

Art workshop

An all-day workshop for train art volunteers will be held at St. Johns High School Saturday, March 11 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. as part of the county-wide "Arts for All Ages" program funded by the Michigan Council for the Arts. Related story page 3A.

WOES to air

WOES, a student operated radio station out of Ovid-Elsie High School, will make its debut on the air Tuesday, March 14, at 2 p.m. following a special ribbon cutting ceremony. WOES is located at 91.3 on the FM dial and will be heard within a 10 to 15-mile radius of the high school. The Ovid-Elsie band will play the Star Spangled Banner and Karen Green will offer a clarinet solo. Also, an original composition by the percussion ensemble will be featured in the opening broadcast.

EDC hearing set

St. Johns City Commission will meet at the municipal building, 121 E. Walker, Monday, March 13, at 7:30 p.m. to conduct a public hearing on the advisability of approving the construction of a Big Boy and an Egan Ford dealership across from Bee's Chevrolet and Oldsmobile dealership, as sought by the Economic Development Corporation of Clinton County.

PROFILE

He has seen growth in DeWitt Township



Bill Purves has seen DeWitt Township grow from the bottom up to where it is now complete with a full-time police department.

Fish supper

The Lions Club of Elsie will hold their annual Fish Supper, Friday, March 17 at the American Legion Hall. This year serving will be from 5-7 p.m. and a limited number of tickets will be sold to better control the cooking and serving.

Boards of Review

Boards of Review will meet at the various township halls in Clinton County beginning Monday, March 13, to review property assessments. Consult your township assessor for times and dates.

Job openings

Thirty positions are now open for Clinton County residents who have been unemployed for 15 weeks or more and meet other eligibility criteria under the CETA VI work projects. See the want-ad pages in this week's Clinton County News for a list of the jobs available.

Teacher aide issue in stalemate



Foods make puppets

In recognition of Nutrition Week, March 5-11, Brownie Troop 44 from Teresa Merrill Elementary made finger puppets and a bulletin board explaining how food offers nutrition. Displaying some of their artwork

are (from left) Cassandra Antes, daughter of Roselyn and Ronald Antes; Mary Worrall, daughter of Gary and Barbara Worrall; and Shara Stockwell, daughter of Emerson and Donna Stockwell. (photo by Patrice Hornak)

By Patrice Hornak
Editor

St. Johns

St. Johns' Board of Education was ready to reinstate teacher aides who were cut as a result of the millage failure last fall at a special Board meeting last Thursday, March 2, but the aides will have to wait until the Board's next meeting, March 8, to learn of their future.

At the March 2 mid-day meeting, Superintendent Donald Burns asked the Board to consider the reinstatement of teacher aides at the elementary level.

However, after learning that the St. Johns Education Association will not drop its grievances filed against the Board for cutting the teacher aides, the Board voted to table the matter until the March 8 meeting in hopes that the SJEA will reconsider their decision.

Dr. Burns explained the money to hire the aides for the remainder of the school year, approximately \$30,000, will come from the fuel account which has a surplus. A Jan. 31 print-out received by the administration listing expenditures to date showed a surplus in the electrical area. The Board had budgeted more than was needed, expecting a larger rate increase and larger consumption, explained Burns.

On Feb. 23, the administration met with SJEA President Bill Bargar to discuss the feasibility of using this excess fuel money to reinstate aides. In a letter to the administration, however, Bargar said the aide offer "is too little and too late."

The grievances filed by the SJEA against the Board are now going to arbitration. It is estimated the arbitration will take place in another month.

The SJEA argues that the elementary teacher agreement stating that elementary teachers receive 20 minutes of aide time per day was violated. The SJEA wants teachers to be paid for the 20 minutes which they should have received if the aides wouldn't have been cut.

Based on the teacher average hourly wage obtained from Assistant Superintendent Gordon Vandemark, namely \$12.50 per hour excluding fringe benefits, the tab for teachers getting paid for aide time runs to about \$55,000 for the 1977-78 school year.

Should the Board lose the arbitration decision, they will be forced to pay the teachers \$55,000. However, if the Board were to reinstate the aides by the end of March, the tab would run about \$30,000. The cost of waiting an additional month

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Most village candidates are running unopposed

Clinton County

Monday, March 13, is village election day throughout Clinton County but in most communities, there will be no contest between candidates.

Elsie is the only community with more candidates than positions, as six persons are seeking three seats on the Elsie Village Council. Following is a list of the village candidates.

Elsie

Six persons are seeking three, four-year terms on the Elsie Village Council, including two incumbents Patrick Foran of 213 E. Pine St., and Richard Sturgis of 228 W. Oak St. Foran is running on the Republican ticket and Sturgis is listed as Democratic.

Others seeking a four-year term are Democrats Wanda Litomisky of 131 N. Church St., and Frank Bernath of 300 W. Oak St.; and Republicans Bruce Levey of 114 E. Oak St., and Gordon Mead of 648 S. Ovid St.

Village officers President Arnold

Minarik, Treasurer Orpha Clement and Assessor Lawrence Hess are all incumbents running unopposed. Blanche Woodbury has been appointed as clerk.

Fowler

In Fowler, village officials Carl Koenigsnecht, president; Winifred McKean, clerk; and Marjorie Luttig, treasurer; are running unopposed but no one has filed for the assessor's position vacated by Earl Frechen.

Three Republicans are running for the three, four-year terms including incumbent Wayne McCausey of 665 S. Wright Rd., Steven Spicer of 11256 W. Third St., and LeRoy Goerge of 14411 W. Second St. Dudley McKean and William Braun are not running for re-election.

Ovid

There will be no contest in the Ovid Village election, with three Republicans seeking the three two-year terms. Sam Sinicropi, an incumbent Republican, was knocked out of the race in the Feb. 20 primary in which 126 of over 700 Ovid voters went to the polls.

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Sewer system will cost bucks

By Sue Kiley
Staff Writer

DeWitt City

No matter how the residents of DeWitt City look at it, expanding the sewer system is going to cost money. And to make the situation seem worse they have no choice in the matter.

With the signing of the Clean Water Act of 1972 designed to make water in the United States swimmable and fishable by 1982, came more trouble than anyone expected at the time. As part of this act treatment of all water would be tertiary (third stage by 1977).

"Our plant could never have been able to do this type of third treatment," Charles Bauer, councilman commented. "Right now we are only doing primary treatment."

At its Monday night meeting, the DeWitt City Council unanimously voted to levy tax at a rate sufficient to meet its obligations. In a resolution signed by the Council, it also stated the city intends to increase its rates to users in

order to obtain its proportionate share of the anticipated increase in the cost of operation and maintenance of the Southern Clinton County Sanitary Sewer Authority wastewater treatment plant.

"We are stuck with the concept," Councilman Karl Bohnhoff said. "It's not a question of wanting it, the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) mandates that we do it."

The method of payment was explained at the meeting with the Council saying to the half dozen people attending, that for capital improvements to the existing plant on Herbison Road bonds would be sought with a millage being levied. In order to maintain the operations of the sewer, an increase in the monthly sewer rate would be seen.

One advantage cited by the members of the council with the millage increase is city residents have the advantage of taking a tax credit. If the costs went on user fees alone, they would not be deductible to anyone on their tax forms. "The more the tax base grows, the

less the rate will be," Bohnhoff added.

"We are looking at a \$3 increase at the outside," Robert Drouin, councilman, said. He added, "We haven't seen an increase in the rates since 1967. Since then it has always been \$7."

Councilman Bauer went into some background about the sewer system and why steps are moving along like they are.

"It seems like things are moving along rather fast, but really the issue is already six years old," he began. He stated because of the act signed in 1972 and knowing what would have to be done, the city contracted engineers and consultants had to determine costs and alternatives.

The three alternatives the consultants came up with were: installing a lagoon system; running sewage to other communities; or enlarging the DeWitt Township plant.

"We couldn't expand our existing plant because it is located in a flood plain," Bauer commented. "So our best

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Local groups encourage physicians to practice in Clinton --Part II

By Patrice Hornak
Editor

Clinton County

Recruiting doctors is a competitive business.

However, in Clinton County where the patient-to-physician ratio is one doctor to over 3,457 patients, as opposed to the national ratio of one doctor to every 558 patients, the business of recruiting doctors is an on-going process.

Presently, three separate groups are trying to attract doctors in Clinton County, namely an Elsie-based organization, a Westphalia citizen group, and Clinton Memorial Hospital.

However, the efforts of these groups have not been entirely successful lately, amidst concern from the various communities.

Clinton Memorial Hospital Hospital Administrator Paul McNamara has used several approaches in recruiting doctors: a promotion folder brimming with information about St. Johns and Clinton Memorial Hospital; word of mouth;

and the use of professional recruiting firms.

McNamara said he makes an average of five calls per week to doctors whom he had heard are looking to establish a practice. If the doctor voices interest in the area, McNamara sends the doctor a letter and the folder. Last year the hospital sent out at least 75 packets to doctors and 15 doctors visited the hospital.

It is through the four professional recruiting firms that the hospital has obtained the last five doctors who have taken up practice at CMH.

The recruiting firms contact graduating medical students, advertise in Clinton Memorials Hospital's name and actively seek to find physicians to come to this area, as well as other hospitals which the firms have been hired by.

Once the firm locates a doctor and the doctor agrees to come to the area, the recruiting firm is paid a good sum of money which McNamara declined to designate.

"We are probably more aggressive in using these firms," said McNamara who added, "But, it's a seller's market

and they have a service to sell."

Doctors also receive financial support from the hospital when they first come to CMH. This amount varies from doctor to doctor.

Money is not the primary incentive a doctor, however, is given to come to Clinton Memorial. The community, itself, offers many benefits.

When considering a place to establish a practice, many doctors look for a good school system which McNamara said "is one of the key elements," a clean community, a healthy spirit about the area, proximity to continuous medical education, cultural activities and general reception by peers and neighbors.

Also important to the physician are his or her relationship with hospital personnel and staff, office space for his practice water-related housing and recreation facilities, and the proximity of his office to the hospital.

In McNamara's estimation, St. Johns has all of the above except the beach houses and ample office space located close to the hospital. And, the solution

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Promo packet

Paul McNamara, Clinton Memorial Hospital administrator, displays the packet of information doctors receive when contacted by McNamara.

The packet includes a map of the city of St. Johns, pamphlets about the hospital as well as the community and a hospital annual report.

Sheriff's Dept reports weekly accidents

Clinton County
Relatively few persons were injured on Clinton County roads during the week of Feb. 27 according to accident reports from the Clinton County Sheriff's Department.

Injuries resulted when cars driven by Wanda K. Ruehle, Ovid, and Stanley W. Larkins, Elsie collided on N. Main Street on March 1 at 4:44 a.m. A car driven by Ruehle was stopped for traffic at the intersection of Front and North Main Streets when she was struck by the Larkins auto. Ruehle was injured in the mishap and sought her own treatment.

Dennis L. Bauer, 2133 N. Krepps Rd., St. Johns, was injured when he struck a parked car in the middle of Krepps Road on March 2 at 11:45 p.m. The parked vehicle did not have any lights on when the Bauer auto hit the auto broadside. Bauer was injured and sought his own treatment.

A six-year-old Portland girl was injured when she ran out from behind some parked cars into the path of an oncoming vehicle driven by Marie A. Hanes, Fowler. Hanes stated she saw three children run out into Westphalia Street near the intersection of Church Street. She told deputies she applied the

brakes, but could not avoid hitting the child. The incident happened at 11:05 a.m. March 5. Miss Pohl was taken to St. Lawrence Hospital in Lansing for treatment. Cars driven by Terry A.

Thelen, Fowler, and Fred J. Antes, Wacousta Road, St. Johns, collided at the intersection of Wright and Centerline Roads. Antes was northbound on Wright Road and Thelen was eastbound.

According to the deputies report, Thelen failed to stop for a stop sign which resulted in the accident which occurred on March 5 at 12:41 a.m. Antes was injured and taken to Carson City Hospi-

by ambulance for treatment. Also reported to the Sheriff's Department and investigated by road patrol deputies were nine other minor accidents with no injuries.

Juveniles ticketed by DeWitt police

DeWitt
Appearance tickets were issued to eight juveniles and two adults for loitering and having open intoxicants in the City of DeWitt during the past week.

Tickets were written up for three male juveniles and one

adult male for loitering in the DeWitt laundry mat because of several instances of malicious destruction of property in recent weeks.

Five juvenile females and one adult female were cited by police for having open intoxicants while parked in

the DeWitt High School parking lot. Because of several instances of broken bottles in the parking lot after basketball games, police have been patrolling the high school area more regularly.

The breaking and entering of a Norward apartment was

reported on March 4. Money was taken from the apartment.

A juvenile was also cited for careless driving.

A larceny of a motor vehicle was reported. A CB radio and keys were taken.

Minor accidents investigated by St Johns PD

St. Johns
There were a comparatively high number of accidents in St. Johns according to police reports, but most of the accidents were minor, with none of those during the week of Feb. 27 resulting in injuries.

Robert Smith of 106 S. Lansing, reported his auto was taken from the Redwing Bowling Alley parking lot late Friday night or early Saturday morning. The

vehicle was a 1974 blue Ford Ranchero pick-up. Smith also reported his wallet was stolen at the same time.

St. Johns police arrested three persons for driving under the influence of liquor, and two for assault and battery.

One person was cited for driving while with a suspended license, one juvenile for being a minor in possession, and one person for having open intoxicants.

There was also one case of bad checks reported to the department.

A window at the Gamble Store on Walker Street was broken on March 1 and listed

as malicious destruction of property over \$100.

Volunteer firefighters were called out one time during the week, on March 1.

Gun taken from van

DeWitt Township
DeWitt Township police reported varied activities during the week of Feb. 27.

A .22 caliber gun was taken from a van owned by Ken Gilton, Greenway Dr., Lansing while it was parked in the driveway. The incident happened either late Sunday night or early Monday morning.

The Triple AAA delivery system on North Turner Road was broken into reported by Jerry Brockwell of Loraine Street, Lansing. Taken in the incident was an AM-FM receiver, a cassette and speakers valued at \$300. The incident happened sometime between March 4 and March 6.

One person was arrested for being a disorderly person, there were two two-car accidents, one malicious destruction of property under \$100, and one property damage accident.

One person was arrested for being drunk and disorderly, and one person being cited for reckless use of a firearm and one person cited for carrying a concealed firearm.

Coming event

March 10—Wacousta Masonic Lodge No. 359 is having a family style fish supper. Serving is from 4:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.



Making foot prints

Jim Ottarson, a graduate student at Michigan State University studying environmental education, helped Miss Jan Diuble's third grade class at Eureka Elementary School make animal foot prints using plaster casts. He prefaced the plaster mold making with a discussion on distinguishing animal prints. Making the plaster molds are (from the back) Jamey Hoeve, Shelly Campbell, Patricia Mosier and Jerry Makara. (Photo by Patrice Hornak)

Area seniors named National Merit finalists

St. Johns and Ovid

Only 14,000 of the present high school students across the United States have the distinction of being named National Merit Scholarship finalists and Clinton County has two such finalists, May Lynne Foo of St. Johns and Paul Goebel of Ovid.

May Lynne is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. Ming Food of 418 Meadowview Dr., and Paul is the son of John and Rosemary Goebel of 203 W. Court St., Ovid.

Each year the National Merit Scholarship qualify test (PSAT) is given to all juniors throughout the U.S. Of these, 15,000 are named semi-finalists during their senior year.

Semi-finalists take another, more comprehensive test (SAT) and with more evaluations, a total of 14,000 finalists are selected to compete for 1,000, \$1,000 scholarships and 2,900 four-year full-ride scholarships to the schools of their choice.

In the state of Michigan, only 750 of 42,000 juniors that participated in the highly competitive program were named semi-finalists.

The last St. Johns student to be named a finalist was David Wells who earned that honor back in the 1950's. Paul is believed to be O-E's first National Merit finalist.

Notification of students who will receive scholarships is expected in late March or early April.



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'Arts for All Ages' debuts

Clinton County
People who want to see more art exposure in their community will have a chance to work with two professional artists through an "Arts for All Ages" program funded by a grant from the Michigan Council for the Arts and local funds.

Peggy King of Lansing, art consultant for the Lansing Public Schools and Kassee Luethge of DeWitt, will provide assistance and motivation in working with both children and adults and present creative activities that can be related to any kind of media.

Mrs. King and Mrs. Luethge are art teachers as well as practicing artists. Mrs. King's major field is metal sculpture and she has done extensive work in needle crafts. Mrs. Luethge's favorite media is textiles but she also works in

watercolors. Both have shown and sold their work. The "Arts for All Ages" committee is excited about having Peggy and Kassee come into Clinton County to help with this program. Kay Arehart, committee chairman said, "Peggy King is one of the most highly respected art consultants in the state and a very fine artist." She came highly recommended by the Michigan Council of the Arts people according to Mrs. Arehart.

"Art is a language," Mrs. King says, "it is all around you; it surrounds you. Art is something very basic to life."

To spread an awareness in art to people of all ages in Clinton County and provide creative experiences at every age level is the major goal of "Arts for All Ages".

Mrs. King and Mrs. Luethge will work with vol-

unteer artists in training sessions and then in workshops open to participants of all ages. Volunteers who are willing to go into classrooms and share what they have learned will receive additional training in classroom settings.

At a meeting last week, Mrs. King talked to 45 art-oriented persons who are interested in helping with the program. They will accept five to 10 more volunteers who are willing to help spread art interest in their Clinton County community.

A workshop training session for volunteers will be held Saturday, March 11 in Rooms 144 and 145 at the St. Johns High School. Registration is from 9 to 9:30 a.m.

General session from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. will offer assistance and motivation on how to work with children and adults. From noon to 3 p.m. creative "hands on" activities will take place. Participants should bring a sack lunch.

County residents who would like to sign up for this workshop should call Kay Arehart, 224-7954.

Volunteers trained in Saturday's session will work with Mrs. Luethge in workshops for children and adults to be held at points through-

out the county. Dates are yet to be announced.

Mrs. Jean Engel, who is already doing some volunteer art work through the Community Resource Volunteers program, says she is anxious to take the training to increase her "awareness for sharing art with others."

Mrs. Engel and Mrs. Maureen Sabo are presently volunteers in a mini-class on drawing at St. Joseph school in St. Johns. Mrs. Engel also helps a second grade class at Central School with drawing.

"We hope that we will be able to find more people like Jean and Maureen who will share their love for art with others," said Sharon Randall, CRV staff member. "Arts for All Ages" supporters hope to ultimately build up a catalog of volunteer artists who will be available to go into classrooms in the six K-12 school districts when a teacher requests art help," she explained.

"I wish more people could know what it's like to volunteer," Mrs. Arehart said. "Volunteerism gives back something that can never be experienced in a paid job," she reflected.

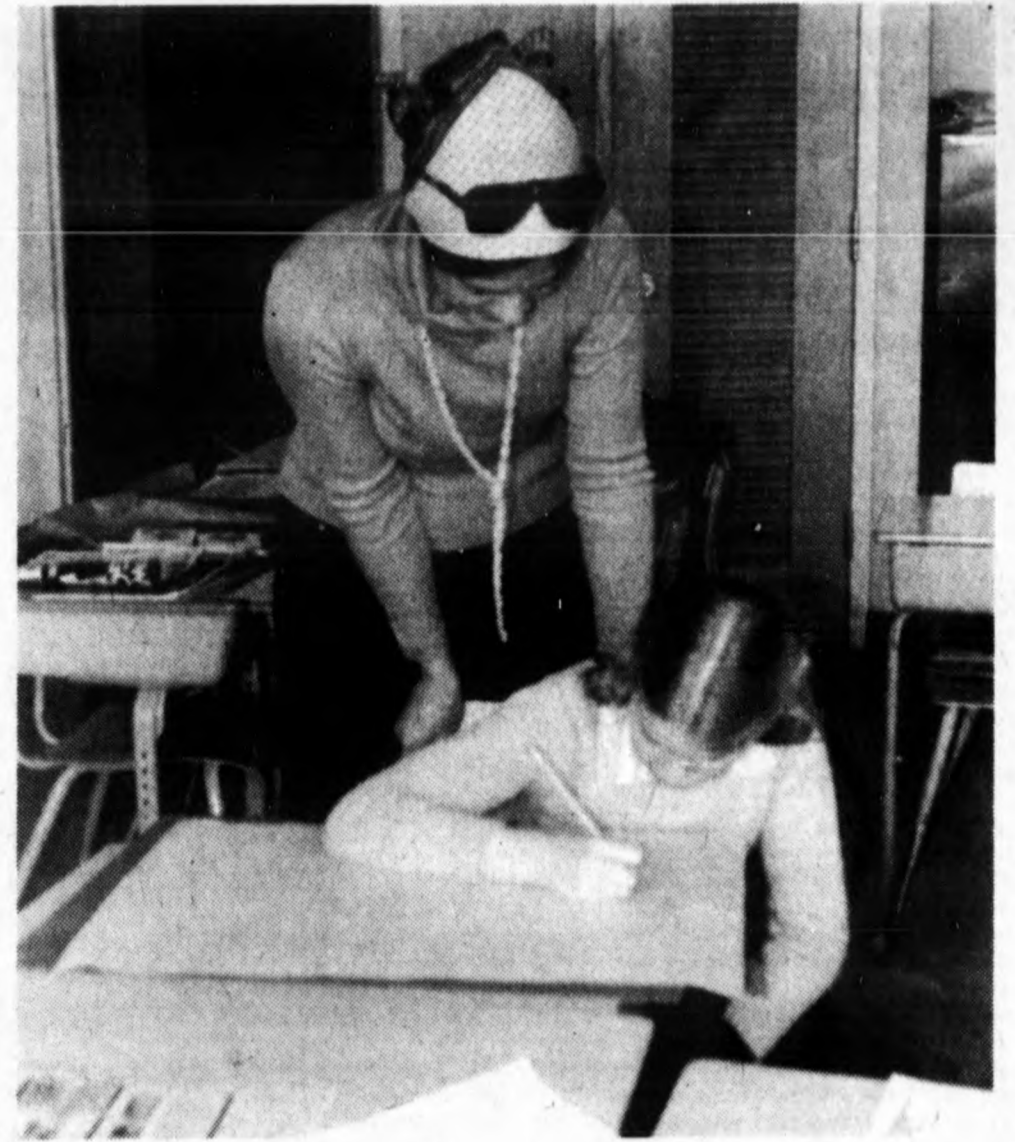
Mrs. Engel says she gets "tremendous satisfaction out of helping someone bring out something they didn't

know they had." "To watch a child suddenly get pleasure out of what he's put down on paper makes me happy that I've come to help," she explained.

Mrs. Engel had art training at Sexton High School and pursues it as a hobby that she says is relaxing and fun to do. "I like working with other people," she says, "and in a classroom I feel it's important that children know outside community people care about them."

Mrs. Sabo has helped in other CRV art projects and helped write the "Arts for All Ages" grant last summer. A busy young mother, as well as a real estate agent, she finds time to spend an hour at St. Joseph School each Friday.

The "Arts for All Ages" grant was written by a committee of Community Resource Volunteers last summer. Michigan Council of the Arts is providing \$3,400 to the county-wide program. Local funding includes the in-kind services of the retired school superintendent Stuart Openlander, who serves as project director. The grant was issued through the Clinton County Intermediate School District.



