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130 walkers

Approximately 130 walkers started the 16-mile course in Clinton County Sunday morning as part of Superwalk '78, and according to co-chairman Tom Nemcik, almost everyone completed the walk which raised money for the March of Dimes. The Community Radio Watch provided refreshment and the Sheriff's Posse brought up the rear. Walkers started at 9 a.m. and concluded at 2:20 p.m. Final tally of funds raised was not available. "I think everybody had a good time," said Nemcik who hopes to increase the size of the Superwalk for 1979.

Wrong identity

James R. Spalding, administrative aide and assessor for DeWitt City, is not the James E. Spalding of Turner Street in Lansing who was allegedly involved in a criminal sexual conduct charge reported in last week's Clinton County News.

PROFILE

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Poppy sale

Buddy poppies will go on sale in the St. Johns area May 18, 19 and 20. Buy one and wear it. Throughout the nation, veterans in need are counting on you to bring them timely assistance through your purchase of the Buddy Poppy. You donation will help those who helped you during our country's darkest hours.

Tornado films

A series of films on tornado safety will be shown throughout Clinton County during the next two weeks. Thursday, May 4, a program is scheduled at the Ovid Village Hall; Tuesday, May 9, at the Wacousta Elementary School; and Tuesday and Wednesday, May 16 and 17, at the Elsie Junior High School. All the programs begin at 7:30 p.m. and are open to the public.

Carnival set

The Reach Out Committee will sponsor the Bath Elementary School Carnival on Saturday, May 6 at the Bath Middle School on Webster Street from 5 to 9 p.m. There will be a raffle, free baby-sitting for children under 4 years old, games, and a pancake supper sponsored by the Bath Lions. Proceeds go to the Bath School drug program.

Topical fluoride

The Clinton County Summer Topical Fluoride program has appointments still available for the four clinic locations: Gunnisonville area clinic from June 20-27; Westphalia area clinic from June 29-July 7; DeWitt area clinic from July 11-18; and St. Johns area clinic from July 20-31. Call the Mid-Michigan District Health Department at 224-7772 for an application and information.

1 additional mill sought for St. Johns schools

By Patrice Hornak
Editor

St. Johns

In an effort to obtain a millage increase from voters in the June 12 school election, St. Johns Board of Education decided to ask the electors of that district for two-year, one-mill increase, with one-half mill specified for maintenance costs.

The Board set the millage request at 18.75 mills at their April 26 meeting.

Preceding the vote on the millage ballot, Superintendent Donald Burns outlined the 1978-79 preliminary budget which showed a 10.6 per cent increase or \$618,558 over the 1977-78 school year. Of the \$618,558 increase, \$203,980

would go for salaries, \$201,500 for personnel, \$10,200 for utilities, \$36,000 for additional teaching supplies, \$25,840 for texts and library books, and \$34,935 for building improvement.

Receiving the largest increased budget was the elementary program with a \$121,756 boost. Junior high programs were tentatively slated for an additional \$52,000 and the high school would get \$70,000 additionally.

The preliminary budget was based on an estimated 4,395 student enrollment. If the enrollment fails to reach that number, which is the same population for the 1977-78 school year, the school would realize a loss of \$1,290 per student in revenues.

State aid per student was estimated

at \$619 and local taxes contribute \$670 per student.

If the June millage proposal passes, St. Johns schools will likely receive \$3,337,923 in state revenues, compared to \$3,270,064 if the school system does not receive a one-mill increase. This past year, St. Johns received \$2,819,472 in state aid.

Also at last week's school board meeting, the Superintendent's written response to the Citizens Advisory Committee proposals was distributed and the Board authorized the adoption of new science textbooks and materials at an estimated cost of \$18,000, with \$10,000 coming from this year's budget.

Power line opposed

By Sue Kiley
Staff Writer

Clinton County

The people in Olive Township don't want it and they said so at Tuesday's Clinton County Board of Commissioners meeting.

Residents of the township are opposed to the construction of a 765 KV transmission line of Consumers Power Company. David Conklin a resident spoke in behalf of the Olive Township people and presented a resolution to the Board.

The resolution cited people in the country would not benefit from the transmission line and property owners would be bothered by constant noise,

environmental pollution, health hazards, plus inconvenience and danger of operating machinery under the line and around the towers.

Conklin cited there were definite health hazards for people with pacemakers or metal in their bodies as well as having large fields of static electricity, a magnetic force and radiation.

According to Conklin, this is supposed to be the biggest transmission line ever proposed for Michigan. "It just seems like the problems are going to be magnified with the size of the lines," he said.

He also noted that in talking with Consumers Power he found there would be a constant noise problem of 55 decibels which would be like a electric

razor buzzing day and night. "Besides that we would have to look at the towers for the rest of our lives."

He told the board here would be a lot of static shocks with no way to avoid it. "It is going to be awful," he said.

Conklin showed the Board several pictures of what these power lines in other states have done. One of these pictures depicted a barn yard where the towers loomed over the barn yard filled with cows.

The project is supposed to go through Eagle and Bath Charter Township. In Olive Township there has been three pieces of land already acquired. "As residents we are real upset about it and we decided to organize and we have... we don't want this thing at all."

There is supposed to be one row of towers placed about 80 rods apart according to the citizen spokesman.

"Because this issue is going to have such an impact on us all, I feel it warrants more study," Chairman of the Board, Roger Overway motioned.

The issue was turned over to the Physical Resources Committee headed by Commissioner Richard Hawks.

A public hearing will be held May 23 at 1 p.m. on a request of Bill O'Shaughnessy and James P. Sinadinos for Economic Development Corporation backing. This is to assist in the financing of a project to develop and construct an automobile dealership facility on the West side of US-27, south of Herbison Road.

Two arrested in drug bust; dope seized

St. Johns

Two St. Johns men were arrested at their residence for delivery of marijuana. Members of the Clinton County Investigative Squad, sheriff's deputies and St. Johns police executed a search warrant at 3 p.m. April 28 where about

three and a half pounds of marijuana valued at \$1,500 was seized.

Also seized at the 105 S. Emmons Street home was about \$800 in cash.

Both men are out on bond pending the issuance of warrants from the prosecutor's office.



Double the fun

If skateboarding by yourself is fun, skateboarding with a friend must be a blast, as demonstrated by Gary Vitek (left), son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Vitek, and Jeff Stevenson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Stevenson, both of St. Johns. Giving them instructions is Don

Routley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Routley. The skateboarding class was offered last Tuesday by Community Resource Volunteers (CRV) in the St. Joseph school parking lot. (Photo by Patrice Hornak)



Up and over

Bath's Mark Phillips goes over the high jump bar during last Friday's Ovid-Elsie Relays in which Bath regained its

Class C-D title from last year. See additional pictures and information in the sports section. (Photo by Tom Nowak)

DeWitt Twp seeking police chief, sgt

By Sue Kiley
Staff Writer

DeWitt Twp.

It's a problem that has to be faced. Small police departments have a hard time keeping good, qualified officers.

DeWitt Township is experiencing this problem at the present time. Last week township board members learned its chief who was hired a little over a year ago would be leaving within two weeks. Just prior to this resignation, two officers on the department quit to take higher paying jobs elsewhere.

"We're really in a bind," Eileen Coor, public safety chairperson commented. "We know we are getting the cream of the crop with our officers. We also know how much we can pay them and this is our biggest problem." Continuing she said, "We make every attempt to fund a professional department, but it's hard with what we have to offer... we aren't going to settle for second best."

The DeWitt Township department has grown and seen a lot of changes during its short existence.

A resolution was created in 1963 for a one-man operation. This soon grew into one full-time person and several part-time officers.

1972 the department had a chief, two full-time police officers who were on a federal program similar to CETA; along with 13 part-time officers.

When the new township board took over, one of the top priorities was to check the feasibility of a full-time department with fully trained officers. This would eliminate the part-time and non-certified people the township had working for them.

In September of 1973 the Board fired

Bruce Angell, who was police chief at the time. This left the township without a chief for about two months.

William Nash was hired as chief in November of 1973. According to Mrs. Coor it was Nash who completely reformed and set up the police department.

"Before this time, records were not complete and criteria for work and employees was not available," she said. "He told the township of its needs and gave background data to substantiate these needs."

The police department functioned on one-half mill for about six years. The department consisted of a chief and five full-time officers. Of the five officers some were funded by special projects and others were CETA regulars.

"The only ones we ever counted on getting funds for, however, were the CETA regulars," Mrs. Coor commented.

Nash held the chief post from 1973 to 1976. At this time Sergeant William Swartz took over as acting chief until Michael Ferrence took over the job in December of 1976.

Township officials are attempting to fill the sergeant position first and then fill the police chief vacancy. There are eight regular full-time officers employed, four of those funded through CETA funds.

One of the resignations has been filled as of May 1. A former DeWitt Township officer Wayne (Gus) Wilcox has been rehired.

The sergeant position is expected to be filled by June 1. Applications are presently being screened by a professional team of three police officers. He will then go through an oral board, the

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Skateboard popular

St. Johns

When you're talking fakeys, kick turns, catamarans and power slides you're talking skateboarding and that's what nearly 60 elementary and junior high students have been doing after school on Tuesdays.

They've been talking skateboarding and practicing skateboarding and watching local experts skateboard. St. Johns high school student, Don Routley, and seven of his skateboarding friends have been enlisted to help youngsters learn the safety and techniques of this fast paced sport, through a Community Resource Volunteers after-school class.

Working with kids from 6 to 12, Don, Scott Shutes, Bart Acino, Greg Whetstone, Phil Good, Dave and Don Johnston and David Dietz are giving pointers in the kick turn, back side kick turn, power slides, fakeys. They've

learned catamarans and run obstacles in a slalom course.

Safety rules stressed by the young CRV volunteers are:

1. Always be alert and aware at all times.

2. Wear safety equipment when risk of falling is high or when trying something new.

3. Keep equipment in excellent condition because, faulty equipment is one of the largest causes of accidents.

4. Never kick board out at anything or anyone for any reason. A loose board can cause serious accidents.

5. Skateboarding is now ILLEGAL on the streets of St. Johns. Use parking lots or other places with permission of the owner.

This CRV after school class meets Tuesdays at St. Joseph's parking lot from 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Larceny suspects arrested, charged

Clinton County Members of the Clinton County Investigative Squad arrested two persons for larcenies last week.

Steve E. Allen of 2052 N. E. Delhi St., Holt was arrested and charged with larceny from an auto. The charge stems from an incident which happened on March 23 at the Bill Fowler Ford Dealership in DeWitt Township.

Also arrested was Eunice Hawkin, 914 N. Pennsylvania, Lansing, for the larceny from a building which occurred on April 11 at the Stardust Bar in DeWitt Township. Taken was a purse and its contents which were recovered.

St. Johns police officer, Robert Moinet, recovered a stolen bike and upon further investigation one juvenile has been petitioned into probate court for the offense.

3 graduate

Ann Arbor University of Michigan students who expect their degrees this spring attended the University's commencement ceremonies April 29.

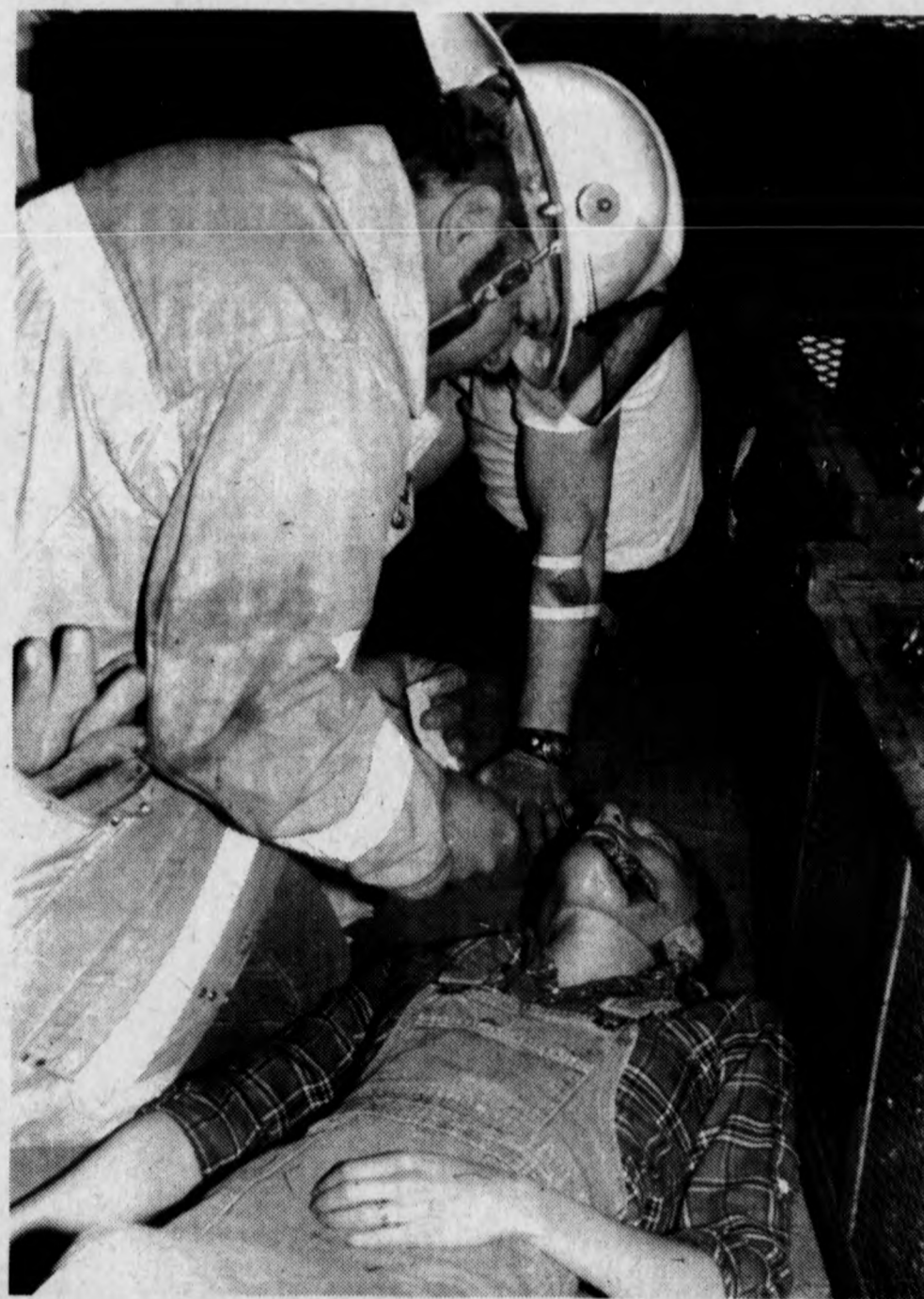
Some 6,000 students on the Ann Arbor campus are degree candidates this spring, including three Clinton County students.

Vice President Walter F. Mondale was the main commencement speaker.

Graduating were Debra Brussel of 3027 W. French Rd., St. Johns who earned a bachelor of science degree in nursing; William DeCamp of 501 Clark St., St. Johns who earned a bachelor of science in electrical engineering; and Mary Bates of 310 W. First St., Ovid, who earned a bachelor of science degree from the college of Literature, Science and the Arts.



John Bottum, Community Radio Watch member, monitors the radio during the recent mock tornado disaster held in St. Johns. (Photo by Sue Kiley)



A St. Johns fire fighter gets practical experience on treating patients during the mock tornado disaster held on Tuesday. The tornado was supposed to have touched down at the Federal Mogul plant. (Photo by Sue Kiley)

Mock tornado held

Bank robber found guilty

Clinton County In addition to two fatalities in Clinton County last week, Sheriff's deputies policed seven other accidents, two of those involving minor injuries where the victims sought their own treatment.

