. Farmall 400 gas. Ford Industrial tractor, loader and backhoe. John Deere 4020 gas tractor. John Deere 4020 diesel tractor w/turbo. Farmall 350 diesel. Massey Ferguson 85 diesel. Massey Ferguson 85 gas. John Deere 2010 gas.

USED COMBINES

John Deere 95 s.p., late model with a cornhead. John Deere 45 self propelled with spike cylinder and bean equipment.

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1 New Idea 2 row narrow picker with 12 roll bed, 2 gravity boxes (not mounted). 2 gravity boxes on John Deere wagons. New Idea 10 1 row picker. John Deere 40 loader, 3 New Idea grinder units. 2 John Deere No. 435 N cornheads for No. 95 and 105 combine. New Idea No. 203, P.T.O. spreader. John Deere No. 33 P.T.O. spreader. Several used stalk choppers.

DON SHARKEY John Deere Sales & Service 1 1/2 Miles East of St. Louis Phone 681-2440

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For Rent

FOR RENT: Room, semi-private bath. Phone 224-3939, 31-1p-nc

FOR RENT - Air hammer for breaking up cement, etc. We have two available Randolph's Ready-Mix Plant North US-27, Ph. 224-3769, 40-H

Wanted To Rent

WANTED: 2 or 3 bedroom home in St Johns or Ovid area. Have reference. Need immediately. Erick Richards, Phone Ovid 834-5634 or 834-2819, 31-2p

Real Estate

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, good location near park and schools. Dry basement. Can be seen by appointment only. 224-4143, 14-ft

ALL CASH for your land contracts, contracts purchased on houses, farms, cottages, vacant land or commercial. First National Acceptance. Call 337-1373. Evenings and weekends 351-8961, 27-5p-nc

FOR SALE BY OWNER: 4 year old, 3 bedroom ranch home, 2 stall garage, 1 1/2 baths, central air conditioning, fenced in yard and built-ins. Good location near schools. Financing arrangements available. Call 224-6110, 31-2p-nc

FARMS FOR SALE: 40 - 80 - 133 - 160 acres. Call Lloyd Harris 224-7351 or Brown Real Estate 224-3987, 31-1-nc

FOR SALE: A home for family living, 703 W McConnell St, full basement, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 baths, 2 fireplaces, dishwasher, disposal, stove and oven, garage, fenced backyard. Call Bill Bellant 224-7581 or Brown Real Estate 224-3987, 31-1-nc

FOR SALE: 40 acres, South-east of St Johns, modern 3 bedroom home, good barn and other buildings. Call Lloyd Harris 224-7351 or Brown Real Estate 224-3987, 31-1-nc

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HOME WITH 4 bedrooms and double living room. Looking for a family willing to give a little TLC. A real bargain for only \$15,500. Immediate possession. Call Chris Shlabery 224-4133 or Simon Real Estate 224-6736, 30-1

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CORNWELL - We would like to thank our friends for cards and gifts on our 25th Wedding Anniversary. Also Mr and Mrs Calvin Boak and friends for a wonderful week in Tucson, Arizona. Mr and Mrs Eugene Cornwell, 31-1p-nc

WARD - The family of Gaylord Ward wishes to express their heartfelt thanks to all their friends and neighbors for the many cards, food, prayers and words of comfort during the illness and death of our loved one. An extra special thanks is extended to Rev David Franzmeyer for his guidance and words of a "grace and to the girls w. served the afternoon dinner. 31-1p-nc

SMITH - We wish to thank Mr. O'Neil, the staff at O'Neil's nursing home and Clinton Memorial Hospital for their wonderful care. The Osgood Funeral Home, Msgr. Thomas Bolger and Fr. Albert Schmitt for their comforting words. Relatives, friends and neighbors for masses, flowers, food and cards, especially cards received on her 90th birthday. A special thanks to Mrs. Heckman and ladies who prepared the meal. The Dora Smith family, 31-1p-nc

FOX - The family of Paul Fox wishes to extend our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the many acts of kindness, sympathy, cards and the beautiful floral offerings received from our many friends, neighbors and relatives at the time of our recent loss. Our thanks to Father Robert Kolenski for his comforting words and to Gorsline-Runciman Funeral Home. Many thanks to all who brought in food and assisted in any way at the dinner. Mrs Luella Fox, Mrs. Gladys Green, 31-1p-nc

NUNEMAKER - I wish to thank Dr. Stephenson, the nurses and nurses aides, Grey Ladies of the Clinton Memorial Hospital for their excellent care during my recent illness while there. Also relatives and friends for their visits and the cards and beautiful flowers. Thanks to Rev. Bentley for his visits and prayers. Pearl Nunemaker, 31-1p-nc

HAWLEY - The family of Luther Hawley Jr. wish to express their gratitude for such thoughtfulness and generosity during their time of need. God bless you all and thanks. 31-1p-nc

CRAIG - We wish to thank our neighbors, friends and relatives for the money free, gifts and cards on our 25th anniversary. A special thanks to John, Rita, Karlene, Bob, Monica, Reta, Amy, Rhonda, Margaret and Ermina. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Craig, 31-1p-nc

MILLER - We wish to thank our friends, relatives, neighbors, St. Johns Hospital, Dr. Stephenson and Reverend Jones for a comforting message. Also, the Osgood Funeral Home for their kindness and consideration. A very special thanks to Mrs. Dorothy Beebe and family, who have so lovingly cared for Harley for a long period of time. Mr. and Mrs. Elston Miller, 31-1p

FENEIS - I wish to express my sincere thanks to Drs. Wylie and Collier, the nurses and aides at Spar-

row Hospital for their fine care and also to Rev. Francis Martin and Rev. Simon and also to Father James Schmitt and Father Gutha for their visits and prayers while confined to the hospital. Thanks to all. Norman Feneis, 31-1p

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St Johns Ordinance No. 251

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AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 245, AS AMENDED, CITY OF ST. JOHNS, MICHIGAN, KNOWN AS THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS.

THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS ORDAINS:

That the Zoning Ordinance of the City of St. Johns, and the Zoning Maps of the City of St. Johns forming a part thereof, shall be amended in the following respects:

Section 1. That the premises hereinafter described shall be rezoned from its present R-1, Low Density Residential, to GC, General Commercial.

Section 2. That the description of the affected zoning reclassification is as follows:

Beginning at the Southwest corner of the West 20 rods of the North 40 rods of Outlot M of the Original plat of the City of St. Johns, Clinton Co., Michigan according to the recorded plat thereof; thence S. 0 degrees - 15' 45" E. - 256.00 feet; thence N. 89 degrees - 20' 15" E. - 490.00 feet; thence N. 42 degrees - 20' 45" E. - 190.48 feet to the SW 1/4 corner of the Clark gas station; thence N. 46 degrees - 54' 30" W. - 290.44 feet; thence S. 42 degrees - 20' 45" W. - 115.08 feet; thence S. 89 degrees - 20' 15" W. - 329.85 feet to the place of beginning. Subject to leases, lease assignments, liens, restrictions and easements of record, except a greenbelt described as: Beginning at the Southwest corner of the West 20 rods of the North 40 rods of Outlot M of the Original Plat of the City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof; thence S 0 degrees - 15' 45" E. - 256.00 feet; thence N. 89 degrees - 20' 15" E. - 250.00 feet; thence N. 0 degrees - 15' 45" E. - 75.00 feet; thence S 89 degrees - 20' 15" W. - 175.00 feet; thence N 0 degrees 15' 45" E. - 181.00 feet; thence S 89 degrees - 20' 15" W. - 75.00 feet to the place of beginning. Subject to leases, lease assignments, liens, restrictions and easements of record.

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planted, which greenbelt shall be in lieu of 3' masonry wall.

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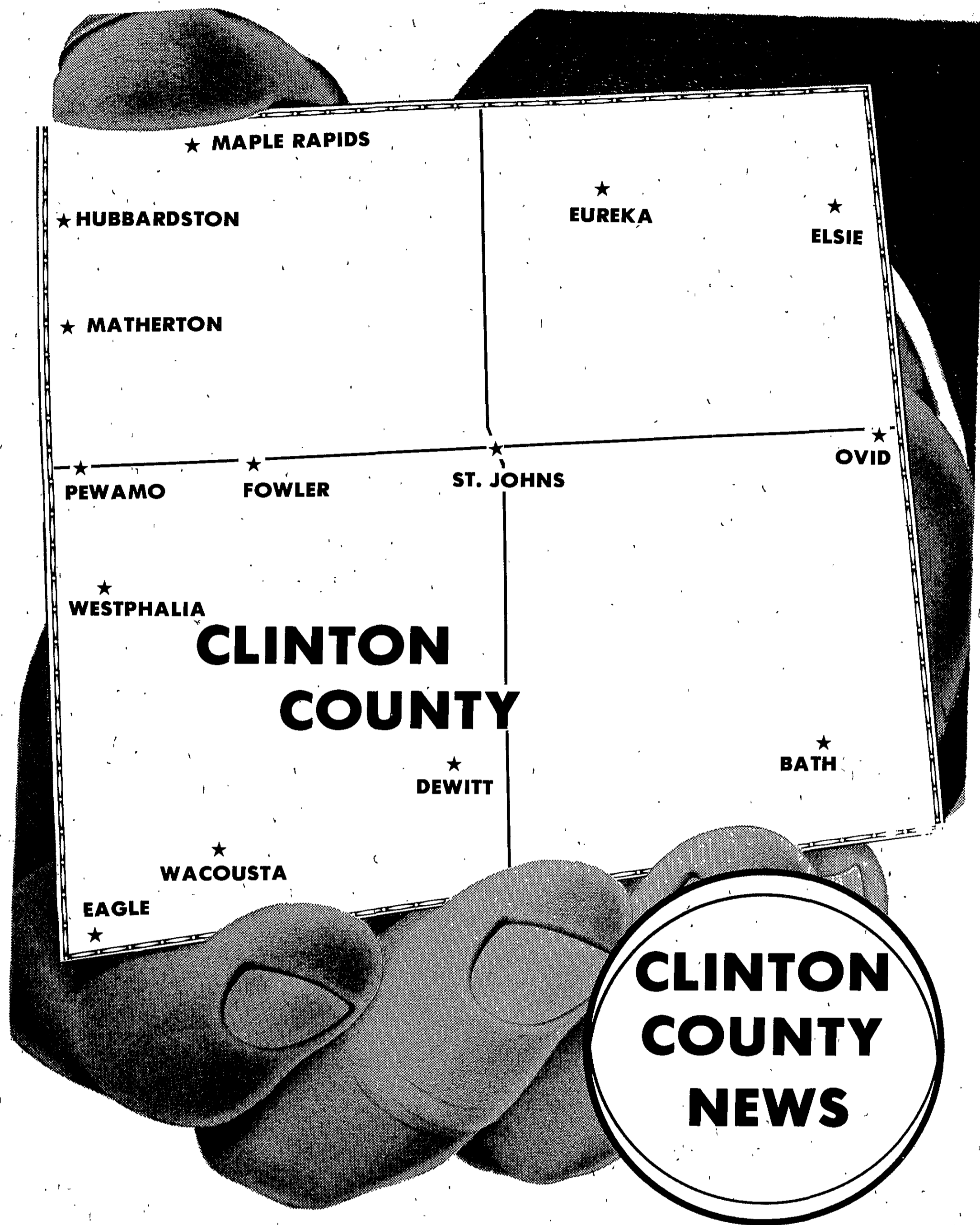
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Back Through the Years



From the Clinton County News files of 1971, 1962, 1947

ONE YEAR AGO Dec 1, 1971

Winter tax bills totaling \$957,350.03 were mailed out to City of St Johns taxpayers Nov 30, according to Eugene Simon, city treasurer. Included in this figure are unpaid 1971 summer tax and penalties in the amount of \$35,442.25.

Harold B Reed, 49, administrator of Clinton Memorial Hospital since 1958, announced Friday he will resign from that post effective Nov 30.

There is a new lawyer in town. Circuit Court Judge Leo W Corkin administered the oath of the Bar Association to Patrick R Joslyn, 30, 716 S Lansing St.

Sharon Barnes, daughter of Mr and Mrs Charles Barnes, 427 Meadowview, and Denise Maier, daughter of Mr and Mrs Dale Maier, 210 W Lincoln St, St Johns, have been selected for membership in the International Wind Ensemble from the Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp which will tour Europe in 1972.

Roman Koenigsnecht, 39, has been promoted to St Johns District plant supervisor for General Telephone, according to an announcement by W F Graef, district manager.

10 YEARS AGO Nov 29, 1962

Donations to the 1962 Clinton County Communities Chest now total \$20,100.05 with some final reports yet to be turned in, according to Leon Brewbaker, fund drive chairman.

Neither the Russian people nor their leaders want war with the US. This was the observation of Merle H Green, prominent Elsie dairy farmer, in a talk to the St. Johns Rotary on the St. Johns Redwings basketball team, 80, out to a slow start with a 55-36 non-conference defeat at the hands of Mt Pleasant.

Deer hunters in Clinton County have been unusually successful this season, according to a report by Earl Goff, Clinton County conservation officer. He estimates that over 200 deer have been legally killed.

Questions about Social Security

Q. I'm a widow getting monthly social security payments. I have a chance now to do some part-time work. Since I've never had a social security number of my own, should I use the number on my check?

A. No. The number on your check is your late husband's social security number. You should apply for your own social security number. To get one—just call, write or visit any social security office.

Q. I've just started getting retirement checks from social security. I've also been getting VA compensation. Does my VA compensation count as earnings?

A. No. Only wages and

since the season opened Nov 15.

The first rush of Christmas buying hit downtown St Johns last weekend when special pre-holiday activities brought an unusually large number of people to town.

Checks for school primary money based on \$9.33 per child listed in the 1961 school census were mailed out from the county treasurer's office. Amounts ranged from \$20,632.32 for St Johns to \$261.24 for Ovid 2 fractional.

25 YEARS AGO Nov 27, 1947

E J Martin, former St Johns school teacher, who now lives at Fremont, will formally present a system of carillon bells to the Starr Commonwealth at Albion on Thanksgiving Day.

One of the outstanding events in the history of the Duplain church of Christ occurred Sunday when the Wurlitzer organ was dedicated and formally presented to the church in memory of Lawrence M Ash, who lost his life in World War II.

A contribution from the management and employees of the St Johns division of the Sealed Power Corporation amounting to \$1,050 helped swell the fund for the new addition to Clinton Memorial Hospital to \$38,208.89.

Winter descended on Clinton County with a wet, sloppy blanket of snow that proved to be the heaviest snowfall of the season as over 6 inches fell.

Walter T Roach Post No 182 of The American Legion in Hubbardston will receive a Most Distinguished Service Citation from the Legion's National Headquarters for its highly successful membership campaign.

St Johns city taxpayers will pay \$31,600.00 more in winter taxes this year even though the tax rate is \$34.00 per thousand less than it was in 1946. The higher yield in winter taxes is due to an increase in the city's assessed valuation.

Effective Dec 1 Lester F Houghten and his son, Herb will take over ownership and management of the Merle H Green Co, grain, lumber and coal business in St Johns.



A PERSONAL LOOK AT THE NEWS

Between the lines

with Jim Edwards

My handyman talents around the home are exceeded only by my ineptitude.

Latest in the, what my wife refers to as, "Oh My God, What are you Bungling This Time?" episodes was converting a bookcase into a desk.

Sounds logical doesn't it? My wife thought it was but added, "Who are you going to get to convert the bookcase in a desk?"

"I'll do it myself," I assured her.

"LOOK, JIM, nothing personal, but why don't you just forget about it and have somebody do it for you?"

"Why should I do that?" I asked, mustering a pained look.

"For beginners," she sighed, "you might hurt yourself. You said yourself that you're the only guy in the world who cuts himself opening a can of adhesive bandages."

"Well, don't worry about it. It's very simple. All I have to do is take a couple of shelves out of the bookcase, move 1 shelf down, put a typewriter on it, stick some books on top— presto, an instant desk. Just add genius and mix well."

"I'm not going to argue with you—just do me 1 favor. When you embark on this project, warn me so our daughter won't be subjected to the whole thing."

"WHY SHOULDN'T she be around?"

"For 1 thing, it's not nice for children to see their fathers make fools of themselves and she's just learning to talk. It took me a week to make her forget some words she learned when you bumped your head on the bottom of the bathroom sink."

"Look, we said we weren't going to talk about that—remember?"

"If It Fitz . . ."

Out of the shadows

Editor, Lapeer County Press

By Jim Fitzgerald

If you're honest, you'll admit advertising has often prompted you to buy a certain product. But do you know whose idea it was that you take Alka Seltzer after winning the pie eating contest?

Or, to be more timely, let's say you voted for Nixon because you didn't want McGovern to dump 40% of Nixon's lead soldiers. Whose brilliant idea was that TV commercial showing McGovern, playing with Nixon's toys?

Candidates don't have time to create their own ads or write their own speeches. Your bumpers owe their stickers to shadowy men behind the scenes. Who are these masked men?

You may soon know. A few days after election, this ad appeared in Detroit newspapers: "Congratulations, Judge Charles L. Levin . . . We are proud to have been your advertising agency. Simons-Michelson Co Advertising."

Thus the world learned who put Levin on the Michigan Supreme Court.

If this public bragging catches on, future after-election ads may reveal such things as:

"Congratulations, Spiro Agnew, on being elected President of the United States, 2-0. We are proud to have been the chemical company which devised the gas that put the nation to sleep on election day. You and Mrs Agnew are welcome to keep those gas

"Yeah, yeah," she mumbled, "but, it's not everybody who decides a fit body comes from doing pushups in the bathroom and forgets there's a sink right above his head." Ignoring her as her voice trailed off with something that sounded dangerously close to "klutz" I began to magically change the bookcase into a desk.

AFTER AN HOUR of work (I did have someone help, but he wishes to remain nameless), I had myself a desk from what, just a short time before, was a plain old, sit-around and do nothing bookcase.

An unveiling was called for. . . so, quickly I veiled it. You can't have an unveiling if it ain't veiled in the first place.

Excitedly, I called the wife and assured her the little girl would be in no danger.

Both stood by as I prepared to whip off the plastic table cloth (the only thing I could find for the unveiling) and waited anxiously to see the newest addition to our household furnishings.

My wife admitted (for once, she knew I was right) that it looked pretty good.

I then proceeded to give her a practical demonstration and sat down to type "now, is the time for all good men etc."

IT WAS THEN I moved the carriage all the way to right—it hit the side of the bookcase-desk, and the whole silly thing crashed on my feet.

Typical of the concern shown by my family—the little girl jumped up and down laughing and wife said, "I hope both your left feet didn't hurt the typewriter—I've got to write to Ann Landers."



What is the County News?

A newspaper has many purposes. To inform the public with news and advertising is the most important, of course. Through advertising your county newspaper provides businessmen with an avenue of communication to tell you, the reader, of his services and products.

As a news media, the County News, as a strictly local newspaper, has almost a contradictory objective.