Learning to draw

Maureen Sabo helps a St. Joseph student with an art project. (Photo courtesy of CRV)

Commission votes to support bonds

By Sue Kiley
Staff Writer

Clinton County

First if failed and then it passed.

In a close vote with a rather surprising outcome, Clinton County Board of Commissioners rejected a resolution to back the bonds for the Remy-Chandler Drain project. The issue was for full faith and credit on the part of the Commission in support of the obligations of DeWitt Township and Bath Charter Township.

The first vote was six to four in favor of the resolution with commissioners Glenn Webster, Walter Nobis, Harold Martin, and Robert Zeeb voting no. In commenting about his first vote Zeeb said, "I voted no because I was not in agreement with the division of financing."

Yes votes came from Commissioners Robert Wood, Earl Lancaster, Duane Chamberlain, Robert VanDriesen, David Whitlock, and Richard Hawks.

"What you have just done," Hawks said after the vote was taken, "is cost the taxpayers more money because more interest is going to be charged."

Thomas Woodruff, supervisor for Bath Charter Township, which is directly involved with the project agreed. "That's just exactly what you did," he said. "We weren't for fixing up that drain to start with."

Zeeb shortly asked for a reconsideration vote with the resolution amended saying the Clinton County Board of Commissioners was not in agreement with the way the liabilities were proportioned.

In the second vote Webster and Zeeb changed from no to yes making the vote eight to two in favor, thus passing with the needed two-thirds majority.

The total cost of the bonds for both Clinton and Ingham Counties was \$1,365,000.

The total estimated cost of the project to clean out, relocate, widen, deepen, straighten, extend, tile, interconnect, construct necessary culverts or bridges and, in general, fix up the Remy-Chandler Drain was estimated at \$1,487,414. The state is expected to pay an assessment of \$122,414. The amount Bath Township, DeWitt Township, and Clinton County will pay is \$441,760. The special assessments and the bonds are payable over a 14-year period.

The Drainage Board adopted a tentative apportionment of the cost of the project, held a hearing on the tentative apportionment, and on Aug. 10, 1977, adopted a final order of apportionment as follows: Bath Township 8.2 per cent; DeWitt Township 20.28 per cent; Clinton County 1.10 per cent; State of Michigan, 8.23 per cent and the City of East Lansing, Lansing, Lansing Charter Township; Meridian Charter Township, and Ingham County taking up the other 27.35 per cent.

A Good Buy

It took seven and one-half minutes for the average American worker to earn the price of one pound of chicken in 1977, according to Department of Labor statistics and industry sources quoted in U.S. News and World Report. That one pound of chicken would have taken nine and one-half minutes to earn back in 1967. A dozen eggs would have cost you twelve and one-half minutes to earn in 1967 as compared with eight and one-half minutes now.

Open house scheduled for Day Treatment

St. Johns
The Clinton County Day Treatment Program is holding an open house Thursday, March 9 from 4 to 6 p.m. at their new location at 104 North Spring Street, St. Johns.

The staff of the Day Treatment Program invite all interested citizens to come at that time and see the new quarters and learn about the program. Refreshments will be served and printed materials describing the program will be available.

The program is designed as an alternative to hospitalization for adult individuals experiencing emotional diffi-

culties. A variety of activities are offered to clients of the program to aid them in learning effective kinds of behavior and developing skills which can be applied to everyday living.

Regular office hours for the Clinton County Day Treatment Program are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. The phone number is 224-2341.

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Stalemates hurt; it's time to work together



By Patrice Hornak

Stalemates usually end in bad feelings, frustration and a detriment to others. The present coal strike is a prime example.

There are bad feelings between the coal miners, the union and the management. There is frustration on the part of businesses and private individuals who can't have the energy they need to live comfortably; and meanwhile, businesses are losing money when they have to shut down and employees aren't getting paid while their business waits for more energy.

Moreover, the businesses and families living in the Mideast, who are not directly related to the coal mining industry, are the ones being hurt. Sure, the coal miners are struggling after not getting pay checks while on strike and the coal companies aren't making money during the strike. But, it is the middle guy who is stuck in his cold home, with the lights off, wishing for summer to arrive quickly.

So it is, too, with the situation between the St. Johns Board of Education and the St. Johns Education Association.

First, there are bad feelings between the two groups. At the Board meeting last Thursday afternoon, the Board said they would reinstate the teacher aides for the remainder of this year IF the SJEA would drop their grievances filed against the Board for not providing aides up until now.

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★ Teacher

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until the arbitrator rules would be an additional \$3,000.

Dr. Burns and the Board believe they acted in the right when cutting aides last fall. "At no time did the administration or the Board think we were violating the contract," said Dr. Burns on March 2.

Dr. Burns also reminded Bargar that the cuts were announced and no opposition was voiced from the SJEA. "I find it a little hard (to justify) why the Association knew at that time and why they didn't come forward," said Burns.

Bargar responded by saying the teachers should not be scapegoats; it was the Board's decision to cut the aides.

Also at the March 2 meeting, Business Manager Arthur Wood handed in his resignation to accept a position as treasurer of F.C. Mason Company. Wood has been the St. Johns business manager for the past seven years. The Board accepted his resignation with regret.

The Board also formally dismissed the possibility of setting an April millage election date. They decided to wait until reports from the Citizens Advisory Committee are heard. The millage election will come in June.

Secondly, there is frustration on the part of St. Johns residents who want to get the aides back. They, personally, can't go to the SJEA and coerce them to drop their grievance, and they can't tell the Board what to do. They only have to hope that both sides reach an agreement, SOON.

Lastly, there is detriment to the students.

Each side has its argument and justification. But, both sides are wrong, too.

The Board of Education had the money to reinstate the aides at their March 2 meeting. Yet, they opted to hold out until the March 8 meeting. So, that's four school days they have passed without the aides. The money is there—all that was needed was a decision from the Board. Meanwhile, the children, as well as the aides, have to wait. Is a decision too much to ask?

The SJEA could have acted in good faith and dropped the grievance charges, too. But, they are out to prove their point, at the expense of the children, and the taxpayers.

If the aides are not reinstated this year and the Board loses the grievance argument at the arbitration table, then the school system will have to cough up \$55,000. The money will be paid to the teachers who have "sacrificed" them-

selves into working an additional 20 minutes a day when they usually had an aide.

Twenty minutes a day computes to about \$4 a day per teacher. (Teachers make an average hourly wage of \$12.50 according to Administrative Assistant Gordon Vandemark.) Multiply the \$4 per day by the number of teachers and school days, and you get the \$55,000 figure.

Since when do salaried professionals get paid overtime when they put in more than their required time? Are teachers blue collar workers staunchly supported by their union, or are they professionals who work until the job is done, regardless if it takes them an extra 20 minutes a day?

Tonight, March 8, there should be a break in the teacher aide stalemate. It is time for both the teachers and the administration to get together and work harmoniously. They are in their present positions to help the youngsters, not get caught in a personality struggle.

A school millage will come about in June and if the teachers are not willing to support their own Board of Education, then it is unlikely that the residents of the community will elect to do so either. Now is the time to work together. Next August will be too late.

★ Sewer

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plan was to join the other municipalities (DeWitt Township, Bath, and Watertown Twp.)

He also told the group of Southern Clinton Sewer Authority was successful in obtaining a 75 per cent federal grant and five per cent state grant to help ease the financial burden.

Total cost of the plant is estimated at \$11 million. Costs to each of the municipalities was broken down: Watertown Twp.—\$489,000; DeWitt Twp.—\$1,470,000; Bath—\$363,000; and DeWitt City—\$283,000.

Presently the city is under a temporary discharge permit until 1981 when the plant is hoped to be completed.

Some residents of the city voiced concern over the matter.

"I just can't agree with the concept you have decided on for the paying of

the sewer," one man in the audience said. "Why should a person living in a \$60,000 home with one toilet, pay twice as much as a man living in a \$30,000 home with one toilet? Does he flush it any more?"

The bonding issue will go before the Clinton County Board of Commissioners before the end of the month.

In other action, the Council voted to accept a bid for televising existing sewer lines in the city to point out problem areas. The cost of this is expected to be \$66 because of a grant where the city only pays 20 per cent.

Beginning April 1, DeWitt City offices will be open on Saturdays from 8 a.m. to 12 noon for the convenience of residents. The Saturday opening plan will be on a three-month trial basis until July 1.

★ Most

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Seeking terms on the Ovid Village Council are Michael Everts of 234 W. High St., Fredrick Beach of 247 E. First St., and Lynn Burgess of 125 E. First St. Everts received 97 votes in the primary followed by Beach with 93, Burgess with 88 and Sinicropi with 62.

Running unopposed in the primary were President John Valko, Clerk Jane Applebee, Treasurer Vada Stedman and Assessor James Besko.

Maple Rapids There will be no opposition in the Maple Rapids village election, either. Village officers running are President Albert Brunner, Clerk Liane Tyler, Treasurer Marjorie Rumsey and Assessor Jean Gavenda.

Running for the three, four-year seats on the Council are Republican incumbents James Husted of 323 E. Main St., Dennis Kindel of 402 E. Adelaide, and Kenneth Wright of 632 S. Maple St. Incumbent George Abbott, Jr. is seeking a two-year term.

Eagle A write-in candidate will become

clerk in the village of Eagle, due to the fact that no one filed a petition to run for that office. However, President John Smith, a Republican, is running for re-election as well as Republican Marian McCrumb who is the present assessor.

Running for treasurer are Republican Ruth Ann Stiffer and Democrat Sally Culy.

Three person are running for the three, two-year trustee positions including Gordon Leonard, Geneva Leonard and Ed Blackman. Geneva Leonard and Blackman are both Democrats.

Westphalia There will be no contest in the Westphalia village election. John Lehman is running for re-election as village president; Phyllis Meyers is running for clerk; Harold Wieber is seeking re-election to the treasurer's post; and incumbent Joseph Thelen is running for assessor.

Those running for the four-year term on the council include Larry Thelen, Charles Schafer and incumbent Thomas Arens.



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To lead or not to lead
By Richard L. Milliman

The Scene was the Eaton County Courthouse in Charlotte, Mich. The occasion was the monthly meeting of county commissioners, and the plot centered around the proposed routing of I-69 through the county.

Citizens were present to oppose putting the highway through prime farmland, and their state senator was there, too, to plead their case.

Early in the highway routing game, when the county and other local units favored the route, Sen. Richard Allen explained, he had remained silent although he was early concerned about putting an expressway through good cropland. Then, when the commissioners' seemed to be moving toward cropland, the senator joined the fray, displaying his opposition with verve,

even suggesting, via Senate resolution, that preservation of cropland should be a primary consideration of highway location—perhaps the controlling criterion.

The senator's role, as he explained it, was to fight for his constituents' wishes among the jungles of the state bureaucracy; thus, if his constituents opposed the highway, he would lead their fight.

However, another vote on the highway was scheduled that day in the Charlotte courthouse, and Sen. Allen explained that although he opposed its location, if the commissioners should vote in favor of the highway's location, then he, as their senator, would just as strenuously lead their fight in favor of the highway.

Here, in a specific circumstance, was that age-old and probably unanswerable question about representative government:

Should an elected representative reflect the wishes of his specific constituents, regardless of his individual conviction... or should the representative act in a way that he perceives to be best for the good of all, even if constituent wishes appear to be in conflict?

Sen. Allen appeared to have solved that dilemma completely... at least in the I-69 case: He would fight against the highway, in pursuance of the voted wishes of his constituent commissioners; but, if the commissioners changed their minds, he would fight just as hard in opposition.

It's a tough question for an elected official to answer. In my experience, most seem to answer it in the same way as Sen. Allen. Generally, its politically safer, too.

There are a couple of fallacies with this approach. One is the difficulty in finding exactly how the people feel. Most elected officials look to other elected officials, as Sen. Allen did in this case; if the county commissioners wanted it, then so did the senator, or if township trustees voted for it, then so would the senator. Other representatives depend on polls, or constituent contact. Perhaps these measurements are as good as possible, but they're all imperfect. And frequently are dangerously misleading.

The second fallacy comes out like this: If an elected official is merely to reflect how the constituency feels about some issue, then it really doesn't make any difference who is elected, because they'll all act the same.

Of course, there is yet another problem; sometimes the constituency, for one reason or another, is out-and-out wrong, but they want to be wrong. The reflection approach to government, for example, most likely permitted segregation to exist for so long, being broken finally—such as was—only by those in authority who were willing to take unpopular stands.

My approach would have to be different, which is why I'll never get very far in politics. Elected officials should act in accordance with what they feel is right for the common good.

The system, then takes care of itself. If the official is wrong too many times, he'll be kicked out of office.

The essence of the political art is to be just far enough ahead of the people to provide true leadership, but not far enough ahead to get lost... to provide the public what it needs just before it knows what it needs.

The reflection approach, it seems, to me, is too much like the old story about the French revolutionist, who was standing on a corner when a mob of people went by. Excusing himself, he explained:

"There go the people. I must follow them, for I am their leader."

★ Local

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to this latter problem is in the wind.

For the past several months, hospital officials and board members have been meeting with private developers, seeking information on the construction of a medical care office complex next to the hospital. The land is available and a decision on the office complex is expected by April or May.

"The concept of one-stop shopping for you medical care is very real," said McNamara in support of the complex which would house 12 to 16 physicians and dentists. Besides having the hospital within a short distance, such a complex would also have close proximity to the counseling center and the health department.

"When we first started out five years ago, (researching a medical arts complex), we thought it would be better if the hospital owned and operated it," said McNamara.

After investigating the rules, regulations and problems of such a complex, the hospital board has agreed they would prefer someone else owning the building. "The board didn't really think it would be entirely good to tie up that money for something like that and not having the money available," said McNamara.

McNamara also said a Medicare-approved skilled nursing home in St. Johns would help attract doctors to this area.

Efforts in Elsie Elsie is experiencing "a situation occurring all over rural America" says Jerry Rexin who is working with other Ovid and Elsie residents to secure a doctor in Elsie. Elsie presently has two doctors, but both are well over 65 years of age.

The Elsie physician awareness group has been meeting about every two weeks lately, and on Feb. 14, members of the group met with Dr. Kay Bernard, director of Family Practice Residency Programs at the osteopathic school at Michigan State University.

Dr. Bernard told the Elsie group they live in a designated "physician-poor area" and may be eligible for federal funds to secure backing to train physician residents.

The Elsie group is also hoping to renovate the existing medical facility in their community and in the meantime, they are "learning to literally sell our community," says Rexin.

They are in the process of putting a brochure about Elsie together and on May 4, they will attend Community Day at the osteopath school at MSU and set up a booth about Elsie. They will be one of about 500 communities in Michigan which will be showcasing their communities.

Westphalia also seeking physician Westphalia is also seeking a physician to replace "Dr. Chun." The group known as the Westphalia Development Corporation (WDC) was activated before Dr. Chun came to the community several years ago. Now it has been re-activated.

WDC bought the office in which Dr. Chun saw patients, they put out articles on when Dr. Chun would be available and they welcomed Dr. Chun into their community.

However, now that Dr. Chun is going back to Thailand, the process must begin anew. "We will do what we need to do to maintain medical service," says John Lehman, member of WDC.

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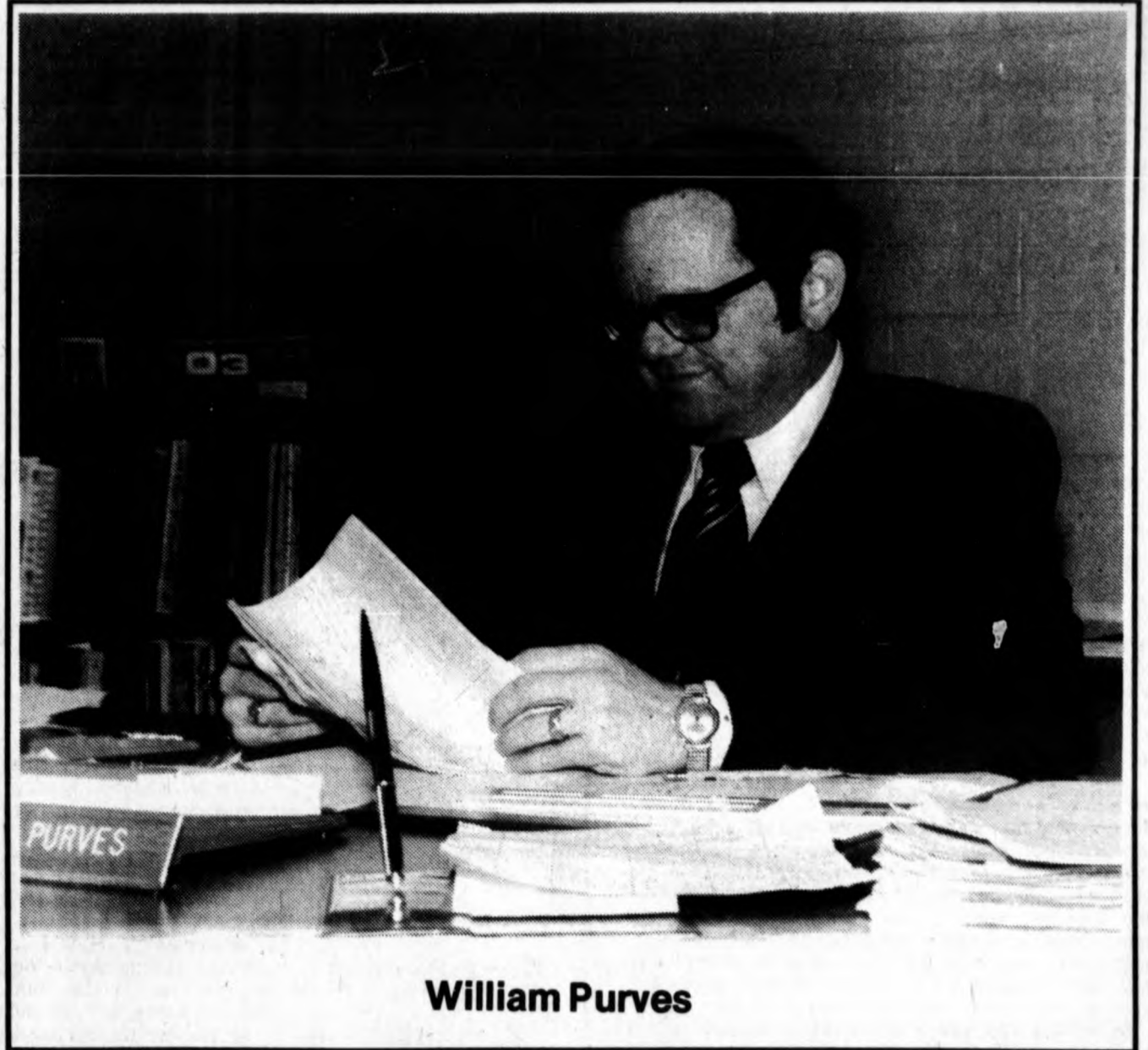
PERSONALITY PROFILE

William Purvis was a firefighter before DeWitt had a firetruck

By Sue Kiley
Staff Writer

DeWitt Twp.
William Purvis has been involved with the formation of DeWitt Township from the ground floor up.
During the past 11 years he has seen more changes in the township and helped with both the creation of a full-time police department and a volunteer fire department.
"I was a volunteer firefighter before we even had a truck," Purvis said. He was a member of the department for 11 years before ill health forced him to resign.
Purvis also served as a member of the DeWitt Township Board of Trustees for two terms beginning in 1966 and he served as chairman of the Planning Commission and Sanitary Sewer System.
He was also chairman of the police and fire committee and hired the first part-time officer for the police department. Ironically, his father, Glenn Purvis, was once chairman of the Lansing Township police committee and helped organize the original LTPD, hiring its first officer.
"I guess I've always been interested in politics," Purvis said. "I grew up around it all my life and found it to be both challenging and rewarding... I also learned you can't please everybody."
Bill cited many changes during the time he spent serving DeWitt Township and its residents. When the fire department first started he noted there was only one garage and they had to get fuel from a regular gas station.
One aspect of the jobs he has undertaken is he has always tried to remember he is representing the taxpayers. "A lot of times politicians lose sight of the reason why they are there," he said.
Seeing many elected officials come and go in the township,

Purvis finds being involved in politics has become increasingly difficult. "What's right one minute, might not be the next," he commented.
During his tenure with the township, he has done some unusual jobs, those not normally connected with politicians.
"I helped flood the first ice rink in the township," he said speaking from his desk at the Demmer Corp., last week. "Sometimes we would get up at two or three a.m. to flood the area so the kids could have a place to skate in the winter."
Purvis believes in obtaining community effort to achieve goals. "You don't have to pay people a lot of money to get projects done," he said. "People should want to take part in community functions."
The lifelong resident of DeWitt has not totally dissolved himself from township government and has remained as chairman of the Sewer Authority.
"This will be a real challenge as it is a very controversial subject," he commented. "The challenge will be to get the best possible job done with the least amount of money spent."
He added, "And I'm not going to like it a lot of the time either."
For awhile Purvis was giving more to his community than he was to his family consisting of his wife Alna and three children Brenda, Bryan, and Bradley.
"A lot of times I would be gone four or five times a week... you can only spread yourself so far," he asserted. "I'm sure not in it for the money."
Purvis is a member of the Valley Farms Baptist Church and serves on various boards, among those is serving as youth leader.
"A hobby? Well, it has been politics most of my life," he commented with a smile. "I'm trying to find something else to do with my time now."



William Purvis

Back Through the Years

**March 7, 1968
10 Years Ago**
St. Johns firemen had a busy week again last week, answering three alarms within one 18-hour period Wednesday and Thursday. Two of the calls were at the site of the new St. Johns High School. The most serious of the three fires destroyed a large 36 by 60 foot barn owned by Jas Moriarity at 3076 W. M-21. The barn was only about 200 yards or so west of the large Moriarity Lumber of Michigan, Inc., facilities.
Two Lansing residents died as a result of a two-car collision Sunday morning at the rural intersection of Forest Hill and Church roads in Riley Township.
Mrs. Lovina Long Hopkins, 76, of 144 1/2 Knollwood, Lansing, died in the crash, and her son, Lawrence H. Dalley, 54, of Lansing, died Tuesday at 10:17 a.m. at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Their deaths were the fifth and sixth on Clinton County roads in 1968. Only two fatalities had occurred at this time last year, with the third not being recorded until May 8, 1967.

**March 6, 1958
20 Years Ago**
Roy Black, 64, well-known St. Johns realtor, died at an Ann Arbor hospital Saturday at 6 a.m. He had been seriously ill for several months.
Leon L. Budd, 64, former Clinton County road engineer and county highway superintendent died shortly before noon Wednesday at the Carson City hospital. Mr. Budd had been ill for more than a year.
The body of John McNinch, 87, was found by searchers near a fence about 1/2 mile from his home in Lebanon Township Saturday morning.
Hicks' Store, closed for the past three weeks for inventory and remodeling, will re-open Friday, March 7, under the ownership and management of Clinton J. Palmer. Palmer, who joined the organization in 1949 as manager, purchased the stock from the C.W. Shellenberger estate and Mrs. C.W. Shellenberger. Hicks' is St. Johns' oldest department store, having celebrated its 100th birthday in 1949.
**March 11, 1948
30 Years Ago**
The 13-room farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Waldron, of Lebanon Township, was completely destroyed by a fire that was discovered at

about 3:30 p.m. last Friday. All the family's personal belongings were lost and only a small amount of furniture was saved.
The State of Michigan has returned nearly a third of a million dollars in sales tax to local units in Clinton County during the year that the sales tax diversion amendment has been in effect, according to figures released this week by County Treasurer Lee Bissell.
Heavy snow fall and bitter below-zero cold following the three-day thaw gave a serious turn to the deer situation here as conservation department game men found the first starved fawns of the winter near Hansen game refuge. The three dead fawns were reported to be only half their normal weight.
The cost of county government functions in Clinton County increased \$56,737 during 1947, according to a report from state auditors who recently completed an examination of the county's books and records. The total cost of county functions amounted to \$507,104.38, or \$19.01 for each person in the county—an increase of \$2.09 per capita over the 1946 figures.