Herman Page, 24, Detroit, was charged with committing a bank robbery and carrying a handgun during the commission of a crime. A trial was held April 25, 26, and 27 in Isabella County Circuit Court in Mt. Pleasant. The jury took one hour to arrive with a verdict.

The charge stems from the bank robbery of the Winn State Bank in Winn which occurred on Dec. 5, 1977 at 2:45 p.m. Clinton County officers Michael Carey and Detective Sergeant Richard May apprehended the subject on US-27 south of Price Road in Olive Township less than two hours after the man committed the crime.

Sentencing will be conducted May 15. The charge of carrying a handgun during the commission of a crime carries a penalty of no less than two years in jail. Page is also charged with another bank robbery and is being tried in a federal court in Grand Rapids.

Tuesday, April 25, sometime between 3:30 and 4 a.m. five Clinton County homes on

Howe, Cutler, Chadwick, and Airport Roads were vandalized by someone throwing rocks through windows. Damage is estimated at \$500.

Several were booked in the Clinton County Jail by deputies for: two non-support; four traffic warrants; two driving while under the influence of liquor, one insufficient funds, one disorderly person, one reckless driving, one larceny under \$100 and one person for being a disorderly person and causing property destruction.

Mark Pardee, reported a CB radio taken from his auto while it was parked at 1758 E. Alward Rd. April 12.

Alden Thelen, reported a larceny from an auto while it was parked at St. Mary's Church parking lot in Westphalia on April 16. Four hub cap centers were taken from the auto belonging to Luke Klein.

James Knapp of 6869 W. Grand River reported the breaking and entering of the R.S. Bennett Company sometime on April 15 or 16. Taken was a large amount of cash.

Elouise Jordan, reported a breaking and entering of her residence sometime between April 7 and April 21. Taken from 13001 Shady Brook in DeWitt was tools and

clothing. Carleton Antes, 10795 Lowell Rd., DeWitt, reported his 1967 Chevrolet Station Wagon taken April 23. The vehicle has been recovered.

John F. Waldron, 12498 Wacousta Road, reported the unlawfully driving away of his 1976 250 Suzuki sometime on April 22 or April 23.

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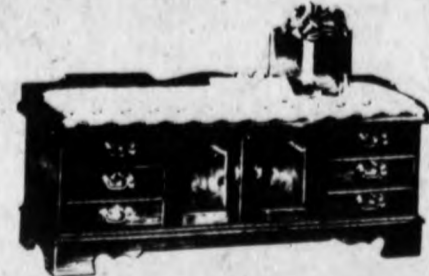


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Goebel earns scholarship

About 1,795 high school seniors in the United States were named winners of college-sponsored four-year Merit Scholarships by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC) of Evanston, Ill. This is the last of three nationwide announcements in 1978 that together covered about 4,000 Merit Scholars who will receive awards valued at more than \$12 million.

Paul Goebel of 2-3 N. West Ct., Ovid, received an Oakland University Merit Scholarship to study engineering.

He is Valedictorian at Ovid-Elsie High School, a member of the National Honor Society, Student Council vice-president, Varsity club, the golf, swimming and baseball teams, a football and basketball statistician, and a member of the Swim and Guard Corps. He also participated in the Junior Class play, the Senior Class play, is editor of the "Maraudian" and was the "High School Quiz Bowl" team captain.

The 1978 Merit Scholarship competition began in October 1976 when over one million high school juniors from more than 17,000 secondary schools took the Preliminary Scholastic Anti-

titude Test-National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT-NMSQT). The highest scorers in each state were announced publicly as semifinalists in September 1977.

The 15,000 semifinalists together represented less

than one-half of one percent of the seniors in the United States, and the number of Semifinalists named in each state was proportional to the state's percentage of the national total.

About 14,000 semifinalists advanced to finalist standing

by meeting requirements that included confirming their earlier high test performance on a second examination, being recommended for Merit Scholarship consideration by their high school principals, and presenting records to

support high academic standing. In recognition of distinguished performance in the competition, Certificates of Merit were mailed in February to all finalists for presentation by their schools.

Staff changes noted in O-E schools

Ovid-Elsie

Ovid-Elsie High School will begin searching for a head varsity football coach following the resignation of Anthony Nastase at the April 24 Ovid-Elsie Board of Education meeting. His resignation came after the Board had decided not to grant him tenure.

Also at the April 24 meeting, Robert Foreback requested in a letter to be relieved of his athletic director responsibilities at Ovid-Elsie High School. No action was taken. Susan Heinze, fourth grade teacher at Bannister Elementary, was granted a maternity leave for the entire 1978-79 school year.

Other items on the agenda included:
—Superintendent Donald

Kenney recommended to the Board to ask for a millage renewal which was approved in 1976 and 1977 by the electors of the district. Voters will be asked to renew 19.0 mills at the June 12 election, as approved by the Board.

—Jeanette Adams, elementary and junior high school librarian, gave a "before" and "after" narrated slide presentation of the Ovid Junior High Library remodeling project.

—Superintendent Kenney informed the Board that a survey of buildings for a statement of values is being conducted presently. He also told the Board of up-coming projects including a protective coating on the parking lot, roof projects which will include the Bannister build-

ing and the Leonard building, post walkway and winter plug-in for motor heaters in the bus parking area and a need for four new buses and a mini bus.

—Bill Case, assistant high school principal, spoke about

some high school parking lot vandalism and theft problems. He suggested the use of a surveillance system.

The Board went into executive session to discuss negotiation strategy.

2 graduate from NMU

Marquette

Northern Michigan University will award 638 degrees during its spring commencement at 10 a.m. Saturday, May 6, in the C.B. Hedgcock Fieldhouse.

The graduating class includes three candidates for educational specialist (six-year) degrees, 50 for mas-

ter's degrees, 519 for bachelor's degrees, and 66 for associate degrees.

Clinton County graduates include Nancy Foran of 213 E. Pine St., Elsie who received a bachelor's degree in nursing; and Sue Watte of St. Johns who received a bachelor's degree in social work.



Riding in Tot Town

Learning bicycle safety last Saturday at Pewamo-Westphalia High School are Sandy Simon (front) and Kelly Nurenberg, children of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Simon and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Nurenberg, both of Westphalia. The SMASH club at PWHs sponsored the two-hour session along with the Student Council. Approximately 150 students attended. (Photo by Patrice Hornak)

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WIC program strives for healthy kids, moms

By Sue Kiley
Staff Writer

Clinton County

"It really helps with the grocery bills," a young mother says as she holds her young son on her lap. The

woman is referring to a federal program called WIC which is a supplemental food program for women, infants, and children.

The Mid-Michigan District Health Department began the program in Clinton

County in August of 1977. Participants must live in the county and be of low income and determined by a health professional as a nutritional risk.

Currently there are 209 residents participating in the program although it has a potential growth of 350 clients.

"Mothers on the program have told us their kids have been having fewer colds and have been healthier in general since they started coming to see us," Barbara Winburne, R.N. in charge of the program said. "Most of them are very appreciative and know it is beneficial to them and their children."

Participants are given coupons for iron-fortified formula, infant cereal and infant juice. The woman and child food package consists of fruit juice, fortified cereal, cheese, milk, and eggs.

Nurse Winburne and her clerk, JoAnn Denovich, explain to each of the mothers what the program is about, how and what they should be feeding their child, and answer any questions they might have.

"We also see pregnant moms and unwed mothers at the high school," Mrs. Winburne said. "We even get into how to make formula, bathing the child, or anything else they might want to know."

The goals of the program are to provide foods and follow-up on their use, to insure a better quality diet and allow on-going preventive health care. It has been shown according to health officials that diets of expectant mothers and the diets of infants and children through the age of five are important to the proper development of the children.

"Remember me?" one woman questions as she comes in to collect coupons for her children.

"Right now we are small enough to have a personal relationship with our clients," Nurse Winburne commented. "It's really rewarding to see the child grow and know you are helping him."

She related one instance where a mother brought in her six-day old baby. The child was quite sick and running a fever. She told the mother to take the child to the doctor, and wait until he would see her. The child was later put in the hospital and since he has been on the program has progressed quite well.

"Sometimes the husbands even come in," she commented. "We encourage this too."

The child is seen every six months at which time a food recall is done. This is here the nurse questions the mother on what the child has had to eat within the 24 hours.

"We take the teaching from that point," Mrs. Winburne said. "We tell them if they are not feeding their child the proper amount of vegetables or if they are getting too much starch and so on."

Each client is taken on an individual basis with the time varying according to the needs. Here it is also decided if a person should be referred to another agency for help also.

The Clinton program is still small enough for the workers to get involved with the whole person. In areas like Ingham County the women are given books to read instead of coming in every month as in the Clinton set-up.

According to Nurse Winburne, a lot of babies are brought in to be weighed and evaluated. At this time the mother is told how her baby or child compares with national statistics.

"The guidelines for the program are very strict," Mrs. Denovich explained. "We aren't going to give them to just anybody that walks in off the street."

There are only certain stores in the county which take the coupons such as Meijer's, Kroger's, Shop-Rite, and Eberhard's to name a few. "I haven't had any problems at all using my coupons at the stores," Linda Gaines a participant in the program commented.

Each mother is told what items they can get with the coupons and what types of food they can buy. They are also told to put the items ahead of everything else and there will be no charge for the food stuffs.

The WIC program also involves about 40 migrant workers.

Nurse Winburne noted the state will be going to computer cards in June which hopefully will make transferring cases a lot more simple.

Most of the people involved with the program have at least two children. Some have three or four.

The hopeful outcome of the WIC program is to have healthy children from proper nutrition and the best way to accomplish this is to teach mothers how.



Not too heavy

Carlos and Cristoval Gonzales, three year old twins, get weighed by Barbara Winburne, RN in charge of WIC program (Photo by Sue Kiley)

NOTICE
City of St. Johns
ANNUAL SPRING CLEAN-UP
Monday
May 15, 1978

The City of St. Johns will hold their annual spring cleanup on Monday, May 15, 1978. Residents wishing to have City Crews pick up items for waste disposal may place them near the curb on the aforementioned date. Please separate large metal items and concrete from other trash.

F. Bruce Wood
City Clerk

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TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Annual School Election of the School District will be held on Monday, June 12, 1978.

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Wilbur M. Weston
Secretary, Board of Education

Hospital volunteers honored



Sweet smelling thank-you

Receiving a plaque from Hospital Auxiliary Chairperson Marilyn Wood, (right) is Alberta Fedewa, a hospital volunteer and former employee who has assisted the Auxiliary with the television service. (Photo by Clinton Memorial Hospital.)

St. Johns
During National Volunteers Week, Clinton Memorial Hospital honored its more than 230 volunteers with a recognition program at the First Congregational Church in St. Johns.

Clinton Memorial department heads presented each volunteer with a red carnation as a symbol of the hospital's appreciation of their services. CRV volunteer, Ron Huard, acted as master of ceremonies for the event.

Romaine DeCamp, community relations coordinator, welcomed the volunteers and guests and introduced the leaders of the Clinton Memorial volunteer organizations: Marilyn Wood, Auxiliary Board chairman; Mary Pelham and Marilyn Stage, co-chairmen and Marvin Barclay and Marion Turner, co-chairmen elect of the Red Cross Volunteers; Marilyn McQueen, past chairman and Katy Aylesworth, chairman, Meals on Wheels; and Mildred Countryman, Friends of Bement Public Library Book Cart.

The Junior Hospital Volunteers and their parents were presented. Recognition was also given to the many in-service volunteers who are

not affiliated with a hospital organization.

Alberta Fedewa, volunteer and former CMH employee, was presented with a plaque by Marilyn Wood as an expression of thanks for her many years of assistance with the Auxiliary television rental service.

Elaine Brockmyre, representing the St. Johns City Commission, read a proclamation from Mayor John W. Arehart designating National Volunteers Week and commending the volunteers for their service to Clinton Memorial and to the community.

Irene Zeeb, chairman of the Board of Directors, and Paul E. McNamara, administrator, thanked the volunteers for their many hours of dedicated service to Clinton Memorial Hospital.

A musical program, presented by David Wiseman, pianist, and Marie Lenon, violinist, was highlighted by a selection dedicated to the CMH volunteers—"You Light Up My Life".

Refreshments were provided and served by the hospital's dietary department.



In appreciation

Hospital volunteer Wadea Cederquist receives a carnation from Rod Fuller, chief radiological technologist. (Photo by Clinton Memorial Hospital)

CN announces appointments

St. Johns
Clinton National Bank & Trust Company has announced the promotion of Jean L. Pardike, C.P.S., to administrative assistant to the executive vice president.

A certified professional secretary, Ms. Pardike has been with Clinton National Bank for 12 years, serving as executive secretary to the president and executive vice president since 1971. In 1976, she was named secretary to the Board of Directors and will continue to serve in that capacity.

A St. Johns resident, Ms. Pardike completed the prescribed requirements and was accepted as a certified professional secretary by the National Secretaries Association in 1977. The title of C.P.S. is given to promote standards of the secretary and enhance her position as part of the management team.

Ms. Pardike has studied

business management at Lansing Community College and Central Michigan University. Her credits include membership in the American Institute of Banking, treasurer of the Shiawassee Valley Chapter of National Secretaries Association, and vice president of St. Johns Business and Professional Women.

Clinton National has also announced the appointment of Dennis L. Herron as assistant cashier and assistant branch manager of the Valley Farms Office in DeWitt Township.

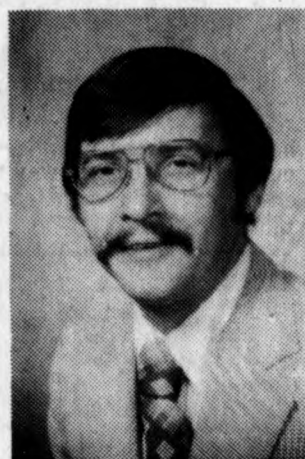
A native of Elsie, Herron joined Clinton National Bank in 1977 and has since completed training in the areas of lending and operations. He is a former employee, specializing in consumer lending, at the Key State Bank in Owosso. Herron will assist the manager in all areas of lending and operations at Clinton National's N.

East Street branch office. Herron has attended Central Texas College, Lansing Community College, and is a graduate of the A.B.A. National Installment Credit School at the University of Oklahoma. Herron has

served in the United States Army and currently participates in the Jaycees, Elks, Exchange Club, American Institute of Banking and has been active in several United Fund drives.



Jean Pardike



Dennis Herron

In St. Johns schools

What would 1 mill restore?

St. Johns
An additional mill, if approved by voters Monday, June 12, won't restore all the programs the St. Johns Public Schools once had. "I hope everyone understands this," Superintendent Donald Burns said during a recent interview.

The administration has said additional revenues from one additional mill would be used to reinstate, add and expand some programs; increase the budget for supplies and equipment to make up for a 20 per cent reduction made approximately a year ago; to offset inflation; and give salary increases.

Dr. Burns and the School Board have developed a \$6,443,258 working budget for the 1978-79 school year. Compared to this year's expected expenditures of \$5,813,700, the budget will increase 10.8 per cent or \$629,558.

The one mill would raise \$175,000. Of this amount, approximately \$68,000 would come from the state under increased membership aid.

While 71 per cent of the school district's budget goes for salaries, only 32 per cent of the \$630,000 budget increases is scheduled to increase salaries of current employees.

Burns and the Board have budgeted a \$204,000 salary increase for current employees in the 1978-79 budget. This would allow a salary increase of approximately one per cent plus a five per cent experience increment for teachers, and a six per cent salary increase for administrators. Bus drivers, under their present contract, would receive a seven per cent salary increase and cafeteria workers an eight per cent increase. Secretaries and other school employees are scheduled to receive a six per cent salary increase.

"One-half of the additional mill must

be spent in the area of plant maintenance which is badly needed," Burns said.