While we publish the news as it happens, we also strive to be a part of the community and to help build the community.

AT TIMES, it may seem strange that while we strive to serve the community, we publish news of a conflicting nature.

Whether it be through editorials disagreeing with actions by public officials, or publishing news stories of the "trouble at city hall" type, it is the newspaper's job to inform the citizenry.

At times, some officials question the action of a newspaper when a story is published which "makes the city, county, township, school board etc look bad."

However, they are the same people who will cheer when the large dailies uncover the bad in state or national government.

We're serving the same purpose—on the local level. When it happens here we are obligated to "tell it like it is."

WHY ARE we saying this now? And whom are we talking about?

We're saying it now because no recent story in the County News fits into the category we're discussing, and we don't want you to mistakenly feel we're pointing a finger.

But, as a newspaper covering the entire county, we cannot hesitate to publish facts we know will make someone angry.

We just want you to know that it will be published and why.

It's our job and we like to feel Clinton County residents will always be able to say, "I read it in the County News."

This is called

frugal government

Increasing the productivity of government is an important way to keep within budgetary limits, the United States Department of Labor said recently.

"Today the push is on for frugal government," said Malcolm R. Lovell, Jr, the Assistant Secretary of Labor. "It's that or increased taxes."

And where did we acquire this amazing bit of information?

In a neatly stapled 15-page booklet of news releases. We get it by mail, postage free of course, because it includes "pertinent information for the good of government."

Now this news release booklet comes out weekly. If we get it, we'll assume every newspaper in the country gets it. We presume we've found something interesting in it once or twice a year.

This is frugal government? It would be wonderful if the assistant secretary meant what he said. Obviously he didn't.

Savings on government waste that would allow funds be redirected towards solving big problems would be something to see. But we won't get it when the man recommending the frugality tells his story through 15-page weekly news releases, filled with drivel, written by dozens of well-paid publicists, circulated free through a postal mail.

Arenac County Independent



Laughing with Lee

by Lee Peters

"FOR YOUR information," Dad said as he rose from the dinner table, "I've been asked to appear in a national magazine as the male nude centerfold."

"You sure it wasn't an invitation from Jack and Jill on what the well-dressed grandpa is wearing this year," she asked? "Besides it's getting so close to Christmas and you know how the grandkids say how much you remind them of Santa because when you laugh your belly shakes like a bowl full of jelly. It could be risky," she snickered.

"No Mom," my 15-year-old brother explained, "it doesn't make any difference because the pinup is a coverup." He proceeded to give his interpretation of Henry Kissinger lying down on the job.

"Well good for him," Dad surged on. "But here's how it is in my case as he sang put."

"Ok, ok, you've made your point," Dad answered dejectedly. "But just think of it," he said giving it 1 last try. "I could be on the refrigerators of millions of housewives across the country."

"Not unless they've got a cold cuts keeper," Mom laughed boomerily.

"LEFTOVER, leftovers," Dad muttered as he threw another bite of cheesecake in his mouth, "it should have been mincemeat pie."

A FARM FANTASY

Sing a song of sixpence
Give a world of try
Farming is a real sport
When the goose hangs high;
'Course it takes a fortune
In case you didn't know
Never risk involvement
'Less you've worlds of dough!

Lone wolves never make it
Though it looks a dream
All those juicy "windfalls"
Are not what they seem;
Cosis of operation
Multiply each day
Weather and high taxes
Join to cause foul play!

With a vested income
From a set payroll
Plus financial backing
You can raise the toll;
Long hard hours of labor
In the cold and sun
Never make it easy,
But it's lots of fun!

WARREN E DOBSON



View from the Senate

By SEN. WILLIAM S. BALLENGER

With everything that it's all too easy for us to find wrong with the state of the state, maybe the spirit of the Thanksgiving season should find Michigan residents thankful for many blessings these days.

In comparison with other states, such blessings include:

A PUBLIC EDUCATIONAL system that, despite stresses and strains here and there, is one of the better ones in the nation and one that is showing signs of improving.

One of the nation's finest State Police organizations—strong on public service and public relations and firm, but fair, in dealing with the public.

One of the top-rated Departments of Natural Resources, rich in talented staff, members in many fields although, unfortunately, in need of improvement in one that counts heavily—public relations.

A highly-dedicated Highway Department that has provided Michigan with a network of excellent toll-free highways second to none in the United States.

An alert State Agriculture Department that currently is battling to protect Michigan

citizens against attempts by three national meat packers to foist on them products that are inferior (snouts, lips, testicles, esophagi) to standards set up by the Legislature.

A CIVIL SERVICE system that, until recently at least, has resisted efforts to lower standards of employment in state service—primarily from the Civil Rights Commission.

An enthusiastic Tourist Council that is proud of Michigan's many great natural and man-made attractions—the Great Lakes, Mackinac Straits Bridge, Mackinac Island, Soo Locks, sand dunes, Hartwick pines, Bluewater and Ambassador Bridges, Tahquamenon Falls, Porcupine Mountains, Irish Hills, trout streams, ski facilities, salmon fishing, sandy beaches—and is stepping up its efforts to convince more out-of-staters to enjoy them with us.

A determined Governor, surrounded by a progressive young staff, not afraid to step out and lead the people in the quest for what he believes is best for all, even knowing that the leader in front occasionally leaves himself vulnerable for a kick from the rear—such as in

tax and abortion reform issues.

A Legislature that fends off the slings and arrows of critics in pushing through a strong legislative program that included stronger anti-pollution laws; no-fault auto insurance; a Presidential Primary election; a state lottery (after the Constitution was changed by a vote of the people); better consumer protection laws; improved educational opportunities; more opportunities for young people; and expanded drug abuse and alcoholism programs.

A vigorous and expanding economy that, despite some pockets of unemployment enables Michigan to continue to be one of the most progressive states in the nation.

A GROUP OF ATHLETIC teams—including the University of Michigan, Michigan State University, Detroit Tigers, Detroit Lions, Detroit Redwings and Detroit Pistons—that, although not always champions, give Michigan sports fans plenty to cheer about over the years.

In this Thanksgiving season, maybe it's time to tally up Michigan's many blessings!

Art teachers honor Ballenger

State Senator William S. Ballenger (R-Owosso) has been honored by Michigan art teachers for "his outstanding leadership and interest in the arts."

The Michigan Art Education Association, meeting in Lansing for a 4-day fall conference, gave special recognition to Ballenger following his participation in a panel discussion, "Assessment and Accountability in Michigan Education." He was also the keynote speaker at last year's MAEA convention at Boyne Highlands and is a member of the special Joint House-Senate Committee on the Status of the Arts.

Ballenger was presented

with an original work of art done by Roy Henley, a student in Mrs. Phyllis Conger's advanced art class in the Owosso High School.

The 31-year-old lawmaker stated that he was "extremely honored to have been selected for this award. I strongly believe that we must change the thinking of many educators and parents alike who feel that the arts are an expendable frill and need not be an integral part of the school curriculum. Through my contact with the MAEA I am more committed than ever to promoting increased exposure of all students to the arts throughout their K-12 educational experience."

Sheriffs' report issued for state

LANSING -- Sheriffs' deputies in Michigan investigated 38,644 complaints and booked more than 11,500 prisoners during the month of October, according to a report issued by Lester Almstadt, President of the Michigan Sheriffs Association and Sheriff of Macomb County.

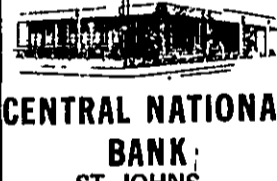
Total complaints for the month were 10% above the September figure, while prisoner bookings rose more than 15%, Almstadt reported.

There also was a substantial increase in the number of motor vehicle accidents that sheriffs' road patrol deputies were called upon to investigate during October. Of the 6152 accidents investigated during the month, 75 involved loss of life. These fatal accidents claimed the lives of 84 persons, Almstadt said. The preceding month, approximately 4700 motor vehicle accidents were investigated by sheriff's deputies.

Marine accidents dropped

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considerably in October, but still seven persons lost their lives in 11 boating mishaps. Sheriffs' deputies issued only 13 boating citations in October, compared to 232 the previous month.

Michigan Sheriffs' deputies also issued nearly 9500 civil and criminal citations (including traffic violations and other misdemeanors) in October, Almstadt's report showed.

Shepardville

Mr and Mrs Gary White and daughter of Pontiac were recent callers of Mrs. Effie Wilson.

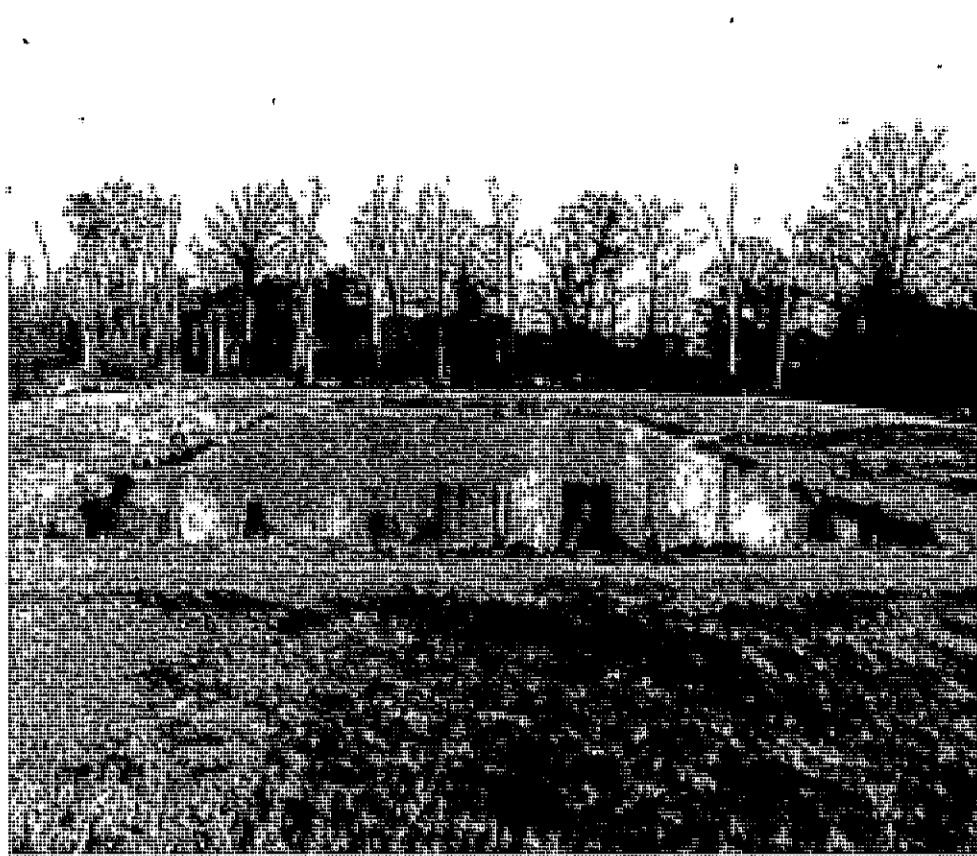
Mrs Irene Reed is a patient at St. Johns Hospital. She has been there for some time. Her condition is not too good.

Mrs Roy Chamberlain had surgery Wednesday morning at the Owosso Memorial Hospital. At this writing she is coming along as well as can be expected.

Mr Don Chamberlain of Bradenton, Florida is spending a few days with his father, Roy Chamberlain.

The people of the Shepardville community extend their sympathy to the family of Alfred Cramer whose funeral was on Wednesday afternoon. He had been ill for several weeks.

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Pond makes attractive addition

The above picture of the Howard Hess pond in Duplain Township shows what an attractive addition a pond can make to your farm or property. If you have a suitable site for a pond, you can have your own fishing and swimming "hole," and

ice skating rink. It can provide a source of water for fire protection, livestock and wildlife, and water for irrigation and spraying.

If you are classified as a farmer, cost-sharing under the Rural Environmental Assistance Program is

available to help in the cost of the construction of your pond. Thirteen farmers received this help in 1972.

Contact the Clinton County Soil Conservation office at 100 S Ottawa if you would like assistance in determining if you have a suitable pond site.



Election reform

Rep. Douglas Trezise
87th District

Expert observers of the political process will undoubtedly be philosophizing about, ruminating over and predicting what the results of the recent election mean in terms of state and national policy from now until our next election. One consequence of the election is very clear however, and that is that election reform will surely be a hot topic in the State Legislature in the coming months.

The discussion began again, almost as soon as the polls closed, over the problems some voters faced, on election day when they went to vote. Most of the problems "are" essentially logistical in that ballots continue to get longer and longer while at the same time the voting lines are lengthening.

Michigan, by the way, experienced the highest voter turnout in her history on November 7th. The 1960 record of 3.3 million was broken as over 3,475,219 Michigan citizens cast their

ballots.

Along with the obvious problems which arise when higher than usual numbers of people turn out, the ballot was exceptionally long, especially in some local areas. Detroit, for example, asked voters to make decisions on over 75 items, but in most areas of the state there were complaints of unreasonably long waits in line in order to vote as voters seemed to be taking longer to register their decisions on the many candidates and issues facing them.

THE CHAIRMAN of the State Democratic Party made some suggestions, on election reform recently which ranged from the reasonable to ridiculous (such as extending an election period for 2 days so that voters had a longer time to vote). It is certain, however, that the Legislature will have to give consideration to election reforms to alleviate the problems of lengthening ballots and waiting lines so

that the citizen may exercise his voting privilege without undue hardship.

Among the possible changes (is the moving of some election contests to the odd-year election. As you may know, we have a state-wide election scheduled for every November beginning in 1973 but, as you know, only local offices will appear on the odd-year ballot. Additional local and state-wide positions could be moved to that election to reduce the size of the ballot in even numbered years.

Although the Democratic chairman, in St. Joseph, Michigan, Republicans for present voting conditions saying that "they don't want a big turnout" I feel that I can speak for all of my Republican colleagues when I say that we will be working as hard as anyone to find solutions to these problems to make voting easier for all citizens.



By: ELAINE CINCALA
County Extension Office

The Home Economist

If your Christmas list is growing but your cash is shrinking steadily, you may be tempted to use a "buy now - pay later" plan, but you have to pay the money back, and you may pay extra for the service.

To determine whether a credit plan will cure or only add to your Christmas shopping woes, ask these questions:

1. Do you have to struggle to meet everyday expenses like rent and groceries?
2. Are you unable to keep up with the credit payments you already owe?

If you answer either of these questions with "yes", new or additional credit buying is not recommended.

IF YOUR finances are sound now, look into the future. What will your financial situation be when the payments come due? Are there large seasonal expenses looming ahead that will compete with the funds you need to pay for your credit? Will an additional credit payment every month leave you without a financial cushion to fall back on in emergencies?

Stolz visits

Clinton twice

ST JOHNS -- Congressman Elford A. Cederberg's liaison man, Ronald W. Stolz, will be visiting Clinton County twice this month.

He will be at the county courthouse in St. Johns Monday, Dec 4 from 1 pm to 3 pm.

He will also be at the courthouse Monday, Dec 18 from 10 am to 12 noon.

Cederberg reminds those who might have a problem with a Federal agency to take any documents that might help to identify his case to St. Johns.

Fowler News

Mr and Mrs Duane Boak and family, Patrick Thelen of Grand Rapids and Marilyn Simon of Kalamazoo were dinner guests Sunday of Mr and Mrs Clair Thelen and family.

Will the gifts outlast the repayment period? This consideration is especially important if you are thinking of using credit to purchase children's toys.

Another credit cost to consider is the goods or services you could buy or the interest you could earn if you had the use of the money instead of paying it out in finance charges.

If an examination of your finances leaves you convinced that credit buying is appropriate, shop for the credit as carefully as you shop for the gifts Mrs Ferrar suggests.

Credit unions, banks, small loan companies, sales finance companies and pawn shops offer loans; and department stores, specialty shops, appliance stores, auto sales firms and discount stores offer retail sales credit.

MICHIGAN LAWS set top limits on the finance charges each kind of cash lender may make, and on the finance charges a retailer may make on each kind of sales transaction. A credit union may charge up to 12 per cent annually, while a bank may charge up to 12.7 per cent and a small loan company up to 30 per cent. Retail firms are allowed to charge up to

20.4 per cent on revolving charge accounts.

These figures suggest that there may be an advantage in getting a cash loan to pay for your purchase rather than buying it on revolving credit from the retailer.


Since rates less than the maximum are often offered, careful comparison shopping for good credit buys can be a big money saver in return for the time you invest. Be sure that each credit source tells you the annual percentage rate of his finance charges. Otherwise your rate comparisons will mean nothing.

SHOP FOR good credit buys independent of your merchandise buys, and then choose the combination of credit terms and merchandise that will be the best buy.

Whether buying on credit or borrowing money, be sure to read what you are signing and understand what you are promising. If you have any questions, ask a company official or someone else you trust before signing any papers. Then your holiday giving will not turn into a jinx on your future.

Thanks to Barbara Ferrar, MSU specialist for this information.

This is Sam Serrell Week



Most people know that Sam is the "head-master" at Rodney B. Wilson Junior High School, but beyond that he is among our community's most active supporters. Numerous projects have felt the influence of his efforts, not the least of which is the currently successful United Fund drive, on which Sam served as county chairman after years of participation on the committee. In addition, he has another busy year coming up as he will move from first vice-president to president when the St. Johns Lions Club installs officers for their new year. Our appreciation goes to Sam Serrell for his concern and willingness to work to make our community a finer place in which to live.

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Pewamo

Mrs Betty O'Handusky of Grand Rapids and Arnold Haltis were visitors at the Ionia Manor Thursday, Nov 8, visiting Arnold's father Frank Hattis.

Mrs Irene Fedewa and Ed Fedewa attended the wedding of Perrence Lawless and Victoria Donovan at St Patrick's Catholic Church in Portland at 7 pm with Bishop Donovan of Kalamazoo officiating. A reception following was held at the American Legion Hall, Portland. The wedding took place Friday Nov 10.

Mrs Vera Cook and Mrs Joan Daniels spent the past weekend in Chicago.

Mrs Dorothy Parks and Harry Hattis spent Sunday Nov 12 at the home of Mr and Mrs Alden Kirvan and family at Maple Rapids.

St Joseph Parish Pewamo is not having a Thanksgiving clothing campaign this year.

NOTICE

The Village of Ovid will hold a public hearing December 18, 1972 for the purpose of adopting ordinance number 61.

ORDINANCE NO. 61

AN ORDINANCE TO REJECT THE FLUORIDATION OF WATER IN THE VILLAGE OF OVID, COUNTY OF CLINTON, STATE OF MICHIGAN. THE VILLAGE OF OVID ORDAINS:

Section 1. Pursuant to the provisions of Public Act 346 of 1968, being MSA 14.528 (102), the governing body of the Village of Ovid hereby rejects the fluoridation of water supplied to the public for possible human consumption, by the Village of Ovid, Clinton County, Michigan.