**March 10, 1938
40 Years Ago**
Ernest Gruler, 64, prominent Fowler business man, died at his home in the village Wednesday following a year's illness.
Thieves broke into the Maple Rapids school building Tuesday night, ransacked Supt. Max Paine's office and stole a quantity of cash believed to be about \$25. No trace of the culprits has been found as yet.
Fowler and Elsie took top honors in the District basketball tournament held last week-end at St. Johns. Fowler won the Class D crown and Elsie the Class C title.
Fowler News
The community wishes to express their sympathy to Mrs. Aloys Schafer and family for the loss and death of her husband, and their father and also other relatives and friends.
Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Goerge spent Saturday evening and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Doolittle and family of Stanton.
Mrs. Anna Boettger of St. Johns spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Lula Boak.

Service news

Michael Butler

Navy Fire Control Technician Third Class Michael J. Butler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard F. Butler of 705 S. Mead St., St. Johns, recently participated in the combined naval exercises "National Week XXIV" and Sardinia 78" in the Mediterranean Sea.
He is serving as a crew member aboard the guided missile cruiser USS Albany, operating from Gaeta, Italy.
These multi-national maneuvers began in the Ionian Sea with "National Week XXIV." Elements of the U.S. Sixth Fleet joined units from Italy, Germany, Canada and the United Kingdom for simulated combat operations.

emphasizing antisubmarine and air defense, amphibious warfare and logistic support at sea.
"National Week" supported "Sardinia 78," an amphibious landing exercise in southern Sardinia, conducted by the Italian Navy

and Marines, along with Spanish and U.S. Navy and Marine units. Additional participants included German, British, Canadian and Italian Air Forces, plus Italian, Spanish and U.S. surface ships and submarines.
"National Week" and

"Sardinia 78" were merged to further develop coordination and teamwork required for successful multi-national operations.
A graduate of St. Johns Public High School, Butler joined the Navy in August of 1973.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING Charter Township of Bath, Michigan

Community Development Program

To: Residents of Township of Bath, Michigan

Notice is hereby given that the Township of Bath will hold the first of two required public hearings in the Township Hall, 14480 Webster Road, Bath, Michigan, at 7:00 p.m., March 22, 1978, in connection with the Township undertaking activities for a Community Development Program.

The purpose of the first hearing is to obtain views of the citizens on community development and housing needs and priorities, to receive their proposals on activities and programs which may be included in a Pre-Application for Federal Financial Assistance from the Federal Department of Housing and Urban Development for the program year of 1978-1979. The maximum grant for which a community may apply is not known at this time.

The assistance, which may be requested, is under Title I of the Federal Housing and Community Development Act of 1977, and could include, among other things, a program of repair and rehabilitation of buildings, the provision of public works and facilities, the acquisition of land and buildings, the demolition of structures, the provision of relocation assistance to displaced individuals, families, and businesses, and the provision of public services which may not otherwise be available.

The Pre-Application will be reviewed and rated by the Federal Housing and Urban Development Department and will be subject to approval and selection from among other communities Pre-Applications based on criteria established by the Federal Housing and Urban Development.

Additional meetings and a second public hearing will be held to further consider the proposed application prior to its adoption and submittal to the Federal Department of HUD. The hearing will also consider a proposed Community Development Citizens Participation Plan.

Any person or organization desiring to be heard will be afforded an opportunity to be heard.

Further information on the development of the program will be available at the meeting or may be obtained from the office of the Township Clerk at Township Hall.

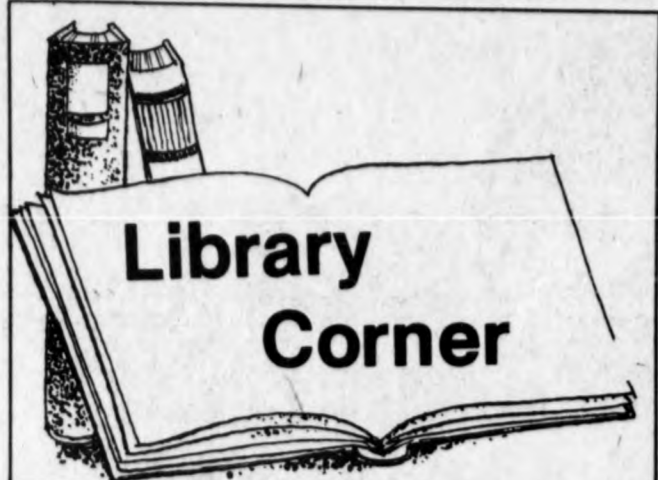
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Alma College band prepares for concerts

Members of the Alma College Kiltie Band and director Dr. Jack Bowman go over some of the music they will be playing in 15 concerts from Feb. 26 through March 10. Among the band performers will be (seated, left to right) Melanie Nemcik, St. Johns sophomore; Debra

Janousek, Olivet freshman; director Dr. Jack Bowman; and Brian Walker, Owosso junior. (Standing) Martha Rosner, St. Johns sophomore; Robert Stehlik, Corunna freshman; and Brian Stork, St. Johns junior.



Library Corner

By Jean Bartholomew

Think Spring!! I thought I heard a robin sing the other day, or maybe it was just the squeak of my feet in the snow. Take heart, good friends - the planting season will be with us before you know it.

Why not get an early start with some gardening books from your local library? We have all kinds, organic, ornamental, vegetable, flower. You name it and we'll try to supply it. How about new lawn furniture or a patio? It's never too soon to start planning - You'd be amazed at some of the How-to books available.

Your Librarian spoke to the Child Study Club this month. It brought back many pleasant memories of past association with this group. They're a charming, well-informed group of young mothers and I thoroughly enjoyed myself telling them about their library.

Another reminder about the Film Service - a new choice will be out in April - four films or two hours are available for a 24 hour period. Free - The selection is varied from very short cartoons or comedies to full-length feature films. Think about this service for a birthday party, programs, for service clubs, church groups or just home using. The price is right and the films at 16 mm sound.

Look for our display during National Nutrition Week, March 6 through 11. We'll have books, posters and freebies - It's well for all of us to be reminded of this very important part of our lives.

Partial list of new books -

- Daniel Martin - Fawks Atlas of Michigan
- Judo, James Hauntings, Lofts
- Chitton's Mobile Home Manual
- The Golden Torrent, Dawson
- The Human Factor, Greene
- Black Orchid, Meyer
- Walk Gently, this Earth, Craven
- Career Opportunities in Crafts
- Powerboater's Bible
- Family Medical History, Sehnet
- My Mom Hates Me in January, Delton

new arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Pumfrey, Luke Air Force Base, became the parents of a baby girl, Sarah Lynn, on Feb. 15 at Luke AFB Hospital at 2:03 p.m. She weighed 8lbs. 7 1/2 oz. and was 22 inches long. Grandparents are Maridell Nelson, St. Johns; Dr. Albert Nelson, St. Johns; and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Pumfrey, Lansing. The mother is the former Nancy Nelson.

A girl, Nicole Marie, was born to Mr. and Mrs. David Haviland of 284 W. Cutler Rd., DeWitt on Feb. 25, 1978 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 6lb. 10oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roland R. Lipps and Mr. and Mrs. Dale C. Haviland. The mother is the former Peggy Lipps.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hafner of Pewamo, became the parents of a girl, 8lbs. 5oz, born Jan. 21 at 7:42 at Carson City Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Adams of Carson City, became the parents of a boy, 9lbs. 1 1/2 oz., born Jan. 24 at 10:22 p.m. at Carson City Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Warren of St. Johns, became the parents of a boy, 6lbs. 5 1/2 oz., born Jan. 29 at 1:41 p.m. at Carson City Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sheppard of Fowler, became the parents of a boy, 7lbs. 8oz., born Feb. 4 at 8:06 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Powers of St. Johns, became the parents of a boy, 9lbs. 6oz., born Jan. 30 at 11:40 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. William Salisbury of Ovid, became the parents of a boy, 6lbs. 4oz., born Feb. 3 at 1:47 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Moore of St. Johns, became the parents of a boy, 8lbs. 6oz, born Feb. 4 at 10:05 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sheppard of Fowler, became the parents of a boy, 7lbs. 8oz., born Feb. 4 at 8:06 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Schmitz of Fowler, became the parents of a girl, 7lbs. 11 1/2 oz, born Feb. 7 at 6:05 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bakita of Bannister, became the parents of a girl, 8lbs. 7oz., born Feb. 7 at 7:38 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bierstetel of Fowler, became the parents of a girl, 6lbs. 6 1/2 oz., born Feb. 8 at 1:06 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Thelen of St. Johns, became the parents of a girl, 7lbs. 10 3/4 oz., born Feb. 8 at 5:34 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Mulligan of St. Johns, became the parents of a boy, 7lbs. born Feb. 8 at 8:18 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hylar of St. Johns, became the parents of a boy, 7lbs. 15oz., born Jan. 10 at 1:32 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Horning of St. Johns, became the parents of a girl, 6lbs. 8oz., born Feb. 13 at 8:14 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall L. Brown, 6414 W. Grand River, Laingsburg, became the parents of a son, Bryon Joseph on Feb. 23 at Sparrow Hospital. The mother is the former Doran M. Theroux.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert D. Spitzley, Portland, became the parents of a daughter, Amanda Marie on Feb. 23 at Sparrow Hospital. The mother is the former Susan Terese Lewis.

A boy, Joseph Charles, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Anderson of 2447 Yal-lup Rd. on Feb. 22, 1978 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 4lbs. 12oz. The baby has one brother. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller and Irene Anderson. The mother is the former Susan Miller.

A boy, Colin Gerald, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald S. Mitchell of 810 N. Mead, St. Johns, Feb. 19, 1978 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 8lbs. 13oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Yurek, Gerald H.C. Mitchell and Bonnie L. Mitchell. The mother is the former Carole J. Yurek.

A boy, Timothy Aaron, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Dale Young of 3957 S. US-27, St. Johns on March 1, 1978 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 6lbs. 6 1/2 oz. The baby has one brother. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Willard Young and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pingleton all from DeWitt. The mother is the former Cindy Pingleton.

A girl, Abbey Marie, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Romig of Drake Street, Midland on March 3 at Midland Hospital. She weighed 6lbs. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Art Romig and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Whitlock. The mother is the former Judith Marie Whitlock.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barker, DeWitt, became the parents of a daughter, Rachel Renee on Feb. 13 at 11:03 a.m. at St. Lawrence Hospital. The mother is the former Vicki Drown.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce H. Thelen, 406 Wight, St. Johns, became the parents of a son, Bruce Douglas, on Feb. 13 at 10:27 p.m. at St. Lawrence Hospital. The mother is the former Rosemary Remenar.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall G. Wood, Bath, became the parents of a daughter, Nicole Andrea on Feb. 15 at 3:35 p.m. at St. Lawrence Hospital. The mother is the former Patricia Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. William L. Hufnagel, Fowler, became the parents of a son, Gary Leon, on Feb. 19 at 1:12 a.m. at St. Lawrence Hospital. The mother is the former Jean Armbrustmacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth N. Reedy, Laingsburg, became the parents of a son, Casey Joe, on Feb. 19 at Sparrow Hospital. The mother is the former Carolyn Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lynch, 16696 Clinton St., Lansing, became the parents of a daughter, Molly Elizabeth on Feb. 21 at Sparrow Hospital. The mother is the former Elizabeth Ann Foster.

A son, Timothy Andrew, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Price of 502 S. Clinton Ave. February 20, at Carson City Hospital. He weighed 7lbs. 4oz. The baby has one brother and one sister. Grandparents are Mr. and

Mrs. Dean Price of St. Johns and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lucas of Muskegon. The mother is the former Judy Lucas.

A girl, Marisa Rachelle, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Blizzard of DeWitt, Feb. 20, at St. Lawrence Hospital. She weighed 9lbs. 7oz. The baby has one sister and one brother. Grandparents are Mrs. Dorothy Bullard and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Blizzard. The mother is the former Jan Bullard.

A girl, Jill Suzanne, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Black of 7172 Taft Rd., St. Johns, Jan. 5, 1978 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 8lbs. 3oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Pelkey and Mrs. and Mrs. Richard Black. The mother is the former Jackie Pelkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Root, Denver, Colorado, became the parents of an 8lb. 8oz., baby girl, Amy Pearl, on Feb. 24 at 10:06 p.m. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Duane Rudy and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Root, all of St. Johns. The mother is the former Debra Rudy.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Miller, Fowler, became the parents of a daughter, Tori Ann, on Feb. 10 at 2:08 p.m. at St. Lawrence Hospital. The mother is the former Sharon Smith.

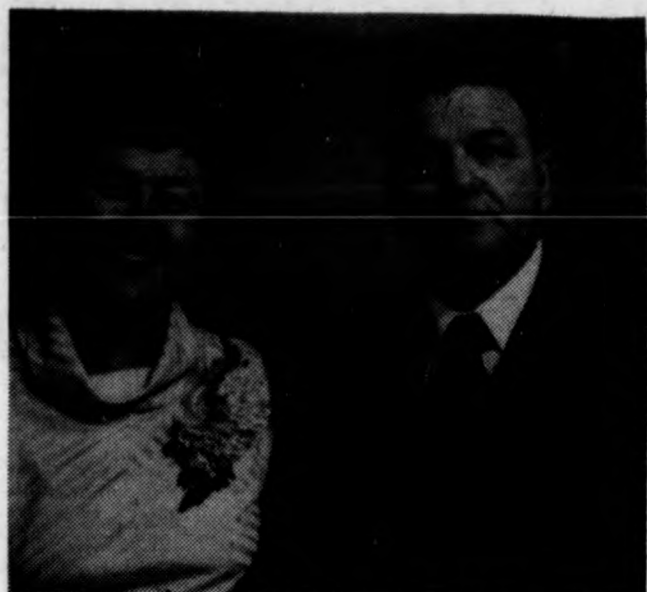
A girl, Kirstyne Lee was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard J. Mabey of Ludwigsburg Germany on Jan. 23. She weighed 7lbs. 2oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gary Glazier, St. Johns, Mrs. Lois Mabey Sacramento, Calif. and Mr. and Mrs. Paul T. Mabey of Grantsville, Utah. The mother is the former Michele A. Glazier of St. Johns.

Area Happening

March 11-18 - The Ionia Community Theater and the Ionia Rotary Club jointly present their third annual play. This year on dates of March 11, 12, 17 and 18 (Fridays and Saturdays) "Pure as the Driven Snow", a comedy melodrama in three acts will be presented at 8 p.m. on each date at the Elks Club ballroom in Ionia. Price per ticket is \$3. Ticket reservations may be made by contacting Jerry Carr at Ionia (616) 527-0100.

March 15 - All interested persons are invited to attend the Greater Lansing Historical Society's next program entitled "The Preservationists." Four speakers will be giving update reports on the Sheehan House in Mason, the McQueen House in Perry, Meridian Historic Village, and the Orchard Street Pump House in East Lansing. The meeting will be at 7:30 p.m. at the Dart National Bank, South Cedar and Willoughby.

Mrs. Molly Stinson will be coming to her home in Carland soon from Florida, for her auction sale to be held at the farm.



Mr. & Mrs. Ray Walker Anniversaries

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Walker, 4915 Simpson Road, Owosso will celebrate their 30th wedding anniversary on Sunday, March 12 at an open house from 1 to 7 P.M. at their home.

Ray Walker of Ovid and Geraldine Truesdell of Owosso were married on March 11, 1948 in Owosso. Special guests at the open house will be Mrs. Walker's father, Rev. Gordon E.

Truesdell who officiated at their marriage. Walker is a graduate of Ovid High School and President of Select Homes. The couple have lived in Elsie, Shepardsville and Owosso.

Hosing the event will be the couple's children: Nina Phelps of Ovid, Deena Schroeder, Darlene Patten and Brett Walker of Owosso. Neighbors and friends of the couple are invited to attend.

Child Study Club ends syllabus unit

St. Johns The St. Johns Child Study Club held their Feb. meeting at the home of Mrs. Sue Briggs.

Work on the syllabus unit has been completed. The committee members will be presenting this unit on Family Togetherness at the

State Spring Planning meeting April 15 in Lake City and April 29 in Wyandotte.

Mrs. Jean Bartholomew, librarian, Bement Public Library, was the guest speaker for the evening.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Janet-Scott and Mrs. Jenny McCampbell.

Engaged



Patricia Snyder

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Snyder, 3725 E. Wilson Rd., Ashley, announce the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Ann to Wayne A. Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Wilson, 4440 W. Maple Rapids Rd., St. Johns. The couple is planning a May 6 wedding date.



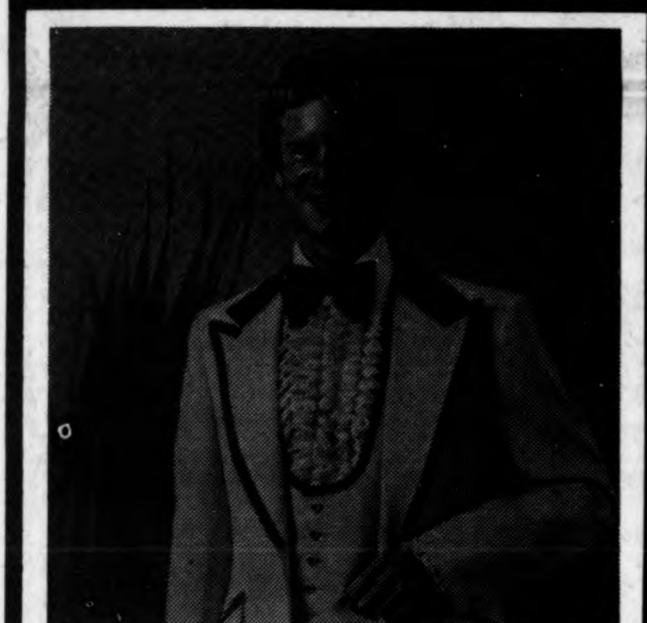
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Obituaries

Myron Woodruff

A long-time resident of Ovid, Myron L. Woodruff, 66, of 230 E. Pearl St., Ovid, passed away Sunday, March 5, 1978, in Owosso Memorial Hospital after a sudden illness.

Funeral services were held at the Houghton Chapel-Osgood Funeral Homes, on Tuesday, March 7 at 1 p.m. Rev. Marshall Poplin officiated and interment was in Maple Grove Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the First Baptist Church in Ovid.

Mr. Woodruff was a member of the First Baptist Church in Ovid and was a deacon for several years. He was also a member of the Ovid Business Association, a sustaining member of the Boy Scouts of America, a member of the Central Michigan Philatelic Society and he served on the Ovid Village Council for several years as a trustee.

He owned and operated a grocery store in Hartland for 11 years, and moved back to Ovid in 1949. He was employed by Ovid Register Union until 1967 and he then worked for Telephone Directory Advertising in Lansing. He retired in 1972 and opened his own business, Woodruff Printing Service, which he operated until his death.

He was born in St. Johns on Dec. 11, 1911 to Louis and Jennie (Russell) Woodruff and graduated from Ovid High School in 1931. He married Frances Dennis on April 17, 1938 in Ovid and she passed away in 1975. He married Pearl Thrasher on March 6, 1976 in Ovid and she survives her husband.

Also surviving are three sons, Ronald Woodruff of St. Johns, Eugene Woodruff of Ovid and David Woodruff of Grand Rapids; seven grandchildren; his mother, Mrs. Jennie Enos of Perrinton; three half-brothers, Frank Enos of Midland, Floyd Enos of Stanton and Raymond Enos of Williamston; a half-sister, Mrs. Helen Koller of Hillsdale; two step-daughters, Mrs. Shirley Root of St. Johns and Mrs. Lillian Cox of Owosso; seven step-grandchildren; and six step-great grandchildren.

Penny Patrick

Mrs. Penny Lynn Patrick, 25, of 619 S. Main St., Ovid, passed away Wednesday, March 1, 1978, at her residence.

Funeral services were held at the Houghton Chapel-Osgood Funeral Homes, at 1 p.m. on Saturday, March 4. Rev. Justin Shepard officiated and interment was in Maple Grove Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the children of Mrs. Patrick.

She was born in St. Johns on March 13, 1952 to Henry and Norman (Resner) Witt. She attended school in Ovid and resided all of her life in that community.

On Dec. 14, 1968, she married Michael Patrick in Elsie. He survives his wife, as do two daughters, Bonnie and Candy Patrick who both live at home; three sisters, Mrs. Linda Johnson, Mrs. Marilyn Perry and Mrs. Dawn Young, all of Ovid; a brother, David Witt of Ovid; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Witt of Ovid; and her grandparents, Mrs. Olga Witt of Ovid and Ted Resner of Romeo.

Aloys Schafer

Funeral services for Aloys Schafer, 72, of 11522 W. Second St., Fowler, who passed away Thursday, March 2, 1978, in Fowler were held Monday, March 6, at 10:30 a.m. in the Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Fowler.

Rev. Father Albert Schmitt officiated and interment was in Holy Trinity Cemetery.

Mr. Schafer was born in Clinton County on Dec. 6, 1905 and resided all his life in the Fowler and Westphalia areas.

On April 30, 1928, he married Philomena Hufnagel in Westphalia. She survives her husband as do three daughters, Mrs. Paul (Ruth) Henning of St. Johns, Miss Joanne Schafer who lives at home and Mrs. James (Donna) Heibeck of Portage; a son, John Schafer of Westphalia; nine grandchildren; and a brother, Martin Schafer of Fowler.

Mr. Schafer was a member of the Holy Trinity Catholic Church and the Holy Name Society. He retired from Fisher Body 12 years ago.

Elizabeth Hopkins

Mrs. Elizabeth Moinet Hopkins, 98, of 504 E. Jefferson, Grand Ledge, died at St. Lawrence Hospital Friday, March 3, 1978. She was born Feb. 6, 1880 in Louisville, Ohio to Floria A. (Guam) and Peter Moinet.

The family moved to Michigan and were residents of Olive Township in Clinton County.

In 1934 she married George Hopkins of Lansing. After the death of her husband, she made her home with her niece Miss Marguerite Bernard, Grand Ledge. She is survived by one sister, Mrs. Laura Ingersol, Grand Rapids; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Ruth Moinet, St. Johns, and several nieces and a nephew. Two sisters and two brothers preceded her in death.

Services were held in the St. Michael's Church of St. Grand Ledge, Wednesday, March 8 (today) at 11 a.m. Burial was at the Mt. Rest Cemetery of St. Johns.

George Foster

Funeral services were held for George F. Foster, 84, of 530 N. Scott St., DeWitt on Wednesday, March 1, 1978 at St. Anne's Episcopal Church in DeWitt with the Rev. Glenn Chatey officiating.