About 46 per cent of the budget \$630,000 increase (including 50 per cent of the money raised by the additional mill) is expected to be spent in the area of program improvements (mostly in the elementary schools) for additional personnel, supplies, textbooks, library books and equipment. The funds allocated for these purposes would mean that many of the \$300,000 cuts made last year would be restored.

New personnel to be hired with \$209,000 of the additional revenues include:

1. One classroom teacher for East Essex Elementary who was cut this year.

2. One elementary librarian who would maintain and direct central purchasing, processing, organize procedures for library books and materials at all elementary school libraries and to aid elementary students in acquiring the skills needed to take full advantage of library resources.

3. Two elementary art teachers. The district's present elementary art program does not meet the state guidelines as pointed out to the Board by the Citizens Committee. It is felt regular classroom teachers without a minor or a major in art lack the training and skills to discover and develop talents of pupils in the field of art.

4. Two physical education teachers for elementary schools. Again, the Citizens Committee pointed out to the Board that the district's present program is inadequate because of facilities, programming, and staff. The addition of two specially trained teachers would help the school overcome its staffing and programming weaknesses. The teachers would be able to provide extra help for those children behind in motor skill develop-

ment. Research shows that these are usually the low achieving students.

5. One counselor for junior high who was cut out this year.

6. Two teachers at the high school. Three teachers were not replaced last September.

7. Three special education teachers the St. Johns program needs to meet state and federal requirements.

8. Additional (part-time) teaching time needed for high school adult completion program.

9. One supervisor for transportation and plant maintenance, a position not filled last year.

Increased budgets for textbooks, library books, supplies and equipment at the elementary and secondary levels, for special education and for adult education amount to \$74,000. Dr. Burns pointed out to the Board that employee health insurance, dental insurance, retirement and utilities cost will increase budget costs by \$78,000.

Burns has said if the one mill is not approved by voters, a major portion of the budget increase due to larger membership aid from the state will have to go toward meeting increased cost of goods and services, not restoration of programs and building maintenance.

The remaining balance of the budget increase is for building improvement and miscellaneous items such as school desks. Approximately \$35,000 will go for building improvement at East Essex, East Olive, Eureka, Perrin-Palmer, Riley Elementary Schools and the bus garage. The remaining \$14,000 is listed under miscellaneous.

"Revenue," Dr. Burns stated, "is based on 4,395 students and the one additional mill making a total of 26.75 mills for operation. A loss of one student means \$1,330 less in State and local revenues."

Gifts for Mother.



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Plaid shirt.

Cool, plaid cotton-polyester shirt with tails to tuck in or hang out. In a choice of summery plaids to top all your pants and skirts. S, M, L.



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Editorial Page

Millages in the news; what is happy medium?

School millage elections seem to be the topic of much discussion lately.

Last week voters in seven Montcalm County school districts turned down a 1.5-mill millage proposal by a 2-1 margin, a millage increase which would have been spent for the operation of their new area skills center. Last October the voters defeated the same issue by a 4-3 margin.

The skills center would have offered vocational-technical courses to 800 juniors and seniors in those seven school districts, but now the use of this brand new building is undecided.

Probably what is most irritating about the millage defeat is that the building was built with no tax dollars at all—it was GIVEN to the people in that area by the federal government in the first round of the EDA "give-away." Here they have a building which they didn't have to spend one mill upon, and they won't even fund it so it can operate. This is a waste of taxpayers' money—namely ours.

Four reasons for the defeat comes to mind:

(1) the voters don't want a skills center.

(2) the voters won't approve ANY millage request put before them.

(3) the voters want the federal government to pay for the operation as well as the construction of the center.

(4) the voters are ungrateful. Someone should have felt out the voters prior to acceptance of the grant whether or not the people would dish out more money for taxes on the center. But, that is hindsight.

Clinton County voters turned down a request last August for 1.95 mills to build a vocational center. The vote was almost 2-1, also. Sure, educators may keep coming up with excellent ideas to improve the education of today's youth. Unless the people have the bucks to fund these new and better ideas, however, the dreams of educators will have to wait.

In the meantime, there are those who advocate a return to the basics—cutting the frills to keep education costs at a minimum. They may complain when their son or daughter graduates from high school and doesn't have a skill, but at least their taxes will be lower.

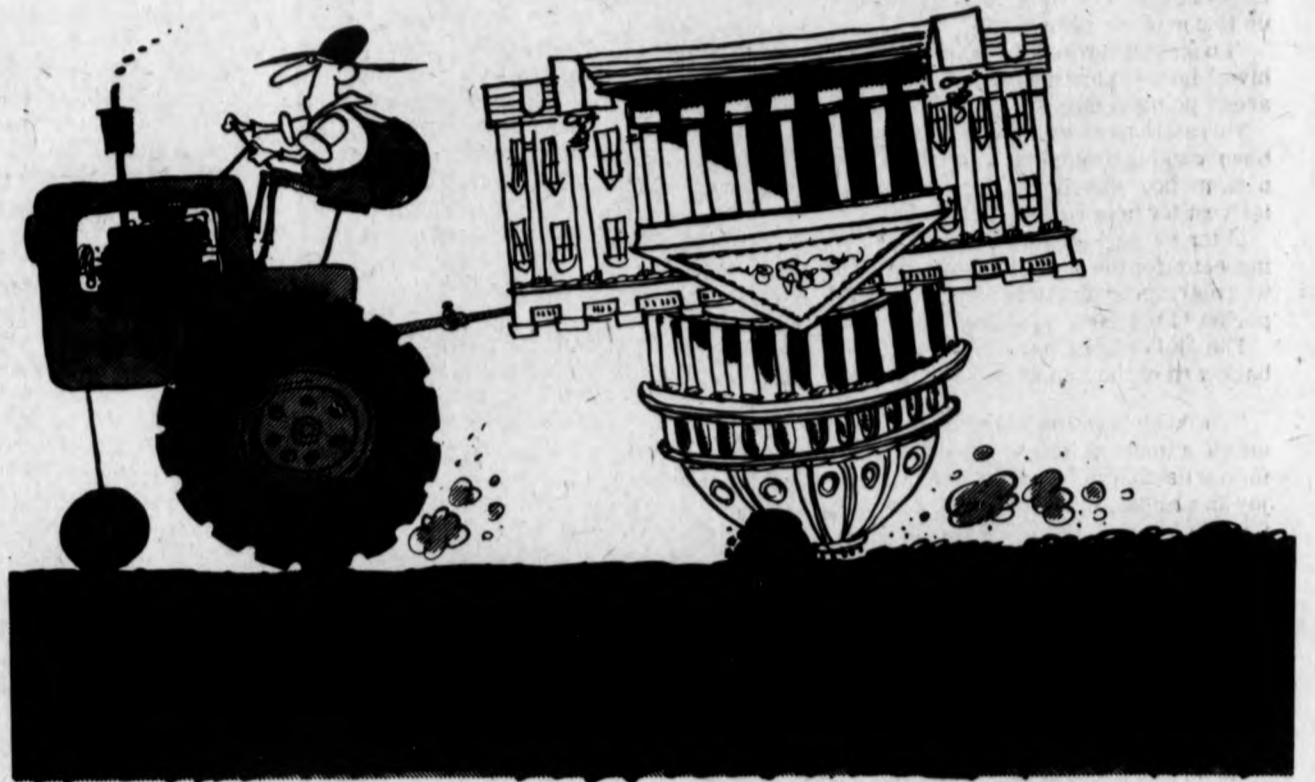
There is no other wrong with the basics—except that they are boring,



By Patrice Hornak

dull and leave little room for self-expression and development. It would be best to offer students as many opportunities as possible and let them choose their direction. But, that costs too much money.

Some where a happy medium must be reached. It would be a shame to regress in our educational opportunities, rather than progress. But, that is a decision that must be made between the pocketbook and the idealists.



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Incident sours police image

Dear Editor:

I must give Mr. Fitzpatrick credit for his article on the Clinton County Deputy at Beck & Hyde who was wearing his uniform during off-duty hours.

Recently, I have heard several people complain about things that they do around Fowler and Westphalia and this story proves it, though not about the county police.

Several weeks back three friends and myself went to St. Johns, to the Wheel Inn for a snack. It was Sunday night, with the bars closed and nothing else to do.

After we left the Wheel Inn, we stopped at the 24-hour store at M-21 and US-27 for something to eat and while my friend was changing a burned out headlight on his car, a city cop came in, observing my friend, and then went inside.

After a while, when we finished, he asked us where we were from. We told him, then he sounded rude and told us to "get the hell out of our town!" At three in the morning. There wasn't any need for this, as we weren't doing any wrong then.

Why some of these guys think they

can get away with this type of thing is disgusting; as Mr. Fitzpatrick said. If the chief knew about it he would probably look into it. The whole thing perturbed me though.

I hope I don't have this happen again in the future. This type of thing is uncalled for. If the city police want everyone to think that they're the boss, then I'll take my business to another town. Those kind ruin it for the respectable ones.

Sincerely,
A Concerned Fowler Resident

Sheriff responds to use of deputy's service, auto

Dear Editor,

Just last week a concerned citizen expressed strong feelings against an off duty deputy sheriff directing traffic at the Beck & Hyde Farmarina during their open house the 22nd of April, while being paid by the owners of said Marina. A concern was expressed also, that the presence of a marked patrol unit was not proper as well, and by suggestion, that this may be displayed as a mismanagement of public funds. The apparent concern was prefaced by the failure of the citizen to recognize the need as there was "no threat to life or property" present.

activities in the City of Lansing, wearing their uniform and are paid privately.

The use of off duty officers provides a trained specialist who is sworn to uphold the law and retains his powers (authority) as a peace officer whether he is on duty being paid by public funds or off duty being paid by private monies.

The common problem among law enforcement in general is the lack of budgeted monies to provide completely adequate enforcement services for their jurisdictions. We are no different. I believe that it should also be understood that the officer's responsibility to his public service is always priority, and should an incident have taken place in the north county area and he was the closest, he would have responded. This ready resource benefited the citizens in the north end while being paid by a public minded private enterprise, and therefore justified the use of the fully equipped patrol unit.

Also had the concerned citizen entered the Farmarina building they would have noticed another deputy working with the United States Coast Guard in providing handouts, instructing people in the law relating to boating and safety programs in watercraft safety. This officer was being paid by funds from the Sheriff's Marine Safety Budget which is approved and funded 2-3's of monies expended by the Department of Natural Resources.

This type of activity is a responsibility the Sheriff is given within his county and what better place than where the boating enthusiasts are congregating. It is of vital concern for all of us to learn what we can, to prevent watercraft mishaps and to be able to make boating a pleasure, with safety foremost in mind.

It is my position to put forth all efforts, with those resources available, to maintain efficient and effective law enforcement services within this county, so as to better insure the safety and security of you the citizens.

Anthony Hufnagel
Sheriff

Dear Energy Consumer,
In observance of my very own day, I am offering you an answer to your power problems.
There is no cost for this source of energy, but you must be willing to work with it and conform to its needs. There is no limit on the quantity you may have, it is yours for the asking. Take all of it you wish, share some with your friends or save some for a rainy day.
My gift to you does not give off carbon monoxide, air pollutants or smoke. It doesn't have to be transported across an ocean or a continent. It won't have an advertising budget to offer you exciting television programs, but then it won't put up any ugly billboards, either.
My gift to you on this day, May 3, is myself—the sun. Happy Sun Day!
Forever yours,
The Sun

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Clergy-politicians now legal

By Richard L. Milliman

Chief Justice Warren Burger pointed out that 13 states originally had such a ban, but 11 have voluntarily eliminated

it, and the laws in Maryland and now Tennessee have been invalidated. He noted the First Amendment prohibits a

state from establishing a religion, or form interfering with the free exercise of religious belief.

"In all but a few states the selection or rejection of clergymen for public office soon came to be viewed as something safely left to the good sense and desires of the people," Justice Burger wrote.

Did you realize you can be in politics and still be holy? The United States Supreme Court says so.

It happened in a recent Supreme Court decision which struck down Tennessee's provision that clergy could not hold public office because, as the wire service reports put it, "politics might affect their dedication to God and the care of souls."

That's beside the point, the court ruled, because such a ban infringes on freedom of religious affiliation; and besides, it's not necessarily so.

"The American experience provides no persuasive support for the fear that clergymen in public office will be less careful of anti-establishment (of religion) interests or less faithful to their oaths of civil office than their unordained counterparts."

Good enough; politics can use all the spiritual help it can get, in Tennessee or elsewhere.

Turning to another aspect of the issue of church and state, it appears that Madalyn Murray O'Hair may have gone too far in her persistent campaign to separate church from state, and vice versa. At least, she has now aroused the wrath of Editor Bernard Casserly to a far greater degree than even her earlier court victory to stop recitation of prayers in public schools back in 1963.

It seems Ms. O'Hair has now filed a suit in a federal court in Texas to prohibit church bingo in that state. That was just too much for Editor Casserly, who chided her thus in a recent issue of 'The Catholic Bulletin':

"Madalyn Murray O'Hair, you have gone too far!"

"Ban Bingo, Madalyn? Better you should try to stop second collections, communion breakfasts, selling chances on bicycles, or pilgrimages to our favorite shrines."

"No, Madalyn, you have now reached the end of your rope. Better tie a knot and hang on, because you're really in for a fight now. You have hit us Catholics where it hurts."

"Terminate bingo? Never. Not in this land of the free and home of lady luck."

On a more serious note, Casserly pointed out that not only is bingo an important source of income, but it is also "a popular pastime for millions of veterans, Elks, Eagles and old folks who belong to countless other churches."

Not only are we happy to know that religion and politics can go hand-in-hand, as Justice Burger has indicated, but we also are just as happy to realize that religionists such as Editor Casserly can use humor in dealing with the likes of Madalyn Murray O'Hair.

EDITORIAL

Today is Sun Day

By Patrice Hornak
Editor

Though today, May 3, is Wednesday, it is also being celebrated as "Sun Day" in observance of solar and alternative energy technology.

The use of solar power generated by the sun is becoming a necessity as coal and oil prices climb and the demand for more energy becomes greater. The sun provides a new source, an inexhaustible source and a common source of energy but it also needs development—and that

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"I didn't come to be told I'm burning the candle at both ends," said the patient to his doctor. "I came for more wax."

will take some time and money.

In the meantime, some innovative people are finding ways to tame the sun's energy and utilize it for their own benefit. My neighbor is such a person.

Following graduation from the University of Michigan, Larry Brown decided to build a solar home. He selected a site with no trees around it, no tall buildings and no obstructions between himself and the sky.

It took him a year to build the unusual looking house, but, it is finished now and he can sit back and be proud of his accomplishment. He can also give a sigh of relief when his Consumers Power appears in his mailbox.

There are other Larry Browns in this nation and someday they will develop a solar unit that can be attached to a house at a reasonable rate. All will be happier and there is no way the sun will ever be able to raise its rates to consumers. The sky isn't the limit for energy costs—it provides the answer in the form of the sun.



PERSONALITY PROFILE

Bee keeping is 'stinging' hobby

By Sue Kiley
Staff Writer

Bath
Bees were swarming around their hives and the buzzing sound they made could be heard several feet away, but Robert Bullerdick walked confidently and without hesitation up to one of the colonies.

"Look, you can see the pollen this one is carrying into the hive," he said pointing to a bee as it landed on the box. "They aren't going to hurt you, just don't panic."

This statement was easy for Bullerdick to make as he has been working around bees since the 1940's. He started out as a farm boy who had a love for nature and acquired the interest for bees from a neighbor.

Later he worked his way through college by being a bee inspector for the state. He learned quickly and before long it was nothing for him to be carrying a queen bee around in his pocket to transfer to another colony that didn't have one.

The Bullerdicks have five colonies of bees kept in the backyard of the Center Street home in Bath.

"We keep just the right amount of bees to produce an ample amount of honey, but not enough to cause problems for our neighbors," Bullerdick explained. "It gives us a lot of joy to produce our own honey and give it as gifts to your friends."