Section 2. All previous ordinances of the Village of Ovid, or parts thereof, which conflict with the provisions herein set forth are repealed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect 20 days after its passage.

Dale Crosslan
Village Clerk

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4-H Chatter

Woodham is new council president

By JOHN AYLSWORTH



The Clinton County 4-H Leaders Council organized for 1973 and elected Richard Woodhams of St Johns as president.

Other officers include Bob Vitok of St Johns as vice president and Margaret Schaefer of DeWitt as secretary-treasurer. Four new Council members elected at the 4-H Leaders Banquet attended the meeting including Pat Purhill (NE), Marie Thelen (NW), Margaret Schaefer (SW) and Annabelle Faivor (SE). The four Council members whose terms expired on the Council include Russ Libey (NE), Donna Smith (NW), Jeanette Beachnau (SW) and George Hazle (SE). George Hazle gave a report on the 4-H Toronto trip which consisted of a group of 37 4-H'ers and 4 leaders from Clinton and Shiawassee County. A report was given on the 4-H Leaders Banquet, 4-H Bonanza and the County Flat Book being updated for 1973. Dates were announced for Spring Achievement Project Evaluation of March 17, Open House on March 18 and 4-H Style Revue on March 24. The Council voted to sponsor the 4-H Poster Contest and one year subscriptions of the National 4-H News Magazine for new leaders.

"Living in the Nuclear Age" is the new 4-H TV series being taught to the 7 and 8 grade students at St Johns Junior High and Fowler School under the leadership of Ray Ebert and Tom Hutton of St Johns and Dean Breadwell of Fowler. There are 311 students from St Johns and 53 students participating from Fowler in this series of 6 30-minute programs plus classroom discussion and activities.

"Ton", the animated star of the program, makes learning fun as he brings the atom to life, unravels the mysteries of fission and fusion and points up the tremendous peacetime potential of nuclear energy.

along with the simple measures one can take to protect himself from radiation hazards. Mel Blanc, best known as the voice of Bugs Bunny, does the voice of "Ton" and the other three animated characters in the films.

The next 4-H glass collection will be Saturday, Dec 2. People in St Johns are urged to set their glass bottles out by the curb by 10 am to be picked up by the Teen Leaders while people outside of St Johns are urged to bring their glass bottles to the Fairgrounds. The total glass collection to date includes over 400,000 pounds of glass bottles recycled into new products.

4-H members planning to enroll in the 4-H beef steer project are reminded that they need to have their steers registered at the Extension Office and on feed by Jan 1. If the members plan on entering the steers in the Rate of Gain contest the animals need to be weighed also.

The Happy Hustlers 4-H members voted to donate \$5 toward the 4-H motorcycle transportation project in Belize (British Honduras). They were the first club to contribute money toward this international project. Members made Christmas favors to be given to a nursing home during the club's Christmas caroling on Monday, Dec 11. Each member is to bring 25¢ for a sharing gift. Eric Brockmyre gave a demonstration on ceramics and Fran Riley gave a talk on her 4-H trip to Toronto, Canada.

The Nimble Fingers 4-H Club members will be holding a Christmas party at their next meeting on Dec 11 at Smith Hall. There will be a 75¢ gift exchange. Fair premiums and awards were presented to the members. Demonstrations were given by Debbie Geller, Sally Buggs, Terry Barker, Bonnie Isler and Brenda Bancroft.

The Elsie 4 Corners 4-H members and family enjoyed a family potluck dinner. Fair premiums and awards were presented to the members. Each member gave a short talk on the exhibit they took to the Fair. New 4-H leaders working with the club include Mrs Thelma Whitaker, Mrs Bob White and Mrs Irene Baert. Mrs Ray Peck, the club's organizational leader, received a table centerpiece from the members in appreciation for her service to 4-H. The Andy Cobb family have been involved in 4-H work for 25 years.

The Ear Floppers 4-H members voted to meet every other Wednesday evening. Kirk Barnard gave a report on the Cornell School Assembly that he, Kevin Glanz and Cindy Cronk attended. The members discussed the Nov 27 meeting with the Ovid Lions Club and a future program for the Stanwood Lions Club father-daughter banquet. The members discussed their roller skating activity and voted to give a gift to the Bath Lions Club in appreciation of their support in the dog program.

The Willing Workers 4-H members discussed their Christmas party, roller skating activity and contributing some money for Belize (British Honduras) 4-H program. Joan Witt gave a talk on the importance of keeping good records for 4-H. The club's next meeting will be a Christmas party on Dec 12, Riley Elementary School, 7:30 pm with each member to bring a gift for an exchange.

One hundred twenty-seven 4-H members and guests participated in the second 4-H roller skating activity Nov 16 at the Ranch Roller Rink in St Johns. The Dec 21 4-H roller skating activity will involve only the Fowler Busy Bees 4-H club with 127 members who will also hold a Christmas party at the hall.

Green attends MMPA confab

Velmar Green, an Elsie area dairy farmer, attended the annual meeting of the National Milk Producers Federation Nov 28-29 in New York City.

The National Milk Producers Federation is an organization of dairy farmer cooperatives from all parts of the nation. Green is a member of the board of

directors of Michigan Milk Producers Association, a statewide dairy farmer cooperative, and a NMPP member.

TRouble-MAKER Ignorance ceases to be bliss the minute some joker takes it upon himself to put people wise.

Agriculture in Action

One of the leading by-products of American agriculture is cash - the money that pours in from other countries in exchange for our farm products exported to them.

Of course, very little of that cash finds its way into farmers' pockets, but the fact still remains, farm products are our nation's leading money-making exports in the world market.

With total sales of agriculture exports at nearly \$8 billion a year, they contribute more than anything else to the difficult job of maintaining a "balance of payments." This is the term

you hear politicians bouncing around. It merely means to even up the dollars we spend for imports with the dollars we receive for exports.

It may surprise you to learn that rice leads the list of farm exports, with nearly sixty per cent of all the crop grown in the US going to foreign customers. About half of the wheat and soybeans grown by US farmers ends up abroad; two-fifths of the cattle hides and tallow and over a third of the tobacco and cotton find their way into foreign trade.

At the present time, we export more than any other country, which is about one-sixth of the world's total farm products and exports are increasing each year.

Some one hundred and fifty countries buy our agriculture exports. Leading the list is Japan. Other leading customers include Canada, the Netherlands, England, West Germany, Italy, Spain, France, Belgium and now the USSR.

The next time you hear a politician expound about how he will help the farmer, ask him what his position is on foreign trade and what effect it will have on agriculture exports.

Shepardsville

Mr and Mrs Francis Hall have returned home after spending the past two weeks touring the southwestern part of our country. They visited relatives in California and Arizona. They also looked over the Grand Canyon and the Petrified Forest.

Lee Ann Flegle of Grand Rapids and Dane Flegle of Dowagiac spent the Thanksgiving holiday with their parents, Mr and Mrs Wayne Flegle, Pamela and Mark.

Village of Fowler Council meeting

November 13, 1972 Regular Meeting

The Regular Meeting was called to order by President Pettit at 7:00 pm.

Roll call was taken: Present - Rademacher, McKean, Smith, Thelen, Koenigsnecht, Braun. Absent - None. Motion by Smith to accept the minutes as read. Supported by Rademacher. Motion carried.

Current bills in the amount of \$967.24 were presented. Motion by Rademacher to pay all current bills. Supported by Braun. Motion carried.

Motion by Rademacher that effective Jan 1, 1973, the sewer hook-up charge will be raised to \$150.00. Supported by Smith. Roll call vote. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Rademacher that effective Jan 1, 1973, the water hook-up charge will be raised to \$135.00 plus \$15.00 for outside recorder. Supported by Smith. Roll call vote. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by McKean to instruct our President to sign the Recreation Project Agreement with the Dept. of Natural Resources, and that we accept bids until Dec 20, 1972, with a completion date on the building of May 15, 1973, and the lighting to be completed by June 1, 1973. Supported by Koenigsnecht. Motion carried.

Motion by Koenigsnecht that the Village of Fowler pass the following Resolution - Be it resolved that the Village of Fowler will use the International Tractor, mower and accessories for lagoon maintenance only, per the requirements of the Lagoon Construction grant. Resolution supported by McKean and adopted.

Motion by McKean that the Village of Fowler sign the Standard Street Lighting Contract with Consumers Power Co. Supported by Koenigsnecht. Motion carried.

Motion by Rademacher to adjourn the meeting. Supported by McKean. Motion carried.

Catherine Rademacher Village Clerk

Middlebury News

There will be a family night-reception to honor newlyweds, Mr and Mrs James VanDyne at the Middlebury United Methodist Church Saturday evening, November 25 with Bunny Semans, Margaret and Helen Potter as hostesses. A cooperative supper will be served at 8:00 pm. All friends and relatives are cordially invited to attend.

The Middlebury United Methodist Women will meet in the dining room of the church Tuesday, Nov 28, with Margaret Potter, Florence Garber and Margaret Furry as hostesses. Cooperative dinner at 12:00 noon sharp. Esther Semans will be



Farm Tips

Moldy corn

By WILLIAM LASHER Extension Agriculture Agent

There have been cases of livestock poisoning from feeding moldy corn in

southern and central Michigan. Only a limited number of molds that attack

corn can cause livestock poisoning but it is very difficult to tell which ones they are. If you have moldy corn, and most people do, any change that feed should be made very gradual. Watch your animals closely for symptoms of poisoning.

Symptoms of livestock may include: lack of appetite, reduced feed consumption, loss of milk production, diarrhea, abortion, fertility, blood in the urine or feces and others. Swine are more prone to vomiting and death than cattle.

may help state's corn growers

The grain loan program offered by the US Department of Agriculture may be used to good advantage by Michigan farmers if this year's bumper crop materializes according to Arthur Rowley, chairman of the Michigan State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

Any producer who participated in the 1972 Feed Grain Program is eligible for Commodity Credit Cor-

poration loans on corn and grain sorghum. Program participation is not required for loans on soybeans.

Rowley pointed out that producers can borrow on their 1972 crops stored at the farm or in approved warehouse space and receive the cash immediately at 3-1/2 percent interest. With Michigan's 1972 corn crop now estimated in excess of 135 million bushels, storage for this year's corn crop may be a problem in some areas.

Rowley stated that the reconcentration loan program recently announced by Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Carroll G. Brunthaver will help corn growers obtain commodity loans in designated storage short areas. This action has been taken in order to find shelter to the extent possible for corn that needs it. Under this program, a grower who participated in the Set-Aside Program but does not have corn storage space and cannot now find approved warehouse storage may obtain a corn loan based on his own county loan rate, even though the corn is moved by CCC to the terminal destination for storage.

He explained that under this system, the producer would retain equity in his corn and can redeem his loan by a cash settlement with CCC based on a local market price on a date selected by the producer during the loan period which he feels is the best time to sell his corn. Rowley pointed out that the reconcentration loans will not be available in any area unless the area has been approved by the State ASC Committee as a storage-shortage area based on surveys being conducted by the local County Committees.

Procedures and instructions have been forwarded to all Michigan ASC County Committees.

MOLDY CORN should be dried immediately if possible. This will stop further mold growth but will not destroy the toxic poisons already present. High moisture corn in a silo that ferments properly will stop further growth of the molds. Fermentation in a silo may destroy some of the poisons but this is not known for sure.

If you have moldy corn change to feeding it gradually and watch your animals closely for any symptoms. Dilution of moldy corn with oats, other corn or some other grain helps to prevent toxic effects.

Be very cautious when feeding moldy corn to young and pregnant animals, as they are most vulnerable to mold poisons.

If moldy corn is fed to swine it should be fed as shelled or ear corn. The hogs will do a good job of sorting the good corn from the bad when given the chance. Grinding and mixing the corn forces them to eat the moldy feed. Attempts to increase feed consumption by adding molasses or similar products to the ration usually fail. The best situation is to introduce moldy corn gradually into the ration and then watch your animals closely.

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The dynamic story of Tommy Cash

Tommy Cash is one of the most dynamic young singers in country music.

Rugged looking, poised, gifted, he makes the air crackle with excitement when he steps up to the microphone.

"Six White Horses," was his first big hit. It jumped quickly to number one in the popularity charts and sold more than a quarter of a million records.

And then almost before the echoes had died down Tommy's next hit, "Rise and Shine," zoomed high into the charts. It sold more than 200,000 copies.

And all at once Tommy Cash was making success look easy.

It did not happen all that fast, of course. Lasting success, built on a solid foundation, is never really easy to achieve; and Tommy Cash will tell you that very frankly. He has worked hard.

The Tommy Cash triumph in a very real sense is also an Epic Records and Glenn Sutton success story.

Tommy was the find of 1969 on Epic, a label with a strong reputation as a star builder. He signed with Epic in March, 1969 and his first release, "Your Lovin' Takes the Leavin' Out of Me," was an instant success.

Sutton, Tommy's producer and long-time friend, quickly lined up Tommy's first album, with the same title, and it too was a winner. Then came "Six White Horses" and finally an incredibly rich album titled "Six White Horses" and containing both Tommy's new hits plus a dramatic and impressive blend of new and old country tunes.

At about that time Tommy organized his personal band which he calls, The Tom Cats.

Tommy Cash did not really plan to go into show business, he admits with a smile, but music has always been such an important part of his life that his singing career seemed predestined

and inescapable.

He is the youngest of 7 children - four boys and three girls - of a Mississippi County, Arkansas farm family. His middle brother, of course, is the legendary Johnny Cash.

"The whole family has always been interested in music, Tommy recalls, "but Johnny and I are the only ones who ever went into it professionally."

Tommy spent his early years in Arkansas and in 1956 following his sophomore year in high school his parents moved to Memphis. A star athlete he led Memphis Treadwell High School to two highly successful basketball seasons as a guard and floor captain. His scoring average was nearly 18 points a game. He also found time to play baseball and to sing with his own combo beginning at age 16.

Following graduation he worked briefly as a grocery clerk before joining the U.S. Army.

"And that's where I really got my education in country music," he recalls.

He was shipped to Frankfurt, Germany and became a disc jockey for American Forces Network Europe. His radio show "Stickbuddy Jamboree" was heard all over Europe and had a listening audience of 20 million persons, both military personnel and civilians.

"I even got fan mail from behind the Iron Curtain," Cash said, "but what really helped me was having access to a library containing more than a million pieces of music plus written material on all the stars, past and present."

His show became the most popular on the network, and it has remained on the air.

Tommy also organized a band and entertained troops at various service clubs. He was immersed in music for the first time and it was an exciting experience.

After three years in the Army Tommy became a disc

jockey at KWAM in Memphis, but this job was cut short when President John F. Kennedy re-called thousands of Army reservists for a year's service during a national emergency. Tommy was among the group recalled.

Back in civilian life again he explored several career opportunities. He worked for

two years as manager of a music publishing firm, did some music promotion work, and finally trained for a while with Holiday Inns for a possible career in hotel management.

And then as it had happened so often before, the music business beckoned again. Pappy Daily of Musicor Records insisted on cutting a session with Cash.

The result was good and encouraging.

Several other records followed quickly including "That's Where My Baby Used to Be," "Tobacco Road" and "The Sounds of Goodbye."

And then Epic Records and Tommy Cash found each other and the show business lightning began to crackle.

Valley Farms-DeWitt

Mrs Leo Hanson who was injured in a bus accident in Greece 2 weeks ago is now at EWS hospital, room 812.

Valley Farms Hobby Club met at the home of Mrs Ken Richards Nov 16 at 8 pm with Mrs Vern Keefer as co-hostess. Fourteen members were present. During the meeting Christmas ideas were presented and miniature recipe holders were made. Plans were made to remember the patients at the Clinton County Infirmary at Christmas time.

Mrs Ken Richards, received the mystery gift. The Christmas party will be held at the Deacon's Bench in Grand Ledge, Tuesday, Dec 5, with a dinner and exchange of secret pal gifts.

Installation of DeWitt Lodge #272 F A&M officers will be held on Dec 9 with a dinner at 6 o'clock and installation of officers at 7:30. DeWitt Chapter O.E.S. is in charge of the dinner.

Regular meeting and Christmas program of DeWitt chapter O.E.S. will be held Thursday, Dec 14 at 8 pm. Mrs Ken Richards, program chairman and Mrs

William McCain, refreshments chairman. There will be at \$1.00 gift exchange.

Mrs Henry Wohlert flew to Sault Ste Marie last weekend to attend the wedding of her cousin, Janet Hube.

Henry Wohlert returned Sunday with a 4 point buck. Mr and Mrs Ken Richards called on Mrs Leo Hanson, Stanley Smith and Russell Englehardt at E.W.S. hospital last Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs Henry Wohlert spent Thanksgiving day with their nephew and family, Mr and Mrs Wayne Newman of Archbold, Ohio.

WILLIAM RICHARDS of Lansing and Mrs Richard Finley of St Johns were Thanksgiving guests of Mr and Mrs Ken Richards.

Joe Hunter and Ken Richards called on Stanley Smith last Friday pm.

At a recent meeting held at the St Johns Masonic Temple, Mr Herbert Fizzell was presented with 50 year awards as a member of the St Johns Knight Templar Commandary #24 and of the Royal Arch Masons Chapter #45. Mr Fizzell joined the R.A.M. Chapter in 1918.

Auxiliary presents corsages

ST. JOHNS - The Edwin T Stiles Unit 153 of the American Legion Auxiliary met Tuesday, Nov 21, president Ann Walker

presiding. Following the business meeting, Past President Farley and Gold Star Chairman Joyce Karber,

introduced Unit Gold Star mother Doris Downing and presented her with a gold mum corsage.

Past Unit Presidents were also honored and presented with corsages. Those present were Marjorie Pardee, Etta Smith, Jean Dunham, Ann Walker, Kay Mishler and Jean Bartholomew.

The next regular meeting is Dec 19 at 8 pm and all members are reminded that there will be a \$1 gift exchange as part of the Christmas program.

Sheriff's Posse sponsors Country Music Spectacular

Tommy Cash and the Tom Cats will be the featured attraction Dec 1 at St Johns High School when the Clinton County Sheriff's Posse sponsors a Country Music Spectacular.

General admission tickets are \$2 for the evening of country music beginning at 7:30 pm in the high school gymnasium. Appearing with Cash and his group will be Bobby Smith, Joy Jean, Chantel Ann, Uncle Jack Hillsinger, Neil Trainer, Jesse & Kathy and other country-western performers.

Proceeds will be used to purchase uniforms for the members of the Sheriff's Posse.

North Bengal
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Nov 18, Rev and Mrs H E Rossow, Mr and Mrs Louis Moritz, Mrs Edward Moritz, Mrs William Ernst and Maxine Ernst attended an open house at the home of Mr and Mrs Herman Noller of rural Hubbardston in honor of their 40th wedding anniversary. The Ernsts were among the supper guests entertained at the Noller home.

Mrs Ida Tiedt came to the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Fred H Tiedt at Fowler Nov 14 after being a patient at the Clinton Memorial Hospital for 8 weeks following a broken hip.