A lifelong resident of DeWitt, he was the son of George S. and Anna L. (Fletcher) Foster on Nov. 25, 1893. He was married to Gladys McGiveron on June 6, 1968.

Mr. Foster was a member of St. Anne's Episcopal Church in DeWitt and a member of the Teamsters Union.

Left to survive Mr. Foster is his wife, Gladys; and one step-son, Larry Stid, of New York. Visitation was at the DeWitt Area Chapel.

Nuel Stout

Nuel D. Stout of Moosehaven the Moose Retirement home at Orange Park, Fla. passed away at the Health Center Feb. 26, 1978, following a brief illness complicated by pneumonia.

He was born May 22, 1900 near Allegan, Mich. where his family had lived for years. He spent his boyhood in Allegan and Benton Harbor. When he was 18 he moved, with his family to Kalamazoo. He joined Loyol order of the Moose in 1920.

He and Ina Marshall were married in Kalamazoo on January of 1923. They remained in Kalamazoo until 1935 when his parents passed away and they moved to St. Johns to care for her father, Edwin S. Marshall.

They remained in St. Johns and operated the Marshall's Gardens and Green House for many years. In 1959 they moved to Phoenix, Ariz. In 1965 they decided to make Moose Haven their Retirement Home. He was preceded in death by a son, Dana.

Steven Bakita

Surviving are his wife, Ina of Orange Park and a daughter Lorabelle DeSpain of Frankfort, Ky. Also four grandchildren and five great grandchildren of Michigan and Kentucky survive.

Steven Bakita

ELSIE—Funeral services for Steven F. Bakita, 71, of 10691 McCabee Rd., Bannister, were held Thursday morning, March 2, at the St. Cyril's Catholic Church, Bannister with the Rev. Fr. Max Frego officiating. Burial was made in Ford Cemetery, Elsie. A rosary was recited Wednesday evening at the Carter Funeral Home, Elsie.

Mr. Bakita died Tuesday morning at Clinton Memorial Hospital, St. Johns. Born July 6, 1906, in Chicago to Frank and Julia Bakita, he resided in the Elsie area before moving to

Bannister where he married Mildred Loznak April 21, 1934 in St. Cyril's Catholic Church.

He was a retired employee of the Michigan Milk Producers Association plant in Ovid, and a member of St. Cyril's Church.

A brother, John, and a son, Thomas, preceded him in death.

The family suggested that friends wishing to make memorial contributions direct them to the intensive care unit of Clinton Memorial Hospital, St. Johns.

Health clinic slated

The St. Johns Public Health Clinic will be held at the Congregational Church, 100 Maple St., St. Johns, Thursday, March 9.

Immunizations are available from 9-11 a.m. and blood pressure screening from 1-2 p.m. For information about other services at the clinic contact the Mid-Michigan District Health Department office in St. Johns at 224-7772.

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NOTICE OF INFORMATIONAL MEETING Community Development Program

To: Residents of the Charter Township of Bath, Michigan

Notice is hereby given that the Township of Bath will hold an Informational Meeting in the Township Hall, 14480 Webster Road, Bath, Michigan, at 7:00 p.m., March 16, 1978, in connection with the Township undertaking activities for a Community Development Program.

The purpose of the Informational Meeting is to obtain views of the citizens on community development and housing needs and priorities, to receive their proposals on activities and programs which may be included in a Pre-Application for Federal Financial Assistance from the Federal Department of Housing and Urban Development for the program year of 1978-1979. The maximum grant for which a community may apply is not known at this time.

The assistance, which may be requested, is under Title I of the Federal Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, and could include, among other things, a program of repair and rehabilitation of buildings, the provision of public works and facilities, the acquisition of land and buildings, the demolition of structures, the provision of relocation assistance to displaced individuals, families and businesses, and the provision of public services which may not otherwise be available.

The Pre-Application will be reviewed and rated by the Federal Housing and Urban Development Department and will be subject to approval and selection from among other communities Pre-Applications based on criteria established by the Federal Housing and Urban Development.

Additional meetings and public hearings will be held to further consider the proposed application prior to its adoption and submittal to the Federal Department of HUD. The Informational Meeting will also consider a proposed Community Development Citizens Participation Plan.

Any person or organization desiring to be heard will be afforded an opportunity to be heard.

Further information on the development of the program will be available at the meeting or may be obtained from the office of the Township Clerk at the Township Hall.

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music they will perform while touring Germany, Luxembourg, Belgium, Austria, and The Netherlands are (from left) Kelly McCarthy, Susan Hill, Orchestra Director Professor Daniel Kovats, Band Director Professor Leonard Falcone, Geri Fedewa, and Dennis Wood.

O-E seniors to present 'The Many Loves of Dobie Gillis'

Ovid-Elsie
Will Dobie Gillis win the heart of Helen Dixon? Can sweet little Bonnie, whose heart throbs for Dobie, make him treat her as more than a pal? How will Dobie come up with the thousand dollars he "borrowed?" before he gets expelled from school? Will movie star Limbo Lamb bail Dobie out?
Lean the answers to these questions at the Ovid-Elsie senior play, "The Many Loves of Dobie Gillis." The play will be presented at 3

p.m. Sunday, March 12, at the Ovid-Elsie High School auditorium.
This comedy is reminiscent of the Dobie Gillis television series from the early '60's. The play centers around undersized Dobie, whose life gets continually complicated as he pursues Helen Dixon.
Helen is going steady with Petey, "Mr. Everything," and befriends Dobie only because she needs his help to pass chemistry. Dobie, in his efforts to win Helen, wrecks

the chemistry lab, gets a hokey band for the Homecoming dance, and somehow spends a \$1,000 bond he's been entrusted with.
The main characters are Ray Delaney, Dobie Gillis; Sue Fent, Bonnie; Mary Case, Helen; Carla Pokorny, Miss Forepaugh; Paul Goebel, Petey; Vic Black, Mr. Pipegrass; Teresa Bates, Imogene. Sharla Kimmel is Mrs. Dixon; Bob Conner, Mr. Dixon; John Bensinger, Mr. Harrington; Soni Besko, Stella; Kristi

Winkler, Miss Neuman; Eileen Hatta, Limbo Lamb; Lauri Lott, Adele; Ken Bosom, Mr. Gillis; Bryon Taylor, Bill; Barb Pugh, Maudie; and Ken Kellogg, Pansy. Other cast members include Sherri Selfridge, Diane Kusenda, Jean Reynolds, Kristie Hose, Elaine Morence, Annette Zemla, Pat McClelland, and Janet Parks.
The student director is Brad Hudecek and the faculty director is Mrs. Mary Ann Lewis.

Scouts honored at Blue and Gold

St. Johns

The Cub Scouts of Pack 512 were busy the month of February making table decorations for the Blue and Gold Banquet which was held Feb. 27 at the high school cafeteria.

Nearly 200 were in attendance for this annual potluck banquet. Special guest was Dr. E. Manning of St. Johns Boy Scout Troop No. 81. Invocation was given by Rev. Keith Laidler.

Special recognition awards went to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Archambault, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bauman, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Speer and Rev. Keith Laidler. Scouter of the Year awards went to Ivan Moore and Phillip Good.

Rick Eldridge, Scott Rudy and Paul Wood were promoted to Webelos, and Tracy Esch and Stacy Esch were promoted to Boy Scout Troop No. 81.

Sanderson and Jay Ritter.

Bear Silver Arrow—Ed Waltz.
Webelos Award—Robert Sanderson, Michael Moore, Ron Wycoff and Dale Good.

Artist Badge—Robert Sanderson, Tracy Spooner, and Michael Moore.

Citizen Award—Michael Moore and Richard Kirby; Traveler, Richard Sanderson; Engineer, Michael Moore, Ron Wycoff, Richard Kirby and Dale Good; Forester, Ron Wycoff; and Scholar, Dale Good.



Harold Wellman, (left) president of Central National Bank, and Charlie Coletta (right) greet Craig Miles, new manager at Clinton County Country Club. Wellman and Coletta are on the club's board of directors, and were members of the selection committee responsible for naming Miles to the post.

New manager named

St. Johns

The Board of Directors for Clinton County Country Club recently named Craig Miles as club manager for the upcoming season.

and is a 1975 graduate of Michigan State University, where he studied Turfgrass Management.

Prior to being named manager at Clinton County Country Club, he held the position of assistant superintendent at Washtenaw

A former resident of Caro, Miles attended Delta College

Country Club, an 18-hole course located in Ypsilanti. Miles feels that his previous experience in golf course management will enable him to help make Clinton County Country Club a good place to enjoy the summer in Clinton County.

Mothers continue aiding veterans

by Dorothy Welsh

Blue Star Mothers Continue Aiding Veterans in Hospitals

Mrs. Donald Randolph, chairperson of the local Blue

Star Mothers made her report of aid to two hospitals, the facility for veterans in Grand Rapids and Iron Mountain.

She asked for scraps of material for lap robes to be

made by Mrs. Lee Ormsby who does much to aid this chapter. One member had with her scraps to be used.

The report of the auditing committee was given. Mrs. Leo Henning, Mrs. Nora Heibeck and Mrs. Russell Welsh had so acted.

The charter was draped for Mrs. J.E. Bartholomew by the chaplain, Mrs. Wil-

liam Wilkie. The chapter is the recipient of monetary gifts as memorials to Mrs. Bartholomew.

The March 28 meeting will be at 1:30 p.m. in Wilcox Hall, First Congregational Church. The committee of the day will be Mrs. Stanley Weir and Mrs. Alberta Brock.

Area Happening

April 19—All interested persons are invited to attend the meeting of the Greater Lansing Historical Society. The program will be presented by Ted Rogers discussing antique silver spoons. All

persons attending are invited to bring a spoon to the meeting, with name taped to the spoon. The program takes place at 7:30 p.m. at the Old Gunningville School, 1454 E. Clark Road.

OFFICIAL NOTICE TO THE CITIZENS OF CLINTON COUNTY OF PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER ESTABLISHMENT OF PROJECT DISTRICT AREA BOUNDARIES BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF CLINTON AT THE REQUEST OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF THE COUNTY OF CLINTON

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to Act 338 of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1974, as amended, the Economic Development Corporation of the County of Clinton has designated the following described project area to the County for its approval in connection with a proposed RESTAURANT PROJECT:

A parcel of land with 300 feet frontage on US 27 and 450 feet in depth, which is a part of Outlot N of the City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan, more fully described as: Commencing at the intersection of the South line of said Lot N, and the Westerly right of way line of said US 27, thence Northwesterly along the right of way line of US 27 300 feet, thence West parallel with the South line of said Lot N 450 feet, thence South, parallel with the West property line of Lessor, 300 feet, thence East, along the South line of said Lot N which is the Northerly right of way line of Townsend Road, 450 feet to the point of beginning on the said line of US 27.

The Economic Development Corporation of the County of Clinton has been incorporated and has the power to acquire, finance and lease commercial and industrial enterprises. The designation of a project area specifies that land area which will be acquired by the implementation of a project.

It is now necessary to consider the establishment of project district area boundaries. Project district area is defined as that area of the County including the project area and surrounding territory as may be significantly affected by a project. The determination of the project district area boundaries is necessary in order to determine the necessity of establishing a project citizens district council and, if necessary, determining the eligibility of its members. A project citizens district council, if established, will act as an advisory body to the Economic Development Corporation, the County Planning Commission and the Board of Commissioners of the County. The project district area is proposed to be as follows:

Land in the City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan described as follows:

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Beg at NW intersection of N line of Townsend Rd s US-27 r/o/w, th W 615.3 ft alg N line Townsend Rd, N 655.3 ft, E to R/W SE'ly alg R/W 665.3 ft to beg.

The Board of Commissioners will meet at the County Court House in the City of St. Johns, Michigan, at 9:30 o'clock a.m., Tuesday, the 21 day of March, 1978, and will conduct a public hearing on the advisability of approving by resolution the aforesaid designation of proposed project district area boundaries.

THIS NOTICE is given pursuant to the requirements of Act 338, Public Acts of Michigan, 1974, as amended. Further information concerning the matters set out in this notice may be secured from the County Clerk's office.

Ernest E. Carter
County Clerk

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Director

Clinton County
A most unusual meeting for dairymen was held at Smith Hall in St. Johns last Wednesday, March 1. One hundred and seven county and surrounding vicinity

dairymen listened attentively as speakers from as far away as Pennsylvania came to tell what they could do to improve milk quality. Dairymen are concerned about burdensome quantities of surplus dairy products building up and they want to know what they can do to encourage increased con-

sumption of milk and other dairy products. Dr. Sidney Barnard, professor of food science at Pennsylvania State University, told the group "good quality milk keeps as long as the consumer wants and has a pleasant flavor when consumed." He then told how to attain

this goal stressing proper sanitation, the timing of feeding and the importance of fast cooling. Sidney Beal, director of testing and quality for Michigan Milk Producers, included a video tape made by Professor Bill Bickert of the agricultural engineering department of MSU to emphasize the importance of proper functioning milking and cooling equipment in producing quality milk. Rosemary Zessin, in charge of quality control at

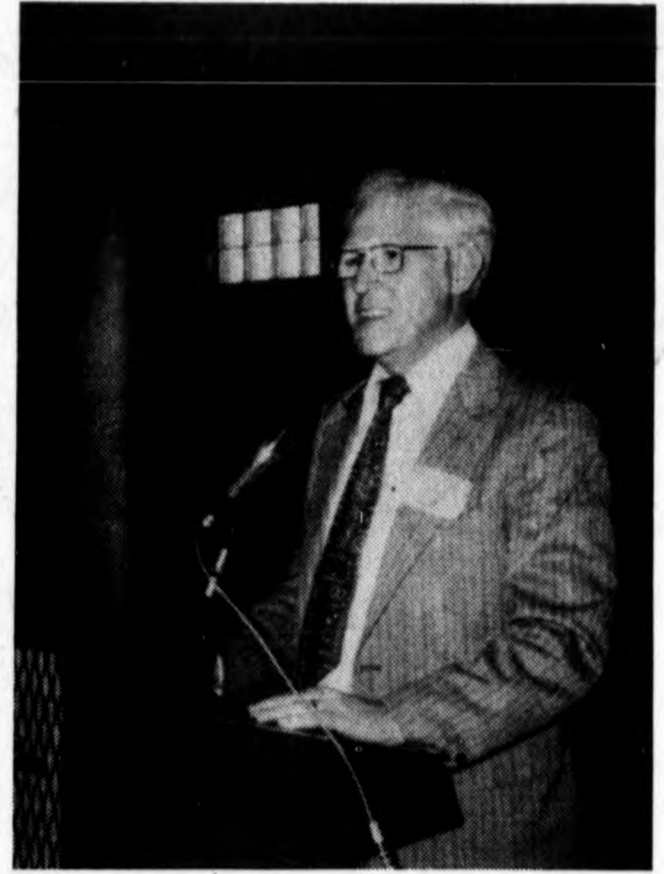
Detroit Pure Milk, a company with a reputation for demanding quality, outlined many guidelines for producing high quality milk and maintaining its quality in transportation, processing, delivery to retail outlets and keeping it cool until it reaches the consumer. A panel of local farmers including Neil Harte, Louis Schneider, David Conklin and Ken Nobis joined Jerry Carrol, bacteriologist for MMPA at Ovid, and Ralph (Blackie) Leland, a milk

hauler, in sharing their personal experiences in improving quality. Bill McCarthy of St. Johns chaired the panel as a representative from the Michigan Department of Agriculture.

Schneider said standards for grade A milk are already high, but dairymen could do even better if they were financially rewarded for bacterial counts significantly lower than required by state law.

Leland was critical of the occasional farmer who forgot to turn on the cooler, or the cooler was malfunctioning, permitting bacteria to build up and then cooling and sending the milk later. This can ruin the milk of perhaps 20 other producers and someone has to pay for the milk, he says.

Recognizing the need for increased dairy sales Nemanis Electric, Epkey Surge, St. Johns Co-op, Central Dairy Supply, and the Central Michigan Local of MMPA were willing to furnish a free lunch as a further incentive for attendance.



Sidney Beal

American Agriculture notes

By Sue Heinlen

The weekly Monday night meeting was held March 6 at the VFW hall on US-27 in St. Johns.

Larry Phinney told the group about last week's happenings in Washington D.C. The Dole Bill is tentatively to be in committee

next week. They are strongly urging every farmer who could possibly be in Washington D.C. next week to show their support for this bill.

Any farmer or farmer's wife who is interested in going should contact Red Silm, as he has made plans to have a bus and rooms available. It is hoped that

there will be at least 30,000 farmers there.

The Dole Bill is a temporary bill to give some relief to farmers for this year. They stress it is just as important now as it ever was to stay with the 50 per cent no plant. If they can stay with this program, it could help get support for longer term programs.

There was a report from Neil Rogers who just returned from Texas. He gave the group a report on what happened on the bridge in McAllen last week, when some of our fellow AAM members were beaten with clubs, and tear gas was used.

Six of the group were hospitalized, and 250 were arrested. All have since been released. It was noted the farmers were not violent.

Four local St. Johns farmers were among some of the farmers nationwide who left for Texas after the incident, to show their support for their fellow AAM members. They were Jim Becker, Jim George, John Schumaker, and Ray Heinlen.

On their trip home they toured many states, viewing what the other places were doing in regards to their support of the movement. They should have a report for next Monday's meeting.

The next AAM meeting will be March 13 at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend the meeting.

The office is open for business at The Sleepy Hollow Inn, at 8875 E. M-21 in Ovid, or they can be reached at 834-5563 between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

"We know it is getting closer to planting time, and it is looking pretty good for us to really get something out of this movement, so hang in there guys it is closer than we think. Just remember the 50 per cent no plant. We need it to make this go," says Sue Heinlen.

County wide sign up for the 50 per cent is going well.

Jim's Column

By Jim Pelham
Extension Director

The current economic situation has put many landowners and renters of farmland in a financial bind. Low crop prices and increased production costs mean that renters have less rent-paying ability than they had in recent years. Landowners' taxes and other investment costs have gone up, too, so that they might want higher rents to make up for their increased investment.

How can landowners and renters re-negotiate case rents and arrive at terms agreeable to both? Ralph Hepp, Michigan State University Agricultural Economist, offers some guidelines.

One approach in determining cash rents is the cost approach. Negotiations begin with the renter calculating what he can afford to pay and still cover his costs; and the landowner determining what he would like to get as a capital return from his land investment. The final rent payment usually falls somewhere between these two figures.

Another approach is to base rent payments on the going rate for comparable quality land in your local land rental market. Average cash rents paid per acre of Michigan cropland varied between \$17 and \$20 in the late '60s and early '70s, and increased to about \$37 in 1977. Cash rents should decrease in 1978, based on crop prices and the declared intent of many farmers to plant fewer acres this year.

Offsetting this trend is an acceptance and expectation from farmers of continually spiraling production costs and inflationary pressures in spite of low profits. High fixed costs such as machinery, mortgage payments and family living force producers to operate more acres than they would like. Tops for land rent on well-drained, fertile loams in Clinton County have been in the neighborhood, of \$50 per acre, but it's reported similar soils in Gratiot County, the Saginaw Valley and thumb area are higher.

A third approach, crop sharing, involves more risk taking by the landowner, but may yield somewhat higher

returns on his land investment. Typically, crop share rental agreements provide that the landowner pays all land costs while the renter pays all nonland costs, such as machinery. Direct crop production expenses—fertilizer, seed, pesticides, drying, marketing, etc.—may be shared or paid entirely by the renter. The landowner usually receives one-third of one-half of the crops produced, and the renter takes the rest.

Under a crop share lease, the landowner assumes price and yield risks he does not have to worry about under a cash rental agreement. His returns may be slightly higher, however, under the crop share arrangement. The success of a share crop lease depends upon the management and performance standard of the tenant as well as his honesty and integrity. Guidelines for easily understood written agreements for farm or field rentals are available from the Clinton Cooperative Extension Office.

Landowners and renters negotiating land rental agreements may very well use more than one of these three approaches to gather economic information for bargaining. A base of such data is essential if fair, mutually agreeable rental terms are to be worked out.

Pond meet scheduled

On Tuesday, March 14, the Cooperative Extension Service will hold an informational meeting for present and future pond owners.

Dr. Ray White, Aquatic Ecologist and Fisheries Biologist at Michigan State University will be present to talk on the pond construction and financing, aquatic weed control, fish and wildlife, and other aspects of owning or constructing a pond.

Jim Squires, district soil conservationist, will also be present at the meeting to talk briefly about preferred sites for excavating a pond.

Extension calendar

March 8 Dairyman's meeting sponsored by Commercial Feed Co., Smith Hall.

March 9 One of our last Pesticide Applicators Examinations for Clinton County, Smith Hall, 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.

March 11 Michigan Live-stock Exchange State Meeting at Long's Restaurant.

March 14 Farm Ponds—Construction, stocking with fish, maintaining ecological balance.

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March 16 Family Living Time Management Program, Smith Hall, 7:30 p.m.

March 19 Spring Achievement Open House, 2-5 p.m., Smith Hall.

March 20 Herbicide meeting sponsored by Commercial Chemical Co., Smith Hall.

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March 21 Seminar for producers of small fruits, Sheraton Motor Inn, Flint.

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March 22 Tested Boar and Open Gilt Sale at MSU
March 20-24 Farmer's Week at Michigan State University.

Dividend proposed

St. Johns
Over 1,000 shareholders will participate in a proposed five per cent stock dividend from Clinton National Bank & Trust Company in St. Johns. Pending approval at the annual meeting scheduled for April 20, this dividend will represent an increase of 17,598 shares and bring the total number of outstanding common shares to 369,550. The stock has a par value of \$5.

The Board of Directors in recommending this sixth consecutive yearly stock

dividend is continuing the goal of providing sustained growth while maintaining a steady return through regular cash dividends. Dividends paid in 1977 totaled 61 cents per share. The median market value for the year was \$17 per share.

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Clinton County Sports

March 8, 1978

O-E meets Charlotte in regional opener

St. Johns
After defending its district Class B championship last week, Ovid-Elsie will take on a big and physical Charlotte team in the first round of the regionals at Charlotte tonight at 7:30.

O-E Coach Bob Foreback said that with a front line of 6-6, 6-5 and 6-4, the Orioles will be the tallest team the Marauders have faced all season.

Charlotte also has quick guards, according to Foreback, and presses most of the time. But the Marauders won't alter their basic style of play, according to their coach.

That style served O-E well last week, as the Marauders upset previously-undefeated Durand 71-60 and beat Chesaning 70-50 for the district title.

One of the keys to O-E's win over the Railroaders was its zone defense, which

cut off the Durand passing lanes and held Durand star Dan Lundie to 13 points.

But that defensive strategy was not entirely planned. Foreback said that he wanted to start in the zone for two or three minutes to keep the ball away from Lundie and force John Berndt to do the shooting. The second part of the plan didn't work very well—Berndt finished with 28 points—but the first part was effective and Foreback stayed with the zone throughout the rest of the game.

Ken Kellogg, who scored 16 points in the first half and 24 in the game, started by scoring the first two Marauder baskets of the game. Bill Kayanek scored once, Brian Byrnes hit two baskets and midway through the first period Durand found itself down by six points.

That lead held up for the

Marauders for most of the game. Sometimes the difference was eight points, sometimes four, but O-E always maintained control until just over three minutes were left.