Another pleasure he gets from his bees is the smell of nectar coming from the hives. At night he mentioned you can even hear the flapping of the bee's wings almost 40 yards away as they are making their product.

"It really makes us feel good to see the bees make it through the winter," the former high school principal said. "We've had a couple of really hard winters, but we haven't lost a bee yet."

He further commented when a bee keeper loses a hive it's about \$25 down the drain.

Many people are under the misconception that bees hibernate during the winter. "This isn't true at all," he explained. "Bees are very active during the winter."

He further commented the bees must get out every 14 days or they become sick and die. Sometimes the snow is really packed around the hives and they have to fight their way

out. Bullerdick admits sometimes it is hard to keep one's composure while working around bees. "When you are scared you give off an odor which the bees can sense," he said. "And sometimes it just doesn't matter... if they are going to get you, they're going to get you," he added with a grin.

There have been a few times the biology teacher has had close calls with bees. One such incident was when he was in the middle of a "bee war." According to Bullerdick he was inspecting the hives in a wood lot and they were in really bad shape. He opened one hive and before he knew it there were thousands of bees swarming all around him.

"I started plugging up the hives right away," he said. "You'd better believe that was an awful experience to be in the middle of one of those wars."

Bullerdick likes to stick as close to nature's way as possible. There fore, he does not extract his honey but leaves it in the comb form. "It's a little more work, but it is definitely worth the time and effort," he said.

The only difference between Bullerdick's honey and store bought honey is a lot of time and "store" honey is blended with other kinds. The man explained dark honey doesn't sell very well so it is mixed with lighter colored honey.

The bee keeper claims that in comb honey the flavor is retained in the cells and the honey has a more delicate flavor. He sells some of this honey at his home although the bees are only a hobby.

When working with the bees Bullerdick is clad in the pair of shorts, a T-shirt, and a veil. He says he never wears gloves.

This comes from his early background in the state where they couldn't wear gloves because they were working with so many different hives it could spread disease from one colony to another.

However, this did not stop him from getting his fair share of bee stings. One time he recalls he had about 30 bites under each arm.

"After the first few days my hands were so swollen I couldn't do much of anything," he said. He is now immune to bee stings as most bee keepers are, adding that immunity comes from the swelling.

"I've been stung everywhere you can possibly imagine," he said with a laugh.



Robert Bullerdick

Serrells lead 7-1 going into final bridge play

St. Johns
Sam and Bernice Serrell are way up in front going into the finals of the St. Johns Bridge League, sponsored by the St. Johns Recreation Department.

After the eighth matches of play, the Serrells are 7-1 with 29,520 points. Gary and Theresa Wallpe moved up to second place at 6-2 and 21,930 points. Howard and Jean Woodbury snowballed to third place at 5-2 and 22,930 points.

The final matches will be held at a dinner at the Clinton County Country Club May 6 at 6 p.m. Mayor John Arehart will present trophies to the first, second, and third place winners.

The total standings are as follows:

Sam and Bernice Serrell	7-1	29,520
Gary and Theresa Wallpe	6-2	21,930
Howard and Jean Woodbury	5-2	22,930
Jack and Ann Walker	5-3	21,270
John and Devera Stevenson	5-3	20,980
Don and Catherine Messer	5-2	20,650
Charles and Velma Coletta	5-3	20,020

Jim and Betty Moore	5-2	15,960
Richard and Pamela Snejowski	4-4	22,880
Pete and Fran Peterson	4-4	19,020
Paul and Karen McNamara	4-3	17,220
Fred and Helen Lewis	4-3	16,610
Reuben and Gertrude Eirschele	4-4	16,560
Paul and Rose Tarr	4-3	16,260
Hod and Marceda Farley	4-4	16,070
Don and Gladys Rice	4-3	13,970
Oliver and Vira Montague	4-4	13,660

Robert and Lois Barnes	3-5	16,450
John and Alice Bond	3-5	15,830
John and Carroll Furry	3-4	15,370
Pete and Romaine DeCamp	3-4	13,150
Tom and Mary Hollen	2-6	16,540
Ken and Betty Penix	2-5	12,420
Ray and Billy Tarnosky	1-7	11,850
Merle and Marie Redman	1-6	9,740
Norbert and Marielle Rehmann	1-6	9,460

St. Johns mother and daughters open art show in Lansing

The Lansing Art Gallery's May show is a family affair featuring works by Margaret Jopke of St. Johns and her daughters, Kay Tiedt and June Cary.

The show begins at the Gallery Tuesday, May 2, and

continues throughout May with a reception on Sunday, May 9 from 1 to 4 p.m. The Gallery, located at 425 S. Grand is open Tuesdays through Fridays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Sundays 1 to 4.

Margaret Jopke, well-known local artist, studied at Lansing Community College and has had several one woman shows in St. Johns and Lansing where she has received many awards for her work. This will be her

third show with her daughters.

Although she particularly enjoys portrait work because of the challenge of creating the personality as well as the likeness, this exhibition also includes still lifes and landscapes in water colors and oils. Ms. Jopke regards art as an opportunity to involve oneself in something greater than self. It is an emotional experience, a reflection of life itself.

Kay Tiedt of Ithaca, who has exhibited in many local and regional juried shows, describes herself as a romantic in artistic expression. Her paintings capture the serene untouched beauty of nature, which tend to be realistic in sharp contrast to her free form sculpture and wall hangings. Both media will be featured in the May show. Ms. Tiedt has a studio in her home where she teaches frame loom weaving and oil painting.

June Cary of Niles, an award winner in the Lansing Art Guild's April show, has been painting and teaching in the Niles area for the past 20 years, where she maintains a studio in her home.

Ms. Cary's paintings reflect her vigorous brush work and subtle, yet vibrant use of color. Her subjects range from the snowy mountains of Colorado to Michigan sailing scenes and reflect her philosophy of art—to create a painting with zing using subtle colors, high key brilliance, luminous warmth to produce a vigorous, exciting statement where subject matter is of secondary importance. She exhibits widely and has won many awards and honors.



Mom, daughters paint

Paintings done by a St. Johns woman and her daughters Margaret Jopke (left); June (Anderson) Cary; and Kay (Anderson) Tiedt will be on display at the Lansing Art Gallery at 425 S. Grand Ave in Lansing from May 2 to June 1. (Photo by Sue Kiley)

LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE ELECTORS OF

PEWAMO-WESTPHALIA COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
IONIA AND CLINTON COUNTIES, MICHIGAN

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Thomas A. Droste
Secretary, Board of Education

ADDENDUM

TAKE NOTICE that the following propositions will be submitted at the annual election on June 12, 1978:

I. MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSITION

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Pewamo-Westphalia Community Schools, Ionia and Clinton Counties, Michigan, be increased by 18.5 mills (\$18.50 on each \$1,000.00 of state equalized valuation) for the year 1978, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes (this being a renewal of 18.5 mills for operating purposes which expired with the 1977 tax levy)?

II. ADDITIONAL MILLAGE PROPOSITION

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Pewamo-Westphalia Community Schools, Ionia and Clinton Counties, Michigan, be increased by 1/2 mill (\$0.50 on each \$1,000.00 of state equalized valuation) for the year 1978, for the purpose of providing additional operating funds for maintenance and repair of school facilities?

Thomas A. Droste
Secretary, Board of Education

Society This Week

Austin, Ripma wed

Mary Anne Austin, daughter of Mrs. Vera Austin and the late Charles Austin, of Pentwater, was married Saturday afternoon, April 29, 1978, to Mark Ripma, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Ripma of Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Pastor Clyde Miller of Centenary Methodist Church, Pentwater performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride, escorted by her oldest brother, Charles B. Austin, wore a cream colored, full length, long-sleeved gown trimmed in lace and satin with a matching bridal cap. She carried a bouquet of white daisies with blue silk flower accents.

Ms. Grace Forsyth, sister of the bride, was the matron of honor.

David Ripma, the groom's brother, served as best man. The ushers were Charles Forsyth, the bride's brother-in-law, and William Fromm, cousin of the bride.

Special guests include Mr. and Mrs. Carl Steirle of Ann Arbor, grandparents of the groom.

The reception followed at the American Legion Hall, in

Hart. The couple will return to their Menlo Park, California residence following a wedding trip to Vancouver, and British Columbia, Canada.

The groom is employed by ASK Computer Services,

Inc., Los Altos, California as a systems consultant. His wife is a bibliographic data processor for Magazine Index, the new periodical index from Information Access Corporation, in Los Altos.

BSM meet, plan convention

St. Johns

The Blue Star Mothers Chapter 88 of St. Johns held a meeting Tuesday, April 25, with 11 members present.

The Convention call was read, from the State President Virginia Murphy of Flint. The convention will be held at the Plaza Hotel in Lansing from June 4-7.

Myrtle Tolles was elected to attend convention as the Chapter's delegate. Dorothy Welsh was elected alternate.

Chapter 88 has one member's name to place on the State Memorial Scroll at

Convention, that of Chloe Bartholomew who passed away in February.

All state reports have been completed and sent in from the Chapter.

The mothers will take part in the Memorial Day Parade and observance.

Bertha Henning won the mystery prize furnished by Rose Wilkie.

Refreshments were served following the close of the meeting by Pauline Burke.

The committee for the next meeting will be Nora Heibek chairman, assisted by Alice Heibek.

new arrivals

A girl Sarah Michelle was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rutter of 609 Morton St., St. Johns on April 26, 1978 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 7lbs. 1 1/2 oz. The baby has 2 sisters. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rutter and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Fox. The mother is the former Janet Fox.

A boy, Matthew Carl was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Lawrence Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Carl Snyder (Dorothy Luse). Matthew weighed 9lbs. 2oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Merle Luse of DeWitt and Mr. and Mrs. LuVern Snyder of Lansing.

A girl, Tricia Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Armbrustmacher of Rt. 2, St. Johns on April 7, 1978 at Carson City Hospital. She weighed 7lb. 7oz. The baby has two brothers. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Allen Weber and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Armbrustmacher. The mother is the former Shelly Weber.

A girl, Haley Marie, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Buggs of 2119 W. Maple Rapids Rd. on April 11, 1978 at Sparrow Hospital. She weighed 7lbs. 10oz. The baby has one brother and one sister. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Buggs and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Rennells. The mother is the former Marilyn Rennells.

A boy, Timothy Jason was born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kiffer of 4460 W. Grand River Rd. Owosso on April 19, 1978 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 9lbs. 4oz. The baby has one brother. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Kiffer and Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Rueckert. The mother is the former Carlotta Rueckert.

A boy, David Bruce, was born to Mr. and Mrs. David B. Flermoen of 800 W. State St., St. Johns on April 2, 1978 at Sparrow Hospital. He weighed 7lb. 7oz. The baby has one sister. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edward Riley and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Flermoen. The mother is the former Lynn Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Cooley, Okemos, became the parents of a son, Zachary Miller, on April 19 at Sparrow Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Kemp, Jr., 3820 Turner, Lansing, became the parents of a

daughter, Keri Gene on April 20 at Sparrow Hospital.

Mr. and Ms. Brenda D. Meyers, 6260 Dumont St., Bath, became the parents of a daughter, Tina Marie, on April 25 at Sparrow Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Bradfield, 9805 S. Upton, Laingsburg, became the parents of a daughter, Angela Marie, on April 23 at Sparrow Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Ballard, 5515 Kaynorth, Lansing, became the parents of a daughter, Sarah Lynn on April 25 at Sparrow Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Burns, Perry, became the parents of a son, Scott Allen, on April 25 at Sparrow Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Kurnez, 289 Dill Rd., DeWitt, became the parents of a boy, Steven John on April 15 at 10:42 a.m. at St. Lawrence Hospital. The mother is the former Linda Lounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest R. Garcia, Jr., 6688 Lowell Rd., St. Johns, became the parents of a daughter, Miriam Jeanine, on April 17 at 9:11 p.m. at St. Lawrence Hospital. The mother is the former Toni Lozano.

Mr. and Mrs. Tomas L. Bentley, 9735 Taft Rd., St. Johns, became the parents of a girl, Tonya Lu, on April 19 at 8:47 p.m. at St. Lawrence Hospital. The mother is the former Terri Burnham.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald J. Schmitt, Fowler, became the parents of a girl, Jennifer Ann, on April 21 at 10:24 a.m. at St. Lawrence Hospital. The mother is the former Evelyn Kolp.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Simpton, 7580 Howe Rd., DeWitt, became the parents of a boy, Colin Michael on April 22 at 1:06 p.m. at St. Lawrence Hospital. The mother is the former Sheila Quinn.

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy J. Nixon, 3783 Wisteria Lane, DeWitt, became the parents of a son, Timothy J., on April 23 at 9:45 a.m. at St. Lawrence Hospital. The mother is the former Terrie Seegraves.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan L. Richard, Laingsburg, became the parents of a girl, Keri Lee, on April 26 at 6:31 p.m. at St. Lawrence Hospital. The mother is the former Christine Braska.

A girl, Amanda Lynn, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Larry A. Ackerson of 2868 Avery Rd., St. Johns on April 23, 1978 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 8lbs. 12 1/2 oz. The baby has one

brother and two sisters. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Beard and Mr. and Mrs. Allyn Ackerson. The mother is the former Judy Beard.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael D. Borton, 15275 Lowell Rd., Lansing became the parents of a son Aaron Michael, on April 13 at Sparrow Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. David E. Gaut, became the parents of a daughter, Julie Lynn, on April 12 at Sparrow Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott L. McIntyre, Haslett, became the parents of a daughter, Stephanie Ann, on April 12 at Sparrow Hospital. The mother is the former Jean Lowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry D. Latimore, 3798 Balcom Rd., Ovid, became the parents of a daughter, Janet Dale, on April 11 at Sparrow Hospital. The mother is the former Nancy A. Harke.

Mr. and Mrs. Myrl W. Pierce, 3235 Young Ave., Lansing, became the parents of a son, Chad Michael, on April 12 at Sparrow Hospital.



David Gallimore Barbara Yanz

They're engaged

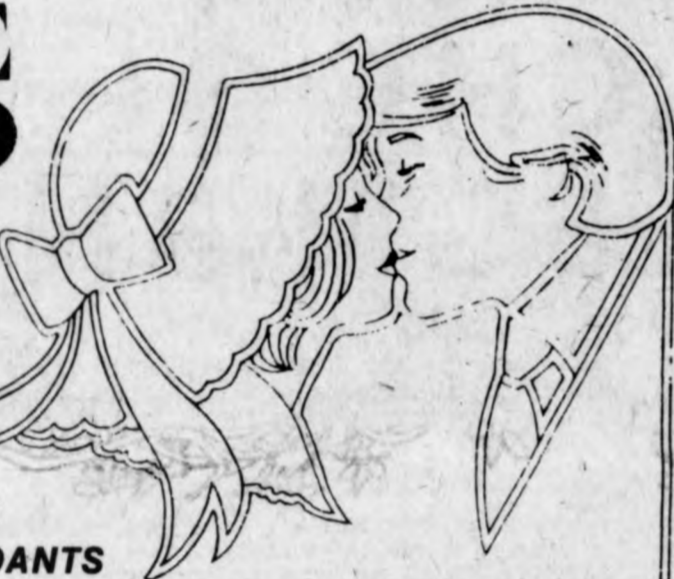
Mr. and Mrs. Virgil D. Yanz, 3680 W. Pratt Rd., DeWitt, announce the engagement of their daughter, Barbara Lynn, to David Lynn Gallimore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Gallimore, of Lansing.

The bride-elect is a graduate of St. Johns High School

and is employed at Oldsmobile. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Eastern High School and is employed at Grand Ledge Tire Company.

The couple is planning a June 24 wedding date.