Mr and Mrs J D Bencroft and children of SW Dallas were Friday evening, Nov 17 visitors of Mr and Mrs William Ernst and Maxine.

Mr and Mrs Clare Moritz and son, Randy of rural Grand Ledge ate supper on

Sunday, Nov 19 with his parents, Mr and Mrs Louis Moritz and family.

In honor of the first birthday of their granddaughter Sherry Lynn Thelen of Fowler, Mr and Mrs Floyd Goerch were among the guests entertained at the home of Sherry's parents, Mr and Mrs Steve Thelen Sunday afternoon, Nov 19. Ice cream and birthday cake were served the guests and the little birthday girl received many nice gifts and cards.

Miss Maxine Ernst accompanied Mrs Robert Beckhorn of Ionia to the Eastwood Mall at Grand Rapids Thursday Nov 16 where they attended the Antique Show. Maxine was an overnight guest at the Beckhorn home.

Saturday evening, Nov 18, Robert Eldridge, Mr and Mrs Rudolph Tiedt and Mr and Mrs Erwin Tiedt attended a dinner and card party at the home of Mr and Mrs Lorenz Tiedt of St Johns. Mrs Eldridge cared for her mother while the Fred Tiedts attended the party.

Rev and Mrs H E Rossow and Mrs Herman Rossow entertained at a pre-Thanksgiving and birthday supper at their home on Saturday evening, Nov 18. Guests were David Rossow of Ferris State College at Big Rapids, Mr and Mrs Richard Rossow and son, Justin, of Flint and Mr and Mrs Arthur Schneider of Lincoln Park, Mrs Richard Rossow had a birthday Nov 20.

Mr and Mrs Herman Noller of rural Hubbardston visited Mr and Mrs William Ernst on Wednesday, Nov 15. Phillip Tiedt spent a few days at the beginning of the deer hunting season up north hunting with friends.

Bath honor roll

SPECIAL ED
Debbie Grimes, Francine Neal.

SENIOR
Reva Ackels, Larry Anderson, Ruth Barker, Nancy Barks, Debbie Barr, Bonnie Benda, Jim Black, Dan Bragdon, Sharon Brown, LuAnn Doener, Darci Easlick, Patricia Higbee, Robin Jensen, Elaine Ketchum, Randy King, Dixie Knoebel, Susan LaPratt, *Gene McAdams, Mary McGonigal, Mark Reblin, Richard Reed, Cheryl Schafer, Jeannine Seeger, Carla Siebert, Jeff Smith, Irene Snay, Laurel Vietzke, Jan Watson, Tim Woolfe, Cheryl Wrzesinski, Harriet Hurnicutt.

JUNIOR
Dawn Alward, Sara Barks, Connie Barnett, Susan Bos, Brian Brook, Peter Carlson, Curtis Conley, Pat Diamond, Deborah Fineis, Mary Jasmann, Karen Munson, Linda Nichols, Fritz Ordway, Russell Powell, Audrey Schafer, Gary Smith, Sandra Smith, Luwana Stull, Norman

Viaches

SOPHOMORES
Cecil Babcock, Dean Balzer, Paula Bell, Lisa Bos, Tim Case, Patricia Decker, Cheryl Diamond, Gerald Dunkel, Joe Escojido, Kathy Geiger, Allison Kaufman, Cathy Reed, Robert Reed, Mandy Richards, Diane Schaefer, Sue Shaw, Michael Siebert, Montee Skorich, Brian Stoddard, Don Vorce, Robin Wolf, Kerry Zorb, Doris Schneider.

FRESHMAN
David Benda, Scott Boik, Lori Bowen, Jack Bray, *Natalie Brook, Kay Colister, Chris Deemer, Rebecca Doerner, Robert Goodwin, Steve Hawks, Jim Huges, Randy Kinty, Mary Kruger, Dean Lambert, Mark LeClear, Joel Powell, Curtis Randall, Jo Reblin, Stan Reed, Anne Ross, Charles Schmunsler, *Sarah Seeger, Marie Shirey, David Snider, Blair Svendsen, Cindy Tarrant, Cynthia Wiswasser, Pat Zeeb.

*All A's

Child Study Club hears "Bucket Brigade"

The St Johns Child Study Club met Wednesday, Nov 15, at the home of Mrs Dennis Koeffigsknecht with 25 members and 17 guests present.

The business meeting was lead by president, Mrs Carol Burkhardt.

It was decided they adopt a needy family for their main project. The family adopted has been recently burned out.

Clothing and furnishings are being collected by members of the Project Committee.

The meeting was then turned over to Mrs Karen Hundley who introduced the speaker for the evening Michael O'Conner. O'Conner

spoke on the "Bucket Brigade" program.

He gave us a history of the "Bucket Brigade" and many of the things it can do to better help students in the area of math and reading. O'Conner passed around many of the materials used to aid children in the "Bucket Brigade" program. He stated the main reason the Bucket Brigade Program is not in St Johns is due to lack of organization and he hopes to see it develop in the very near future. A question and answer period followed.

Refreshments of tea and coffee were then served.

The next meeting will be on Dec 13 at the home of Mrs Kenneth Welch at 204 S Oakland St.

East Victor

Mrs Orval White and her sister Mrs Earl Dunckel of rural Owosso called on their aunt Mrs Alva Anderson, who is in the Howell hospital, Wednesday.

Mr and Mrs Ray Ketchum accompanied his sister Mr and Mrs Claude Ingersoll to Swartz Creek Thursday

Fowler News
Mrs Martha B Miller attended the WSCS meeting in Pewamo last week.

The Christmas meeting will be Dec 14 at the home of Miss Ruth Swindt with a potluck supper at 6 pm and a program afterward.

Mrs Augusta Miller and Mrs Michael Galvaeh of St Johns called on Mrs Martha B Miller 1 day last week.

Mrs Van Jackul and daughter of Flint spent the weekend with Mrs Agnes Fox.

Hilary Miller of Lansing visited his parents Mr and Mrs Arnold Miller Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Reynold George, Cecilia and Amelia Thelen and Bernita Hufnagel were Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests of Mr and Mrs Edwin Smith and daughters of Portland.

Mrs Van Jackul and daughter of Flint were Sunday supper guests of Mr and Mrs Arnold Miller.

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Woman's Literary Club has library program

"Library Memorials" was the program for the Woman's Literary Club Tuesday evening, Nov. 14, at the Elsie Public Library with Mrs. Orpha Clement, librarian and Mrs. Lawrence Hess, member of the Library Board as speakers.

Both ladies are also members of the WLC whose service to the community has included the Elsie Public Library since its beginning many years ago. This was in addition to the scholarships for youth, Village Park and picnic playground equipment along with service drives with emphasis on the American Cancer Crusade.

Mrs. Clement pointed out many memorials to the library: the desk chair, by Mrs. Hilda Carter Schumacher and Mrs. Alice Carter Casler in memory of their mother, Mrs. George Carter; the large world globe with telescoped standard in memory of Mrs. Donna Woolley, treasurer of the Elsie Public Library board of trustees for 24 years; and a card file cabinet by Mrs. Maude Page Jeffers of Lansing in memory of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Reed Page of Elsie and additional cabinets by Mrs. Bertha Page Nelson and Mrs. Blanche Page Holmes, both of Lansing in memory of their sister, the late Mrs. Maude Jeffers.

There was also a large case filled with Indian relics presented by Paul Brinard of Flint and Bob Kelley of Elsie in memory of their uncle Joe Kelley, who had lived most of his life on the old Kelley Farm on Maple River Road west of the village.

This gift to the Elsie Public Library was of special interest since the relics were all found on the farm while plowing and tilling the fields. They had been placed in boxes over the years from 1881 to 1968.

After Kelley's death, the 2 nephews secured services of a cabinetmaker resulting in the beautiful hand-finished cabinet to display the huge collection. This memorial is truly Elsie Americana, Mrs. Clement stated, as it all came from land along the Maple River that was part of the original settlement in 1836 known as Cravens Mill, and later moved to the present village 3/4 of a mile east.

Previously this vicinity was a vast wilderness inhabited by wild animals of the forest and the friendly Chippewa Indians who camped along the river where they hunted. They traded pelts and furs to the few French traders who often followed the rivers in their canoes between the Saginaw and Grand Rapids area.

Mrs. Lawrence Hess displayed many of the books given as memorials to the club members and their friends on various subjects.

Shepardsville

By Lucille Spencer

The Afternoon Circle of the Shepardsville United Methodist Women met on Thursday afternoon, Nov. 9, at the home of Mrs. Ralph Baker. There was a good attendance.

The Thank-Offering will be used to purchase small Christmas gifts for our shut-ins.

Deviations were in charge of Mrs. George Olson. She read Psalm 145 from a religious paper. In closing she read the "Cross of Thanksgiving" from the Michigan Christian Advocate.

The program was in charge of Mrs. Ray Jones who chose as her topic "What Does a Good Requinte Middle-Aged Women?" To illustrate she told the story of the director of a community center and her busy day. The lady is not a beautiful woman as outward beauty shows but what she does shows her to be a beautiful woman. Women can be used to create human harmony. She read a paraphrase of 1 Cor. 13. She also brought out that the women followers of Christ were all middle aged. They were the first to bring the news of the resurrection.

The remainder of the afternoon was spent in making cancer pads. Light refreshments were served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be on Dec. 14 at the home of Mrs. Karl Smith.

The most reliable experts are men who admit they don't know.

She reported on the numerous sums of money given as memorials to purchase special books and equipment and sets of encyclopedias for the library. Many monetary tributes have been given at the time of loss of loved ones. A large cart of memorial books was moved among the guests by Mrs. Hess who described the card party benefit for the Elsie Public Library on Nov. 28 at the Elsie Junior High gymnasium with Mrs. Durward Conklin as chairman, Mrs. Lunsford

Trading Post reported that it was the largest in the history of the project. The Trading Posts have been operated continuously twice a year since 1949 for the area residents, as an opportunity to dispose of surplus materials and obtain something useful for their families.

The project has netted hundreds of dollars for the WLC which has been diverted to community service. In addition, the project has poured thousands of dollars back into the community and is a benefit to all who have taken advantage of its opportunities in the past 2 decades. Many customers have donated some of their unsold merchandise which was turned over to the Clinton County Office of Economic Opportunity and the Salvation Army of the area.

A social hour at the close of the meeting was enjoyed with Mrs. Leila Wilson, Mrs. Harold Hehrer and Mrs. Durward Conklin serving a cherry dessert and coffee.

Mr and Mrs Henry Schmid spent from Thursday until Saturday at Pickford with their daughter and husband, Mr and Mrs Gary Skinner. Tina Marie returned to the home of her parents after spending 2 weeks with her grandparents.

Mr and Mrs John Woodbury and Mrs. Harriet Schmid attended the open house for the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr and Mrs Norman Woodbury in St. Louis, Nov. 5.

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Questions on no-fault insurance

QUESTION: What if another car hits my car, can I collect?

ANSWER: No, unless your car was properly parked and not moving. However, if you want to, you MAY voluntarily buy a collision policy protecting you if your car is damaged either by someone else's fault or regardless of fault.

QUESTION: Wouldn't such a policy cost more than a present liability policy to another car and a collision policy for my car?

ANSWER: Probably not, unless your car is worth more than the average car on the road today. Your present property liability policy must include in the premium the possibility you may hit a \$10,000.00 Cadillac or Porsche. Under no-fault, your collision premium would only be based on the maximum value of your car.

QUESTION: I'm a careful driver so I don't buy collision insurance on my own car. But if I can't sue a negligent driver for damaging my car, is there some other way I can protect myself from having to pay for damage to my car by a negligent driver?

ANSWER: Yes, some insurance companies plan to offer a limited collision coverage that will pay you for damage to your car only if it was the fault of some other driver. This coverage will cost much less than full collision coverage and will probably be comparable in cost to what you now pay for property damage liability to other cars.

OTHER STATES AND CANADA

QUESTION: What if I am in an accident in another state or Canada, will my Michigan no-fault insurance policy help?

ANSWER: Yes - It will provide the insurance coverage required by that state or possession or territory of U.S. or Canada - no-fault if that state has no-fault or conventional financial responsibility coverage if that is what is required in that state. You will also receive no-fault benefits for yourself, your spouse and relatives living at home based on your no-fault policy if the accident occurred anywhere in the United States, its territories and possessions or Canada.

QUESTION: What if I am hit by a drunken driver who violates the law when he hits me and violates the law by not being insured?

ANSWER: You receive benefits from your insurance company but he is just out of

QUESTION: Does a bicycle, a taxi, an airport limousine, my employer's car include a truck, a motorcycle, but not two-wheel motorcycles or bicycles or a horse and buggy. The owner of a property parked car can receive property damage if it is hit by another car. If you are in a cab or airport limousine or car of your employer, you would collect your benefits from the insurer of that car, not yours, but in the amount as if you collected from your own insurance company.

QUESTION: What if I am hit by a hit and run driver?

ANSWER: Your policy would pay you.

QUESTION: What if my spouse or child is injured by a hit and run driver?

ANSWER: Your policy covers the named person, his or her spouse, and all relatives in the same household. Therefore your spouse or child living at home would be paid by your insurance company.

QUESTION: Now I've got you. What if I am a pedestrian, who doesn't drive, has no relative with a policy, have no insurance at all, and am injured in Michigan by a hit and run driver?

ANSWER: You are protected by the assigned claims fund. This is a fund set up by all insurance companies in cooperation with the insurance commissioner to provide funds to take care of the example you just gave.

COSTS

QUESTION: This all sounds pretty good - but won't it cost me more?

ANSWER: Many people will pay less. Some will pay more. The new no-fault system will save much of the money that now goes for a variety of expenses. The duplication of other insurance programs and so-called "pain and suffering", which is a duplication of other insurance programs and so-called "pain and suffering", will be eliminated. This will provide more adequate benefits to more people for medical bills and lost wages.

Whether you will pay more or less than you do now will depend on how much insurance you have now, the make and model of your car, your income level and number of dependents, where you live, the deductibles you select, and last, but not least, which insurance company you have. The price of auto insurance varies substantially from one insurance company to another. No insurance company will know for sure what the new system will cost until several years after it goes into effect. So in the meantime each insurance company will have to base its prices on its own estimates of what the new system will cost. Which means that it will pay to shop around.

Hubbardston

Mr. and Mrs. John Salazar and son returned to Kentucky after spending several days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cunningham.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Malek are parents of a baby girl, Karen Jean, born Friday, Nov. 10th, at Carson City and Mrs. Richard Towne and son Mitchell of Saginaw were Wednesday guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Bennett.

Pat Burns is a patient at the Carson City Hospital.

Mrs. Harvey Allen and Patsy returned home Sunday by plane, after spending a week with their daughter and sister Patsy and family in Columbus, Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Neuman of Grand Rapids are the parents of a daughter born Friday, Nov. 17. Mr. and Mrs. Ford Neuman are the proud grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Cunningham and Lori drove their daughter, Mallie, to Kansas City, Friday, where she will attend school.

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Shorتنing... 87¢	Coconut... 19¢	Scalloped Potatoes... 38¢	Biscuits... 13¢	Frozen Novelties Ice Cream Snowman... 89¢	Gold Medal Flour... 552¢	Skim Milk... 39¢	Rye Bread... 29¢	Breck One... 98¢	Shave Cream... \$1.09	Kotex Napkins... 97¢	Walnut Meats... 1.09	Large Eggs... 38¢	Ice Cream... 49¢	Christmas Wraps... 77¢

After 40 years

Robert Zeeb retires

By LEE PETERS
News Staff Writer

DeWITT TWP - "I wish I had all the money that went through this," admits Ronald Zeeb as he opens a filing case revealing a shiny green metal box.

He unlocks the 40-year-old container and lifts out a tarnished silver dollar—a keepsake from his days as DeWitt Township treasurer. "I'm going to miss it," he says sadly as he closes the drawer and behind it 4 decades of public service.

For the first election since April 1, 1933, Ronald Zeeb's name was not on the ballot

last Nov 7. He stepped down for personal reasons including bad health Nov 20.

"I NEVER worked on an election board," he smiles, "because I was always a candidate. I started out on the Republican ticket and it changed to the Citizens Party which was supposed to include both Republicans and Democrats. Now it's back to Republican."

"When I was first elected it was for 2 years and then they made it for 4," tells Zeeb. "And then they took the limitation off—it was just a coincidence," he exclaims.

Tax collection was the

biggest job, Zeeb recalls, and that came in the fall. "When I started out," he says, "the township didn't have an office like they do now."

Zeeb who had an office in his home remembers the 1000 tax receipts he had the first time he collected. Now there are close to 4000. "The tax roll wasn't quite \$20,000," he continues, "and last year it was \$1,357,000." This year he estimates it will surpass \$1,700,000.

His payment for collecting taxes and making out dog license came to about \$150 plus 10¢ from each license back in the 30's. Today the

treasurer's salary is around \$6700.

"I used to get rolls of pennies, nickels, dimes and quarters," Zeeb says. Two separate incidents, both alike, remain in his memories.

"A farmer didn't get a notice before he came in to pay taxes," he relates. "He looked like he had just come from the field and had on 2 pair of overalls. When I told him what his taxes were he said how come so high. He took so much money out of one pocket and then commenced to unbutton the pocket of his second overalls and paid it all. I guess he

didn't like to flash his money around.

"AS THE years went by the township grew and there kept getting more and more to my job," he says. "I guess I grew into it," the retired dairy farmer maintains.

Zeeb thinks all that can stop DeWitt Twp growth would be rules concerning sewers. "It isn't compulsory yet," he explains, "but I think it's going to be."

Clinton Villages, Twinbrook, Walnut Estate, Idelcrest, Boichot Acres and

many subdivisions were all farmlands when I took over as treasurer, he adds. "With the clay land around here," Zeeb continues, "I don't see how they could get a subdivision approved now."

Zeeb thinks the time's coming when the township as a farming community will be no more. It bothers him.

But for right now he can look out the window of his Herbison Road home and look at wheat fields as far as the eye can see. That's all that "counts" for the retired DeWitt Twp treasurer.



Here's the silver dollar retired DeWitt Township treasurer Ronald Zeeb has saved as a keepsake of his 40 years in public service.

CLINTON COUNTY CANVASSER'S STATEMENT

STATEMENT OF VOTES given in the County of Clinton State of Michigan, at the General Election held on Tuesday, the seventh day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and seventy two, for the offices named herein.

The whole number of votes cast for the office of President and Vice-President was nineteen thousand six hundred fifty three and they were given for the following persons: George McGovern and Sargent R Shriver received five thousand eight hundred seventy votes, Richard M Nixon and Spiro T Agnew received thirteen thousand four hundred thirty eight votes, John G Schmitz and Thomas J Anderson received three hundred twenty two votes, Louis Fisher and Genevieve Gunderson received eleven votes, Linda Jenness and Andrew Pulley received five votes, Gus Hall and Jarvis Tyner received two votes, scattering received five votes.