At that time the game seemed to be slipping away from the Marauders. Lundie hit two free throws to make the score 62-56, and Brad Wooten dropped in a rebound to cut the O-E lead to four.

What's more, the Durand press finally began to give the Marauders problems, forcing bad passes and enough turnovers to give the Railroaders fresh life.

But with two minutes left, the game started to shift back to O-E. Ed Kaminski scored on a rebound and Byrnes put in a free throw to stretch the lead to seven. Berndt scored one last time with 1:40 left, but the last six points of the game belonged

to the Marauders.

Kellogg led O-E with 24 points and was 11 of 15 from the field. Byrnes had 16 and Kaminski 12.

"Ken is a good pressure ballplayer," Foreback said afterwards. "Teams concentrate on Kaminski and Byrnes, and then Kellogg comes through for us."

O-E outrebounded Durand 40-17, according to O-E statisticians with the big difference coming on the offensive boards where the Marauders had 22 rebounds to just three for the Railroaders. Kaminski led O-E with 15 rebounds and Kayanek had 12, nine offensive.

After that game, the cry in the O-E lockerroom was "We won't come out flat against Chesaning." Saturday, the Marauders came out flat against Chesaning.

Coach Foreback said "it

wasn't a classic game," as the Marauders only scored 26 points in the first half and only shot 38 per cent overall.

"After Durand, we didn't play real well," Foreback said. "We had a lot of inside shots, and should have had a higher percentage."

Luckily, Chesaning wasn't exactly torrid from the floor as the Indians were 19 for 55 for 36 per cent. They only managed 19 points the first half, and when O-E outscored them 23-10 in the third quarter, they had little hope of a comeback.

Byrnes led O-E with 18 points, while Kaminski and Kellogg each had 17. The Marauders had another strong rebounding performance, pulling down 56 to 27 for Chesaning. Kaminski again led O-E with 17.

Should O-E beat Charlotte tonight, the Marauders will meet the winner of Tuesday's contest between Jackson Lumen Christi and Ionia in Friday's 7:30 championship game. The winner will go on to meet the winner of the Flint regional at Owosso.



Strong in the clutch

Though Ken Kellogg may not have the scoring average of some of his teammates, the Ovid-Elsie senior has a way of coming through in the big games. Thursday's contest against Durand was certainly a big game, and Kellogg came through with 24 points, 16 in the first half, to spark the Marauders' upset win. (Photo by Tom Nowak)



On to the regionals!

St. Johns Athletic Director Steve Bakita presents the Class B district trophy and medals to Ovid-Elsie Coach Bob Foreback (light jacket) and the team after O-E defeated

Chesaning to win the district title last Saturday night in the St. Johns gymnasium. (Photo by Patrice Hornak)

Eagles fall in districts

By Tom Nowak
Sports Writer

Potterville

Fowler's hopes of defending its district championship were crushed Saturday night when the Eagles fell to a talented Saranac team 75-52.

The Eagles, who had won two games earlier to reach the district finals, simply could not match the shooting and rebounding of the much-taller Saranac team, and were practically out of the game after eight minutes.

Mark Schrauben gave Fowler a 2-0 lead after a minute had gone by, and with almost three minutes gone the Eagles still held a slim lead. But Steve Metternick tipped in a rebound at 5:22 to put Saranac ahead, and Fowler was not to see a lead again.

Saranac, paced by the hot shooting of junior guard Kevin Theisen, outscored Fowler 18-5 in the last five minutes of the first quarter to take a 22-10 lead.

The Redskin dominance was even greater in the second period. Steve Johnson scored the opening basket of the period, but the Eagles didn't score again until the middle of the period by which time Saranac has stretched its lead to 16 points.

The Fowler hit an even colder spell, as the Eagles didn't score again until Saranac had run off another 12 points. By that time the Redskin lead was 26 points and the game was far out of Fowler's hands. The half ended 40-18.

The Eagle shooting picked up a bit in the third quarter, but not enough to make a dent in the Saranac lead. The Redskin shooting continued, and midway through the period both coaches were going to their benches. Saranac opened a 30-point lead after three periods, and the Fowler reserves whittled that down to the final margin of 23.

Don Schrauben ended his career by leading Fowler with 13 points and seven rebounds. No other Eagle was in double figures, but Jim Theis had six rebounds.

Theisen had 23 points to pace Saranac, while Kevin Reynolds had 16, and Ben Tower and Metternick had 12 apiece. Metternick is the

only Saranac regular who won't return.

Saranac had a 41-36 advantage on the backboards, but even more decisive was the Redskin's shooting percentage. Saranac was 29 of 61 from the floor for 48 per cent, while the Eagles were only 21 of 65 for 32 per cent. Saranac was 13 of 20 for 65 per cent in the first half, and would have been well above 50 per cent for the game if it

wasn't for the shots the reserves threw at the basket.

Fowler had more success earlier in the week, defeating Potterville 61-41 and Portland St. Patrick 72-51.

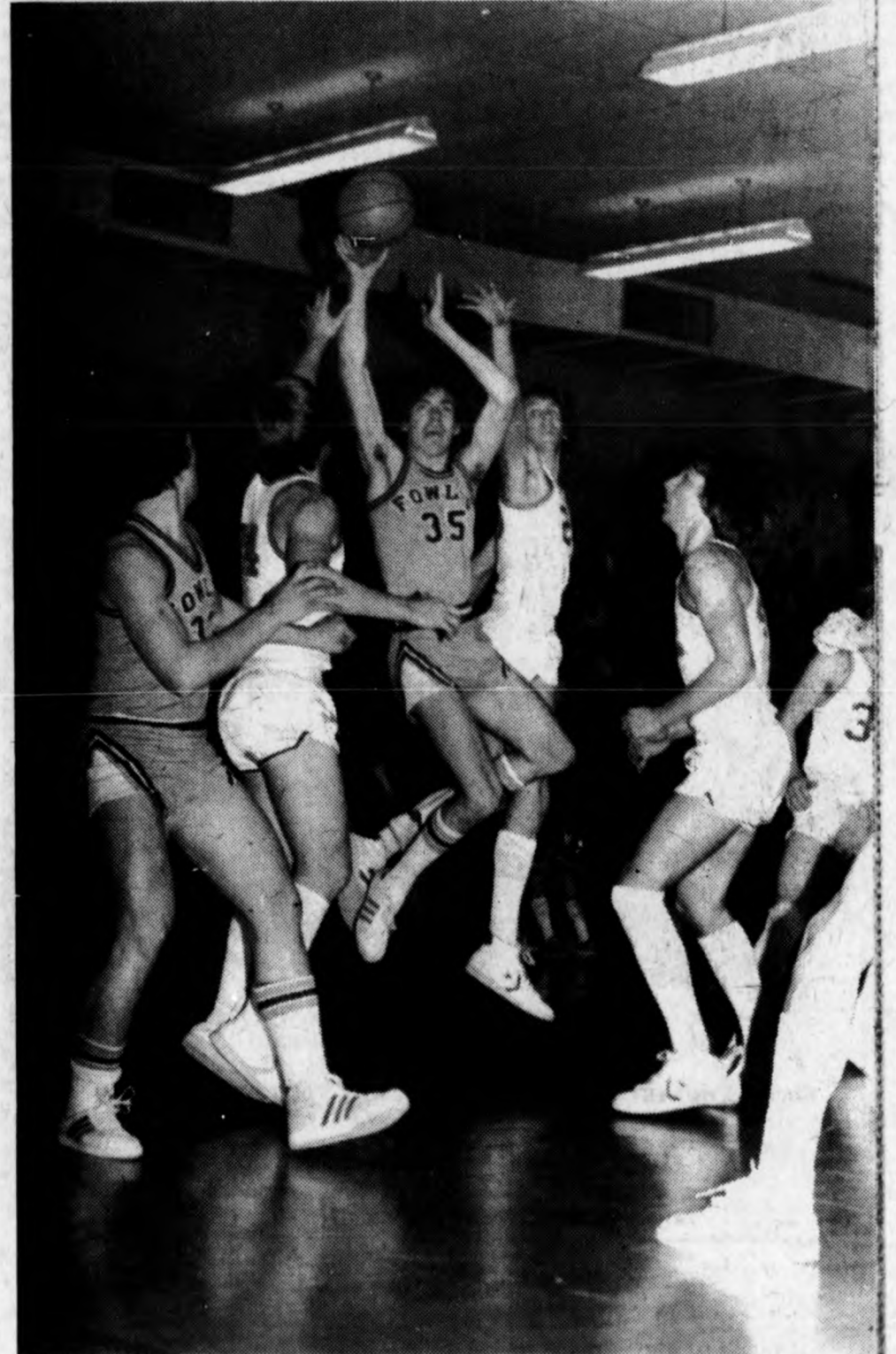
The Eagles got off to a sluggish start, taking only a 24-20 halftime lead. That pattern held for most of the third period but the Eagles finally broke away to post the win.

Schrauben had 20 points

that night, while Neil Theisen and Mark Schrauben had 10.

The Eagle offense operated more smoothly in the St. Patrick's game, scoring 20 in the first period and 22 in the second. Again, Don Schrauben led the Eagle scorers with 22 while Jim Theis and Steve Johnson had 12 and Tony Schafer 10.

The three games left Fowler with a final record of 15-6.



No place to go

Senior Don Schrauben found the Saranac defense almost impossible to penetrate Saturday. Schrauben led Fowler with 15 points as the Eagles fell 75-52. (Photo by Tom Nowak)

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Redwing spikers unbeaten

St. Johns

St. Johns' volleyball team kept their unbeaten record intact as the regional tournament approaches, downing Chesaning 15-11, 10-15, 15-18 and Corunna 12-15, 15-4, 15-13.

"The Redwing junior varsity also swept their matches, beating the Cavaliers 15-10, 13-15, 16-14 and Chesaning 15-7, 15-6.

St. Johns plays Ovid-Elsie this afternoon in a game rescheduled to accommodate the O-E regional basketball game. Tomorrow St. Johns plays at Eaton Rapids in the pre-regional round of the Class B tournament. If St. Johns wins, it will advance into the regional tournament Saturday at St. Johns.

The winner of the Eaton Rapids-St. Johns match will meet the Ionia-Alma winner at approximately 11:30. Action at the St. Johns regional will begin at 10 a.m., with the championship match beginning about 4 p.m.

Pirates blast district foes

Ithaca

After cruising to three easy wins and a district title here last week, Fulton High School should get a more strenuous test tonight when the Pirates open Class C regional play against (here) Lansing Catholic Central at 7:30.

"They're going to be the biggest team we've run up against," Coach Kim Lathwell said. "St. Louis had a couple of big kids, but Lansing has one boy at 6-7 (Nick Hufnagel) who is more aggressive. He's the best big man we'll have seen. Other than that, though, we'll size up with them."

The Cougars are only 11-11, but Lathwell doesn't consider that a sign of weakness.

"A lot of those losses came to the city schools," he said, "and that's a different caliber of ball than the one we see."

LCC likes a zone defense and doesn't press much, Lathwell said, but Fulton will be playing its usual game.

"We look to pressure them, to run and I hope to wear them down. I don't think their big kid can stay with us."

"The boards will be a problem," he continued. "They stay in a zone, so we're going to have to crash the boards offensively and defensively."

Last week the Pirates didn't have any problems, beating their three opponents by an average of 37 points. Fulton beat Shepherd 85-57, Carson City-Crystal 109-69, and St. Louis 93-59.

Coach Lathwell predicted that the Pirates would have a more difficult time with Shepherd than they had.

"We expected a tougher game than that," he said. "Our press hurt them early. We stole the ball, got a lead and they couldn't get

untracked. We had a 25-14 first-quarter lead, and from then on we just built up the lead."

Senior Randy Troub led Fulton with 28 points, while Jeff Cooper had 17 and Kelvin Drake had 15.

Fulton had an overwhelming 59-28 rebounding advantage, with Troub taking down 18 and Joe Collins 12.

The Fulton-Carson City game was a rout from the beginning, as Fulton took a 31-10 lead and coasted in from there.

Only three Pirates made double figures, but the starters were only in there a period and a half. But while there were no big scorers, everyone on the team scored at least once.

Kevin Drake and Jeff Stephens were the top scorers for Fulton with 15. Troub finished with 13.

Fulton outrebounded the Eagles 46-31, with Troub getting eight and Brad Winsor six. Drake led the Pirate floor game with five assists and two steals, while Troub had five assists and Daryl Trefil had four steals and two assists.

St. Louis gave Fulton a better battle in the first half than they did when the teams met in the regular season, as

Fulton only had a seven-point lead at the intermission.

But in the third quarter Fulton switched to a zone press and forced the Sharks into turnovers. Fulton outscored St. Louis 29-12 in the third quarter and kept stretching the lead in the last eight minutes.

Fulton had excellent balance, with five men hitting double figures. Drake led with 21, Troub had 18,

Terry Hnetyuka 16, Collins 14 and Cooper 10.

Despite St. Louis' height, Fulton still outrebounded the Sharks 46-38. Troub had 16 and Collins had 11.

Drake again led the Pirate floor game with 10 assists and six steals. Troub had five assists and three steals, and Hnetyuka had six assists and two steals.

The three victories set Fulton's overall record at 21-2. If the Pirates get past Lansing

Catholic tonight, they will meet the winner of Thursday's Stockbridge-Central Montcalm game. Stockbridge enters the game with a 22-0 record, while Central Montcalm is 18-5.

The championship game will be Saturday at 8 p.m., and the winner goes on to the St. Johns quarterfinal against the winner of the Grand Blanc regional, which includes state-rated teams from New Lothrop and Saginaw SS, Peter and Paul.

Redwing swimmers 4th in MMB

Corunna

St. Johns finished third and Ovid-Elsie fourth at the Mid-Michigan B swim meet held last weekend at Corunna.

The Redwings, who were second after the dual meet schedule, were 42 points out of second in the conference meet and had to settle for third place overall. O-E, on the other hand, finished fifth in dual competition but fourth in the meet and in the final league standings.

Corunna won the dual and conference crown, while

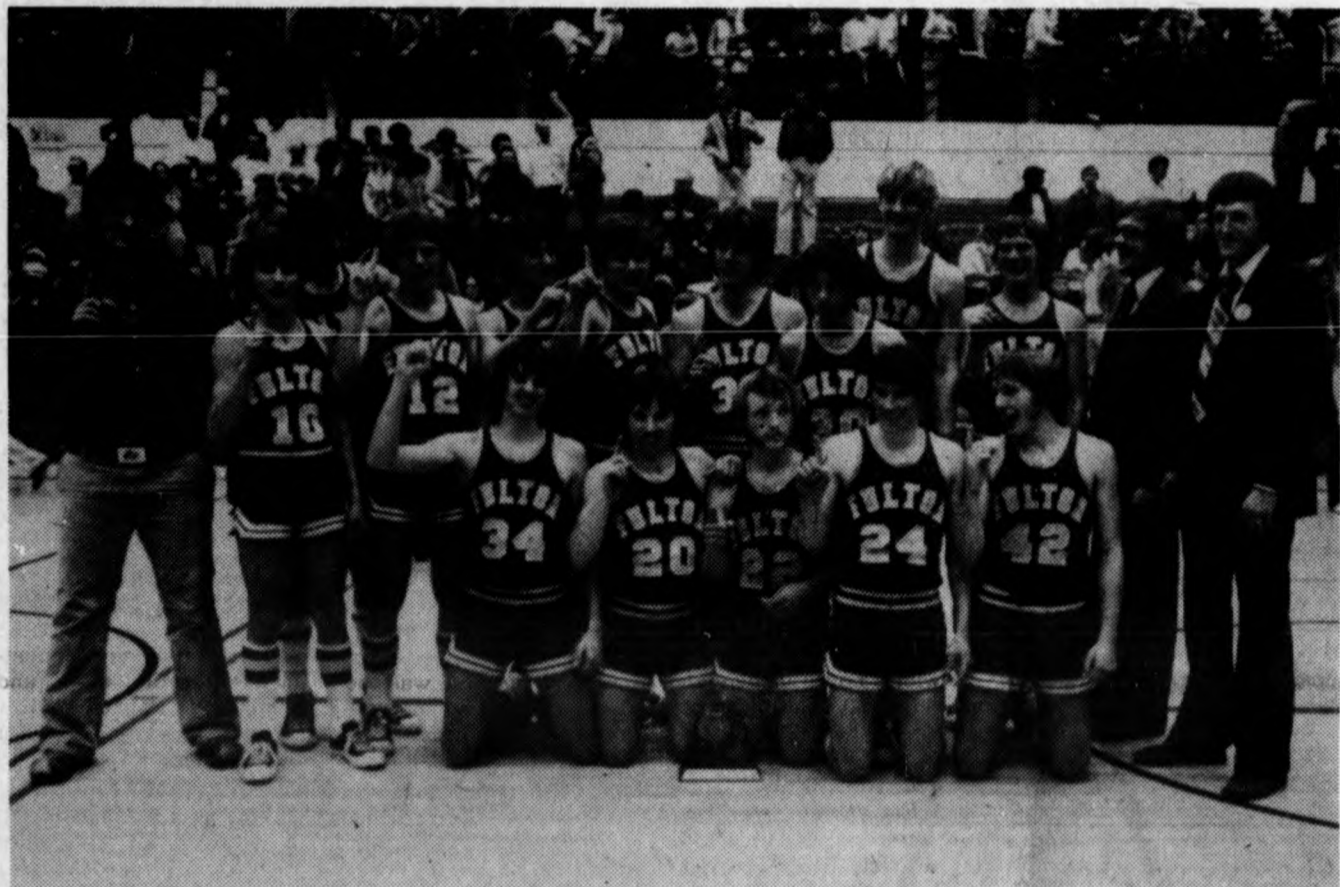
Alma was second, St. Johns third, O-E fourth and Swan Valley fifth.

Winning conference crowns at Corunna were Russ Staples, O-E, diving, 310.55, and Tim Grost, St. Johns, 100-yard backstroke, 1:01.6.

Taking second places were Grost, Rod Lounds, Kirk Goins and Ron Moon, St. Johns, 200-yard medley relay; Mark Tribelfner, O-E, diving; Goins, 100-yard butterfly; Moon, 500-yard freestyle; and Lounds, 100-yard breast stroke.

Winning third places were Goins, 200-yard freestyle; Moon, 200-yard individual medley; Tod Bodary, O-E, 50-yard freestyle; and Scott Davison, St. Johns, diving.

Seven Redwing swimmers have also qualified for state competition. Davison competed in the regional at Marshall Tuesday, while Moon, Lounds, Eugene Pierce, Grost, Steve Baxter and Goins all will swim in the state meet to be held this weekend at Central Michigan University.



District champions

A jubilant Fulton basketball team signifies they are number one after beating St. Louis in

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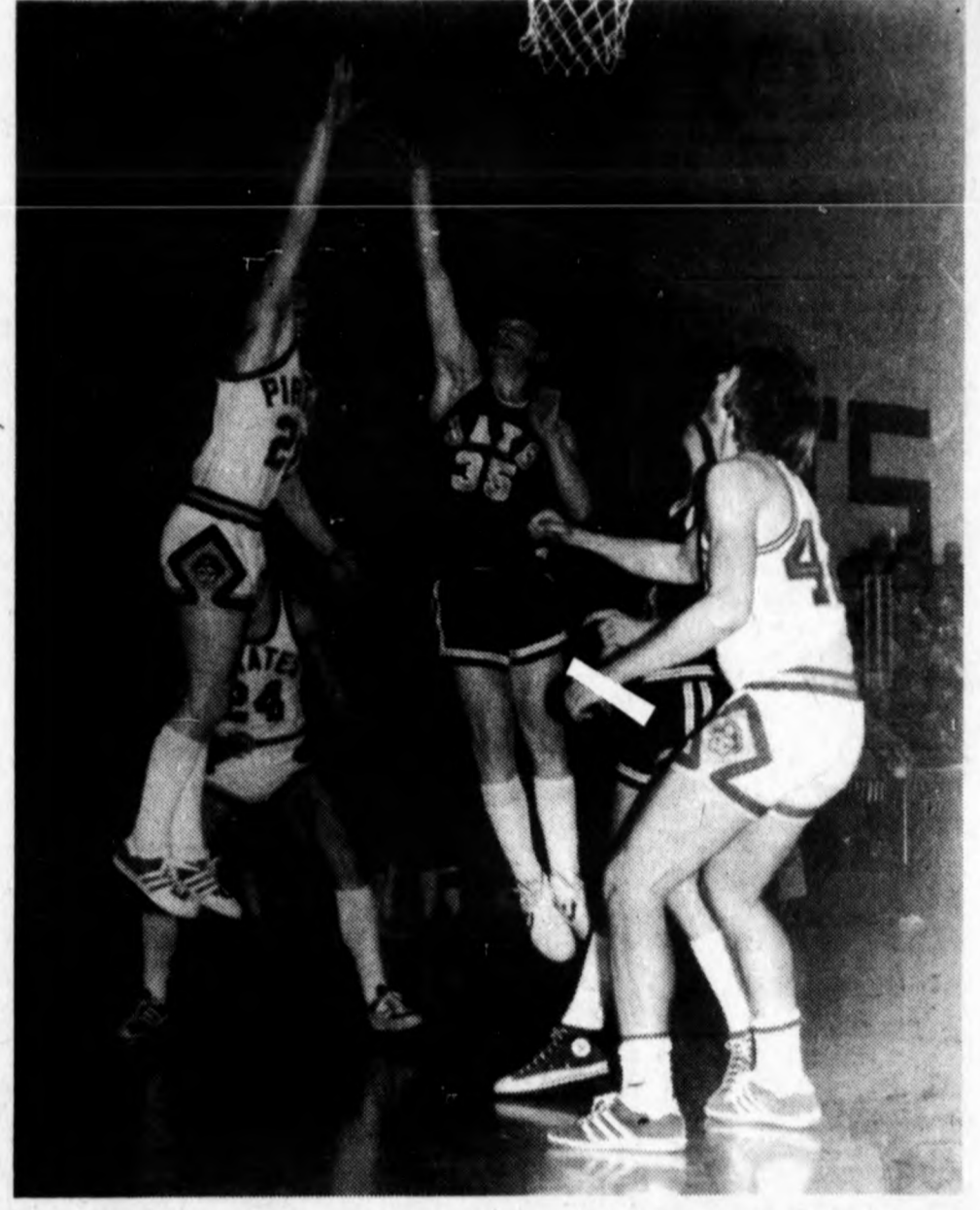
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Terry Hnetyuka (20) shoots over a Shepherd defender in Fulton's easy win over the Blue Jays Tuesday. Hnetyuka had six points that night, and the Pirates went on to win the district crown. (Photo by Patrice Hornak)

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Regional brackets

Class B at Charlotte

Ionia (22-0)

Tues., March 7, 7:30	Lumen Christi (16-5)	Fri., March 10, 7:30	Winner to St. Johns quarterfinal
Charlotte (19-4)			
Wed., March 8, 7:30	Ovid-Elsie (20-2)		

Class C at Ithaca

Fulton (21-2)

Wed., March 8, 7:30	Lansing Catholic (12-11)	Sat. March 11, 8:00	Winner to Owosso quarterfinal
Stockbridge (22-0)			
Thur., March 9, 7:30	Central Montcalm (18-5)		

O-E qualifies

Elsie Ovid-Elsie's volleyball team won two out of three matches last week and qualified for regional play in the process.