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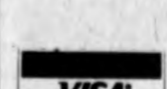
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Obituaries

Paul Shoemaker

Funeral services for Paul L. Shoemaker, 66, of 969 Wellman Rd., DeWitt, who passed away April 25, 1978 in a Lansing hospital were held April 27 at 2 p.m. at Redeemer United Methodist Church in DeWitt.

Rev. Ronald Thompson officiated and interment was in DeWitt Cemetery. Funeral arrangements were by DeWitt Area Chapel.

Mr. Shoemaker was a resident of DeWitt for the past 19 years, moving there from Dimondale. He was a retired pipe fitter for Oldsmobile and a member of the Olds Quarter Century Club.

He was born Aug. 31, 1911 in Pontiac to Floyd and Martha (Cade) Shoemaker. He married Olga Black July 15, 1933 in Eaton County.

Surviving besides his wife, Olga are: three daughters, Mrs. Della Jones of DeWitt, Mrs. JoAnn McGuire of Oregon and Mrs. Linda Wiggins of South Rockwood, Mich.; a son, LeRoy Shoemaker of Flint; a half-brother, Arlo Twichell of Indiana; and 10 grandchildren.

Myrtle Tillotson

ELSIE—Funeral services for Mrs. Myrtle Tillotson, 94, of 137 E. Pine St., Elsie, a life-long resident of Elsie, were held at the Carter Funeral Home with the Rev. David Miles officiating. Burial was made in Riverside Cemetery, Elsie.

Mrs. Tillotson died Thursday, April 27, 1978, at the Shiawassee County Medical Care Facility. She was a member of the Elsie United Methodist Church and a life member of the Elsie Order of Eastern Star.

Mrs. Tillotson was born Aug. 30, 1883, in Elsie to David and Ann Maynard and married William Tillotson, Feb. 22, 1913. He died in 1939. She is survived by a son, Leonard of Elsie, two grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

The pall bearers were Albert Maynard, Gene Maynard, Carl Maynard, Robb Maynard, Paul D. Maynard and Kenneth Swanson.

Olive Ordway

ELSIE—Funeral services for Mrs. Olive Ordway, 71, was held at the Carter Funeral Home Wednesday afternoon, April 26, 1978, with the Rev. Charles Warner officiating with burial in the Marion Springs Cemetery. Mrs. Ordway died Sunday evening at Clinton Memorial Hospital St. Johns.

Mrs. Ordway, a resident of 244 E. Elm St., Elsie, was

born in Marion Springs Aug. 21, 1906, to Charles and Dianna Gray. She resided most of her life in Saginaw County. She married Jasper Ordway, Sept. 22, 1923.

She is survived by her husband; daughters, Mrs. Alice Miller of Ovid and Mrs. Bessie Crowell of Wheeler; sons, George and Robert of Bannister and William of Smithfield, N.C.; 26 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren. A daughter, Mary, preceded her in death.

Donald Underhill

Funeral services for William Donald Underhill, stillborn child of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Underhill of 8930 E. Parks Rd., Rte. 2, Ovid, were held at the Houghton Chapel, Osgood Funeral Homes, Monday May 1, 1978 at 1 p.m.

Rev. Earl Copelin officiated and interment was in Maple Grove Cemetery. William was stillborn Saturday, April 29, in Carson City.

Surviving besides his parents are a brother, Darin; a sister, Rachelle; his grandparents, Mrs. Georgianna Underhill and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kelley of Elsie; and his great grandmother, Mrs. Nora Buchman of Indiana.

United Methodist Church in St. Johns and had retired from the Shell Oil Company in 1957.

Claude Fritz

Mr. Claude W. Fritz, 87, of N. Scott Rd., Rte. 3, passed away Tuesday, April 25, 1978 at Clinton Memorial Hospital after a long illness.

Funeral services were held at the Osgood Funeral Home in St. Johns Friday, April 28 at 1 p.m. Rev. Douglas Jones officiated and interment was in Evergreen Cemetery.

Mr. Fritz was born in Clinton County May 5, 1890 to Newton and Minnie (Sturdivant) Fritz. He moved to this area in 1971 from the Clare-Farwell area.

On May 11, 1935, he married Alice Dalrymple in Lansing.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Louis Trigg of Garden Grove, Calif. and Mrs. I.D. Hamilton of Cortez, Colo.; an aunt, Mrs. Frances Patterson of St. Johns; two cousins, Dorrance Patterson of St. Johns and Gordon Patterson of Ashley; and several nephews.

Jeannie Dickenson

Mrs. Jeannie L. Dickenson, 30, of 1165 S. Warren Rd., Ovid, passed away Tuesday, April 25, 1978 at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

She was born in St. Johns April 11, 1948 to Max and Martha (Smith) Barrett and she graduated from Ovid-Elsie High School.

She was an Ovid-Elsie area resident all of her life and was a member of the St. Johns Lutheran Church, and the Ovid Jaycee Auxiliary. She was employed as a salesperson for Sarah Coventry Company.

On March 18, 1966, she married Alfred and he survives his wife. Also surviving

are four children, Melissa age 10, Dannel age eight, David age six and Tammy age four; her parents, Mr. Max Barrett of rural Ashley and Mrs. Martha Jones of St. Johns; and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Barrett of St. Johns. A sister,

Mrs. Rosy Loynes of Elsie, and two brothers also survive, Dennis Barrett of Lansing and Paul Barrett of Ovid.

Funeral services were held at the Houghton Chapel, Osgood Funeral Homes, Friday, April 28, at 1 p.m. Rev. Michael Ruhl officiated and interment was in Duplain Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the children of Mrs. Dickenson.

Isidor Miller

Funeral services for Isidor J. Miller, 75, of 110 Elm St., Westphalia who passed away Friday, April 29, 1978 in Westphalia were held Tuesday, May 2, at 10:30 a.m. at St. Mary's Church in Westphalia.

Rev. Father James Schmitt officiated and burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery. A rosary service was held May 1 at 3 p.m. at St. Mary's Chapel and a parish rosary was offered May 1 at 8 p.m. at the church.

Mr. Miller was born Sept. 19, 1902 to John and Mary (Weiland) Miller. He is survived by his wife, Anna; three nephews, Robert and Louis Hengesbach, both of Westphalia and Theodore Hengesbach of South Bend, Ind.; and a niece, Sister Angelica of Wilmette, Ill.

Mr. Miller was a member of St. Joseph's Society.

Helen Smith

Funeral services for Mrs. Helen Marek Smith, 50, of

Rte. 5, St. Johns will be held at St. Joseph Catholic Church in St. Johns Wednesday, May 3, 1978 at 11 a.m. Rev. Father William Hanker will officiate and interment will be in Mt. Rest Cemetery.

A rosary was offered Tuesday evening at 8 p.m. at the Osgood Funeral Home.

Mrs. Smith passed away Monday, May 1, at her residence.

She was born in Clinton County June 12, 1927 to John and Antonia (Ivicic) Marek. Her husband, Arthur Smith, passed away in 1961.

Mrs. Smith was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church, Saint Rita Guild, and the Third Order of Saint Francis. She had resided at the same address since 1951.

Surviving are a sister, Agnes Marek of rural St. Johns; and two brothers, Thomas Marek of Carson City and Tony Marek of rural St. Johns.

Liaison to visit

Congressman Elford A. Cederberg's Liaison Doratha Stolz, will be visiting Clinton County in order to offer the citizens of the Tenth District an opportunity to bring difficulties they might have with the Federal government to his attention.

Mrs. Stolz will be at the County Courthouse in St. Johns on Monday, May 8, from 11 a.m. to 12 noon.



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Archie Hill

Archie R. Hill, 76, of 206 E. McConnell, St. Johns, passed away Sunday, April 30, 1978 at Clinton Memorial Hospital after a long illness.

Funeral services will be held at the Osgood Funeral Homes, Inc. of St. Johns May 3, at 1 p.m. with Rev. Keith Laidler and interment will be in Mt. Rest Cemetery.

Mr. Hill was born in Isabella County, Mich. June 12, 1901 to Nelson and Annie (Grubaugh) Hill. He moved to St. Johns as a small boy and spent the last 45 years at the McConnell Street residence.

On Sept. 4, 1926, he married Grace Wilkie in St. Johns and she survives her husband. Also surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Hazel Allen and Mrs. Lenora Hearl, both of Lansing; and many nieces and nephews.

Mr. Hill attended the First

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Mayor John Arehart signs a proclamation for Music Week set for May 7-14 in St. Johns. Shown looking on is Mrs. Lawrence (Ora) Fish, president of the Morning Musicale and JoAnn Martis, publicity chairperson for Music Week. (Photo by Sue Kiley)

On Saturday, April 22 Pewamo-Westphalia High School's Flag and Rifle Team competed in the Michigan Color Guard Circuit Championship Contest held in Clarkston. The Pirates took second place in Class B competition behind the Marion Jets from Marion, Ohio.

Each guard was awarded points for the awards they have won in this competition season.

The Pirates accumulated more points during their season than any other guard competing in class B, giving them the honor of top class B guard in the Michigan Color Guard Circuit.

This is the first year of competition for the 16-member guard. Team manager is Mark L. Szyperki and commanding officer is Carol Schafer.

Team members are: Julie Klein, Jane Heckman, Denise Carter, Laurie Platte, Lee Ann Hengesbach, Gail Smith, Patti Fedewa, Nancy Schafer, Lisa Spitzley, Lori Bengel, Linda Spitzley, Norma Simon, Shirley Simon and Sheila Martin.

6,020 veterans in Clinton

Clinton County Veterans Administration tabulations place the veteran population of Michigan at 1,195,000, Frank Kilcullen, regional office director in Detroit, says.

In Clinton County, the VA estimates the veteran population to be 6,020. The largest

group of veterans continues to be from World War II, and in this county there are 5,220. In the state there are 510,000.

Vietnam Era veterans take second place with 345,000 in the state and 1,790 in Clinton County. In this area there are 1,380 veterans from the Korean Conflict, and 224,000 in the state.

There are 29,000 World War I veterans still living in Michigan and 100 in this county.

Since the war ended three years ago on May 8, 8,000 service personnel have served and returned to the state, and 40 to this county.

Other veterans who are eligible for benefits are those

who served between the end of the Korean Conflict and the beginning of the Vietnam Era. Michigan has 129,000 in this category, and 750 in Clinton.

Of the total veteran population in Michigan, 1,058,000 served during a wartime period, and 5,220 in this county.

Magic featured during Carson City festival

Carson City "Frontier Days" in Carson City will come alive on May 11 with the Annual Community Picnic at Haradine Park followed by a chicken flying and frog jumping contest in addition to the Ice Cream Social at the Congregational Church.

clowns usher in the big one featuring bands, floats, antique cars and much, much more.

In the area of food, the Frontier Festival committee recommends the chicken barbeque at the Fish Creek Sportsman's Club Friday evening at 5 p.m.

Beginning Saturday morning at 11 a.m. and running until 8 a.m., the Legion will serve spectators. And, there is also a pancake breakfast at the Masonic Lodge Sunday morning at 7:30 a.m.

The highlight of Saturday night will be Dr. Dean's Medicine and Magic Show. For those with young children or later evening plans, Dr. Dean will have a special 5 p.m. matinee—with the regular show starting at 8 p.m.

The Knights of Columbus will furnish information and transportation at the city hall.

As the week end progresses, there will be such attractions as the flea markets, sidewalk and garage sales, art shows, a soup kitchen, free movies, bingo and a carnival.

For the competitors in the crowd, there will be the kids olympics, golf and tennis tournaments, baking contests and a pony pull—not to mention the battle of the fire departments in water ball!

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Village of Fowler

Summary of Fowler Village Council meeting minutes

A special meeting of the Fowler Village Council was held on Monday, April 24, 1978, at 7:00 p.m. at Dallas Township Hall. The meeting was called to order by President Carl Koenigsnecht. Councilmen present were R. Smith, Spicer, J. Koenigsnecht, D. Smith, George and McCausey.

Minutes of the April 10th meeting were approved as read.

Fowler Public Schools were authorized to move home plate out 5' and make adjustments in the foul lines and pitcher's mound at Fink Field.

Action was taken to proceed with acquisition of property and development of a well site on North Wright Road, and the necessary engineering to that end result.

An amendment to the water project bond ordinance was adopted. Pursuant to this amendment, bonds in the amount of \$26,000 shall mature on July 1 in each of the years 2013 thru 2018.

Approval was given by the Council for the use of a building at the corner of M-21 and Main Street by the Bible Baptist Church of Fowler, with the provision that members be requested to use the Village lot for parking their cars.

A supplement was added to the Village construction code, approving the construction of garages of pole type frame construction, in accordance with details prepared by James S. Boyd of M.S.U., with the added paragraph that outside siding will be of residential type siding approved in the present construction code, and that roofing will be of asphalt shingle construction, unless otherwise approved.

Building permits were approved for construction of a garage by John Weber and an addition to a residence by Norman Goerge.

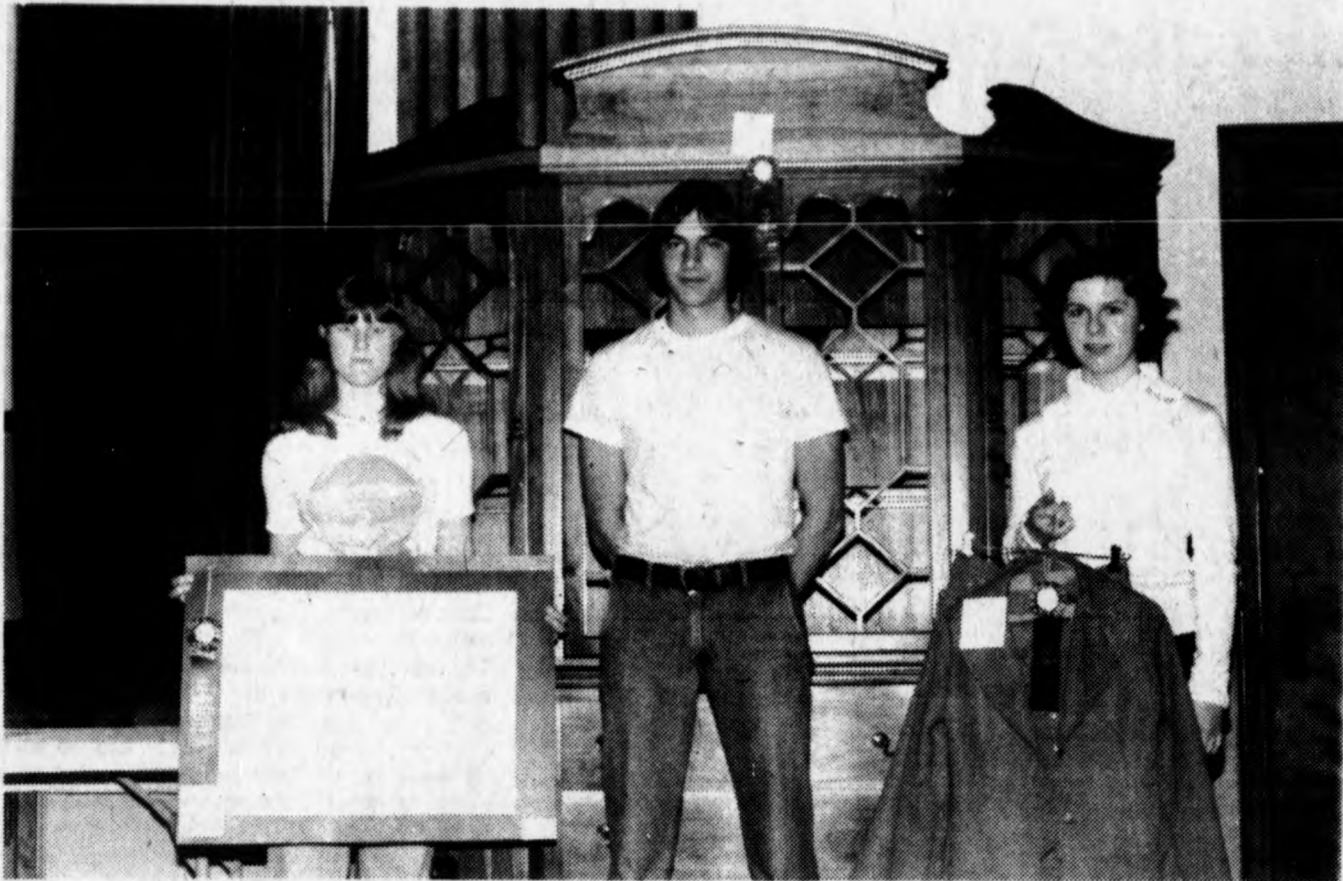
The low bid for performing the bi-annual audit of Village financial records was accepted from Yeo and Yeo of Alma.