The whole number of votes cast for the office of United States Senator was nineteen thousand two hundred thirty six and they were given for the following persons: Frank J Kelley received seven thousand fifty one votes, Robert P Griffin received eleven thousand nine hundred sixty seven votes, Patrick V Dillinger received one hundred fifty six votes, James Sim received ten votes, Barbara Halpert received forty two votes, Linda Nordquist received five votes, Thomas D Dennis Jr received five votes.

The whole number of votes cast for the office of United States Representative in Congress Third District was six thousand three hundred one and they were given for the following persons: James T Brignall received two thousand one hundred thirty five votes, Garry Brown received four thousand one hundred five votes, Marvin P Lightfoot received sixty one votes.

The whole number of votes cast for the office of United States Representative in Congress Fifth District was nine hundred seventy seven and they were given for the following persons: Jean McKee received one hundred seventy three votes, Gerald R Ford received seven hundred ninety two votes, Frank E Girard received one vote, Dwight W Johnson received eleven votes, Alan Lee Makl received no votes.

The whole number of votes cast for the office of United States Representative in Congress Sixth District was one thousand six hundred ninety six and they were given for the following persons: M Robert Carr received seven hundred ninety nine votes, Charles E Chamberlain received eight hundred ninety seven votes.

The whole number of votes cast for the office of United States Representative in Congress Tenth District was nine thousand three hundred thirty four and they were given for the following persons: Bennie D Graves received two thousand nine hundred twenty votes, Elford A Cederberg received six thousand two hundred twenty eight votes, Richard Friske received one hundred eighty six votes.

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Representative in State Legislature 56th District was one thousand nine hundred fifty nine and they were given for the following persons: John P Huhn received six hundred eighteen votes, Dale Warner received one thousand three hundred forty votes, scattering received one vote.

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Representative in State Legislature 87th District was one thousand three hundred sixty three and they were given for the following persons: Francis Spaniola received six hundred thirty five votes, R Douglas Trezise received seven hundred twenty eight votes.

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Representative in State Legislature 88th District was fifteen thousand thirty one and they were given for the following persons: Kenneth M Somers received four thousand five hundred ninety seven votes, Stanley M Powell received ten thousand two hundred thirty seven votes, Dale F Calder received one hundred ninety six votes, scattering received one vote.

The whole number of votes cast for the office of State Board of Education was thirty five thousand six hundred four and they were given for the following persons: Charles E Morton received six thousand one hundred forty votes, Gumeclindo Salas received five thousand four hundred ninety five votes, William A Sederburg received eleven thousand six hundred forty four votes, Edmund F Vandette received eleven thousand three hundred eighty eight votes, Frederick S Kline received two hundred fifty five votes, Thomas E Girard received thirty seven votes, Edgar Thomas received thirty eight votes, Howard L Jones received one hundred thirty eight votes, James E Wells received forty votes.

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Member of the Board of Regents of University of Michigan thirty five thousand one hundred eighty two and they were given for the following persons: Marjorie Lansing received six thousand two hundred fifty one votes, Thomas A Roach received six thousand forty eight votes, Deane Baker received eleven thousand three hundred thirty seven votes, Lawrence B Lindemer received eleven thousand four hundred forty three votes, Vito J DeLisi received forty votes, Joseph Toth received forty three votes.

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Member of the Board of Trustees of Michigan State University thirty five thousand two hundred twenty nine and they were given for the following persons: Tom Downs received six thousand one hundred thirty seven votes, Donna O'Donoghue received six thousand four hundred eighty four votes, Aubrey Radcliffe received eleven thousand three hundred twenty seven votes, Jack M Stack received eleven thousand one hundred six votes, James Horvath received forty nine votes, Frank Troha received thirty one votes, David W Brinn received ninety five votes.

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Member of the Board of Governors of Wayne State

University thirty four thousand eight hundred ninety one and they were given for the following persons: Michael A Einheuser received five thousand eight hundred three votes, Kathleen Straus received six thousand one hundred eighty nine votes, Wilber M Brucker Jr received eleven thousand six hundred fifty one votes, Kurt R Keydel received eleven thousand ninety six votes, Terry Lindsay received fifty one votes, Lowell Miller received forty five votes, Peggy Goldman received twenty two votes, Peter E McAlpine received thirty four votes.

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Supreme Court Justice was twenty six thousand nine hundred six and they were given for the following persons: William J Beer received one thousand three hundred ninety one votes, Vincent J Brennan received one thousand nine hundred eighty three votes, Mary Coleman received five thousand five hundred thirteen votes, Robert L Evans received one thousand eight hundred forty two votes, Zolton Ferency received two thousand nine hundred eighteen votes, Horace W Gilmore received one thousand eight hundred eleven votes, Charles L Levin received six thousand two hundred seventy seven votes, William A Ortmann received one thousand three hundred sixty three votes, James S Thorburn received three thousand eight hundred eight votes.

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Appeals Court Judge in the Third District was nine thousand six hundred forty four and they were given for the following persons: Donald E Holbrook received nine thousand six hundred forty four votes.

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Circuit Court Judge in the 29th Circuit Six Year Term, was ten thousand four hundred sixty seven and they were given for the following persons: Leo W Corkin received ten thousand four hundred sixty seven votes.

The whole number of votes cast for the office of District Judge in the 65th District, 2nd Div., 6 Year Term, was nine thousand eight hundred ninety seven and they were given for the following persons: Roland J Duguay received nine thousand eight hundred ninety seven votes, scattering received one vote.

The whole number of votes given for and against "STATE PROPOSAL A" was nineteen thousand thirty seven of which number eight thousand twenty nine were given for "Proposal A" yes votes, and eleven thousand eight were given against "Proposal A" no votes.

The whole number of votes given for and against "STATE PROPOSAL B" was nineteen thousand one hundred seventeen of which number five thousand and hundred seventy six were given for "Proposal B" yes votes, and thirteen thousand nine hundred forty one were given against "Proposal B" no votes.

The whole number of votes given for and against "STATE PROPOSAL C" was eighteen thousand seven hundred sixteen of which number eight thousand four hundred eighty five were given for "Proposal C" yes votes, and ten thousand two hundred thirty one were given against "Proposal C" no votes.

The whole number of votes given for and against "STATE PROPOSAL D" was eighteen thousand four hundred thirty five of which number five thousand seven hundred seventy seven were given for "Proposal D" yes votes, and twelve thousand six hundred fifty eight were given against "Proposal D" no votes.

The whole number of votes given for and against "STATE PROPOSAL E" was eighteen thousand six hundred sixteen of which number nine thousand three hundred twenty three were given for "Proposal E" yes votes, and nine thousand three hundred thirty three were given against "Proposal E" no votes.

STATE OF MICHIGAN
County of Clinton

We do hereby Certify, That the foregoing is a correct statement of the votes given in the County of Clinton, for the offices named in such statement and for the persons designated therein, at the General Election held on the seventh day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and seventy two.

In Witness Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and caused to be affixed the Seal of the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton this 20st day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and seventy two.

Nancy V Cheney
Jeannette E Babbitt
Lester Clark
Raymond E Canfield
(Board of County Canvassers)

Ernest E Carter
Clerk of the Board of County Canvassers

STATE OF MICHIGAN
County of Clinton

We hereby Certify, That the foregoing is a correct transcript of the Statement of the Board of County Canvassers, of the County of Clinton, of the votes given in such County for the offices named in said statement and for the persons designated there, at the General Election held on the seventh day of November, one thousand nine hundred and seventy two, so far as it relates to the votes cast for said offices, as appears from the original statement on file in the office of the County Clerk.

In Witness Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and affixed the Seal of the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton this 20th day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and seventy two.

Ernest E Carter
County Clerk
Nancy V Cheney
Chairman of the Board of County Canvassers

Travel group plans party

OVID(c) - The Travel Department of the Crescent Club met Nov 20 at the home of Mrs Viva Aldrich with Mrs Harriet Squier and Mrs Josephine Smith as co-hostesses.

The next general meeting is in charge of the Travel Group so plans were discussed. Also the date of the Christmas party was decided to be Dec 18 at the home of Mrs Fran Woodruff.

The program for the evening was given by Mrs Florence Parmenter who narrated their trip to Japan, Korea and Taiwan by boat,

taking 75 days enroute. Typhoons interfered several times and once their ship lost its power and had to be towed back to land.

The cargo on the ship was lumber, cotton, ham, asbestos and many other commodities. The scenery of these countries was especially beautiful as shown in her pictures. She showed a road in the mountains that was one way for a half day and closed to let traffic go the other way. The landslides made traveling dangerous in some places. The food was very good both on land and sea.

Marie DePond will hostess

OVID(c) - Nov 20, the Literary Department of the Crescent Club met at the home of Eleanor Ackley.

Co-chairman Janet Bates called the meeting to order. During the business meeting, Ethel Conn reported calling at the Nursing Home to ask what could be done for patients at Christmas time. Hazel Dietz will inform the club before the holiday.

Discussion followed on where the club could be of some financial help to the community. This will be brought before the members at the next general meeting.

Carrie Patterson arrived at Detroit Airport Saturday evening after her trip to the Holy Land and she received injuries when involved in a bus accident in Greece. Mrs Leo Hanson of DeWitt was removed by ambulance in Detroit and is in Sparrow Hospital. Carrie is in St Lawrence Hospital and had to have surgery on her arm.

William Lehman had back surgery in Sparrow Hospital the first of last week.

Mr and Mrs Lester Garlock Sr were Saturday night dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Louis Seering on River Side Drive.

Wacousta OES No 133 will host the school of instruction with DeWitt chapter Monday evening Nov 27 at 7:30 pm. The Worthy Grand Matron Sister Francis Strand will give the school an instruction.

Mr and Mrs Albert Craun and Tom, Mr and Mrs Terry Saxton and daughters and Terry Craun were Thanksgiving Day guests of Lyle Craun in Hastings.

Mr and Mrs Leland Wendel and family and Mr and Mrs Fay Goodrich of Charlotte were Thanksgiving guests in the Ed Kraft home.

Mr and Mrs Howard McDonough will entertain the McDonough family and Mr and Mrs Robert Cramer of Lansing and Mr and Mrs Douglas Sizelove of Grand Rapids for Thanksgiving.

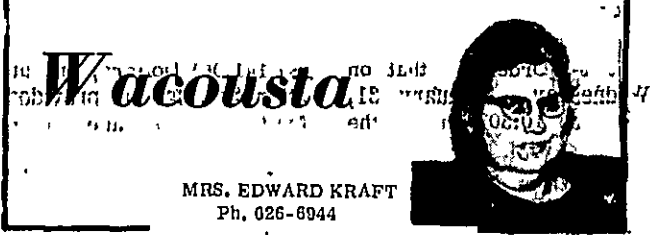
Mae Speerbrecker was a surgical patient in St Lawrence Hospital last week.

Mrs Robert Cudney and daughters visited relatives in Northern Michigan last week.

Public Fish Supper at Wacousta Masonic Temple Friday Dec 8, starting at 4:30 pm.

Wacousta OES No 133 Past Matron and Patron Club Christmas dinner Sunday Dec 3 at 1 pm. Musical program at the Masonic Temple.

Mr and Mrs Fred Black



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Pewamo

Mrs. Irene Fox
Ph. 593-3359

Nov 15 the Blue Star Mothers had their meeting at the Elementary School starting at 8 pm.

Mrs Irene Fedewa being the hostess assisted by Mrs Ann Bower and Mrs Rita Miller. Plans are being made for the Christmas party Dec 13, with Mrs Vera Cook hostess and co-hostesses Mrs Bernita Cook and Mrs Dorothy Heckman. Cookies and coffee were served by committee, followed by pedro. High score went to Mrs Hilda Schafer, low to Mrs Mildred Fox. Mrs Mildred Fox also won the mystery package. Three tables were in play. Servicemen's addresses of this area should be sent or handed to any Blue Star member, so they will reserve their gift of money in time for Christmas.

Election of officers took place for 1972-73. They are president, Ardis Ludwick; secretary and treasurer, Vera Cook; and chaplain, Mildred Fox. Those attending were Mrs Regina Kramer, Mildred Fox, Irene Fedewa, Ann Bower, Dorothy Heckman, Marion Hafner, Veronica Cotter, Hilda Schafer, Vera Cook, Ardis Ludwick, Irene Smith and Rita Miller.

Guests at the home of Mrs Irene Fox Thanksgiving day were her daughter and son-in-law, Mr and Mrs Ray Pease and sons of Grayling. Mary Ellen Albers, daughter of Mrs Mary Albers of St. Johns and granddaughter of Mrs Barbara Alexander of Pewamo, has been accepted by Bauder Fashion College of Atlanta, for the Fashion Merchandising Program beginning Sept 1973.

Mrs Mary Jolls of Maple Rapids spent Friday afternoon with Mrs Grace Bissell.

Spending Nov 12 and 19 at the home of Mr and Mrs Mark Wieber at Fowler was Mrs Ethel Gee of Pewamo.

William Schmitz was admitted at the Ionia County Memorial Hospital Tuesday Nov 14 as a surgical patient.

Mrs Julia Fox of Carson City and daughters Kathleen and Julie Kohagen were Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of Mrs Irene Fox.

The Veterans Administration employs more than 11,500 Vietnam era veterans, including a record 5,500 hired under Veterans Readjustment Appointment Authority.

CLINTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MEETING

A meeting of the Clinton County Board of Commissioners will be held on Tuesday, December 5, 1972. At 1:30 p.m. the Board will act on the following requests:

DUPLAIN TOWNSHIP

A Special Use Permit for the purpose of erecting a church on the following described parcel of land:

Part of the West 1/2 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 12, T8N-R1W, described as: Commencing 330 feet South of the Northwest corner of said Section 12 for a point of beginning of this description, thence East 198 feet, thence North 132 feet, thence East 132 feet, thence South to the centerline of Thomas Drain, thence in a Westerly direction following the centerline of the Thomas Drain to a point due South of the point of beginning, thence North to the point of beginning.

GREENBUSH TOWNSHIP

From Zone A-1, Agriculture to Zone M-2, Heavy Industry:

North 1/4 of Southwest 1/4; North 1/2 of the Northwest 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4; South 13 & 1/3 acres of the Southwest 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4; South 26 & 2/3 acres of the South 1/2 of the Northwest 1/4 all in Sec. 34, T8N-R2W, exc. a parcel of land desc as foll: Com. 133.73 & 1/3 rods South of the Northwest corner of said Section 34, thence running East 21 rods; thence South 23 rods; thence Southwesterly at an angle of 45 degrees 3 rods; thence West to a point 24 rods South of the point of beginning, thence North 24 rods to the point of beginning.

**Arnold R. Minarik,
Zoning Administrator**

CLINTON COUNTY ZONING COMMISSION MEETING

A regular meeting of the Clinton County Zoning Commission will be held on Thursday, December 21, 1972 at 8:00 p.m. in the Courthouse St. Johns, Michigan. At that time the following application will be acted upon:

DEWITT TOWNSHIP

An application from rezoning from A-1, Agricultural; B-3, Highway Service; B-4, Planned Shopping Center to B-2, General Business on the following described parcel of land:

Com. at the NE corner of Sec. 16, T8N-R2W, DeWitt Twp, Clinton County, Michigan, th. S. 0 05' E 2020' alg. the E line of sd. Sec. 16, th. N. 89 28' W 419.18', th. N. 0 05' W. 462', th. N. 32 50' W. 178.85', th. N. 0 05' W 1403' to the N. line of sd. Sec. 16, th. S. 89 44' E. 519.25' to the POB.

The text of the Zoning Ordinance as proposed to be amended and a map showing the Zoning Ordinance as proposed to be amended may be examined at the office of the Clinton County Zoning Administrator at the Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan between the hours of 8:00 A.M. to 12 noon and 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. of any day Monday through Friday.

**Arnold R. Minarik,
Administrator**

Business and Professional Announcements, Legal News

Probate Court
HON. TIMOTHY M. GREEN
Judge of Probate
HELENA M. BURK
Register of Probate

WEDNESDAY, Dec 6, 1972
Martha M Miller, claims. Terry H Crowley, claims. James R Campbell, claims. Steve Komives, claims - license to sell real estate. Ferdinand J Thoma, app't of administrator. Glenn Sawyer, app't of administrator. Ella Ruth Rensberger, claims.

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

Nov 15: Schultheiss, James D and Timi Ann; Perry, Richard J Jr and Kristin L to James Lynn and Dianna L Mead Lot 1, 12 Blk 27 St Johns.

Nov 15: Curtis, Gorton M and Hazel L to Harold K and Mildred C Tarno property in Sec 5 Bath.

Nov 15: Bensinger, Irene to Jack D and Margaret Hart Lot 2 Blk 8 Lynd's Add.

Nov 15: Bensinger, Irene to Vance L and Julie K Courser Lot 1, 2 Blk 8 Lynd's Add.

Nov 15: LaSalle, George W and Gladys to Max J and Anita Leonard property in Sec 27 DeWitt.

Nov 16: Premo, Gerald J and Mary A to John L and Gloria N Dobernick property in Sec 14 DeWitt.

Nov 16: Warnke, William H and Hilda; Koepfen, Donald and Joyce to August Sr and Marie E Mariez property in Sec 16 Essex.

Nov 16: Reid, Darrell E and Agnes E to Robert E and Judy K Lenneman Lot 25 Boichot Acres.

Nov 16: Bunge, Alden G and Norma L to Donald M and Maureen B Sabo Lot 10, 11, 12, 1, 2, 3 Blk 49 St Johns.

Nov 16: Bigelow, Richard W and Clarice H to Murphy Fox Realty Co Lot 7 Ass. Plat DeWitt.

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Nov 17: Whidden, Arthur W and Ward B to Vernon T and Helen L Simmer property in Sec 4 DeWitt.

Nov 17: Wilkins, Jean to James Hemingway property in Sec 18 Eagle.

Nov 17: Pohl, Elvan E and Mary Ellen to Bernard A and Christine M Bierstedt Lot 11 Blk 5 West Ament Plat III

Nov 17: Dingman, Pauline B to Fred S and Esther M LaNoble Lot 1 Culver's Plat

Nov 20: Fedewa Bros Inc to Duane Dean and Carol A Eckley Lot 24, 25 Blk 4 Brown's Add.

Nov 20: Eckley, Duane D and Carol A; John H Eckley to John C II and Linda Sue Fitch Lot 5, 6 Blk 7 Emmonsville St Johns

Nov 20: Derke, Othilie to Jerry W and Janet E Tarrant property in Sec 21 Bath.

Nov 20: Outman, Ira L and Lola M to William W and Suzanne K Wehring property in Sec 29 Eagle.

Nov 20: Daniel, Ralph and Marian to Jerry L and Yvonne A Crugher Lot 16 Highland Hills.

Nov 20: Crugher, Jerry L and Yvonne A to Thomas W and Joyce E Plumhoff Lot 16 Highland Hills.

Nov 20: Villareal, Joe Jr and Mary Ann to Fedewa Bros Inc property in Sec 22 Bingham.