The Marauders beat Hemlock 15-5, 15-7 and lost to Alma 15-9, 11-15, 8-15, but beat Chesaning in pre-regional play 15-12, 8-15, 15-10.

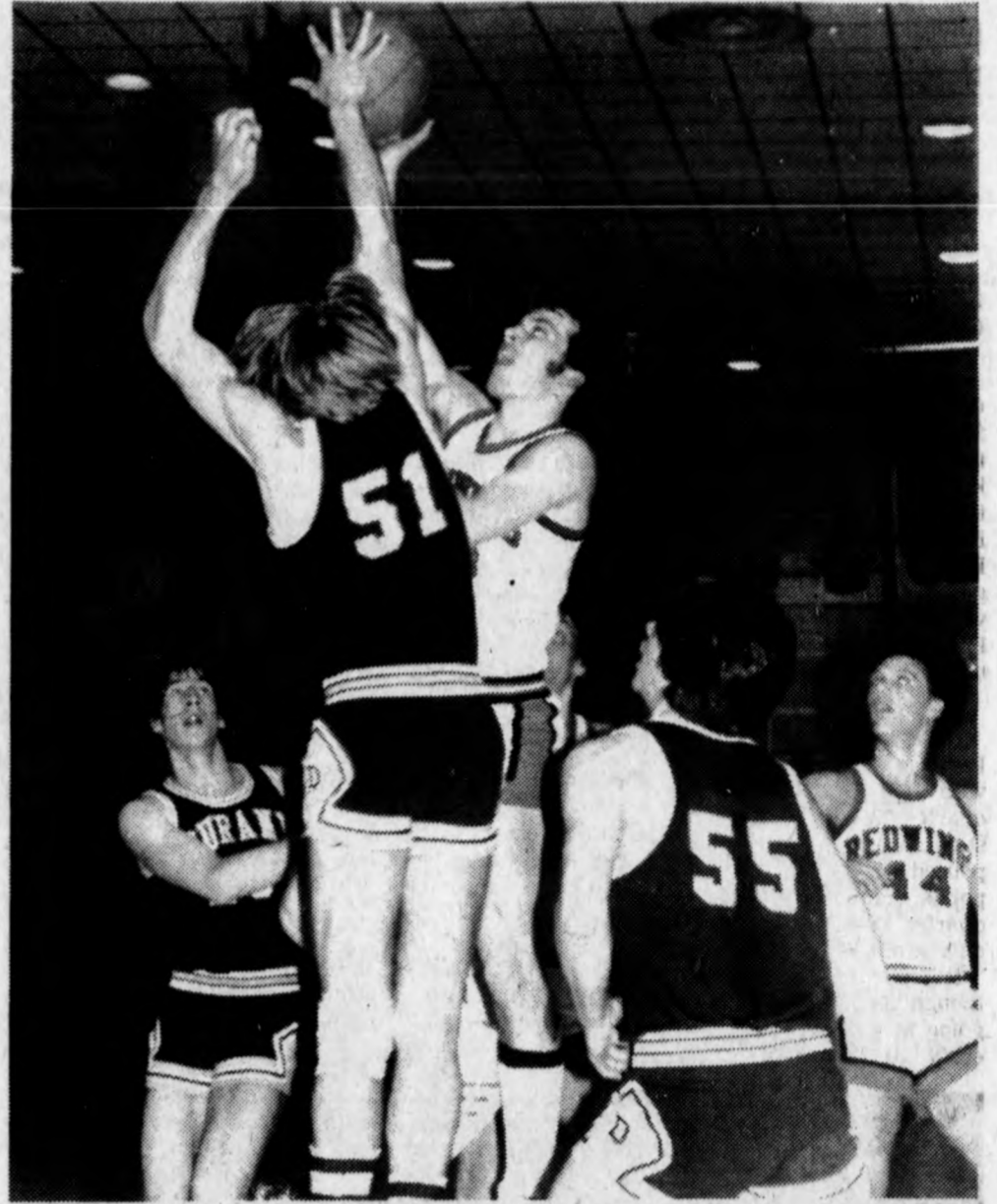
Against Hemlock, Jan Waterbury was the top server, scoring 19 points and serving 22 out of 23 accurately for 96 per cent, and Brenda Francis had eight good serves in as many attempts for five points. As a team, O-E served 39 of 45 accurately.

Against Alma, all 21 of Francis' serves were good,

scoring 16 points, while Waterbury had 13 good serves in 14 attempts and eight points. The team accurately served 56 out of 84 for 88 per cent.

In the pre-regional match against Chesaning, Francis served 14 of 16 accurately for 88 per cent and nine points. Waterbury was 12 of 14 for 86 per cent and seven service points, while Eldina Marriage was accurate on all 11 of her serves for seven service points. As a team, O-E served 61 of 75 for 81 per cent.

O-E, 3-9 in the MMB and 6-9 on the season, hosts St. Johns this afternoon and Saturday meets Alma in regional play at St. Johns at 10 a.m.



Craig Goff scores for St. Johns after picking up a loose ball near the top of the key. Jim DeDyne (44) sets for a possible rebound. St. Johns fell to Durand 77-57 in the opening game of the district tournament held here. (Photo by Bill Donahue)

Bowling report

Redwing Mixed	T. Kentfield Painters	20 1/2-11 1/2	Jo Kridner	554
CTC Farms	Mckenzie's	19-13	Diane Price	528
Fearsome Four	Farm Bureau	18 1/2-13 1/2	Sue Mudgett	200-516
Night Hawks	Brads Grill	16-16	Betty Martin	200
VIP	American Legion	15-17		
WHA's	Bashores Kennels	15-17		
Community Electric	Alley & Brewbaker	14-18	Coffee Cup	
Ten Pins	Cyndi's Crafts	10 1/2-21 1/2	Riffers Shell	64 1/2-27 1/2
Holy Rollers	Hallenbeck Constr.	8-24	Smalldon's Firewood	59-33
Four Plus One	Hub Tire	8-24	Carol Ann Shop	56-36
State Farm 2			Jim's TV	50-42
State Farm 1			Houghtens Real Estate	47 1/2-44 1/2
Old Timers			General Tire	43-49
	Marsha Snyder	528	Farmerettes	42 1/2-49 1/2
	Cynthia Tiedt	525	Beck & Hyde	41-51
	Kathy Strahle	510	Buckeye Lounge	40-52
	Diane White	508	Searles Mobile Homes	39 1/2-52 1/2
			Silvio's Lounge	39-53
			Lambert's	30-62
Paul Hurst	214-212-597			
Jerry Brockmyre	222-603			
Dale Mitchell	208-517			
Glenn Hopp	500			
John Schumaker	550			
George Higgins	501			
Bernard Wawczyk	533			
Elaine Brockmyre	201			
Connie Chamberlain	201-533			
Jan Glowacki	509			
Marge Hurst	512			
Molice Purvis	502			
Tea Time				
Bill's Garage	25-11			
Clinton Area Amb.	22 1/2-13 1/2			
McDonalds	22-14			
Central Nat'l Bank	19-17			
Redwing Lanes	18 1/2-17 1/2			
Buckeye Lounge	18-18			
S & H Farms	18-18			
Randolphs	17-19			
Andy's IGA	16-20			
Uncle John's	16-20			
M.M.M.F.	14-22			
Robert's Ceramics	10-25			
Linda Walling	200			
Delia Anderson	220			
Ten Pin Keglers				
St. Johns Standard	25 1/2-6 1/2			
Al Galloway	22-10			

Sports schedule

BASKETBALL

March 8
Class B regional at Charlotte
Ovid-Elsie vs. Charlotte
Class C regional at Ithaca
Fulton vs. Lansing Catholic

March 9
Class C regional at Ithaca
Stockbridge vs. Central Montcalm

March 10
Class B at Charlotte
Jackson Lumen Christi-Ionia winner vs. O-E-Charlotte winner

March 11
Class C at Ithaca
Fulton-Lansing Catholic winner vs. Stockbridge-Central Montcalm winner

VOLLEYBALL

March 8
St. Johns at Ovid-Elsie

March 9
Fulton at Pewamo-Westphalia (pre-regional)
St. Johns at Eaton Rapids (pre-regional)

March 11
Class B regional at St. Johns
Class C regional at Fulton

SWIMMING

March 10-11
State finals at Central Michigan University

GYMNASTICS

March 11
Girls finals at Ann Arbor
Boys finals at Ann Arbor

P-W eliminated by Forest Hills 69-63

St. Johns bows

Grandville The luck of the draw was certainly not with Pewamo-Westphalia last week.

P-W outscored Forest Hills by a single point in the final quarter, not enough to make up for the third quarter.

The Pirates had the misfortune of drawing Forest Hills Northern, the team expected to give P-W the most trouble, for a first round opponent and P-W fell to the Huskies 69-63.

Senior Dave Belen closed his brilliant career for the Pirates with 12 points, about half of his season scoring average. Warren Hengesbach, another senior, led the Pirates with 17 points and Mike Belen also had double figures with 16, while Steven Miller added 10.

P-W, coached by Joe Ghiardi, finished with a 14-7 record.

St. Johns' tournament run was a short one last week, as Tuesday the host Redwings fell to then-undefeated Durand 77-57.

Durand, paced by the fine shooting of Dan Lundie, rolled to a 22-14 first quarter lead, extended the lead to 41-29 at the half, and wrapped the game up with a 14-8 third quarter advantage.

St. Johns, which finished the season at 9-10, was led by Junior Jim DeDyne with 14 points and Brian Salminen with 11. Lundie finished with 30 points for the Railroaders while guard Chris Doyle had 23.

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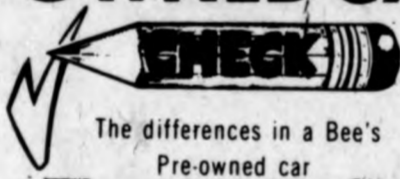
P-W had a two-point first-quarter lead and a five-point halftime lead, but Northern outscored P-W 26-14 in the third quarter to take the lead.

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CLINTON SCOREBOARD

Basketball

Forest Hills Northern 69, P-W 63
Saranac 75, Fowler 52
Fowler 61, Potterville 41
Fowler 72, St. Patrick 51
Durand 77, St. Johns 57
O-E 70, Chesaning 50
O-E 71, Durand 60
Perry 83, DeWitt 64
Fulton 85, Shepherd 57
Portland 82, Bath 80 (ot)
Fulton 109, Carson City-Crystal 61
Fulton 93, St. Louis 59

Volleyball

Varsity

Fulton def Ashley 15-5, 13-15, 15-5
O-E def. Hemlock 15-5, 15-7
Alma def O-E 9-15, 15-4, 15-8
O-E def Chesaning 15-12, 8-15, 15-10
Fulton def Bellevue 15-8, 15-0
SJ def Corunna 15-11, 10-15, 15-8
SJ def Chesaning 12-15, 15-4, 15-13

Jayvee

Fulton def Ashley 14-16, 15-5, 15-10
Fulton def Bellevue 15-13, 15-5
SJ def Corunna 15-10, 13-15, 16-14
SJ def Chesaning 15-7, 15-6

Swimming

St. Johns 231
O-E 138
Swan Valley 120

Corunna 297
Alma 273

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DeWitt blasted by Perry; Bath nipped in overtime

By Mark Szalajski
Correspondent

In the Class C District Games held at DeWitt High School, both the DeWitt Panthers and the Bath Bees were knocked out of the state tourney in the first round. DeWitt was crushed by Perry, 83-64, in the first game of the doubleheader, while in the second matchup, Portland edged Bath in overtime, 82-80.

In the Perry-DeWitt game, Perry jumped to a 20-11 lead with 2:20 left in the first quarter. DeWitt managed to stay close as Mike Ferland poured in six first period points, and at the end of the quarter, DeWitt was down by only seven, 26-19.

It then began to look as though the Ramblers were going to wrap up the game early, as they claimed an

11-point lead with 5:30 left in the half. Still, the Panthers fought back. Playing run and gun basketball, DeWitt closed the margin to three, 36-33. But then Ramblers regained their lost momentum and outscored the Panthers 10-2 the rest of the quarter, taking a 43-35 advantage into the locker room.

In the third period, Perry came out shooting as well as they had in the first half, grabbing a 14-point lead with five minutes gone in the quarter, 57-43. The Ramblers stretched their lead to 19 at the end of the period, 65-46.

The fourth quarter was a picture of contrasts as DeWitt gambled on defense and 20-footers, while Perry used a deliberate offense, knowing the game was in their control. Perry was never seriously challenged

and coasted to an 83-64 victory.

Bill Alfred was high scorer for DeWitt with 16 points, with Mark Willson scoring 13 and Mike Ferland 12. Ferland also pulled down 14 reboundings for the losers. DeWitt ended the season with an 11-10 record.

The Bath-Portland Red Raiders game was as exciting as the DeWitt-Perry game was dull. Portland, the underdog, started quickly and took a 9-5 lead with 4:30 left in the first period. From there, Portland built its bulge, at one time leading by as much as 11 points. At the end of the quarter, the Red Raiders were on top of a 24-14 score.

In the first part of the second quarter, the Red Raiders' lead fluctuated from nine to 11 points. But, all at once, Portland got cold

and Bath got hot and in a few minutes, the Red Raider lead shrunk to two points and the Bees tied it, 31-31, with 2:05 remaining in the half. The lead see-sawed back and forth between the two teams the rest of the period, with Portland having a 37-35 advantage when the buzzer sounded.

Bath came out of the locker room ready to go in the third quarter and jumped to a 43-40 lead. Just when everything seemed to be going well for the Bees, Bruce Swart picked up his fourth personal foul and was forced to the bench. Portland was back in control of the game, but still couldn't pull away. The Red Raiders only held a one-point lead, 51-50, at the end of the quarter.

With 6:19 left in the game, Portland had a 59-54 lead. Bath Coach, Dick Wilt, decided to send Swart back in with his four fouls and the momentum swung back to the Bees. Bath tied the game 68-68 with 2:45 to go. When Richard Brown hit on a free throw with 2:38 left, Bath led 69-68. But Swart picked up his fifth foul with 1:18 on the clock and the 6-8 senior had to watch the rest of the game from the bench. On another free throw, this time by Charlie Cronk, Bath was up 72-70. Both teams traded baskets when, with Bath having the lead and the ball with :05 on the scoreboard, a Bee turnover gave the ball back to Portland. The Red Raiders inbounded the ball and Scott Baker threw up a 40 foot prayer which swished the net and sent the game into a three-minute overtime.

Portland struck first blood, making a free throw and then two more, taking a 77-74 lead. Richard Brown tipped in a missed shot to cut the lead to one. The teams traded baskets and a layup put the Red Raiders up by three with :57 left in overtime. Portland turned the ball over with :24 on the clock, and Mark Phillips pumped in a jumper to make the score 81-80.

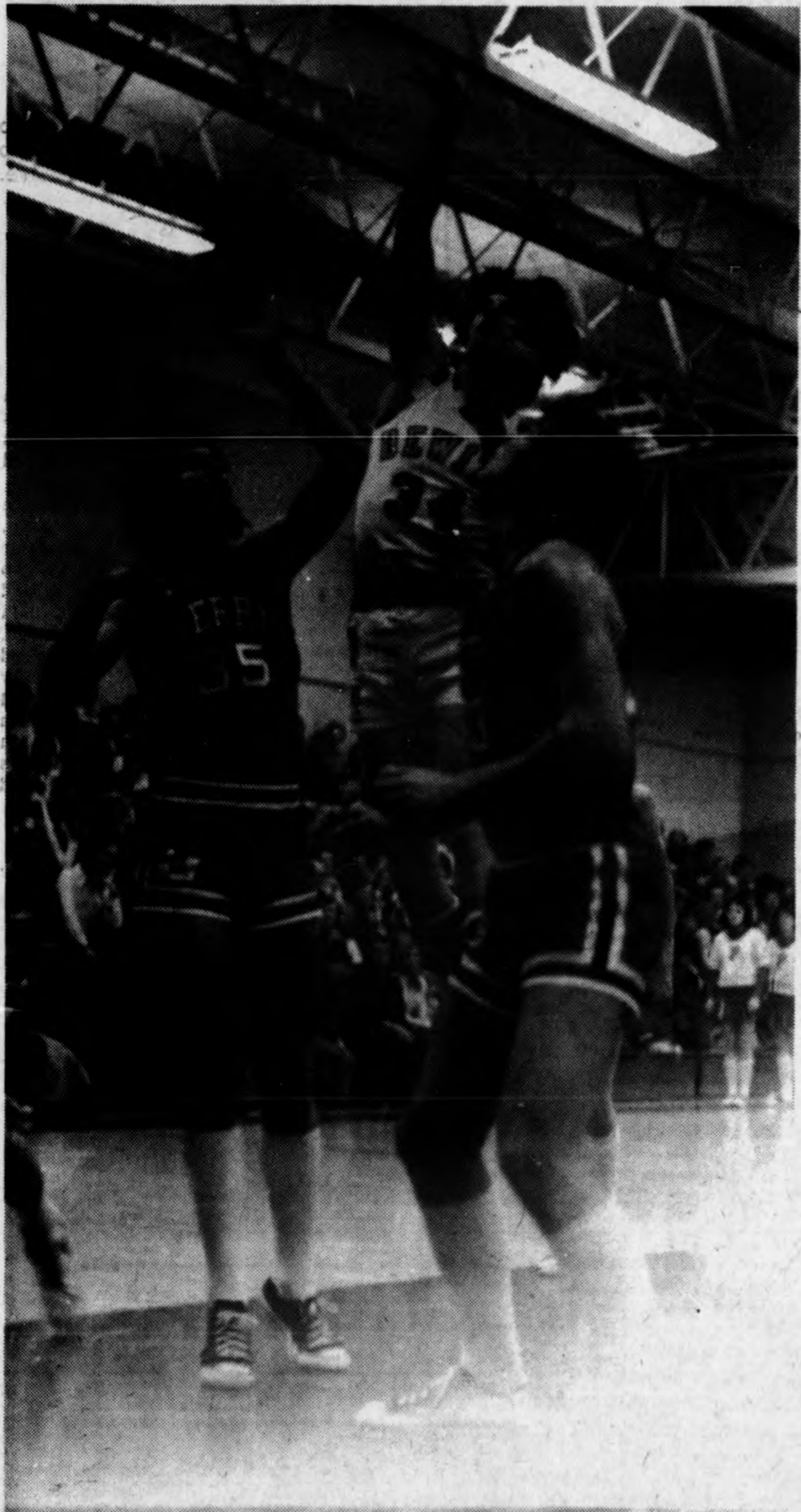
Then Bath fouled with :02 left and Portland got two shots from the charity stripe. Portland missed the first but made the second, putting them up 82-80. Bath inbounded the ball to Phillips, who threw a long, desperation shot which fell short just as the buzzer sounded.

Kirk Ordiway led Bath scoring with 22 points and Richard Brown had 19. Bath outscored Portland from the floor, 70-58, but it was free throws that made the difference. Portland made 24 of 33 attempts from the line, while the Bees cashed in on only 10 of 25. Bath ended the year with a 13-7 record.

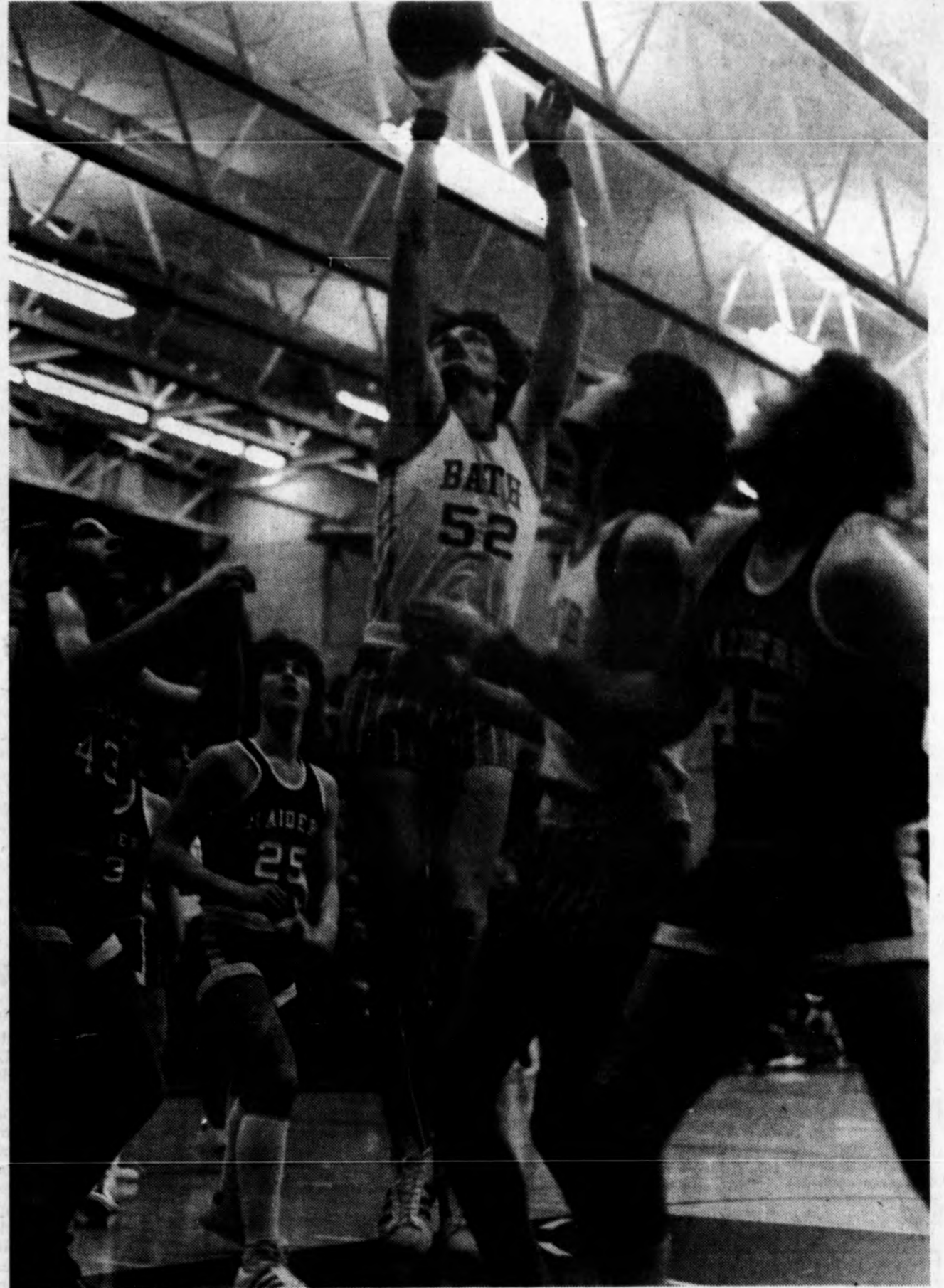
Coed enrolled

Ann Marie Zimmerman is enrolled as a student at Asbury Theological Seminary, Wilmore, Ky., in a course of study leading to the Master of Arts in Religion degree.

Ann is a graduate of Spring Arbor College and plans to serve teaching after graduation in 1980. Enrollment at the Seminary this year is 788. The students are graduates of nearly 200 different colleges and universities around the world.