A decision was made to develop and maintain a parking area along the railroad tracks on East First Street, with limited two hour parking on the first 150 feet east of Main Street and unlimited parking from that point east; also to proceed with necessary action to obtain a lease from Grand Trunk Railroad for an area along West First Street, between Maple and Sorrell Streets, for use as a commuter parking area.

Roy Smith was named President Pro-Tem. A special account will be maintained at Clinton National Bank for handling of FHA water project funds.

Meeting adjourned 9:55 P.M.

Winnie McKean, Village Clerk



Rotary Talent Exhibit winners named

Best of Show
 Best Girl: Cheryl Conklin—Clothing—Suit—St. Johns High School.
 Best Boy: Roy Miller—Woodworking—Breakfront—Pewamo-Westphalia.
 Best 17-19 years: Dean Platte—Model—House and furnishings—Fowler High School.

Best 15-16 years: Shari Hebler—House Plans—St. Johns High School.
Best 12-14 years: Melinda Beck—Needlecraft—St. Johns Jr. High.
Best 9-11 years: Jim Randall—Photography—Central Elementary.

Wood Working
 9-11: 1st—Theresa Koenigsnecht; HM—Gary Vitek, Neil Conklin and Kevin Aylsworth.
 12-14: 1st—Theresa Curtis; HM—Richard Lackey.
 15-16: 1st—Jane Rademacher; HM—Ruth Fedewa, Loren Conklin and Doug Koenigsnecht.
 17-18: 1st—Roy Miller.

Creative Writing
 9-11: 1st—Shawn Keisel; HM—Judy Hodge, Elizabeth Jo Green, Carol Ackels, Sally Hughes, Mary Risch and Kevin Aylsworth.
 12-14: 1st—Michele Decker; HM—Richard Lackey, Donna Dugan, Mike Wilson, Linda Risch, Dawn Hess, Angela Elden, Peter McGonigal and Brenda Ward.
 15-16: 1st—Lisa Lapinski; HM—Ruth Fedewa and Loren Conklin.
 17-18: 1st—Sandra M. Schafer; HM—Darryl Schmitz.
Music Composition
 9-11: 1st—Amy Schmidt; HM—Gwen Banninga, Lisa Vitek, Cindy Armbrustmacher and Tina Taefel.
 17-19: 1st—Darryl Schmitz.
Art Drawing
 15-16: HM—Cindy Lasso.
Paintings
 9-11: 1st—Kurt Whittaker; HM—Kelly Law and Mark Andrews.
 12-14: 1st—Ken Lounds; HM—Jon Lackey.
 15-16: no one.
 17-19: 1st—Karen Feldpausch.
Photography
 9-11: 1st—Jim Randall; HM—Kathy Sue Love.
 12-14: 1st—Todd Lee Boeltger; HM—Dave Love.
 15-16: 1st—Lauri Love; HM—Loren Conklin, Chris Thelen and Shari Hebler.
Art Ceramics
 No Entry
Sculpture
 9-11: 1st—Richard Kirby.
 12-14: no one.
 15-16: 1st—Mike Bisch.
 17-19: no one.
Handicrafts
 9-11: 1st—Nancy Andrews; HM—Paul Wood, Suzie St. Johns, and Bruce Lamb.
 12-14: 1st—Freddie Koepfen; HM—Jennifer DeWitt and Jon Lackey.
 15-16: 1st—Kris Aylsworth; HM—Julie Hanes.
 17-19: 1st—Lucy Arens; HM—Cheryl Conklin.
Models
Models, Crafts and String-Pins
 9-11: 1st—Kim Epkey; HM—Anne Moore.
 12-14: 1st—Jim Komenek.
 15-16: 1st—Theresa Bengal; HM—Julie Hanes.
Clothing
 9-11: 1st—Beth Ann Lehman; HM—Lara Foy, Maggie Arehart, Theresa Koenigsnecht, Lisa Thelen, Shawn Keisel, Jamie Becker and Lisa Vitek.
 12-14: 1st—Jill Becker.
 15-16: 1st—Eileen Theis; HM—Theresa Bengal, Julie Hanes and Laurie Platte.
 17-19: 1st—Cheryl Conklin; HM—Julie Platte.
Fibercraft
 9-11: 1st—Jamie Becker; HM—Shawn Keisel.
 12-14: 1st—Darlene Cerny; HM—Cathy Burkhardt, Melinda Beck, Richard Lackey and Kim Saurbek.
 15-16: 1st—Lisa Foy; HM—Doug Koenigsnecht, Theresa Bengal and Denise Cerny.
 17-19: 1st—Cheryl Conklin.
Drawings
 9-11: 1st—Wendy Dussean; HM—Mark Korienek and Bill Cleavner.
 12-14: 1st—Dorothy Lackey; HM—Todd Smith and Craig Searles.
 15-16: 1st—Shari Hebler.
 17-19: 1st—Karen Feldpausch; HM—Kim Clark and Lucy Arens.
Graphic Arts
 9-11: 1st—Dale Epkey.
 12-14: 1st—Luke Hufnagel; HM—Steve Thelen and Ken Weiber.
 15-16: 1st—Shari Hebler; HM—Tim Luttig, Dave Fox and Ron Simon.
 17-19: 1st—Karen Feldpausch.
Models (kits)
 9-11: 1st—Steve Dinstbier; HM—Brad Abendroth and Raymond Heinlein.
 12-14: 1st—Craig Searles; HM—Pat Ebert and Kurt Hufnagel.
 17-18: 1st—Kevin Kellerman.
Ceramics
 9-11: 1st—Brad Abendroth; Lisa Thelen, Shawn Keisel and Deborah Richmond.
 12-14: 1st—Landon Foy; HM—Stewart Clise.
 15-16: 1st—Theresa Bengal; HM—Julie Hanes and Brenda Thelen.
17 & over: 1st—Cheryl Conklin; HM—Lucy Arens.
Science
 9-11: 1st—Kim Huntley.
 12-14: 1st—Val Ouder Kirk; HM—Brenda Ward, Andrea Ouder Kirk, Jill Becker, Stewart Clise, Jeff Borden, Sue Keck and Susan Roseberry.
 15-16: 1st—Denise Cerny.
Collections
 9-11: 1st—Chris Marten.
 15-16: 1st—Denise Cerny.
Models
 9-11: 1st—Kim Epkey.
 12-14: 1st—Alan Searles; HM—Tami Noyce and Lisa Smith.
 17-18: 1st—Dean Platte; HM—Darryl Schmitz.
Metal work
 17-19: 1st—Tracy Sehlke; HM—Ted Gibson and Paul Swanchara.
Needlecraft
 9-11: 1st—Deborah Richard; HM—Beth Ann Lehman and Theresa Koenigsnecht.
 12-14: 1st—Melinda Beck; HM—Mary Craft, Cathy Burkhardt, Sandy Burkhardt, Annette Lackey, Susan Risch and Darlene Cerny.
 15-16: 1st—Shari Hebler; HM—Laurie Claffe, Theresa Bengal and Lauri Love.

Rotary winners

Grand prize winners in the annual Rotary Talent Show were Shari Hebler, a junior at St. Johns High School in the graphic arts section; Roy Miller, a junior at DeWitt High School in the wood working division; and Cheryl Conklin, a junior at SJHS for clothing construction. (Photo by Sue Kiley)

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Shepardsville

The ladies of the Shepardsville Church are having a bake sale at Monroe's Hardware on Saturday, May 6 beginning at 9:45 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. Proceeds will go into the church's general budget.

The general meeting of the Shepardsville UMW will be Wednesday, April 26 at 8 p.m. There is some important business to be transacted. The Berean Circle will be in charge of a short devotional period.

The Ovid-Duplain Library Club will meet Friday, May 6 at the home of Mrs. Roger Smith with Mrs. Marion Walker and Mrs. John Spencer as the committee. This is the annual May brunch at 11 a.m. There will be a plant and seed exchange. There is also the election of officers. The program will be the one that was to have been in February. Jeff Ross will be

telling of his trip to Guatemala.

Several members of Morning Star Chapter 279 OES of Ovid attended Friend's Night at the Elsie Chapter on Thursday evening, April 20. Mrs. Don Ike showed pictures of her trip to China. Several of the members will also be attending County Association at Wacousta on Wednesday, May 3.

The ladies of the Shepardsville Church have been invited to a salad luncheon at the Elsie United Methodist Church May 3. This is their annual missionary luncheon: Registration will begin at 11:30 a.m. with the luncheon at noon.

The United Group of Senior Citizens are planning a trip to the Holland Tulip Festival on the third Saturday in May. They will be traveling by bus.

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THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS ORDAINS: Section 1. Vacation of Street Right-of-Way. The City Commission of the City of St. Johns hereby vacates a portion of Railroad Street right-of-way, being more particularly described as follows:

A portion of Railroad Street right-of-way, being the North 16 1/2 feet of Railroad Street right-of-way, commencing at Mead Street and running thence Westerly 600 feet, City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan.

Section 2. Compliance with Charter. The City Commission, in adopting this Ordinance, certifies that a public hearing has been held after due notice to those persons entitled to receive notice, and that a Resolution declaring the City Commission's intent to vacate said right-of-way and other provisions of the City Charter relative to vacating streets and alleys have been complied with. That notice of said public hearing was, pursuant to charter, served upon persons entitled to receive notice.

Section 3. Easement Retained. Notwithstanding the vacation of said street right-of-way, the City of St. Johns retains for itself, for the benefit of the public, an easement under, over and across said vacated premises, for the installation, maintenance and repair of any drain, sewer, water pipes, gas pipes, electric and telephone lines, and other essential utilities, said easement being perpetual and unlimited unless hereinafter released by the City Commission.

Section 4. The effective date of the Ordinance shall be the 20th day after its passage.



Arts for All Ages slated for May 6 at RBW

St. Johns
A big "Arts for All Ages" workshop will offer learner printing, cartooning, design techniques, banner making, macrame and crayon batik Saturday, May 6, at Rodney B. Wilson Junior High, Cass Street, St. Johns.

Open to all Clinton County residents, it has been scheduled for this end of the county for the convenience of Ovid-Elsie and St. Johns residents. The workshops are open to volunteers, teachers and learners of all ages over five

years of age. It will be followed by three after school classes in each area for school-age children. The "Arts for All Ages" program is sponsored by a grant from Michigan Council for the Arts and some matching local funds. Two work-

shops and 12 after school classes have been held in the Bath-DeWitt area and the Fowler-Pewamo-Westphalia area. The workshops are for county teachers and residents interested in learning more about art or in encour-

aging art at the local level. Volunteer and teacher training will take place from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. with Peggy King leading instruction in workable crayon projects; learners of all ages come from 12:30-3:30 p.m.

CB stolen and recovered

St. Johns
Charles Miller of Avery Road, St. Johns reported to police the theft of a 23-channel CB radio while he was parked at St. Joseph parking lot on April 25 at 10:30 p.m. The following day a General Telephone employee brought it into the St. Johns Police Department the CB which he found in the stairwell of the General Telephone office.

Rex Foland, 504 VauCon-sant, reported the theft of 15

gallons of gasoline from his vehicle. Larry A. Wilson, 609 N. Morton, reported someone stole his 1973 Kawasaki motorcycle on April 30 which was valued at \$400. The vehicle was recovered the following day at the entrance to the trailer park on Gibbs Street.

A subject was apprehended by St. Johns police for allegedly assaulting an attendant at the Pro Gas

Station on April 28. According to police reports, a passenger in a vehicle got into an argument with the attendant and drew a knife on him. The incident is presently pending at the prosecutor's office.

There were five property damage accidents in the city during the past week and one hit and run accident.

Firefighters were called out to a grass fire, a wood fire, and a gas washdown following an accident.

Obituaries

Herbert Frizzell

Former DeWitt Township supervisor and life-long resident of Clinton County, Herbert A. Frizzell, 91, of 321 E. State Rd., Lansing, passed away Saturday, April 29, 1978.

He was a member of the Valley Farms Baptist Church, DeWitt Blue Lodge 272, past patron of the Eastern Star and Knights Templar 24 of St. Johns. Mr. Frizzell is survived by

a sister, Mrs. Carrie Farrell of Kentucky and a brother, Emory Frizzell of Lansing.

Funeral services were held at 1:30 p.m. Monday, May 1, at DeWitt Area Chapel with Rev. Carl Grapentine and Rev. LaVern Bretz officiating. Interment was in DeWitt Cemetery.

Masonic service was held 7:30 p.m. at the funeral home Sunday. Knights Templar escort were honorary pallbearers.

Rotary winners

Other grand prize winners in the Rotary Talent Show were Melinda Beck, and eighth grader at Rodney B. Wilson for needlework; Jim Randall, a fifth grader at Central School for photography; and Dean Platte, a junior at Fowler High School for models. (Photo by Sue Kiley)

Alpha Eta chapter members to attend state convention

The Alpha Eta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma met April 13 at the Central National Bank with Louise Somerlot presiding. Twenty six members were present.

A program was presented by the Research Committee. Wilma Cole of Elsie gave an interesting and instructive talk on genealogy. She outlined the procedures necessary in tracing a family history. By sharing her wealth of knowledge with the members, she created in many a desire to learn more about their ancestral background.

Two state members who organized Alpha Eta were introduced: Thelma Rule and Theresa Leitch. Other members of the organizational committee were Minnie Gebhart, Letah Stewart, and Margaret Smith.

Pauline Reed will be leaving the area and transferring her membership. She will be greatly missed and the members wish much happiness in her new home.

Four members: Louise Somerlot, Estelle Geller, Alice Thrun and Etta Smith will attend the State Conference at Jackson, April 28-30.

It was voted that \$1 per member be paid to the Fellowship and Golden Gift funds. New members will be initiated at the May 11 meeting.

The following offices were elected for the ensuing year: President Estelle Geller; First Vice-President Alice Thrun; Second Vice-President Joan Zatkovic; Recording Secretary Karen Lusk; and Corresponding Secretary Helen Mowl.

Historian, Elizabeth Wilson, displayed three scrap books containing articles and pictures that have been collected since Alpha Eta was organized in 1955.

The next meeting will be held May 11 at the City Club in Owosso.

In an early form of women's lib, women in Samarkand publicly burned their veils in 1927. The National Geographic Society's book "Journey Across Russia: The Soviet Union Today" reports the reaction in one house where a woman recalls: "When his wife burned her veil, the husband burned her. Yes, in the bread oven."

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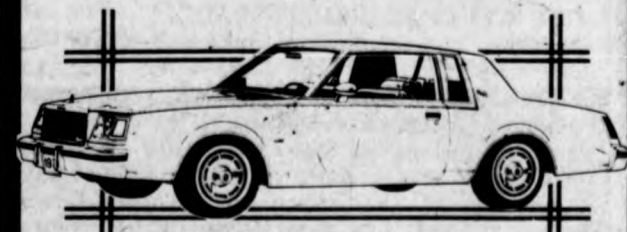
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Insurance is name of game

By Patrice Hornak
Editor

St. Johns

The sign reads: Flash & Fenne Auto Insurance. It is just one of many auto and home insurance agencies recently "set-up" in the business wing of St. Johns High School.