Nov 20: Miller, Leigh C and Ruth L to Richard C and Donna M Way Lot 5, 6 Summer Lane.

Nov 20: Albert Bekman's Inc to Leonard and Linda M Klimentko Lot 2 Chandler Est.

Nov 20: Sehlke, Melvin and Marcia R to Ernest F and Carol A Sakrasa property in Sec 8 Riley.

Nov 20: Sakrasa, Ernest F and Carol A to Herman R and Janice E Feyerabend property in Sec 8 Riley.

Nov 21: Pung, Lena to Clare A Patricia C Snyder Lot 1, 2, 3, Blk 4 Fowler.

Nov 21: American Central Corp to Robert M and Evelyn L Morris Lot 40 Geneva Shores.

Nov 21: Morris, Robert M and Evelyn L to John H and Starr M Connell Lot 40 Geneva Shores.

Deeds for the County of Clinton and State of Michigan in Liber 264, Page 686, Clinton County Records on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and owing at the date of this notice for principal and interest the sum of Three Hundred Thirty - Three Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty-Six and 46/100 (\$333,766.46) Dollars and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been had or instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Friday, December 29, 1972, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, Local Time, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the north entrance to the Courthouse in the City of St Johns, Clinton County, Michigan (that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton is held) of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage, with interest on the principal thereof, at fifteen (15%) per cent per annum, and anysum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned at or before said sale for taxes and/or insurance on said premises, and all other sums paid by the undersigned pursuant to law and to the terms of said mortgage, with interest thereon and all legal costs, fees and expenses, including the attorneys' fees allowed by law, which said premises are described as follows: Land situated in the Township of Watertown, County of Clinton, State of Michigan, to-wit:

That part of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 35, Town 5 North, Range 3 West, Watertown Township, Clinton County, Michigan, beginning on the East Section line at a point 429.65 feet South of the intersection of said Section line with the Southerly right of way line of Grand River Road (being 50 feet from centerline thereof), running thence South 293.25 feet on the Section line, thence Northwesterly 680.52 feet parallel with said Grand River Road to the Easterly line of a 66-foot private drive thence Northeasterly 260.0 feet on the Easterly line of said private drive on a line perpendicular to Grand River Road, thence Southeasterly 149.8 feet parallel with Grand River Road to a point 8.5 feet Easterly of the centerline of a spur railroad siding, thence Northeasterly 24.0 feet on a line 8.5 feet Easterly of said siding, thence Southeasterly 457.47 feet parallel with Grand River Road to the point of beginning, containing four acres but excluding therein the 17 foot wide strip of land encompassing the railroad siding which crosses said described parcel.

The period of redemption as determined by law is six (6) months.

Dated: November 29, 1972,
UNION INVESTMENT COMPANY, a Michigan Corporation, Second Floor First National Building, Detroit Michigan 48226
Mortgagee

BUTZEL, LEVIN, WINSTON & QUINT
Attorneys for Mortgagee
1990 First National Building
Detroit, Michigan 48266
Woodward 1-7900 31-5

WILL Reed-Jan 10 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton Estate of IRENE H REED, Deceased It is Ordered that on Wednesday, January 10, 1973 at 10:00 am, in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse in St Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the Petition of Iwin E Reed for probate of a purported Will, and for granting of administration to the executor named, or some other suitable person, and for a determination of heirs. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M GREEN Judge of Probate Dated: November 27, 1972 Robert H Wood Attorney for Estate 200 W State St Johns, Michigan 29-3

Real Estate Konives-Dec 8 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Ingham Estate of STEVE KOMIVES a/k/a STEVE KONIVES, Deceased It is Ordered that on Wednesday, December 6, 1972, at 10:00 am, in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the Petition of Peter Muller, executor of said estate, to Sell or Mortgage Real Estate at private sale. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M GREEN Judge of Probate Dated: November 13, 1972 Norman C Farhat, of Farhat, Burns and Story, PC Attorney for the Estate 417 Seymour, Suite 2A Lansing, Michigan 48933 29-3

Heirs Devereaux-Jan 31 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton Estate of GUY L DEVEREAUX Deceased It is Ordered that on Wednesday, January 31, 1973, at 10 am, in the Probate Courtroom in St Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors against said estate will be heard and heirs will be determined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Kenneth L Devereaux, Administrator, 602 S Swegles Street, St. Johns, Michigan 48879, prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M GREEN Judge of Probate Dated: November 13, 1972 Walker & Moore By James A Moore Attorney for Estate 115 E Walker Street St Johns, Michigan 30-3

Claims Holmes-Jan 31 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton Estate of DONALD ROY HOLMES Deceased It is Ordered that on Wednesday, January 31, 1973 at 10:30 am, in the Probate Courtroom in St Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all claims against said estate will be heard. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on the Michigan National Bank of Lansing, Michigan, Administrator prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M GREEN Judge of Probate Dated: November 13, 1972 Donald G Fox Attorney for the Estate 1108 Michigan National Tower Lansing, Michigan 30-3

Will Long-Dec 13 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton Estate of MELVIN E LONG a/k/a M E LONG a/k/a MELVIN EVERETT LONG, Deceased It is Ordered that on Wednesday, December 13, 1972, at 9:30 am, in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse in St Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the Petition of Lucye E Long for probate of a purported will, and for granting of administration to the executor named, or some other suitable person, and, for a determination of heirs. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M GREEN Judge of Probate Dated: November 6, 1972 Robert H Wood Attorney for Estate 200 W State St Johns, Michigan 29-3

Claims Miller-Dec 6 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton Estate of MARTHA M MILLER Deceased It is Ordered that on Wednesday, December 6, 1972 at 9:30 am, in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse in St Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Romilda Pink, Westphalia, Michigan and Herbert Miller, R 2, Portland, Mich-

igan, Co-Executors, prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M GREEN Judge of Probate Dated: September 20, 1972 Robert H Wood Attorney for Estate 200 W State St Johns, Michigan 29-3

Claims Foote-Jan 31 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton Estate of HATTIE FOOTE, Deceased It is Ordered that on Wednesday, January 31, 1973 at 9:30 am in the Probate Courtrooms in the Courthouse in St Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Ethel Suttiff, Executrix, RFD 1, Elsie, Michigan, prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M GREEN Judge of Probate Dated: November 8, 1972 Robert H Wood Attorney for Estate 200 W State St Johns, Michigan 29-3

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE No. 51 2 10809 DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by HOLLAND CASPER CUNDIFF and LENA F CUNDIFF, his wife to METROPOLITAN FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, a United States Corp. dated the 17th day of March, 1965, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Clinton and State of Michigan, on the 18th day of March, 1965, in Liber 242, of Clinton County Records, on page 652 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of SEVEN THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED FORTY-ONE AND 06/100 (\$7,141.06) Dollars, and an attorney's fees as provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Friday the 22nd day of December 1972, at 10 o'clock am, Eastern Standard Time, the undersigned will, at the north entrance to the Courthouse, in the City of St. Johns, Michigan, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton, is held, sell at public auction, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount then due on said mortgage, including legal costs and attorney's fees, and taxes or insurance that the undersigned may pay on or prior to the date of said sale, and interest at 5 1/4 per cent per annum thereon, which said premises so to be sold are situated in the Township of DeWitt, County of Clinton, Michigan, and are described as:

Commencing at a point 46 rods South and 254 feet West of the Northeast corner of Section 33, T5N, R2W, DeWitt Township, thence running West 50.0 feet; thence North 165.0 feet; thence East 50.0 feet, and thence South 165.0 feet to place of beginning being part of Lot 49, of Supervisor's Plat of Valley Farms No 1, Township of DeWitt, Clinton County, Michigan, subject to the rights of the public and of any governmental unit in any part thereof taken, used or deeded for street, road or highway purposes. The redemption period as determined under Stat. Ann 27A.3240 is six months from date of sale.

METROPOLITAN SAVINGS ASSOCIATION, formerly METROPOLITAN FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, Mortgagee Dated November 6th, 1972. McCLINTOCK, FULTON, DONOVAN & WATERMAN, Attorneys for Mortgagee 820 Ford Building Detroit 26, Michigan 28-5

One entrance that never gets jammed is the door to success.

License to sell Dietrich-Dec 20 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton Estate of IDA DIETRICH, Deceased (formerly Ida Kremln) It is Ordered that on Wednesday, December 20, 1972, at 10:30 am, in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Edna Pecoski, Executrix, to sell real estate of the above estate. Persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing to show cause why such license should not be granted. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M GREEN Judge of Probate Dated: November 9, 1972 Stuart J Dunning, Jr Attorney for Estate 530 So. Pine-Duncan Bldg. Lansing, Michigan 48933 29-3

NOTICE OF SALE Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of the Writ of Execution issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Ingham in favor of Spartan Asphalt Paving Company, a Michigan corporation against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Russell King and Jearlene King, jointly and severally, in said County to me directed and delivered I did, on the first day of May, 1972, levy upon and take all right, title and interest of the said Russell King, and Jearlene King in and to the following described lands, to-wit:

In the Township 5 North, Range 2 West, (DeWitt Township), County of Clinton State of Michigan, being - Lots 147 and 148, Riverwood Subdivision, a Subdivision of part of the South 1/2 of Section 7, T5N, R2W, all of which I shall expose for sale at public sale, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Circuit Courtroom, County Building St Johns, Michigan in said County, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court within said County in which the real estate is situated, on the 12th day of January, 1973 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated: Nov 14, 1972 P J PATTERSON Sheriff for the County of Clinton, Michigan

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE Default having been made in the condition of a certain indenture of mortgage made on the 6th day of November, 1968, by GERALD V. CASSEL and ETHEL M. CASSEL, husband and wife, as Mortgagors, given by them to AMERICAN BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, a banking corporation, of Lansing, Michigan, as Mortgagee, and recorded on the 7th day of November, 1968, at the Office of the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan, in Liber 254 at page 206, Clinton County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid as of the date of this Notice, the principal sum of SEVEN THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-FIVE AND 04/100 (\$7,135.04) DOLLARS, with interest at seven (7%) per cent from April 6, 1972; and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt or any part thereof, secured by said indenture of mortgage, and the power of sale in said indenture or mortgage contained having become operative by reason of such default;

Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of December, 1972, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the North entrance to the Courthouse, in the City of St Johns, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder or bidders at public auction or vendue, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid on said mortgage, together with all legal costs and charges of sale, including an attorney fee in the amount of ONE HUNDRED FIFTY (\$150.00) DOLLARS as provided by statute, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described as follows:

Lot 15 of Supervisor's

Plat of Valley Farms No. 1, DeWitt Township, Clinton County, Michigan; The period within which the above premises may be redeemed shall expire six (6) months from date of sale. DATE: November 1, 1972 AMERICAN BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, a banking corporation, of Lansing, Michigan - Mortgagee FOSTER, LINDEMERE, SWIFT & COLLINS Attorneys for Mortgagee 900 American Bank & Trust Bldg. Lansing, Michigan 48933 27-5

Claims Dietrich-Feb 7 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton Estate of IDA DIETRICH, Deceased (formerly Ida Kremln) It is Ordered that on Wednesday, February 7, 1973, at 10:30 am, in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all claims against said estate will be heard. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Edna Pecoski, Executrix, R 5, St Johns, Michigan 48879, prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M GREEN Judge of Probate Dated: November 9, 1972 Stuart J Dunning, Jr Attorney for Estate 530 S Pine-Duncan Bldg. Lansing, Michigan 48933 29-3

Will Goodman-Dec 20 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton Estate of WILLIAM GOODMAN Deceased It is Ordered that on Wednesday, December 20, 1972 at 9:30 am in the Probate Courtroom in St Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of William Hufnagel for probate of a purported will, for granting of administration to the executor named, or some other suitable person, for a determination of heirs and for construction of Paragraphs 13 and 25 of said purported Will. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M GREEN Judge of Probate Dated: November 22, 1972 Raymond R Behan Attorney for Estate 702 American Bank & Trust Bldg. Lansing, Michigan 48933 31-3

Claims Hettinger-Jan 31 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton Estate of VERNE HETTINGER Deceased It is Ordered that on Wednesday, January 31, 1973, at 9:30 am, in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse in St Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims and heirs will be determined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Nyal Plegel, Administrator, 425 N Main Street, Ithaca, Michigan prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M GREEN Judge of Probate Dated: November 10, 1972 Robert H Wood Attorney for Estate 200 W State St Johns, Michigan 29-3

Claims Bengel-Jan 31 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton Estate of MARY BENDEL, Deceased It is Ordered that on Wednesday, January 31, 1973, at 11:00 am, in the Probate Courtroom in St Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on the executor,

Final Account Holmes-Dec 20 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton Estate of WILLIAM G HOLMES Deceased It is Ordered that on Wednesday, December 20, 1972, at 9:30 am, in the Probate Courtroom in St Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Jack Walker, Successor Administrator, for allowance of his final account. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M GREEN Judge of Probate Dated: November 21, 1972 Walker & Moore By: Jack Walker Attorney for Estate 115 E Walker Street St Johns, Mich 31-3

Claims Moots-Nov 14 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton Estate of LEADLEY R MOOTS, Deceased It is Ordered that on Wednesday, February 14, 1973 at 11:00 am, in the Probate Courtroom in St Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claim. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on the executor Robert F Moots, 15210 DeWitt Road, R-4, Lansing, Michigan, prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M GREEN Judge of Probate Dated: November 22, 1972 Raymond R Behan Attorney for Estate 702 American Bank & Trust Bldg. Lansing, Michigan 48933 31-3

Claims Hettinger-Jan 31 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton Estate of VERNE HETTINGER Deceased It is Ordered that on Wednesday, January 31, 1973, at 9:30 am, in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse in St Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims and heirs will be determined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Nyal Plegel, Administrator, 425 N Main Street, Ithaca, Michigan prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M GREEN Judge of Probate Dated: November 10, 1972 Robert H Wood Attorney for Estate 200 W State St Johns, Michigan 29-3

Claims Bengel-Jan 31 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton Estate of MARY BENDEL, Deceased It is Ordered that on Wednesday, January 31, 1973, at 11:00 am, in the Probate Courtroom in St Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on the executor,

Theodore B Simon, 2814 Brentwood, East Lansing, Michigan, prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M GREEN Judge of Probate Dated: November 8, 1972 Raymond R Behan Attorney for Estate 702 American Bank & Trust Bldg. Lansing, Michigan 48933 29-3

Watertown Charter Township
Synopsis of meeting held November 13, 1972. All Board members present except Rollin Noble.
Minutes of October meeting accepted. Treasurer's report accepted. Leon Garlock reported on the ambulance meeting held in Grand Ledge Nov 2nd. Hargrave Ambulance service being considered. Bills read and ordered paid. Orders No 247 thru 288 on the General Fund; Orders No 38 thru 40 on the Cemetery Account and Order No 4 on the Highway Account.
Final approval given to Summer Lane No 4. Resignation of Doris Rhoades of Planning Commission, accepted. Report on October 18th Planning Commission meeting held with Tri-County given.
Report given on progress of Road Committee relative to future road building program. Renewed Consumer Power Street Lighting contract for five years.
Oath of office given to elected officials.
Meeting adjourned.
Mildred McDonough, Clerk
Herman Openlander Supervisor.

Elsie
Mr and Mrs Andrew Cobb have returned from Wallingford, Conn., where they were called because of the illness and death of Mrs. Cobb's mother.
The Cobbs had visited there in September when Mrs Mansfield celebrated her 102nd birthday. Several weeks later she suffered a stroke and passed away the last of October. She is survived by daughters, Mrs Alfred Eitel of Greenwood, S C, and Mrs Andrew W Cobb of Elsie, eight grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.
Debbie Nieman, 17-year-old daughter of Mr and Mrs Russell Neiman, has returned to the home of her parents in Elsie from the Owosso Memorial Hospital where she was taken with multiple injuries following a 2-car collision at the Colony. She sustained a broken jaw and leg and other injuries, and is slowly recovering at her home, 247 E Oak St, Elsie.
Mrs Lillian Sawyer, who has been under treatment for several weeks at the Owosso Memorial Hospital has returned to her home.

Riley and Olive
By Mrs. Goldie Moore
The Riley and Olive Aid will combine their Thanksgiving and Christmas meeting and will meet with Mrs Esther Plowman Dec 7. Please bring a \$1 gift exchange.

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LEGAL NOTICES
BUTZEL, LEVIN, WINSTON & QUINT, Attorneys Detroit, Michigan 48226 MORTGAGE SALE - Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by DeWayne Charles Laraway and Faye Laraway, his wife, to Union Investment Company, a Michigan Corporation, dated the 29th day of February, 1972 and recorded March 29, 1972 with the Office of the Register of



Next Sunday In Clinton County Churches

All Churches in Clinton County are invited to send their weekly announcements to The Clinton County News. They must reach us by 10 a.m. Monday to insure publication in the current week's issue.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Francis C. Johannides, Minister
9:30 am Church School, 10:30 am Fellowship, 11:00 am Morning Worship
Friday, Nov 24: 2:00 pm Women's prayer group.
Monday, Nov 27: 9:00 am Women's prayer group
Tuesday, Nov 28: 7:00 pm Boy Scouts
Wednesday, Nov 29: 4:00 pm Carol Choir rehearsal, 6:30 pm Chapel Choir rehearsal, 7:30 pm Chancel Choir rehearsal.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Attil M. Carson, Minister
Saturday, Dec 2: 12:30 pm Junior Choir rehearsal, 1:00 pm Children's Choir rehearsal.
Sunday, December 3: 9:45 am Church School, 11:00 am Morning Worship
Tuesday, Dec 5: 8:00 pm Mabel, Maier Division.
Wednesday, Dec 6: 6:45 pm Boy Scout Troop No 81, 7:30 pm Board of Trustees, 8:00 pm Chancel Choir rehearsal.