Mark Moody of DeWitt goes up for a shot in the Panthers first-round loss to Perry. (Photo by Bob Donner)



Senior center Bruce Swart had foul trouble in Bath's loss to Portland Tuesday, but while he was in the game he scored 17 points for the Bees. (Photo by H. William Lewis)

NOTICE

City of DeWitt Board of Review

According to City Charter, the Board of Review will meet on March 13th and March 27th, 1978 to examine and review the Assessment Roll of the City. The meeting on the 13th is reserved for the Board of Review Members only.

Persons wishing to appear before the Board may do so on Monday, March 27th from 11:00 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Tentative Equalization ratios and multipliers for 1978 property assessments are:

	Ratio	Multiplier
Real	.4598	1.087
Personal	.50	1.00

James R. Spalding
Administrative Aide-Assessor

Read all the county-wide sports in the County News.

CITY OF ST. JOHNS

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Ordinance No. 294

Notice is hereby given that the St. Johns City Commission will hold a public hearing on March 27, 1978 at 7:45 p.m. in the Commission Chambers at 121 E. Walker St., St. Johns, Michigan for the purpose of hearing all persons interested in a proposed Zoning Amendment which, if adopted, would amend Title V Zoning and Planning Chapter 51 Zoning Ordinance of the City of St. Johns as follows:

Would stipulate swimming pool fence heights, gate, latches, locks, artificial lighting, bath houses, chlorine testing, etc.

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Ladies win city tourney



Team event winners was Terry Kentfield Patnter and Decorator team consisting of Barb Crowell, Linda Kentfield, Carol Tafroe, Marsha Snyder, and Kathy Strahle.



Single event winner was Denise Starck.



Mona Keelean is the all events winner for womens bowling at the Redwing Lanes.



Doubles winners in womens bowling was Sherry Miller and Ruth Beachler.

Cerny qualifies for state meet

Ludington One St. Johns girl qualified for state competition by placing in the regional meet held here last weekend.

Denise Cerny qualified for state competition on the balance beam by placing ninth

in that event with a score of 7.4. Cerny competed in three other events but did not place highly enough to go on to state competition.

Michelle Rehmann, also from St. Johns, scored 7.5 on the vault Saturday, her top score of the year, but that was still not enough to get

her into the state meet. The state meet will be held in Ann Arbor Saturday at 6 p.m.

Ovid-Elsie area to celebrate Palm Sunday

Ovid-Elsie Three area churches have joined together to bring the community a Palm Sunday evening service.

The Middlebury United Methodist, Elsie United Methodist and Ovid United Church will present a cantata entitled "Love and Kindness."

This beautiful service of moving gospel music will be presented at the United Church of Ovid on Front Street, Palm Sunday, March 19, at 7:30 p.m.

This service promises to be an exciting evening to all those who enjoy Christian music. A coffee reception follows in the church social rooms.

Blackford's to be honored at open house

The family of Spencer and Neta Blackford will honor their parents on their Golden Wedding Anniversary at an

Open House Sunday, March 12, from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. at the Elsie American Legion Hall.

Wacousta senior citizen reports on Older Americans Act

Wacousta Senior citizens who are taking part in "food and fellowship" nutrition programs, or in transportation, home repair, referral, health screening, home help, day care or other programs funded by area agencies on aging should keep an eye on what is happening in Washington with the Older Americans Act, reports Wallace Watt of Wacousta.

Wallace Watt is a member of the Michigan Senior Advocates Council and recently attended a Michigan Senior Advocates Council meeting at the capitol in Lansing on the Act.

The Act, which provides most of the money in Michigan for nutrition programs and area agencies on aging grants for local senior services, expires this year and has to be reauthorized by Congress. Hearings are now being held by the Subcommittee on Aging of the Senate Human Resources Committee, chaired by Sen. Thomas Eagleton (D-Mo.) and numerous changes in the Act are being proposed. "Whatever happens as a result of those hearings will affect senior citizens throughout Michigan," Wallace Watt adds.

As currently proposed, OSA will have a \$25 million budget next year, but only \$2 million will be coming from the state. The rest is federal money, Michigan's share of the Older Americans Act. The money funds: —over 600 nutrition sites serving 28,000 senior citizens daily (Title VII); —statewide community social services for seniors, including information and referral, home repair, health screening, home health care, homemaker, transportation,

recreation and others (Title III); —multipurpose senior centers (Title V); —research on aging at Michigan colleges and universities and training of persons to work in the field of aging, as well as the Legislative Educational Center in Lansing and the legislative newsletter for seniors, "Aging Alert" (Title IV); —administration and services of the state Office of Services to the Aging and 13 regional area agencies on

aging. The Michigan Senior Advocates Council meets monthly in Lansing to research and focus attention on issues of concern to older persons. Members are representative senior citizen leaders selected by area agencies on aging.

The next meeting of the Council will be held March 20, at 10 a.m. in room 420D of the Capitol, in Lansing. The topic will be health and home health care.

Letters to the editor

Dean Hardware praised

Dear Editor:

I would like to stress the fact that there are still some honest people around...

A few days ago, my husband and I went into Dean's True Value Hardware to buy something when we accidentally dropped a rather large sum of money on the floor.

Later, after we had gone, we realized it was missing and

went back to see if they had found anything.

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ing that these were truly honest and decent people, returning our money when they could have kept it for themselves.

We thank you DEAN'S HARDWARE and we will always be loyal customers.

Sincerely,
St. Johns residents
(Names withheld upon request)

OFFICIAL NOTICE TO THE CITIZENS OF CLINTON COUNTY OF PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER ESTABLISHMENT OF PROJECT DISTRICT AREA BOUNDARIES BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF CLINTON AT THE REQUEST OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF THE COUNTY OF CLINTON

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to Act 338 of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1974, as amended, the Economic Development Corporation of the County of Clinton has designated the following described project area to the County for its approval in connection with a proposed AUTOMOBILE DEALERSHIP PROJECT:

A parcel of land with 300 feet frontage on US 27 and 450 feet in depth, which is a part of Outlot N of the City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan, more fully described as: Commencing at the intersection of the South line of said Lot N, and the Westerly right of way line of said US 27, thence Northwesterly along the right of way line of US 27 300 feet, thence West parallel with the South line of said Lot N 450 feet, thence South, parallel with the West property line of Lessor, 300 feet, thence East, along the South line of said Lot N which is the Northerly right of way line of Townsend Road, 450 feet to the point of beginning on the said line of US 27.

The Economic Development Corporation of the County of Clinton has been incorporated and has the power to acquire, finance and lease commercial and industrial enterprises. The designation of a project area specifies that land area which will be acquired by the implementation of a project.

It is now necessary to consider the establishment of project district area boundaries. Project district area is defined as that area of the County including the project area and surrounding territory as may be significantly affected by a project. The determination of the project district area boundaries is necessary in order to determine the necessity of establishing a project citizens district council and, if necessary, determining the eligibility of its members. A project citizens district council, if established, will act as an advisory body to the Economic Development Corporation, the County Planning Commission and the Board of Commissioners of the County. The project district area is proposed to be as follows:

Land in the City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan described as follows:

St J 795-08 Outlot N, Orig Plat Beg at NW intersection of N line of Townsend Rd s US-27 r/o/w, th W 615.3 ft alg N line Townsend Rd, N 655.3 ft, E to R/W SE 1/4 alg R/W 665.3 ft to beg.

The Board of Commissioners will meet at the County Court House in the City of St. Johns, Michigan, at 9:30 o'clock a.m., Tuesday, the 21 day of March, 1978, and will conduct a public hearing on the advisability of approving by resolution the aforesaid designation of proposed project district area boundaries.

THIS NOTICE is given pursuant to the requirements of Act 338, Public Acts of Michigan, 1974, as amended. Further information concerning the matters set out in this notice may be secured from the County Clerk's office.

Ernest E. Carter
County Clerk

OFFICIAL NOTICE TO THE CITIZENS OF CLINTON COUNTY OF PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER APPROVAL OF PROJECT AREA BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF CLINTON AS DESIGNATED BY THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF THE COUNTY OF CLINTON

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Ernest E. Carter
County Clerk

St. Johns Woman's Club tours Herbruck's Cheese Counter

By Dorothy Welsh

Mr. Bailey, manager of Herbruck's Cheese Counter, met the St. John's Woman's Club membership in the lunch room to welcome them and introduce his cheese making and marketing operation.

Each guest was treated with a generous sample of their own chocolate-nut cheese. There was a drawing for two door prizes of cheese packages.

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Roman army could out-last others in the field because it carried cheese which would keep.

Cheese was discovered by accident 6,000 years ago by desert nomads in Egypt. Milk carried in a sheep's stomach after it had been slaughtered turned to curds and whey.

About 2,000 years ago a shepherd laid his sandwich in a cave near what is now Roquefort, France. Three months later he returned to find the cheese different, but good. Thus evolved the first Roquefort cheese. The temperature and bacteria had been just right.

The French of that area have the patent on this kind and their cheese is still seasoned in those same caves. Blue cheese is a popular copy.

Ten pounds of milk are required for one pound of cheese. Different cultures are added to make different kinds of cheese. There are 400 kinds of cheese, but only 17 or 18 basics in blues and cheddars.

To preserve cheese, keep it in an air tight wrap. If mold should appear, swab with a cloth dampened in vinegar. It should be turned every four days to distribute fat which otherwise settles to

the bottom. Herbrucks Chocolate cheese was discovered at Michigan State University in 1921. This idea became interesting to Bailey so he has perfected it with a mixing machine he purchased in Germany. Now some fruit flavored varieties are made. Fresh strawberries are used in one.

The March 15 meeting will be at the home of Mrs. William Morriss. Hostesses will be Mrs. Karl Pope and Mrs. Harry Whittaker.

The St. Johns club is a member of the National Federation of Woman's Clubs.



Learning about kibbutz

Seventh grade students in Laurie Knudsen's class at Holy Trinity School learned about life in a kibbutz. Ms. Knudsen (left) talks with

Esther Kissler from Community Resource Volunteers and Dr. Baruck Rubin, (right) a guest from Israel. (Photo courtesy of CRV)



Wedding bells ring

The St. Johns Bridal Fair was termed a definite success with well over 200 people attending the event on Sunday afternoon. People from St. Johns, Ithaca, Lansing, Middleton, Fowler, Westphalia, Ovid-Elsie, Bannister, Bancroft, Durand, and Wyoming were on hand to see the bridal fashion show, and view various exhibits from wedding cakes

to photography. Winners of prizes at the Fair were Tammy Braun, Deb Ruhl, Karen Ritter, Ruth Shipley, Lori Sheldon, Mary Ann Fabus, Debbie Berryhill, Gene Barnhart, Leslie Vermershe, Kathy Orson, Shirley Douglas, Sandra Bokes, Debra Goodknecht, Charlene Pettit, and Cindia Good.

CRV relates life to students

Seventh graders at Holy Trinity School, learned first hand about life on a kibbutz through a Community Resource Volunteers (CRV) enrichment program requested by teacher Laurie Knudsen.

Mrs. Knudsen's students heard about life on a collective farm in Israel from CRV member, Esther G. Kessler of Lansing. Mrs. Kessler brought a guest from Israel, Dr. Baruck Rubin, to meet students at the Fowler school.

Mrs. Kessler and her family have been to stay with cousins on a kibbutz which has many communal features such as a common dining hall and a nursery and school where children are cared for while mothers are at work.

All property at a kibbutz, except for specified personal possessions, is collectively owned. Planning and work are collective with jobs exacted on the basis of ability. People who go off the

kibbutz to work turn their salaries over to the kibbutz. People who go off the kibbutz to work turn their salaries over to the kibbutz. Goods are distributed according to need. While no one owns his own car or truck, all have access to community vehicles a certain number of times each month.

Mrs. Kessler compared

living in the socialistic agriculture community with the way of life in the United States. She highlighted the benefits her relatives get from communal living, such as the feeling of community family and a feeling of worth for people of all ages.

There is a place for everyone in the kibbutz family; one doesn't have to worry

about what's going to happen to them when they get old, she said. About 10 per cent of Israel's population lives on a kibbutz.

Clinton County's Community Resource Volunteers has many area people available for classroom talks on geography and cultural topics. CRV is funded by a grant from the C.S. Mott Foundation.

LCC offering classes in St. Johns

St. Johns

Fearful of fractions? Do you despise decimals? If you're generally miffed by mathematics, Lansing Community College may be able to help.

Seven mathematics courses are scheduled to be taught spring term at St. Johns High School through LCC's Continuing Education Program.

Courses vary in complex-

ity from Basic Arithmetic Laboratory, which covers fundamental number processes, fraction, decimals and percentages, to Intermediate Algebra Laboratory. In that class, students will study equations, functions, graphs and complex number systems.

Other courses being offered include Social Science I, which will emphasize aspects of culture,

socialization, population-ecology and cultural history. Also scheduled is Psychology of Personality which will survey leading theories of personality, emphasizing their implications for assessing and modifying normal personality.

On-campus registration will be held March 22, 23, 24, 27 and 28. For more information, call 373-7187 or 373-7160.

OFFICIAL NOTICE TO THE CITIZENS OF COUNTY OF CLINTON

OF PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER APPROVAL OF DESIGNATION OF PROJECT AREA AND PROJECT DISTRICT AREA TO THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF CLINTON BY THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF THE COUNTY OF CLINTON

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to Act 338 of the Public Acts of 1974, as amended, The Economic Development Corporation of the County of Clinton has designated the following described project area to the Board of Commissioners for its approval: as may be amended from time to time in minor respects

Legal Description (M&B): Commencing at the SE cor., Section 9, T5N, R2W, DeWitt Township, Clinton County, Michigan, thence N 00°53'00" W 570.0' along East Sec. line (centerline US-27) to point of beginning; thence S 89°24'20" W 303.8'±, thence S 00°53'00" E 536.5'± to a point 33' from centerline of Herbison Rd., thence S 89°24'20" W 541.0'± along R.O.W. line, thence N 00°53'00" W 376.0'±, thence N 89°24'20" E 201.5'±, thence N 00°53'00" W 34.0'±, thence N 89°24'20" E 294.5'±, thence N 00°53'00" W 246.0'±, thence N 89°24'20" E 348.5'± to a point on the East Sec. line, Sec. 9, 690.0' North of the SE cor., Sec. 9 T5N, R2W, thence S 00°53'00" E 120.0' along the East Sec. line, Sec. 9 to the point of beginning; excepting an area 27.0' wide along the Herbison Road R.O.W.; containing 5.5 acres more or less.

The Economic Development Corporation of the County of Clinton has been incorporated and has the power to acquire, finance and lease commercial and industrial enterprises. The designation of a project area specifies that land area which will be acquired by the implementation of a project.

It is also now necessary to consider the establishment of project district area boundaries. Project district area is defined as that area of the County including the project area and surrounding territory as may be significantly affected by a project. The determination of the project district area boundaries is necessary in order to determine the necessity of establishing a project citizens district council and, if necessary, determining the eligibility of its members. The project district area is proposed to be as follows:

All of the E 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Sec 9-T5N-R2W, S of Webb Rd. exc Rose Subd., also exc a parc beg 851.25 ft W of SE cor of Sec 9, th W 520', N535', E 520', th S 535' to pt of beg. 83 acres more or less.

Com at a pt 250' S 0°05' E and 90' N 89°44' W of NE cor of Sec 16-T5N-R2W, th W 200', N 200', E 132.78', th SE 110', th S 112' to pt of beg.

Commencing at the Northeast corner of Section 16, DeWitt Township, T5N, R2W, Clinton County, Michigan, S 0°5' E 250 feet along Section line, thence N 89°44' W 519.5 feet to point of beginning, thence N 0°05' E

250 feet, thence S 89°44' E 156.25 feet, thence S 0°05' E 250 feet, thence N 89°44' W 156.25 feet to point of beginning.

MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS:

That part of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 16, T5N, R2W, DeWitt Township, Clinton County, Michigan, the boundary of which has been surveyed and is hereby described by Michigan R.L.S. 16053 as beginning on the North Section line at a point N 89° 44' W 363.25 feet from the Northeast Corner of said Section 16, thence S 0°02'20" E 250.0 feet parallel with the East Section line, thence N 89°44' W 156.25 feet parallel with the North Section line, thence parallel with the said East Section line N 0°02'20" W 250.0 feet to the North Section line, thence S 89° 44' E 156.25 feet to the point of beginning, subject to the right of way of Herbison Road and any other rights of way or easements of record, containing 0.897 acres of land, more or less.

Walnut Estates No. 1, a subd of part of the E 1/2 of Section 16, T5N-R2W, Lot 4

Walnut Estates No. 1, a subd of part of the E 1/2 of Section 16, T5N-R2W, Lot 5

Walnut Estates No. 1, a subd of part of the E 1/2 of Section 16, T5N-R2W, Lot 3

Walnut Estates No. 1, a subd of part of the E 1/2 of Section 16, T5N-R2W, Lot 1

Walnut Estates No. 1, a subd of part of the E 1/2 of Section 16, T5N-R2W, Lot 2

Com on the Sec 1n at a pt 841.25 ft W of SE cor of Sec 9-T5N-R2W, th W 520 ft on sec 1n, N 535 ft, E 520 ft, S 535 ft to pt of beg.

The Board of Commissioners will meet at nine o'clock a.m., Tuesday, the 21st day of March, 1978, at the County Building located in the City of St. Johns, Michigan, and will conduct a public hearing on the advisability of approving by resolution the aforesaid project designations.

Said Act 338 of the Public Acts of Michigan, 1974, as amended, provides that an Economic Development Corporation may be incorporated and that such corporations have the power to acquire, finance and lease commercial and industrial enterprises and the designation of a project area specifies that land area which will be acquired in the implementation of a project.

THIS NOTICE is given pursuant to the requirements of Sections 8 and 17 of Act 338, Public Acts of Michigan, 1974, as amended. Further information concerning the matters set out in this notice may be secured from the County Clerk's office.

Ernest Carter
County Clerk

Everybody's Market Place CLASSIFIED ADS phone... 224-2361

Help Wanted 1, Help Wanted 1, Business Opportunity 2, Real Estate 4, Wanted To Rent 7, Misc. 27, Notice, 29, Notice. 29

GENERAL MAINTENANCE POSITION IS AVAILABLE for the person who wants an opportunity to utilize his skills in electrical maintenance, carpentry, plumbing, boilers and all other areas of hospital maintenance. Only those with knowledge and or prior experience in these areas need apply.

HELP WANTED—PART TIME CHECK FILER at Clinton National Bank & Trust Co. Hrs. 8:30-1:00. Some filing experience required. Call personnel dept. 224-6811.

WANTED TO RENT, Pasture. Will fence if needed. Want water furnished. In the DeWitt or St. Johns area. 669-9960.

SEWING MACHINE AND VACUUM CLEANER REPAIR. Expert work done on all makes and models. FREE ESTIMATES. Work done in your home or will pick up and deliver, 13 years experience, all work guaranteed.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES Ceta VI Work Projects

Table listing various employment opportunities with rates per hour. Includes Clinton Development Commission, Bath Charter Township, Community Resource Volunteers, Village of Fowler, Bath Community Schools, St. Johns Public Schools, Pewamo-Westphalia Schools, City of St. Johns, Village of Westphalia, and Fowler Public Schools.

PROFESSIONAL BUILDER - just completed this lovely home in Fowler, three bedrooms, 1-1/2 baths, full basement, attached double garage, family room with parlor stove. Tastefully decorated throughout.

FOR SALE - Older house with garage in Westphalia. Ph. 593-2476. P-CCN-10

MEETING NOTICE FOR OLIVE TOWNSHIP. A meeting at the Olive Township Hall for the purpose of discussing the use of Federal Revenue Sharing Funds will be held on March 13 at 8:00 p.m.

WORK WANTED—Additions, Remodeling, Repairs, New Homes, Roofing, Water Proofing, Concrete. Licensed and insured. Free estimates 669-9037.

FOR SALE BY OWNER—1974 Fawn double wide mobile home on lot in St. Johns area. Large fenced yard, storage shed, garden spot, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, dishwasher, washer dryer, central air, water softener, refrigerator and range, antenna and tower and drapes. Phone 224-7915.

FOR SALE—Parts for all electric shavers. Levey's Jewelry, Elsie. 1-tf-29

WANTED—Bulldozing, backhoe work, drain fields, water lines, footings—digging of any kind. Lee Zuker Ph. 224-2049.

FOR RENT—ATTRACTIVE 2-BEDROOM HOME 20 mi. N. of St. Johns, 8057 N. Jones Rd., Hubbardston. Oil heat, stove, refrigerator, garage, \$150 per month. Security deposit and references required. Call evenings 313-822-2154.

BINGO—Holy Family Church, 510 Mabbit Rd., Ovid. Monday 7 p.m. 16-tf-29

FOR SALE - Apartment complex, especially suited to purple Martins, upstairs in the Gallery, Ledge Craft Lane, downtown Grand Ledge, GP-RT-CCN-10s

MOVE IN RIGHT NOW - 12x52, 2 bedroom mobile home, carpeting, drapes, stove, refrigerator, 24x24 garage, large lot with garden space just \$12,500. Low down payment, call Chuck Minkley- 647-6600 or Minkley/Simon Real Estate. PG-RT-CCN-3 tfn

WANTED—OLD POST CARDS OF THE EARLY 1900-1920's. Willing to buy or trade. Call 224-2361 days or 224-7051 nights.

FOR RENT—2-bedroom ranch in St. Johns on N. St. Johns on N. Jones Rd., Hubbardston. Oil heat, stove, refrigerator, garage, \$225. Reference and security deposit. 224-2321.

FOR SALE—1977 1/2 Ton Pickup, Chevy 6 cylinder, standard shift. Step rear bumper sliding back window, side molding, deluxe interior. 18,000 miles, \$3,300. 224-8265 after 5.

WATCH REPAIR SERVICE Now there is a repair service for Timex Watches in your area. All work is guaranteed and we give you free estimate before repairs. We also repair other makes of watches. Send watches to: Kinde Repair Service, P.O. Box 128, Kinde, Michigan 48445.

USED FARM EQUIPMENT. J.D. 2030 Tractor DSL, J.D. 720 Diesel Tractor, J.D. 4020 Tractor DSL, N.I. 310 Picker, I.H. 101 Combine, NEW J.D. 4440 Tractor, J.D. 2640 Tractor, J.D. 4400 Combine. OWOSSO IMPLEMENT CO. 3495 W. M-21, Owosso Phone 723-7323

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NEED STORAGE SPACE - Mini Warehouses in or out anytime personal locks. Call U-Stor-It. Ph. 372-7092. G-CCN-10-13

PICK UP CHEVY 1967 1/2 ton, 327 standard transmission, \$300. New battery and crossover, Westphalia, 587-4542. P-CCN-10

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FOR SALE—SKIS Head GK04 180. \$40. Good for beginning skier. Call 224-2361 days, ask for Nancy.

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FOR SALE - JUNE CLOVER SEED—50 bu. 8 mi. N. & 2 1/4 W. on County Line Rd. Noel Smith 838-2646.

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CLASSIFIED BUSINESS SERVICE DIRECTORY

Use This Classified Listing For Fast Service From Clinton County Business Firms. AUCTIONEER, DRUGS, FOODS, JEWELRY, AUTOMOTIVE, ELECTRICIANS, HORSES, PARTY SUPPLIES, FARM DRAINAGE, INSULATION, RESTAURANT, FERTILIZERS, ZEEB FERTILIZERS, FINANCIAL, CERAMICS, FLORISTS, INSURANCE, VACUUM SALES.