Insurance agencies in the vicinity shouldn't get nervous about the competition, however, as these are definitely fly-by-night agencies and will exist for a matter of two weeks until students are acquainted with the insurance world.

Safeco Insurance Com-

pany of Seattle, Wash. has loaned St. Johns High School business instructors Vicki Lade and Jerry Beaufore a copywrited program complete with a teachers' manual, student manuals, and insurance application forms which "are like the real thing," according to Mrs. Lade.

Students formed a fictitious partnership with another classmate and developed their own insurance company nameplate. Mrs. Beaufore's class works in auto insurance and Mrs. Lade's class works in home insurance.

After developing a name,



Peggy Lauzon (right) interviews Ruth Root, secretary in the high school principal's office at St. Johns High School regarding the purchase of auto insurance. (Photo by Patrice Hornak)



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each agency had to apply for a bank loan so they can operate their agency. Coincidentally, the loans came from the Lade Bank or Beaufore Bank. After the loans were approved, students had to fill out promissory notes and put the loans into their checking accounts.

Besides learning how to fill out these various forms and applications, students also learned about the development of a company as well as money management.

Just like other businesses in their community, these make-believe insurance agencies have expenses such as membership in the Chamber of Commerce, utility bills and janitorial service expenses. The banks (Lade and Beaufore) deliver the bills and it is up to each agency to keep up with the bookkeeping.

Each insurance agency is to sell \$800 worth of policies during the two weeks, one which must be to an adult.

After giving their spiel about insurance, they help their client complete the insurance application and using the free reference books donated by Safeco, the students compute the basic premium cost.

Once the applications are completed they are sent to the home office located in each business room for approval. Home insurance underwriter Lucy Farrier checks the applications, keeps a filing system and sends the forms to the accountant, Jeff Cox.

Agencies are paid a 20 per cent commission and the home office personnel are paid a salary. Payrolls are computed at the home office, also.

This is all an exercise in insurance policies, but it has also proved a learning experience for all, including the teachers who have had to seek the advice from the St. Johns insurance firm of Allaby and Brewbaker.

DeWitt safety patroller one of best in state

DeWitt

A DeWitt youth is among 50 safety patrollers from across the state who will leave May 4 for a three-day tour of Washington, D.C., where he will meet Michigan's junior senator and take part in a parade and rally as guests of Automobile Club of Michigan.

Chosen as the city's outstanding patroller was Kevin Schaefer, 11, of 7041 W. Howe Road, a student at St. Therese School.

The 10- to 14-year-old boys and girls taking the 38th annual spring safety patrol trip are the state's top patrollers for the current school year. They represent 55,000 Michigan patrollers who each spend nearly 300 hours annually protecting classmates at crosswalks and on buses.

As part of Friday's Washington tour, the Michigan delegation will meet Michigan Sen. Donald W. Riegler Jr. and present a plaque citing him as an honorary Michigan safety patrol captain.

Students also will tour the White House and Capitol Building and the world-renowned Smithsonian Institution's National Air and Space Museum.

On Saturday, Michigan students will meet with 8,000 other patrollers from across the nation to parade down Constitution Avenue past local, state and national dignitaries and some of America's most historic landmarks. The parade is sponsored by the Washington, D.C., Police Department.

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4-H Chatter

By Theresa Dow
Extension 4-H Youth Agent

Clinton County 4-H is Volunteer Leaders. 4-H leaders are the backbone of the 4-H program within Michigan, as well as Clinton County. There are no set molds from which they come. They are young and old, from towns as well as rural areas, and from all walks of life. Without the volunteer leader, there would be no leadership from which to build 4-H programs. The week of April 17 was designated Volunteer Recognition Week and on Wednesday, April 19 the Spring Leader Meeting was held with a special program honoring all the 4-H leaders in the county. Representative Ernest Nash was on hand to present the Governor's Award for Outstanding Citi-

zenship to AnaBel Peck, a 4-H leader for the past 32 years. AnaBel is the organizational leader for the Elsie 4-Corners Club, she personally works with horticulture members in her own club. She also works very hard in promoting county wide horticulture events and contests. AnaBel Peck is one of 492 leaders Clinton County 4-H has involved, working with the members in every possible area from Karate to cooking. These 492 leaders have volunteered 2,565 years of service to 4-H. We would like to salute all of the 4-H leaders in Clinton County and say thank you for everything you offer the 4-H program.

Volunteer recognition

With the warmer day of spring, horses should be losing winter hair coats. Now is the time of year to begin grooming for summer shows. A Grooming Workshop is scheduled for Monday, May 8, 7 p.m. at Lela Clark's arena on Hyde Rd., east of US-27. 4-H members and leaders will view the grooming of a horse for a Western and English show, as well as how to groom a pony. The skills gained from this experience can then be demonstrated on Saturday, May 20 at the 4-H and Youth Horse Show at the Fairgrounds.

Did you know that you don't need to have a dairy animal to become involved in a 4-H Dairy project? Yes,

this is true. Come and find out how at a general Dairy meeting, Tuesday, May 9 at Smith Hall in St. Johns. The program will start at 7:30 p.m. with games, then a review of the variety of projects, activities, and material available to anyone interested in the Dairy Industry.

CLUB NEWS

Shamrock Riders met on March 13, at 6:15 p.m. At their first meeting, 1978 officers were elected, and their insurance money was collected. Dues were decided on and 50 cents per meetings was it. All insurance money is due April 21, so that they can have their first riding meet on May 4.



Senior finalists

Pictures of the senior division finalists at the recent 4-H style revue did not develop but this photo taken in an instamatic camera was

brought in by the Extension office. Top finalist was Julie Platte, number 548. Honor finalists were (from left) Lauri Platte, Tammy Young, Rose Miller, Bev Platte and Sue Farley.

Jim's Column

By Jim Pelham Extension Director

Lawn care month

April and May are clean-up, fix-up times for Michigan lawns. Michigan State University turfgrass specialists say now is the time to get your lawn in shape for summer.

Start by raking the lawn to

remove leaves, twigs, trash and other debris. If frost heaving has made the surface uneven, roll it—after the soil has thawed but before it dries out. This will firm the crowns of the grass plants back into the soil. It also evens out the high spots that your mower tends to scalp.

Unless you cut the grass very short in the fall, the next step is to mow it. Cutting the old blades to a height of about one inch makes it easier for new growth to emerge. It also opens the lawn up for cultivating and reseeding, if necessary.

After mowing, check for thatch buildup. A half-inch of tightly matted stems and roots between the green blades and soil surface means your lawn needs dethatching. Most lawns don't need dethatching every year. If yours does, rent a dethatching machine or hire one of several people that are doing it commercially in St. Johns or the surrounding area—it's much easier and more thorough than hand raking.

Dethatching clears the way for spot seeding bare spots. Loosen the soil surface to make a seed bed. Seed with a turfgrass variety or blend that's compatible with the grass that's already

there. Mix the seed and the loosened soil with the back of a rake. Don't bury grass seed—it needs light to germinate.

After the seed germinates, it must be kept moist until the grass plants are well established. Water lightly once a day if rainfall isn't sufficient.

Don't rush to fertilize your lawn now. Wait until late May or early June to apply nitrogen. Early fertilizing makes for quick green-up and a flush of rapid growth. This makes lawns more susceptible to Fusarium blight, Michigan's most common lawn disease problem.

Dogs sought

The Michigan State Police are again seeking donations of German shepherd dogs for use in the department's tracking program.

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Karen Green honored by Elsie community

Elsie Miss Karen Green has been receiving many awards and honors during her four years in the Future Farmers of American (FFA) program at Ovid-Elsie High School. Thursday evening, April 26, found 55 guests at a banquet honoring Karen in the American Legion Hall at Elsie. The Elsie Improvement Association planned the occasion with President Leslie Sturgis in charge.

The roast beef and strawberry shortcake dinner was catered by Jim and Marie Hurst after the invocation by Larry Krueger, manager of the Elsie Branch of Clinton National Bank and Trust Co. of St. Johns.

Most of Elsie businesses were represented along with Karen's family and friends. Sturgis welcomed the guests and told how proud the community is of her selection as the first female Star State Farmer Award recipient.

John Mater and Alan Aiaga, Ovid-Elsie High School FFA advisors, and Principal Blaine Lentz reviewed the accomplishments of Karen and expressed their pleasure of working with her.

Karen responded to their remarks and introduced her family. She is the daughter of Grace and Duane Green, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Green of Elsie. She plans to attend Michigan State University for the four-year degree in dairy science and mathematics and either join a farm cooperative or become a high school vocational agriculture instructor.

Following the dinner, President Sturgis on behalf of the Elsie Improvement Association presented Karen

Extension calendar

May 4—4-H Teen Club meeting, 7 p.m., Smith Hall, St. Johns.

May 4—4-H Horse Leaders, Smith Hall, 7:30 p.m.

May 6—Glass Collection, fairgrounds, St. Johns, 9 a.m.-12 noon.

May 7—4-H Photography Tour, Smith Hall, 2:30 p.m.

May 8—4-H Softball Coaches Meeting, Smith Hall, 7:30 p.m.

May 8—4-H Horse Workshop, Lela Clark's, 7 p.m.

May 9—4-H Dairy Meeting, Smith Hall, 7:30 p.m.

May 9—Ted Loudon, Animal Waste Disposal Authority in county

May 9—4-H softball leaders

meeting, Central National Bank, 8 p.m.

May 15—Michigan Association Extension Homemakers Area Council, Central National Bank, 10 a.m.

May 18—M.A.E.H., Smith Hall, Kitchen Spring Cleaning, 9:30 a.m.

May 20—4-H and Youth Horse Show, 10:00 a.m., Fairgrounds

May 20—4-H Detroit Trip

May 22—4-H Council Meeting, 8:00 p.m., Becky Barnes

May 24—4-H Foods Leader Workshop, 7:00 p.m., Central National Bank

May 20-27 Michigan Week

Tour set

Tecumseh

Promenade the Past 1978: a tour of 10 historic buildings along Chicago Boulevard, M-50, will be held in Tecumseh, May 20 and 21 from 1-6 p.m.

A \$2 donation will be accepted for advance tickets, available from the Tecumseh Area Historical Society, P.O. Box 26, Tecumseh, Mich. 49286. Tickets on tour are \$2.50, available at the Presbyterian Church. Senior citizens 60 and older and students will be admitted for \$1 with I.D.

Crafts will be demonstrated along the tour to enhance the visitor's perception of 19th century life in the 154-year-old country town, founded in 1824 by Musgrove Evans.

Farm Talk

Knowing something of average size of farms around here, it's interesting to read about great debate on proper size of irrigated farms out west. Limit's 160 acres in one major water district—and there's mountains of documentation supporting notion that one or two-person operations of about that size are far and away most efficient possible.

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Pelham gets Presidential 4-H Citation

Clinton County James Pelham, Clinton County Extension director, received the Michigan Association of 4-H Youth Staff's Presidential Citation May 2 in Cadillac.

The awards recognizes Pelham's personal and professional support of Clinton County's 4-H programs. Currently, in addition to his professional responsibilities, he is working with a community volunteer committee to raise funds for a new show arena at the fairgrounds.

Pelham, who holds bachelor's and master's degrees

from MSU, served as superintendent of farms at the Michigan reformatory from 1961-63 and then from 1963-71 he held a similar position at the state prison of southern Michigan in Jackson.

In 1971 he became Barry County Extension agriculture agent and in 1973 he accepted his current position in Clinton County.

Pelham received the Presidential Citation, recognizing excellence in the developing of 4-H programming, during ceremonies at the state 4-H spring programming conference.



Superwalk '78

Those starting out early Sunday morning on Superwalk '78 had to bundle up, including this girl who decided to wear mittens. She also carried a radio to keep her company along the 16-mile course. Pat Smith of St. Johns who is 76 years old, was the only senior citizen to complete the Golden Mile. (Photo by Sue Kiley)

Coming event

May 5 & 6—This year's Showboat, July 10-15, will again be colorfully entertaining with its full complement of amateur performers showcasing their various talent specialties on the

riverfront stage at Chesaning's Showboat Park. Try-outs to select the troupe of talented amateurs for the river show's six-day run will be held at Chesaning Middle School auditorium at 7 p.m. each evening.

American Agriculture notes

By Sue Heinlen

The weekly Monday night AAM meeting was held May 1 at the VFW hall in St. Johns.

We discussed our strike office, as it seems the owner has left town, and we are trying to decide what to do about an office. It was decided that we will stay there at least until June as we paid rent until then. After that we will determine whether to move or what we will do. So as of now the office is open from 9:30 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. daily.

Due to the fact that most of us are getting busy in the fields, we have decided to meet on the first and third Monday of the month. If for any reason we need to have a meeting it will be announced on our radio spot at the noon news on WRBJ AM 1580. This will remain in effect until further notice.

Coming in the near future we will be selling raffle tickets on a 1978 pickup. This is to help build funds. A

committee of five men and women was set up to decide on some other money making activities. We will probably be hearing more on some of their ideas at the coming meeting.

Larry Phinney told the group what happened at the national meeting held April 24 in Oklahoma City. He seemed to think that many things were discussed of importance and the meeting was a real success. Several of our local group attended the meeting.

It seems that while they were there Sen. Dole, author of the emergency bill which we were backing, called out to the national meeting to tell the farmers there that his bill has been re-entered in the Conference Committee. It seems that Washington didn't know what the group had up its sleeve, they thought that the farmers were organizing to come back to Washington to do some more lobbying.

We haven't left, delegates are still there working on

farm legislation. There have been a number of farm bills introduced since the defeat of the flexible parity bill, so we haven't given up, we are going to get something out of this yet.

Don't forget to sign up for the farm program at the ASCS office. The date has been extended until May 15. Even if you don't plan on going with the program, sign up anyway as you won't be qualified for any program if you aren't signed up by May 15. As of now it looks as if the program could be changed quite drastically and you will want to be eligible.

The next meeting is scheduled for May 15 at the VFW hall and a new time has also been set up to start to give the most time in the fields as possible to work. We will begin at 8 p.m. instead of 7:30 p.m. Plan to attend.

Don't forget the open meeting at the court house on the Stoney Creek Drain to be held on May 9, 10 and 12. Your support is most important on this issue.

Ag Advice

by Mark Hansen

Planning Your Garden
With the return of spring, farmers will again gather up their hoes and other miscellaneous garden tools, and begin the annual chore of preparing a garden. Whether out of habit, necessity, or just plain enjoyment, a healthy and well-kept garden is something to be proud of. It also produces better vegetables.

If this is your first shot (or your last) at a vegetable garden, you may want to consider a few points before planting.

First of all, make sure your garden is in a sunny area, not shaded by a garage or tree. Plants need sun for photosynthesis. Locate the garden near a water faucet or well for obvious reasons.

Plant the vegetables that you or your family like and in those proportions. The seed should be purchased each year to insure good germination. Germination rates of seeds decrease with age and using last year's seed may mean having to replant.

Fertilizer is a must, especially when the same garden plot is used each year. A general "rule of thumb" to use is 10-12 pounds

of nitrogen (N) and 40 pounds each of phosphorus (P) and potassium (K) for each 100 square feet of soil. A popular blend is 5-20-20, which is put on at 2 pounds per 100 square feet.

It may be best to apply half of this fertilizer before plowing or rototilling and half afterwards. If left unfertilized year after year, the soil nutrients will become depleted and the plants will suffer. Animal manure will supply much of the N, P, and K, but additional commercial fertilizer should be added.

Seeds must be planted according to package instructions. Planting seeds too deep or shallow may prevent plants from coming up. Seed and row spacing is also an important aspect in good gardening. Placing seeds too close will cause competition between plants, resulting in stunted plants and fewer pounds of fruit. Planting seeds too far apart does not utilize garden space well.