CHURCH OF CHRIST OF ST. JOHNS
400 E State
Mike Hargrave, Minister
9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Morning Worship
5:30 pm Youth Fellowship
8:30 pm Evening Service
Wed, 7:00 pm Prayers Meeting
Call 224-4293 for more information

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH
Rev William G. Hanke, Pastor
Rev. Raymond Goehring Associate Pastor
Rectory—109 Linden St.—Ph. 224-3313
Convent—110 S. Oakland—Ph. 224-3789
School—201 Cass—Ph. 224-2421
Mass Schedule
Saturday Evening—7 p.m. Sunday—7:30, 9:30, 10:30 and 12
Holy Days—See bulletin.
Weekdays—7:30 and 8:30 a.m. and 7:15 p.m.
Sacrament of Penance—Saturdays, 3:30 to 5 p.m.; after 7 p.m. Mass until 9 p.m. Weekday evenings—a few minutes before evening Mass.
First Fridays—Sacrament of Penance, Thursday from 4 to 5 p.m. and after the evening Mass until all are heard. Mass and Prayers all Adoration at 7:15 p.m. Holy Communion on Friday at 9 and 7:15 a.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, 8:30 p.m. on Thursday through 7 p.m. on First Friday.
Deviotions—Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena—after 7:15 p.m. Mass each Tuesday.
Religious Instruction Classes—Adult Inquiry Class, Tuesday at 8 p.m. Public Grade School CCD, Tuesdays from 4 until 8 p.m.
Baptisms—Each Sunday at 1:30 by appointment. Other arrangements by appointment.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
South US-27
Paul A. Travis, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Bible School
10:55 a.m. Worship Service
11 a.m. Children's Churches
6 p.m. IN-TIME and HI-TIME
7 p.m. Evening Worship
Each Wed., 7 p.m. The Hour of Power for the whole family, 8 p.m. Choir practice.
First Sunday—Communion Service
First Tuesday—Deacons' Meeting
Second Tuesday—Ladies' Missionary Class
Last Tuesday—Trustees' Meeting
Mon., Fri. "Moments of Meditation" Radio WRB.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Corner of E. Walker and Mead Sts.
Rev. Hugh E. Bamling, Pastor
Rectory 224-2600 Office 224-2885
Summer Schedule
Every Sunday, 7 a.m. Holy Communion, 2nd & 4th Sunday 9 a.m. Holy Communion and Sermon, Other Sundays, 9 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon, 9 a.m. Church School and Nursery.
Every Monday evening, 7 p.m. Healing Service. 1st & 3rd Mondays, 7 p.m. Senior Citizens.
2nd & 4th Tuesdays, noon, Senior Citizens.
Every Tuesday morning and evening, Weight Watchers.
Starting June 22, every Thursday morning, Bible School at 9:30 a.m.

PRICE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. David D. Boyd
9:45 a.m.—Church School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
Women's Society meets the last Wednesday of each month, Dinner at 12:30, Meeting at 1:30.
Youth Fellowship meets the first and third Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.
Council of Church Ministries and Administrative Board meets the first Sunday of each month following a pot-luck dinner at noon.
Youth choir meets each Wednesday at 7 p.m.
Senior choir meets each Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
The Church of The Lutheran Hour
U.S.-27 at Sturgis
Robert D. Koepen, Pastor
9:00 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Discussions
10:15 a.m. Divine Worship
8:00 a.m. 3rd Sunday of Each Month—Matins Service.
10:15 a.m. Holy Communion 1st and 3rd Sundays each month.
7:30 p.m. 1st Tuesday of each month—Ladies Guild and LWML.
8:00 p.m. 3rd Tuesday of each month—Book Discussion Club.
315 to 015 Weekly on Wednesdays—Weekly Day School September through May.
Confirmation Instruction Wed. after 3:15 p.m.
7:30 p.m. Wednesdays—Adult Information Classes, beginning each September and February—Call 224-3544 or 224-7400 for specific information.
Church Office Hours—9:00—12:00 a.m., Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

THE WAYSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Jerry Thomas, Pastor
About 12 miles north.
The Corner of N US-27 and Rosevelt Rd.
Sunday School and Church - 10:50 am to 12:30 pm. Sunday evening service - 7:30 pm to 8:30 pm.
Wednesday evening service - 7:30 - 8:30 pm.
Everyone welcome to these services.

WEST PILGRIM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Corner of Parks and Grove Rd.
Rev. Brian K. Sheen, Minister
9:30 a.m. - Worship Service
10:45 a.m. - Church School
ASSEMBLY OF GOD
S. US-27 & E. Baldwin
Joseph F. Eger, Jr., Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p.m.—Youth Services
7:30 p.m.—Sunday Evening
7 p.m.—Wednesday, second and fourth, WMC
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday evening service

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS
688 North Lansing Street
Elder E. F. Herzog, Pastor
Services held on Saturday
9:15 a.m.—Church Service
10:30 a.m.—Sabbath School Service

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
Kingdom Hall
1993 North Lansing St.
Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.—Congregation Book Studies. Text studied: "The Nations Shall Know That I am Jehovah—How?"
Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Theocratic Ministry School—Texts Used: "Bible" and "Aid to Bible Understanding" 8:30 p.m. Service Meeting.
Sunday, 9:30 a.m.—Public Lectures—Given by Qualified Representative of the Watchtower Bible and Tract Society, 10:30 a.m.—Watchtower Study—Current issue of the "Watchtower" magazine studied.
PUBLIC INVITED
NO COLLECTION TAKEN

FIRST CHURCH OF GOD
Rev. Jeff Webb
312 N US-27
Phone 224-2448
9:45 am Church School, 11:00 am Worship Service, 7:00 pm Evening Worship, 8:00 pm Youth Fellowship 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month.
Wednesday: 7:45 pm Family Bible Study.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
615 North Lansing Street
Rev Wesley Maniker
Phone 224-2554
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
6:15 p.m.—Youth People's Service
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship
Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.—Caravan.
7:45 p.m.—Bible Study and prayer hour.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH
305 Church Street
Phone 224-3349
Robert Bentley, Minister
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
6:00 p.m.—Evening Worship
Prayer service as announced.
SALEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Parsonage and Office: US-27 and County Line Road
Pastor—Charles VanLente
Phone 224-8166
Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m. Church School.
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. Choir practice
7:30 p.m. Mid-week Service.
Thursday: 7:30 p.m. WSCS Third Thursday.

DeWitt Area
WAYSIDE CHAPEL A BIBLE CHURCH
14327 Turner Road, DeWitt
Rev. Douglas Beach, Pastor
Phone 489-9251
10 a.m. Sunday School
11 a.m. Worship Service
6 p.m. Young People
7 p.m. Evening Service
7:15 p.m. Wednesday - Bible Study and Prayer.
A friendly church with a message for today.
Bible Loving - Bible Believing - Bible Preaching.

DEWEEMER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
105 N. Bridge St.
H. Forest Crum, Minister
9:30 a.m.—Worship, (nursery provided), 10:30 - 11:00 a.m., Coffee Fellowship, 11 a.m. Church School.

ST. ANNE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Corner US-27 and Webb Road
Rev. Glenn V. Cathey, Jr., Vicar
Residence 669-3987 Church 669-9308
Sunday morning prayer and sermon 9:00 a.m.

COMMUNITY OF ST. JUDE
Catholic Church
Father Jerome Schmitt, Pastor
409 Wilson, DeWitt
Daily Mass: Mon, and Thurs., - 7:30 p.m. Tues., Wed, and Fri, 7:00 a.m. Sunday Mass: 9:00 and 11:15 a.m. Services at Middle School, DeWitt.

EAST DEWITT BIBLE CHURCH
(Non Denominational)
Round Lake Road 1/2 mile East of US-27
Glen J. Farnham, Pastor
Sunday: 10 a.m.—Sunday School. Classes for all ages.
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
5:45 p.m.—Youth Fellowship, Senior, 1st and 2nd; Jet Cadets, 10-13.
7 p.m.—Evening Service
Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.—Bible Study and prayer. Supervised nursery for babies and small children in services.
"An open door to an open book" - A Bible preaching church with a message for you.

ST. THERESA CATHOLIC CHURCH
Fathers Francis Murray, Joseph Droete and Lawrence Delaney
Rectory: 102 W. Randolph, Lansing
Phone 489-0051
Mass Schedule—Saturday: 7 p.m. Sunday: 6, 9, 10, 12; DeWitt, 9 a.m. Holiday: 7, 8, 10 a.m.; 5:30, 7:30 p.m.
Weekday Masses: 8 a.m., 7:30 p.m. Confessions—Saturday: 3:30 to 5 and 7:30 to 9; Eves of Holydays, 8 to 9.
Baptism: Sunday at 1 p.m. Please call in advance.

HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH
380 W Herblison Rd, DeWitt
Telephone: 669-3530
David B Franzmetz, Pastor
Telephone: 669-3608
Sunday School - 9:00 am
Sunday Worship - 10:30 am
Tuesday - Directions at Dawn 7:00 am.

VALLEY FARMS BAPTIST CHURCH
211 E. State Road
Rev. Glenn H. Jones, Pastor
9:45-10:45 a.m.—Church School.
There is a class for everyone from the youngest to the oldest. The Bible is our textbook.
11 a.m.—12 Noon—Morning Worship, Junior Church for children through 6th grade.
8:30 p.m.—BYE for both Juniors and Seniors
7:30 p.m.—Evangelistic Service
8:00 p.m.—Morning Choir practices
Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.—Mid-week Prayer Service; 8:00 p.m.—Morning Choir practice
Saturday, 10:00 a.m.—Jr. Choir practice
1st Thursday 7:30 p.m.—Woman's Mission Society
2nd Saturday 2:00 p.m.—Ann Judson Guild for Jr. Hl. girls
3rd Tuesday 8:00 p.m.—Men's Fellowship

SOUTH DEWITT CHURCH OF CHRIST
Temporarily Meeting at the DeWitt High School
Evangelist: Richard J. Wolfcote
Telephone: 669-3335
8 a.m.—Morning Worship, Channel 5 TV; "Revival Fires," 11:10 radio, 9:45 a.m.—Bible School.
10:30 a.m.—Morning Worship. Sermon: "The Mind of Christ."
Weekly Communion.
6:30 p.m.—Youth groups for grades 1 through freshmen in college.
6:30 p.m.—Evening Worship. Sermon: "What the Church of Christ Stands For."
Wednesday, 7 p.m.—Hour of Power, 8 classes.
Thursday, 7 p.m.—Fishermen's Club

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF DEWITT, SBC.
Rev. Jerry Cole, Pastor
Meeting in the Memorial Building while we build our new worship center.
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m.
5:00 pm Evening Worship.
Meeting in homes - 7:30 p.m.
Mid-week prayer service Wed. - 7:30 p.m.
Youth prayer service Thur. - 7:30 p.m. 11:15 a.m. (11:15) p.m. Join us in worship every week. For somebody and Christ is Lord. For more information call 669-9752 or write Box 306, DeWitt.

VALLEY FARMS UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
155 E. State Rd.
Rev. Neil Bolinger, Pastor
Phone 489-1705
9:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m.—Sunday evening Evangelistic.
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.—Youth service.
Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Bible Study.
We cordially invite you to attend any or all of these services.
Listen to our international broadcast HARVESTIME Sunday morning 10:30 a.m., WRB, 1580 on your dial.

SALEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Parsonage and Office: US-27 and County Line Road
Pastor - Everett M. Love
Phone 224-0166
Sunday: 9:00 a.m. Worship 10:00 a.m. Church School.
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. Choir practice 7:30 p.m. Mid-week Service.
Thursday: 7:30 p.m. WSCS Third Thursday.

ST. PETER LUTHERAN CHURCH MISSOURI SYNOD
4 1/2 miles west of St. Johns on M-21 5 1/2 miles east of Church road
Marvin L. Barz, Pastor
10:30 a.m.—Worship
9:15 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes.
Holy Communion first Sunday of the month at 8 a.m. Third Sunday of the month at 10:30 a.m.

SOUTH RILEY BIBLE CHURCH
Willard Farrier, Pastor
Located 1/2 mile east of Francis Road on Chadwick Road
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Worship Service

Gunnisonville Area
GUNNISONVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Clark and Wood Roads
Rev. Dan Miles, Minister
9:30 a.m. Church Service
10:45 a.m. Sunday School

Maple Rapids Area
THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH MAPLE RAPIDS
Pastor - Rev. Abe S. Castor
Parsonage - Middleton
Phone - 236-7742
Sunday - 9:30 a.m. Worship Service, 10:30 a.m. Sunday School.
Tuesday - 1:30 p.m. WSCS first Tuesday each month, 7:00 p.m. Senior Choir practice, 7:00 p.m. Scouts.

GREENBUSH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Scott and Marshall Roads
Pastor - Everett M. Love
Sunday: 9:45 a.m. Church School, 11:30 a.m. Worship
Thursday: WSCS 4th Thursday at 8:00 p.m.

LOWE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Lowe and North Lowe Road
Pastor - Everett M. Love
Sunday Church Service 10:15 a.m., Tuesday: Choral Actors 3-4:30, Wednesday: Bible Study 7:30-8:30, Senior Choir 7:30-8:30.

CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Maple Rapids, Michigan
Rev. Robert E. Myers, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Worship Service
11:15 a.m.—Sunday School
7:45 p.m.—Y.M. meets on alternate Sundays
8:45 p.m.—Thursday, Cherub and Junior choir.
9 p.m.—Thursday, Chapel choir.
1:30 p.m.—Third Friday, Women's Fellowship, church basement.
8:30 p.m.—Service meeting

Matherton Area

MATHERTON COMMUNITY CHURCH
2:00 p.m.—Sunday School
3:00 p.m.—Worship service

Fulton Area

FULTON FULL GOSPEL CHURCH
1/2 mile east of Perrinton on M-57, 1/2 mile south
Rev. Fred Wing, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m.—Youth Service
7:45 p.m.—Evening Service
7:45 p.m.—Thursday, Prayer and praise service

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6:30 p.m.—Youth Meetings
8:30 p.m.—Wednesday, Jr. Choir; Chancel Choir, 7:30 p.m.

Both Area

BATH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Clarence Keith
9:45 am Church School
11:00 am Worship
7:00 pm Bible Study

BATH BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Richard Cole, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
6:30 p.m. Youth Fellowship
7:30 p.m. Evening Service
Midweek service on Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

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9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship
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11 a.m.—Worship service.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
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10:00 a.m.—Worship service
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School, Paul Brown, Supt.
6 p.m.—Junior and Senior BYE
7 p.m.—Evening Service
8:30 p.m.—Wednesday—Junior and Senior Choir practice.
7 p.m., Wednesday—Prayer and Bible Study.

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3 miles west Ovid-Elsie High School
250 E. Colony Road
Justin Shepard, Minister
Jack Schwark, S.S. Supt.
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Church
7 p.m.—Junior and Youth Fellowship
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
7 p.m., Wednesday—Prayer Meeting

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Holy Day Liturgies: 7:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.
Confessions: One half hour before all Sunday Liturgies.

EAGLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Ray McEstrine, Pastor
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9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship
10:30 a.m.—Church School
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, Bible Study and prayer meeting.

EAGLE FOURSQUARE CHURCH
Rev. and Mrs. Royal Burnett, Pastor
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:15 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday Prayer meeting

Fowler Area

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Rev. Fr. Albert J. Schmitt, Pastor
Sunday Masses—6:30; 8:30 and 10:30 a.m.
Weekdays—During school year, 7:30 and 8:30 a.m.
Holy Days—5:00; 7:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. eve before.
Sorrowful Mother Novena—Friday, 7:30 p.m.
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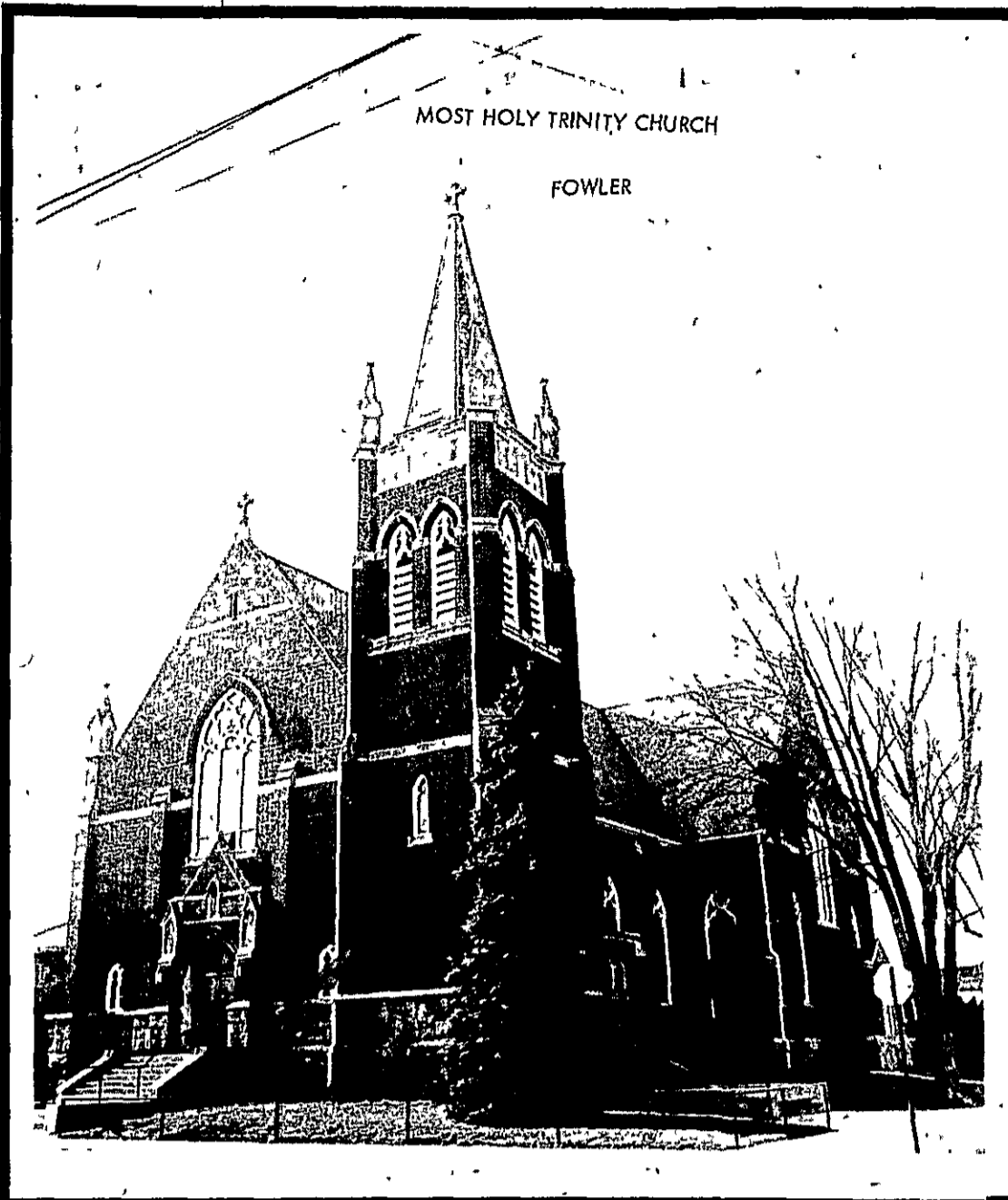
ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH FOWLER
H E Rossov, Pastor
9:30 am Worship, 10:30 am Sunday School & Bible Class.

Ovid Area

CHURCH OF GOD
Ovid, Michigan
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10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:10 a.m.—Morning Worship
6:00 p.m.—Youth Fellowship
7:00 p.m.—Evening Service
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, Bible Study; 8:45 p.m.—Choir practice

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Rev. Richard D. Purchase
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Sacred Confession—Saturday, 3:30 and 7:30 p.m.
Family Holy Hour for Peace—Saturday, 7:15 p.m.