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DEWITT TOWNSHIP 780 E WIELAND ROAD LANSING, MI 48906 PHONE (517) 482-1291

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Synopsis of Regular Board Meeting of February 27, 1978.

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The meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M. by Supervisor Reed. Board members present: Reed, Hazelo, White, Corr, Kzeski, Olger. Members absent: Pline, excused. The meeting was opened with an Invocation and the Pledge of Allegiance. The agenda and minutes were approved with changes. There were no public comments.

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The EDC Resolution was read and adopted. The Planning Commission minutes were reviewed and put on file. Mr. Weaver resigned from the Library Board. Milver Brunton has been accepted as his replacement. The Resolution of Intent, in regards to the sewer, was read and adopted. The Sewer Rate Resolution was read and adopted.

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A Resolution was read to William Purves thanking him for his contributions to the betterment of the Township. Bill was presented a plaque in appreciation. Mr. Ray Steeb, from LMDA, gave a presentation on Acta 338 and 198. Mr. Kyes gave a report on the sewer abandonment because of Airport acquisitions. White presented the Water System year end report. CETA renewals were questioned. Personnel policies were reviewed. Changes were MADE AND APPROVED. Dave Schlegel was granted a one month extension on his Special Use Permit.

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The vouchers for the month were reviewed and approved. The meeting was recessed at 11:20 P.M., to be reopened on February 14, 1978 at 4:00 P.M. Meeting reopened at 4:00P.M. February 14'th.

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It was moved that all business conducted and handled before midnight, February 13, 1978, be ratified. Approved. Mrs. Miller has declined to serve on the Compensation Committee. It was decided to leave the membership at the present level.

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Corr offered the Fire Activity Report, Police Activity Report, and minutes from the Public Safety Committee regular meeting and budget meeting. Approved. Supervisor Reed was directed to send letters of appreciation to those who helped during the blizzard.

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A Resolution was read to Larry Merrill commending him for his outstanding service to the Township. The minutes from the Parks Commission were reviewed and approved. It was decided that we would not join the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission. The DeWitt Township Digest is going to have a Logo contest, and requested that the Township furnish \$10, 1st prize and \$5, 2nd prize. Approved. The Cemetery Ordinance was reviewed, and Mr. Robinson has been requested to draft a new Ordinance with the proposed changes incorporated. The Sewer Authority would like to use the meeting room on a rotating basis with the other municipalities who are members. Approved.

FOR SALE - HAY ALFALFA, good quality, Bath area. Ph. 641-6034 after 5 p.m.

Meeting adjourned at 9:55P.M. Respectfully submitted; Judy M. Hazelo, Clerk. Approved by Alta C. Reed, Supervisor.

Card of Thanks 30

Thanks to all our Church family, friends and relatives who remembered us on our 50th Wedding Anniversary...

The family of Willard D. Searles wish to express our heartfelt love and thanks to everyone who gave us their help and sincere support during our great loss...

In loving memory of Agnes M. Roberts who passed away seven years ago March 12, 1971.

Memoriam 31

Her Smile and thoughtfulness linger every day. Sadly missed by her daughters, sister, grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Lost & Found 35

LOST—Miniature Schnauzer type dog, Gray-Black in color, lost near City Park, answers to Benji. REWARD PH: 224-4531.

LOST—Silver and White female Husky. REWARD. Call after 6. 641-6082.

Legal news

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF BATH, MICHIGAN

Community Development Program

To: Residents of Township of Bath, Michigan. Notice is hereby given that the Township of Bath will hold the first of two required public hearings in the Township Hall, 14480 Webster Road, Bath, Michigan, at 7:00 p.m., March 22, 1978, in connection with the Township undertaking activities for a Community Development Program.

The purpose of the first hearing is to obtain views of the citizens on community development and housing needs and priorities, to receive their proposals on activities and programs which may be included in a Fire Application for Federal Financial Assistance from the Federal Department of Housing and Urban Development for the program year of 1978-1979. The maximum grant for which a community may apply is not known at this time.

The assistance, which may be requested, is under Title I of the Federal Housing and Commun-

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ity Development Act of 1977, and could include, among other things, a program of repair and rehabilitation of buildings, the provision of public works and facilities, the acquisition of land and buildings, the demolition of structures, the provision of relocation assistance to displaced individuals, families, and businesses, and the provision of public services which may not otherwise be available.

The Pre-Application will be reviewed and rated by the Federal Housing and Urban Development Department and will be subject to approval and selection from among other communities. Pre-Applications based on criteria established by the Federal Housing and Urban Development.

Additional meetings and a second public hearing will be held to further consider the proposed application prior to its adoption and submission to the Federal Department of HUD. The hearing will also consider a proposed Community Development Citizens Participation Plan.

Any person or organization desiring to be heard will be afforded an opportunity to be heard. Further information on the development of the program will be available at the meeting or may be obtained from the office of the Township Clerk at Township Hall.

June F. Burnett Township Clerk Charter Township of Bath 14480 Webster Road Bath, Michigan 48808 10-1

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Clinton, Estate of Goldie Yeoman, deceased. TAKE NOTICE: On Wed. April 5, 1978, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom, the Court-house, St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon. Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Peggy Ann Cain for probate of a purported Will of the deceased, dated March 27, 1965, and for granting of administration to Peggy Ann Cain or some other suitable person.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED ORDINANCE ADOPTION

LEGAL NOTICE Notice is hereby given that the Clinton County Zoning Commission will conduct a public hearing on March 30, 1978 at 8:00 p.m. in the Clinton County Court-house, St. Johns, Michigan. The following case will be acted upon at that time:

CASE ZC-2-78 The subject of the public hearing will be the consideration of a new County Zoning Ordinance.

The proposed ordinance No. OR-1-78 which is a new ordinance and deviates from the previous ordinance in the manner generally summarized below.

The responsibilities and duties of the Zoning Commission and Zoning Administrator have been clearly defined.

Floodplain regulations have been expanded to meet new laws.

A purpose and intent has been stated for each zoning district.

Airports have been classified into three (3) categories.

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There is a definite separation of light and heavy industrial activities in said districts.

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NOTICE

City of St. Johns Board of Review

Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to assessment for taxes in the City of St. Johns, County of Clinton, State of Michigan.

That the Assessment Roll of said City as prepared by the assessor will be subject to inspection at the St. Johns Municipal Auditorium at 121 E. Walker Street, St. Johns, Michigan on,

Monday, March 20, 1978 - 9:00 a.m. to noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Tuesday, March 21, 1978 - 9:00 a.m. to noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Ratios and Multipliers

Table with 3 columns: Property Type, Ratio, Multiplier. Real Property: 46.44 per cent, 1.0767. Personal Property: 50 per cent, 1.00.

F. Bruce Wood City Assessor

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A new article entitled Site Plan Review has been instituted for projects which require the addition of fifty (50) parking spaces or more to allow the co-ordinated extensive review of the plans by technically qualified representatives from various governmental agencies for conformance with existing adopted rules and regulations.

A new regulation entitled Environmental Buffer Strips has been instituted in order to ensure proper buffering between certain uses.

The proposed zoning ordinance is available for public inspection in the Department of Development Control - Zoning, Office, 100 S. Ottawa Street, St. Johns, Michigan during the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Interested persons are requested to appear and voice their opinions thereon.

Further information may be obtained by calling the Zoning Office at 224-6761 Ext. 221.

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Jack A. Nelson, Zoning Administrator 10-1-12-1

Notice is further given that the estate will be thereafter assigned to the persons appearing of record entitled thereto. Dated: February, 1978. Attorney for Petitioner: JAMES C. LUCAS 4433 West Saginaw Highway Lansing, Mich. 48917 Phone (517) 323-7303. Petitioner: JUDITH E. HUFFMAN 202 West Lincoln St. Johns, Michigan 48879 10-1

Notice of Mortgage Sale Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage made on the 20th day of July, 1973, between James B. Patrick and Linda K. Patrick, husband and wife, Mortgagees, and Capitol Savings & Loan Association, Mortgagee, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan on July 23, 1973, in Liber 272, Page 334, on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this Notice for principal and interest, the sum of Twenty-One Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy-Four and 46/100 (\$21,974.46) Dollars and an attorney fee of Seventy-Five (\$75.00) dollars allowed by law, as provided in said Mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the monies 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 24th day of March, 1978, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the North entrance of the Clinton County Courthouse, in the City of St. Johns, County of Clinton, State of Michigan, that being one of the places where the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton is held, sell at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in the said Mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount as aforesaid due on said Mortgage, with Eight and One-quarter (8 1/4) per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with said attorney fee, which said premises are described as follows in said Mortgage:

Part of the Southwest 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 16, T8N, R2W, Greenbush Township, Clinton County, Michigan described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the East West 1/2 line of said Section 16, and North-bound US 27, running thence North 40 rods, thence East 42 rods, thence South 40 rods, thence West 42 rods to the place of beginning, EXCEPT beginning at the intersection of the said East-West 1/2 line and the centerline of said North-bound US 27, thence North 02 deg 07' East 100 feet thence South easterly to a point on said East-West 1/2 line which is 200 feet East of the point of beginning, thence West to the point of beginning. Subject to easements, restrictions and rights of way of record.

The length of the redemption period as provided by Law is (12) months from the time of sale. Dated: February 22, 1978. Capitol Savings & Loan Association

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Clinton, Estate of Jennie G. Newton, deceased. TAKE NOTICE: On March 29, 1978, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom, the Court-house, St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon. Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Jennie G. Newton for probate of a purported Will, dated October 1, 1976, and for granting of administration to the executor named or some other suitable person.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented to James C. Lucas, Attorney at Law, 4433 West Saginaw Highway, Suite 201, Lansing, Michigan 48917, and proof thereof with the copies of the claims filed with the Court on or before May 20, 1978.

Cummins & Cummins 400 Capitol Sav. & Loan Bldg. Lansing, Michigan 48933 Attorneys for Mortgagee 8-5

MORTGAGE SALE—Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Carl N. Geiger and Halla J. Geiger, husband and wife, Mortgagees, to Graham Mortgage Corporation, a Michigan Corporation, Mortgagee, dated January 10, 1975, and recorded on January 10, 1975 in Liber 279, on page 216, Clinton County Records, Michigan, and assigned by said Mortgagee to Government National Mortgage Association, a National Mortgage Association, by an assignment dated January 21, 1975, and recorded on January 24, 1975 in Liber 279, on page 298, Clinton County Records, Michigan, and was further assigned to Graham Mortgage Corporation, a Michigan Corporation, by an assignment dated October 14, 1975, and recorded on January 8, 1976, in Liber 283, on Page 610, Clinton County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Thirty-One Thousand Eight Hundred Sixty 63/100 Dollars (\$31,806.63), including interest at 7 1/4 per cent per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the North door of the Clinton County Court-house in St. Johns, Michigan, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., Local Time, on Thursday, April 6, 1978.

Said premises are situated in the Township of Bengal, Clinton County, Michigan, and are described as: Commencing at the Southeast Corner of the West 1/2 of the West 1/2 of Southeast 1/4 of Section 26, Bengal Township, Clinton County, thence North 336 feet, thence West 132 feet, thence South 336 feet, thence East 132 feet to the point of beginning in 77N, R3W, Township of Bengal, Clinton County, MI.

During the six months immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed. Dated: February 15, 1978. John A. Hird, Attorney For Assignee of Mortgage 2331 Commonwealth Building Detroit, Michigan 48228

Graham Mortgage Corporation a Michigan Corporation, Assignee of Mortgage 8

SHORT FORECLOSURE NOTICE

MORTGAGE SALE—Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by John E. Allen and Wilma A. Allen, his wife to Atlantic Mortgage Corporation, a Michigan Corporation, Mortgagee, dated August 9, 1975, and recorded on August 13, 1975, in Liber 281, on page 695, Clinton,

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County Records, Michigan, and assigned by said Mortgagee to Anspack & Anspack, P.C. Profit Sharing Trust by an assignment dated March 7, 1977, and recorded on March 11, 1977, in Liber 290, on page 182 Clinton County Records, Michigan, which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Four Thousand Seventeen and 06/100 Dollars (\$4,017.06), including interest at 7 per cent per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the north door of the Courthouse St. Johns, Michigan, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., on March 23, 1978.

Said premises are situated in the Township of DeWitt, Clinton County, Michigan, and are described as: Commencing at a point 1032.5 feet West of the Northeast corner of Section 5, Town 5 North, Range 2 West, DeWitt Township, Clinton County, Michigan, thence South 1047.5 feet, thence West 172.5 feet, thence North 776.25 feet, thence East 24 feet, thence North 271.5 feet to the North line of said Section 5, thence East along said North line 149 feet to the point of beginning.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the North door of the Clinton County Court-house in St. Johns, Michigan, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., Local Time, on Thursday, April 6, 1978.

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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the fees or costs of publication be paid by Clinton County. HONORABLE: Leo W. Corkin (Countersigned) Bonnie Swanchara Deputy Clerk

DATE OF ORDER: February 16, 1978. GREATER LANSING LEGAL AID BUREAU BY: Philip E. Hodgman (P24080) 300 North Washington Avenue Lansing, Michigan 48933 9-4

Elsie The Woman's Literary Club held its annual Dinner Party Tuesday evening, Feb. 28, at the Elsie Junior High School when the husbands and friends were guests.

The German band of Ovid-Elsie High School furnished a musical program under the direction of Roger Weyersberg. Mrs. Duane Green was chairman of the program and introduced the guests.

Mrs. Lawrence Hess was in charge of reservations and dinner which was catered and served by Jim and Marie Hurst. The decorations were arranged by Mrs. Charles Holcomb and Mrs. Bill Robb while hostesses were Mrs. Donald Kenney and Mrs. Harold Hehrer.

March 14 will be the annual W.L.C. meeting with election of officers at the home of Mrs. Orpha Clement.

TOOL AUCTION Thursday, March 9, 6:30 p.m.

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If you want to deter vandalism, try prevention

By Sue Kiley
Staff Writer

Clinton County Every person in Clinton County is a potential victim for a crime.

A radical statement? Local law enforcement officials note it is not as unlikely as it might sound.

Being a victim, however is only one of three elements necessary for a crime to occur. Another component needed is

the desire to commit the crime.

According to John Criswell, Crime Prevention coordinator for a unit of the Clinton County Sheriff's Department, those two elements can not be controlled. The one element which can be governed, however, is denying the opportunity.

"In other words, we are talking about prevention," Criswell said.

The three factors, victims,

desire, and opportunity, constitute what is known as the crime triangle. All three of these factors are needed before a crime can occur.

Deputy Criswell cited there aren't enough police officers to prevent all crimes, and in order to have enough, a policeman would have to be stationed on every corner.

"Not only is this economically impossible, but nobody wants to live in that kind of 'police state'... which is

exactly what it would be," Criswell asserted. "The only other alternative is to educate the public."

The officer then explained the concept of crime prevention, what it is and what it can do for the residents of Clinton County.

Two entities a criminal fears most is time and noise. The less noise he makes and the more time he has the better chance he has of going undetected.

"We have to cut down on the amount of time a criminal has or the means he has to use to commit the crime," he said.

The Crime Prevention Unit in the county started in October of 1976 under a federal grant. Funding consisted of 90 per cent federal monies, five per cent state, and five per cent local. The original budget was \$35,000 and was operated by Deputy Larry Ruby. The second year (1977) was budgeted at \$34,700 with the same split of money 90-five-five. Criswell took over the post the beginning of 1978.

By Oct. 1, 1978 the funding will be 47 per cent federal, three per cent state, and 50 per cent local. The fourth year will then be 100 per cent locally funded.

Programs available for adults include a wide variety of subjects from farm security, boat theft prevention, self-protection for women, check fraud, internal theft, operation identification, neighborhood watch, child molestation, to drug abuse.

Children are also included in the Crime Prevention curriculum with Criswell giving programs in home safety, safety from strangers, bike safety, drug abuse, and patrol and school bus safety. He gives talks to both elementary and high school students.

In explaining some of the main programs, Criswell described what Operation Identification entailed.

"This is where citizens mark valuable, (tools, recreation items, televisions, stereos, CB radios etc.) with a special engraver using their driver's license number," he began. "The concept behind engraving the items with the license number is so any law enforcement agency in the US can use it to trace property back to the owners."

He commented it is important for people to be sure and put the initials "MI" in front of their number to show

what state it is from.

He also stated a person's social security number should not be used because it can't be traced as easily and there have been instances where people have had the same social security number.

"A driver's license number is unique," Criswell mentioned.

People who participate in the Operation Identification program are also provided with seals to put on their doors stating they have marked household items.

"This sign acts as a deterrent to the criminal," the officer noted.

In talking about the success of the program he commented so far there have been no reports of any house being burglarized within this county using the engravers.

Farmers are also using the same type of method in protecting their equipment by using a special stamp and a protective seal.

The Crime Prevention Unit has engravers available to the public and will be getting a

stamp in the near future. Every police department in the county and various insurance agents have the engravers also. The identifiers are available on a cost-free, loan basis.

The Neighborhood Watch program is designed to utilize citizens in a particular area, getting them to watch over their neighbor's residences and report any suspicious activities to law enforcement agencies.

This is a specialized program with certain guidelines set up to deter crime.

"It is felt no one knows better than the people in that neighborhood who belongs there and who doesn't," the deputy remarked. "They know which cars and individuals are not local and can best identify a suspicious circumstance."

Right now the Unit is trying to develop a program complete with block watcher captains to control the area. It was noted a lot of people don't report incidents because they don't want to become involved or be labeled as a

nosy neighbor.

Criswell explained many times an officer may get a lead such as a make or color of a vehicle by what a citizen can tell him.

"An officer on patrol may be advised to watch for a particular car in the area suspected in a crime that was reported by a citizen," he said. "It is highly possible the suspect criminal may be apprehended before he does too much damage."

Criswell stressed it was important for residents to report all suspicious activity.

"This doesn't mean every car that goes down the road," he said. "But it does mean incidents that don't appear normal."

The Unit works closely with Community Radio Watch (CRW) people; Tri-County organizations, the schools, financial institutions, service organizations and other law enforcement agencies.

Besides putting on presentations the Unit coordinates bank alarm controls and conducts residential and business

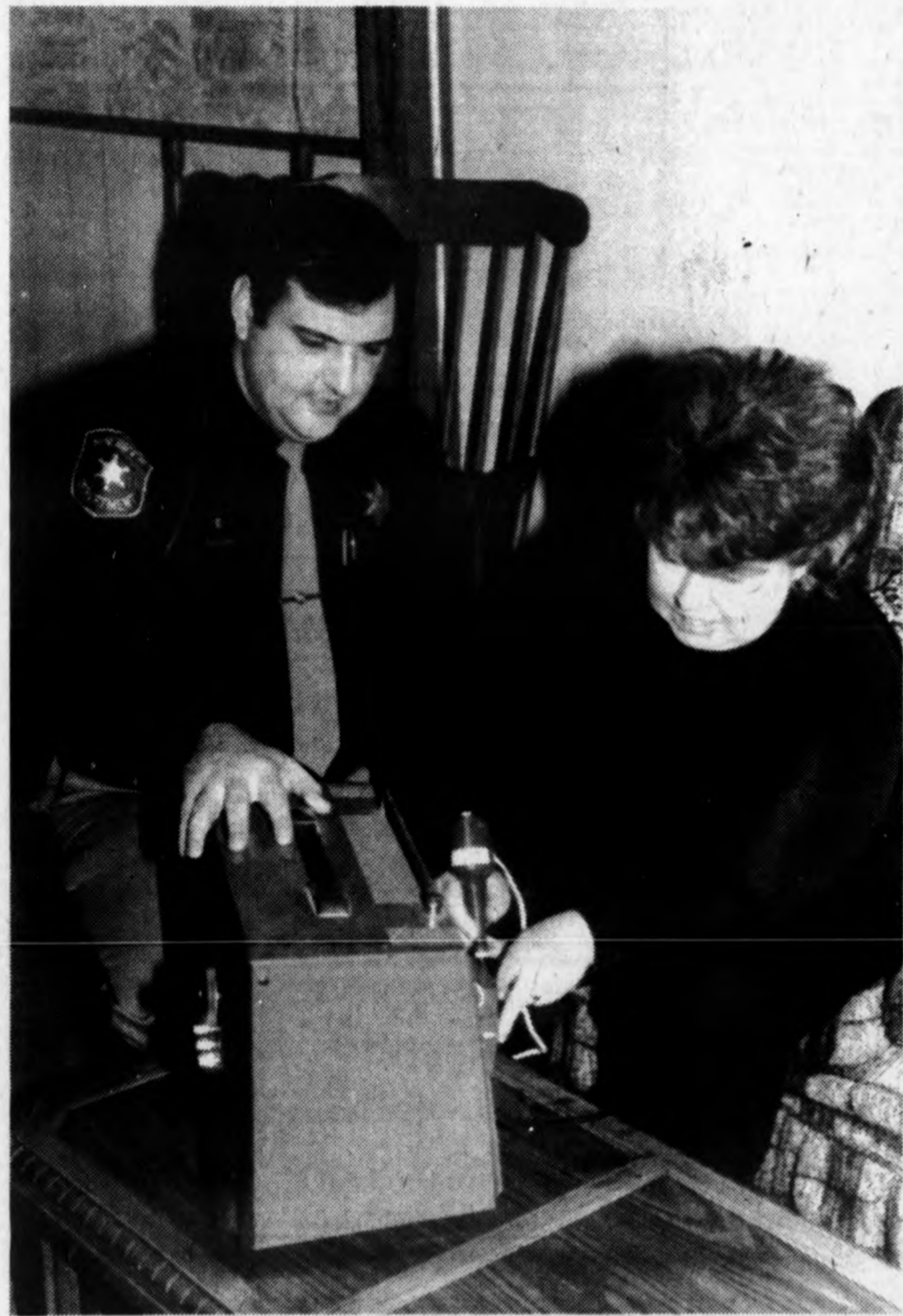
checks, showing occupants where they are lax in security and regard to locks, types of doors, windows, lights, and shrubbery. The officer then makes recommendations to correct the security deficiencies.

Criswell also said he is willing to put on any program or help citizens in any way possible. He is encouraging any suggestions and ideas people may have.

Currently he is developing a coloring book for elementary students dealing with crime, safety, strangers.

"It is important for children to meet police officers on a friendly basis," he said. "It has to be a continuing program where the policeman is found to be a friend not an enemy... someone they can turn to when they need help."

People in Clinton County interested in knowing more about the Crime Prevention Unit or wanting to see a program can contact Deputy Criswell at the Sheriff's Department or by calling 224-6794.



TV gets identification

Deputy John Criswell instructs Ruth Woodworth on the proper way to use an engraver to protect personal property from thieves. (Photo by Sue Kiley)

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The list includes more than 800 bachelor's degrees and nearly 400 master's and specialist's degrees.

Clinton students receiving degrees were:

—Randy Johnson of 233 E. Pearl St., Ovid, earned a bachelor of science degree.

—Sally Durner of 203 S. Oakland St., St. Johns received a bachelor of science degree.

—Carl Johnson of 202 W. Cass St., St. Johns, received a master of arts degree.

—R.P. Sniogowski of 703 E. Cass St., St. Johns, earned a master of arts degree.



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