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Morning Worship: 10:00 a.m.
Church School Classes 11:15 a.m. Jr. and Sr. Hl. Y. P., 6:00 p.m.
Cherub and Youth Choir Wednesday, 3:00 p.m.
Chancel Choir, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.
W.S.C.S. Noon meetings every 3rd Wednesday.
W.X.Y.Z. Noon meetings every 1st Wednesday.
Council on Ministries every 3rd Monday at 7:30.
Administrative Board, 4th Monday of every 3rd month.

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Rev. Robert Franze, Pastor
Price and Shepardsville roads
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11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p.m.—Young People
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, prayer meeting
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COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

Schmitt's	21	15
Aloha	20	16
Rehmann's	20	16
Sprite	19	17
Redwing Lanes	18	18
Daley's	18	18
Demmer's	17	19
Road House	17	19
Dry Dock	17	19
Bruno's	17	19
Strouse Oil	15	21
Galloway's	14	19

FIVE O'CLOCK SHADOW

Four W's	28 1/2	15 1/2
Slowpokes	28	16
Pinbusters	27	17
Kebee's	27	17
Gutter Dusters	23 1/2	20 1/2
4 Squares	23	21
Bowler Derbies	21	23
Four B's	21	23
Doberman Gang	19 1/2	24 1/2
Born Losers	15 1/2	28 1/2
State Farmers	15	29
Keglers	13	31

NIGHT HAWK

McKenzie's	25	11
Beck's	23	13
Zeeb's	22	14
Legion	22	14
G and I	21	15
Coca Cola	20	16
Egg Station	18	18
Hettler's	17	19
Dunkel's	16	20
Shell	15	21
Randolph's	10	26
St. Johns Oil	7	29

COCA COLA PREP

W L	14 6
Pinsetters	13 7
Losers	12 8
Dragons	11 9
Tenpinners	9 11
Stikers	8 12
Kid Power	7 13
Super Stars	6 14

COFFEECUP

W L	35 9
Houghtons	34 1/2 9 1/2
Jays	30 14
Roadrunners	27 17
Snack Bar	24 20
Chaparral	23 21
General Tire	23 21
Clinton Crop	20 1/2 23 1/2
Tastee Freeze	18 26
Jims Radio	13 31
Mission Imp	10 22
Overway Agency	6 38

TUESDAY TEATIME

W L	40 8
Redwing Lanes	30 18
Aloha Drive In	30 18
Arts Refinery	29 19
S&H Farms	25 23
Cen Nat Bank	24 1/2 23 1/2
Paradise Rd & Tv	24 24
Co-op's	18 15
Woodberry's	17 16
Carlings	16 17
Central Nat Bank	13 20
Moriarty's	13 20
Fresca	12 18
VFW	10 23

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St. Johns Co-op	27 1/2 16 1/2
Wheel Inn	27 17
Hobby Lobby	23 21
Hillside Beauty	21 23
Rivard's	20 24
Kurt's	19 25
Drake's	18 1/2 25 1/2
Curley Q	18 26
Cains	17 27
General Tel.	9 35

LEAGUE

W L	29 15
Halfways	29 15
Odd Couples	27 17
Gamblers	27 17
Mama's & Papa's	27 17
Sparemakers	22 1/2 21 1/2
Underdogs	22 22
Splits & Mrs	21 23
Four Strikes	21 1/2 22 1/2
Wildcats	20 24
Four Fro's	16 28
Last Cause	17 27
Lost Chance	15 29

TEN PIN KEGLERS

W L	29 15
McKenzie's Ins	28 16
E J Standard	27 17
Hub Tire Center	27 17
Parr's	27 17
Allaby & Brewbaker	24 20
American Legion	23 21
Clinton National	22 22
Julie K	21 23
Daley's	20 24
Hallenbeck's	17 27
Masarik's	16 28
Bruno's	10 34

COCA COLA PREP

W L	12 4
Pinsetters	10 6
Losers	10 6
Dragons	10 6
Tenpinners	9 7
Strikers	8 10
Super Stars	8 10
Kid Power	6 10
Redwing Snack Bar	5 11
Mike Martin	169
Jorae	169 with a 437 series.
High game team - Tenpinners	1022.
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High game team - Split converted - K Watson	5-6; M Martin, 3-10; D Dush, 3-10; K Jorae, 5-7; J Mueller, 5-10.

PEANUTS

W L	13 3
Gutter Balls	10 6
Raiders	5 11
Challengers	4 12
Winners	4 12
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High game team - Gutter Balls	980 with a 2818 series.

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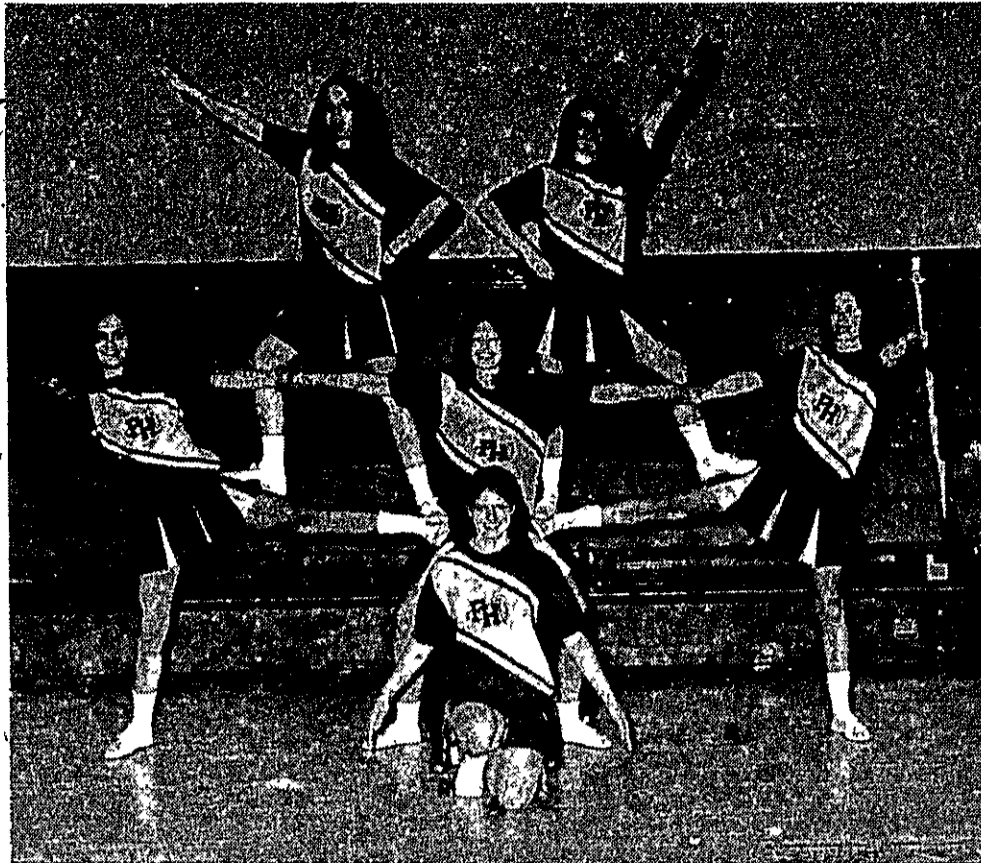
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New look for cheerleaders

Varsity cheerleaders from Fulton High School will have a new look this year, come breakfast for champions and stitute and learned many new cheers, chants, and pom routines. There, they received an award for the best notebook and placed 4th in overall cheering.

After a full summer of money making projects, the girls finally ordered their new uniforms. The outfits are royal blue skirts with gold pleats, and royal blue sweaters with a gold diagonal strip down the front.

Members of this years squad are Candy Badger, Tomi Beard, Carol Betz, Cheryl Snyder, Shelley Williams and Diane Zimmerman. Their advisor is Mrs Carolyn Winsor.

The squad raised their money by having bake sales, car washes, donations for a \$25 dollar savings bond, dishcloth sales, candles, booster buttons, and pompons. They would like to thank everyone in the community for the support they gave and hope that the support will be carried out throughout the remainder of the year at the various athletic events.

Some of the activities that the cheerleading squad hold include dances after the games, parent's night, homecoming activities,

DeWitt received \$6335; Eagle, \$725; Elsie, \$3746; Fowler, \$3036; Ovid, \$5456; Pewamo, \$2564 and St Johns \$20,405.

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John P. Woodford, deputy director-chief engineer of the Department of State Highways, said net receipts of the Highway Fund during July, August and September of 1972 amounted to \$85,984,252, an increase of \$4,522,846 or 5.6 per cent compared to the same period of 1971.

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Clinton mental health therapists want to help with your problems

By LEE PETERS
News Staff Writer

ST JOHNS - Therapists at Clinton County Community Mental Health Center don't claim to have all the answers.

But they do know many people have problems, everyday problems they're having trouble coping with and can't find a solution.

They feel by looking at the problem together, talking it over and arriving at alternatives, the best answer can be worked out.

THIS BASIC approach has helped build a successful foundation for the Community Mental Health Center at 300 E Sturgis St, St Johns. In its 3 years in service, therapists have come into contact with 1 out of 25 Clinton residents.

"With a population of 50,000, we feel that's a fairly significant number," says Tom Sherby, 1 of 2 fulltime therapists. "If funds are available," he continues, "we hope to double our staff within the year. We could

then give service equal to neighboring communities." Money to operate the center comes from the board of commissioners, client fees and state funds.

THE CENTER had its beginning early in 1969 when the Clinton Board of Supervisors joined the Community Mental Health Services Board of Ingham. It has since been joined by Eaton County.

On the recommendation by a group of Clinton citizens formed to study mental health needs, a psychiatrist, social worker began visiting county schools and other agencies on a consultation basis. In October 1969, facilities at the Clinton Memorial Hospital Nurses' Residence were obtained. A fulltime psychiatric social worker was added and early in '70 a fulltime secretary began work.

The health center staff is prepared to handle many types of problems such as children's school problems, marital difficulties, feelings of depression or unhappiness

or those related to family members. "At this time," Sherby relates, "the majority of people have marital and family problems. Another sizable group are children with difficulty getting along at home and school."

The staff also provides consultation to schools, other social agencies, pastors, private physicians, Clinton Memorial Hospital and many others. Sherby and Carol Monson are fulltime therapists and Sue Benson is office manager. Carolyn Paulter, Ann Lyon and Rose Cross are part-time staff members.

Mrs Lyon and Mrs Cross, new additions to the staff, are in their final stages of training before receiving a master's degree in social work from Michigan State University. "We are fortunate to have these people," states Sherby, who has been with the program since its beginning, "because both had prior experience in the social work field."

SHERBY EXPLAINS anyone can refer themselves with a large number of referrals from physicians and from schools. "About 35% of our marital counseling," he says, "is from lawyers." For

clients under 18, parental permission is required unless it's a drug problem. Fees are charged according to the ability to pay with the average \$5 a visit.

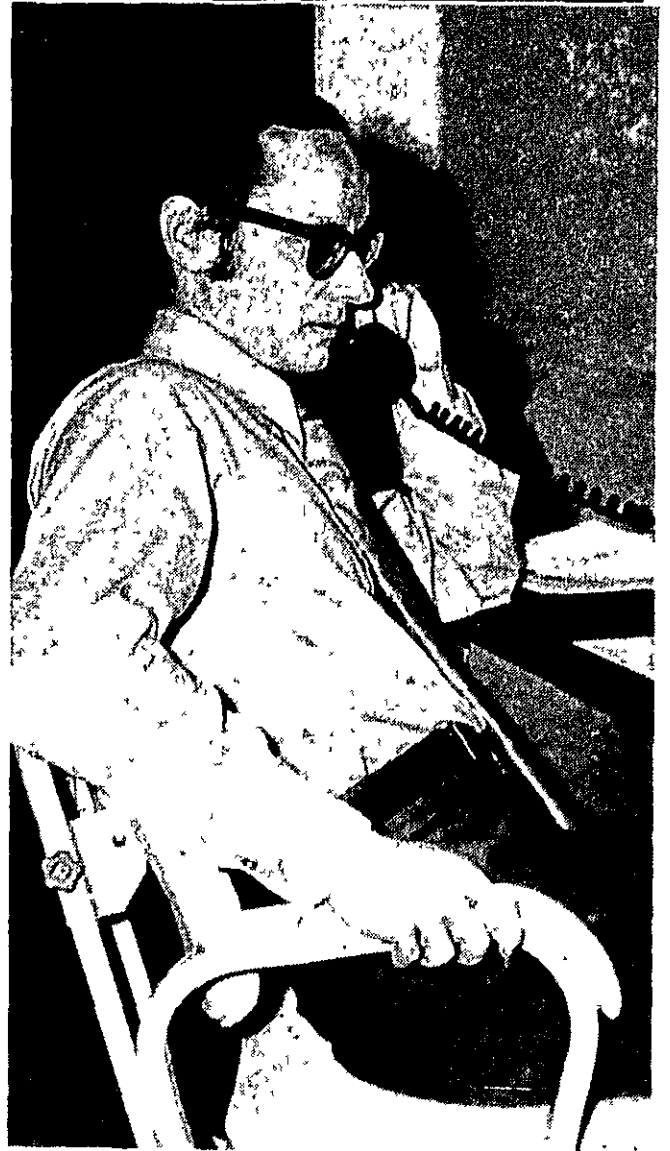
To obtain service during the week, Sherby asks people to call and talk with the receptionist between 8:30 am and 5 pm at 224-6729. An appointment can generally be arranged within a week. "If it's a crisis situation, they can generally be seen within a day," he points out.

Emergencies, nights or weekends a therapist is on call in Lansing at 1-372-7900. All cases are confidential unless a client wants to involve someone else.

A Mothers Group now meets in the center lounge Wednesdays from 10 to 11:30 am. Sherby says problems associated with child raising are talked about ranging from pre-school up to teenager.

"One of the biggest problems we sense," Sherby says, "is people think you've got to be mentally ill or having a nervous breakdown. There is a stigma attached to mental health. Only 10 to 12% of our clients are referred for in-patient care.

The majority are everyday people with everyday problems, concludes Sherby.



TOM SHERBY

Local congregation to mark world hunger day Dec 3

ST JOHNS - Dec 3, has been designated as World Hunger Sunday by The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, a 3-million member

church body with some 6,000 congregations throughout the United States and Canada.

St John's Lutheran Church, US 27 and Sturgis, will participate in the program to raise funds to help feed the world's hungry.

At its July 1971 convention in Milwaukee, the 1,000 delegates to the biennial convention of the Missouri Synod resolved to observe a World Hunger Day. President J.A.O. Preus has designated December 3 as the time for this year's observance.

"The people flooded out of Rapid City and Wilkes-Barre, the 'depressed

American Indians, the East Pakistan refugees, the hungry in India and New Guinea - these and countless others will all benefit from this appeal," the Reverend Melvin E. Witt, Secretary of World Relief for the Missouri Synod, has stated.

Plans for the local congregation, according to Pastor Robert Koepen, include an ingathering of non-perishable foods beginning on Thanksgiving Day and extending until Dec 17 to be used within the community; collecting children's clothing, blankets and adult and children's sweaters for shipment to overseas countries through

Lutheran World Relief; and a special offering to be taken Sunday, Dec 3, which will be designated for World Relief.

The Social Welfare Committee, headed by Mr Lenord Race, will take charge of the food distribution. Mrs Emile Plermoen, president of the St Johns Lutheran Ladies Guild, is guiding the collection and packing of the clothing for the foreign countries. The youth of the church will help in the collection of money for this project. Sharon Barnes, President, and Steve Jacobus, Coach, will be in charge of arrangements.

O-E bands sell Christmas candy

Beginning Dec 4 the Ovid-Elsie Bands will be sponsoring their annual candy sale. Area bandmen will be going door to door in an effort to support the school's band program.

The Tyroleans. These boxes are Christmas wrapped, making them an ideal Christmas gift.

Profits realized in this sale will go toward the purchase of new instruments for the bands and toward band camp for the Senior Band members.

The same candies offered last year will again be available this year. These include the Double Almond Bar, the Polly Doodles and

Support the O-E Band and stock up on sweets for the holidays.

New swimming classes start at St Johns pool

ST JOHNS - A second Saturday swim class session is set to start at the St Johns High School pool.

Pool director D Wayne Morrison has announced the following classes will begin Dec 2 and continue through Feb 3:

Beginner, 9 to 9:40 am; Advanced beginner, 9:45 to 10:25 am; Intermediate and swimmer, 10:30 to 11:10 am, and Beginner under 54 inches and baby class, 11:15 am to 12 noon.

All swimmers must be at least 54 inches tall or chapered by a parent. Charge for each class is \$5 for 8 weeks. A ratio of 1 instructor per 10 to 12 students per class will try to be maintained.

The pool schedule also includes open swimming Monday and Thursday nights from 6:30 to 8:30 pm. Cost is 30¢ students, 60¢ adults or \$1 per family. The pool will be closed over Christmas vacation and Dec 7, Jan 26 and Feb 8 due to home swim meets.

Groups can rent the pool Tuesdays from 6:30 to 8 pm and 8:15 to 9:45 pm. The charge for those in the school

district is \$15 to \$21 and for those outside the district \$20 to \$26, depending on the size of the group.

Anyone wanting to sign up for classes or to rent the pool can call 224-2394 extension 222.

East Victor

Mr and Mrs Howard Dennis entertained their Pedro Club Saturday evening with a potluck supper at 7 pm. After dinner Pedro was played with high honors going to Myrtle Ketchum and Ray Ketchum and low to Rayola Lane and Claude Ingersoll.

Mrs Alfred Bartz and daughter and grandchildren of Lansing were recent guests of the former's parents, Mr and Mrs Jesse Perkins.

Mr and Mrs Lawrence Ketchum of Swartz Creek and Mr and Mrs Claude Ingersoll were Thursday dinner guests of the former's brother Mr and Mrs Ray Ketchum.

Mr and Mrs Gerald Barrett entertained their children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Cyril Giffels of Lansing were Sunday callers of Mr and Mrs Ray Scott and

Roy. Mr and Mrs Howard Dennis spent Sunday in Jackson with Mr and Mrs Vince Rumler.

Mr and Mrs George Weeks of Lansing were Sunday callers of their parents, Mr and Mrs Orval White.

Pewamo

The children of Mrs Mildred Fox gave her a surprise birthday party at the Pour House Restaurant in Lansing, Sunday Nov 12. She was celebrating her birthday which was Saturday, Nov 11. Those attending were Mr and Mrs Ed Ballard of Detroit, Mr and Mrs Arthur Bussa of Portland, Mr and Mrs James Fox of St Louis, Mr and Mrs Dick Fox of Williamston and Mr and Mrs Don Fox of Brighton. After serving the large birthday cake, she received many gifts.

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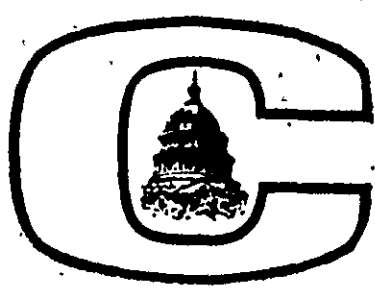
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