Weed control in a home garden should rarely be done with herbicides. A hoe or garden cultivator are usually sufficient. Shallow hoeing is important also,

since many of the plant roots are in the top layer of soil and spread out between the rows. These will be pruned off with improper cultivation.

In some cases, chemicals must be used to control insects, but there are many safe chemicals available at your local garden store. Some insecticides come in liquid form and some in powder or "dust," but with either type **READ THE LABEL**. Many poisonings occur each year because someone did not pay attention to the pesticide label. The label includes instructions for applying the chemical, what to do in case of poisoning, and, of course, what insects the pesticide will control.

But many insects can be picked off of plants with little trouble. Tomato worms can be located by feeding damage and then picked off with a pair of sticks. Potato beetles can be picked off also. Look for their bright orange eggs on the underside of potato leaves. With these simply pick off the leaf that has eggs and destroy the eggs by burning or smashing them.

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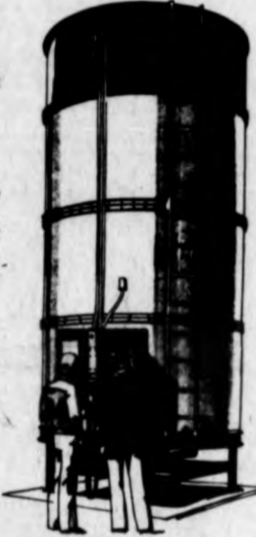
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Bath defends O-E title



Straining for first

A look of determination is on the face of Ovid-Elsie runner Joe McAninch during Friday's Ovid-Elsie Relays. (Photo by Tom Nowak)

Elsie Bath's boys' track team successfully defended its Class C-D title at the Ovid-Elsie Relays, racking up 59½ points Friday to runnerup Fulton's 35.

In Class B, Corunna won easily with 81 points. Alma was second with 58, O-E fourth with 44, and St. Johns seventh in the eight-team field with eight points.

Pewamo-Westphalia, the only other county team entered, finished with one point, tied for last in the C-D division.

Bath used five first-places, more than any other team, to help score the win. Gregg Tarrant and Mark Phillips combined to win the high jump relay at 12-6, breaking the meet record Bath got last year. Tarrant jumped 6-8.

The Bees took another field event, as Reggie Clark and Don Cronk won the pole vault relay at 25-0, another meet record. Bath got an individual title from Gregg McGarey, who won the mile run in 4:46.9.

Dale Tarrant won the two-mile run in 10:03.7, still another record, while the two-mile relay team of McGarey, Doug Konen, Mark Thornton and Dale Tarrant won in a record time of 8:28.7.

The only other first place won by a county school came in the varsity mile relay, as the O-E team of Bill Kayanek, Matt Smith, Brett Welton and Jeff Winans easily took the event in 3:34.1.

While failing to get into the winners' column, Fulton did earn a pair of second places. The high-jump relay team of Joe Collins and Randy Troub was second at 12-2, while in the 440 relay Troub, Joe Collins, Hanson and Kelvin Drake tied for second at 45.5.

O-E's 880 relay team of Smith, Dave Lockwood, Joe McAninch and Welton finished second in 1:33.5, and the Marauder's two-mile relay crew of Kayanek, Tim Martin, Dave Toth and Winans was second at 8:37.8. Also, the O-E freshmen mile-relay team of Kevin Wilson, Doug Thering, Martin and Mike Thornton was second at 3:49.6.

Bath's long jump relay team of Gregg Tarrant, Chris Foote and Gregg Covell was third place, as it put together two jumps totaling 37-1¼. The Bees scored in the shotput relay, as Ron Easlick, Kurt Conley and Craig Cullimore had two tosses totalling 87-9¼ for fourth.



Sand skiing

Dave Rice from St. Johns looks as though he is water skiing after this long jump at the Ovid-Elsie Relays. (Photo by Tom Nowak)

Fulton took fourth in the shuttle hurdles relay, with Brad Winsor, Jeff Cooper, Marc Batway and Joe Collins combining for a time of 1:02, while Alan Warnke took fourth in the mile run at 4:55.9.

The Pirates also took fourth in the varsity mile relay, as Batway, Warnke, Clifford Loveberry and Bob Feise finished in 3:41.5.

Gregg Tarrant finished fourth in the high hurdles in 15.7. O-E was fourth in the 440 relay, as Matt Fabus,

Steve Weir, Lockwood and McAninch had a time of 45.6. St. Johns was also fourth in the distance medley, as Brian Thelen, Scott Davidson, Todd Scott and Steve Massey had an effort of 11:24.5.

Winning fifth place was Trent Schafer of P-W, who finished the two-mile run in 10:29.2; Fulton's 880 relay team of Troub, Collins, Hanson and Drake, 1:35.0; Fulton's freshmen mile relay squad of Scott Winsor, Eric Batway, Benton Cook and

Daniel Drake, 3:52.6; the Fulton long jump relay of Troub and Brad Winsor, 35-10½; St. Johns' high jump relay team of Jeff Howe, Scott Davidson, and Cal Winsor, 11-6.

Also in fifth was the O-E pole vault team of Jeff George and Jeff Winans, 22-0.

Finishing sixth were the Bath mile relay team, the Bath 440 relay team, and the St. Johns sprint medley.

Eight meet records were set in Friday's competition.



Going to nationals

St. Johns High School's physical fitness team swept the top three individual places and the team championship in area competition April 15. Front (l-r): Alex Martinez, Rick Mee

and Jerry Peters. Back: Mike Brockmyre, Rick French, Coach Bill Brown and Bart Acino. (Photo by Tom Nowak)

SJ physical fitness team in national finals

St. Johns physical fitness team will compete in the national finals in Washington, D.C. June 17 after winning an area competition in Lansing April 15.

The Redwings' 2,204 points was the third-highest total in the 14-state region, while Rick Mee had the highest individual score in that same region with 466 points.

Alex Martinez was second in the local competition, held at Eastern High School, with

457 points and Jerry Peters was third with 450 points.

Other members of the team are Bart Acino, Rick French and Mike Brockmyre, while the Redwings are coached by Bill Brown.

The competition is based on the Marine Corps youth physical fitness test, in which the contestants compete in sit-ups, push-ups, broad jump, pull-ups and the 300-yard shuttle run. A contestant can earn up to 100 points in each event.

According to Coach Brown, the Redwings' strongest event was the most trying—the pull-ups. Brown said he hoped to get about 20 from each of his competitors, but five out of the six did 30, each scoring the maximum 100 points.

"Last year was the first year for us," Brown said, "and we went into the competition just to see what it would be like. We scored 1,926 points, and Sexton scored 1932 points to win it.

So this time we aimed for first place."

"That score (2,204) was the highest we ever had. The pressure of competition helped our scores, and I hope we react the same way at the nationals."

Rochester High School won last year's competition, sponsored by Post Cereals, with a score of 2,288.

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Fulton girls win

Fulton's girls' track team had little trouble in its opening CMAC meets of the year, whipping Bellevue 82-50 and Portland St. Patrick 106-14 on April 25.

Fulton took every event against St. Patrick. Elaine Lyon won the shot with a throw of 26-9½ and the discus with a toss of 74-0. Carrie Montague won the long jump with a leap of 14-5¾, and N. Kresge won the high jump with 4-8.

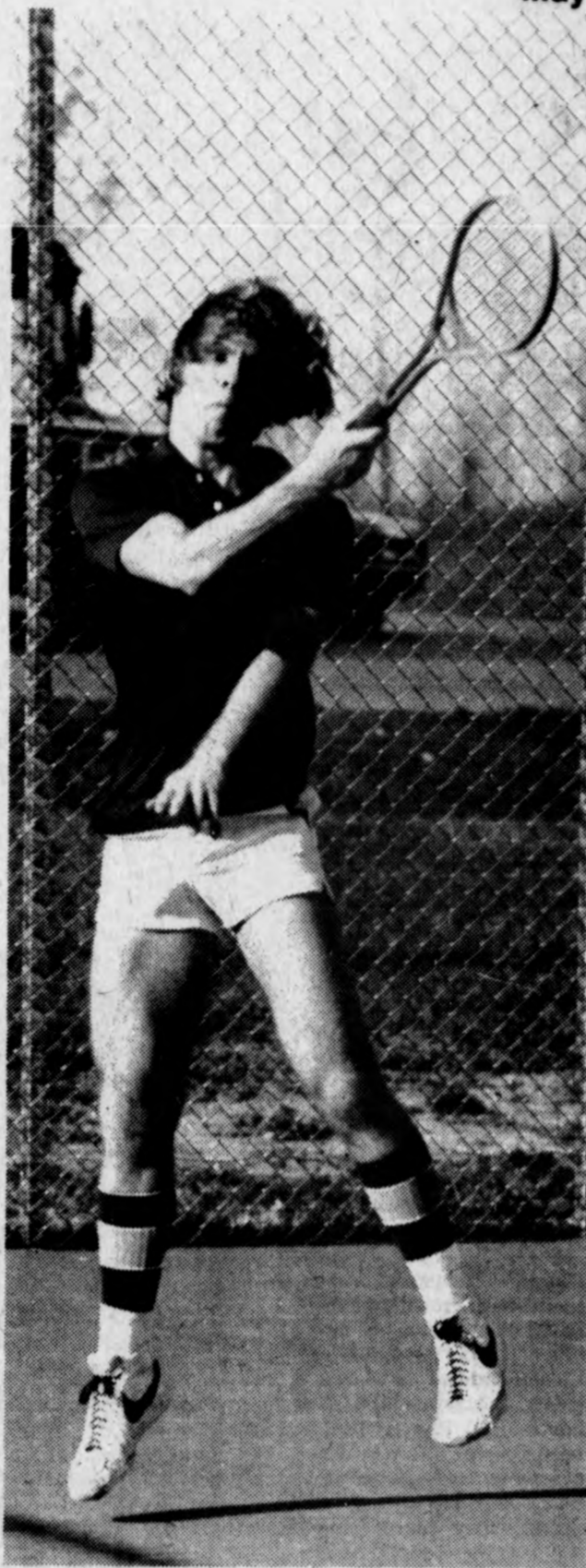
In the running events, Laurie Fricke won the 880 in 3:23.1; Carol Garner took the mile in 7:11.5; Kresge won the 100-yard dash in 14.1; Beth Batway won the 440 in 1:09.2; Martha McVannel won the low hurdles in 17.19; Karen Wheelen won the two-mile run in 17:05; and Carrie

Montague won the 220 in 29.56.

Fulton won all three relays. In the 880 relay, Linda McVannel, S. Kresge, Renee Glazier and Montague had a time of 2:02.6; Anette Bontrager, Sheila Penner, Batway and Martha McVannel won the mile relay in 4:56.4; and Glazier, Linda McVannel, S. Kresge and Bonnie Baxter took the 440 relay in 59.6.

Also winning against Bellevue were Montague in the long jump, N. Kresge won the high jump and 100-yard dash, Batway in the 440, Linda McVannel in the low hurdles, Montague in the 220 and all three relays.

Fulton, now 2-0, is at the Ithaca Relays Friday and hosts Pewamo-Westphalia and Fowler Tuesday.



Strong return

DeWitt's Mike Ferland, Number one singles player, lost his match 6-2, 6-2 against Lansing Catholic last week. (Photo by Bob Donner)

Panther netters lose 2

By Mark Szalajeski
Correspondent

The DeWitt Panther Tennis Team dropped a pair of matches this week, losing to powerful Mason, 6-1, and Lansing Catholic Central, 4-3.

Mason's number-one singles player, Karl Hanover, one of the best players in the state, blanked Mark Szalajeski 6-0, 6-0. DeWitt's number-two player, Mike Ferland, fared little better,

losing 6-0, 6-1. Marty Lass, playing number three, claimed DeWitt's only victory for the afternoon, winning 7-5, 6-4. Mark Mandrick dropped his number four singles match, 6-4, 6-3.

The number-one doubles team of Dennis Wiser and Dean Ward was defeated 6-1, 6-1. Number-two doubles, Randy Thornton and Kurt Hofmeister, lost 6-1, 6-0. After winning the first set 7-6, the third doubles team of Steve Platt and Steve Sadler dropped the last two sets and

wound up on the short end of a 6-7, 6-4, 6-2 score.

Against the Catholic Central Cougars, DeWitt's number one, Mike Ferland, was defeated 6-2, 6-3. Number two, Marty Lass, again was victorious, 6-0, 6-3. Mark Mandrick, number three, won his match 6-2, 7-5. Dean Ward, number-four singles, dropped a three-setter, 3-6, 6-2, 6-0.

Number-one doubles, Randy Thornton and Kurt Hofmeister, also lost in a lengthy three-set match, 6-2,

5-7, 7-5. Number two-doubles, Dennis Wiser and Mark Szalajeski, lost 6-3, 6-4. Steve Platt and Steve Sadler, however, won their doubles match, 6-2, 6-2.

The Panthers have a busy week. After playing Durand early in the week, they travel to Howell today, host Haslett on Friday, and then go to Maple Valley to compete in the Maple Valley Invitational on May 6. Monday, DeWitt will host the Redwings of St. Johns.

Redwings drop doubleheader

St. Johns dropped a doubleheader to Mid-Michigan B opponent Swan Valley

last Thursday on the Vikings' home field, losing the opener 3-1 and the nightcap 7-4.

Results, as the Redwings committed six in the first game and five in the second. Their opponents picked up two errors in the second game, but kept a tough defense in the opener.

pitcher and Tim Bates took the loss.

In the nightcap, St. Johns led 3-0 until the bottom of the third inning when Swan Valley picked up six runs, three scored when bases were loaded and three batters walked.

St. Johns scored one run in the fourth inning and the Vikings came back for a run in the fifth.

Mark Ray took the win on the mound and Mike Green was tagged with the loss. Don Lee came in for Greene and pitched the final three and one-half innings, striking out seven and walking only one. Pat Sipkovsky paced the Redwings' batting attack with two singles.

St. Johns had four runs on five hits and five errors. Swan Valley got seven runs on six hits and two errors.

Earlier in the week, St. Johns hosted the Hemlock Huskies, with the Huskies claiming a 2-0 victory.

Both teams got four hits, though each was scoreless until the seventh inning. Dave Kramer took the win and Dan Lee got the loss. Lee allowed only two hits before the final inning. Teammate Sipkovsky collected two singles for St. Johns.

Pirates split CMAC meets

Pewamo - Westphalia's track teams won two of four dual meets last week in the opening session of CMAC competition.

The Pirate girls beat Webberville 79-49 and lost to Pottersville 83-51, while the boys edged Webberville 72-71 and lost to Pottersville 120-38.

The boys won against Webberville despite only five first-place finishes. Tim Spencer took the shotput with a throw of 38-9 and won the discus with 115-2.

Steve Kimball won the pole vault at 10-0. Trent Schafer won the two-mile run in 10:32 and Gary Schafer won the 330 low hurdles in 41.8.

Schafer's time and Spencer's throw in the discus provided P-W's boys their only firsts against Pottersville.

The girls had eight first-place finishes against

Webberville and four against Pottersville. Michelle Cashen took the shotput against the Spartans with 26-1¾, Sandy Smith won the discus with 82-10½ and Julie Klein took the high jump with 4-4.

Mary Platte won the 880 run in 3:02 and the mile in 6:52, while Norma Simon took the 440 dash in 1:11.3. Smith, Cathy Spitzley, Norma Simon and Donna Simon won the 880 relay while Norma Simon, Bev Schmitt, Lisa Spitzley and Cathy Spitzley took the mile relay in 5:00.

Smith's throw in the discus, the mile relay, Klein's high jump and Norma Simon's 440 run all were good for firsts against Pottersville as well.

Tonight the boys go to Olivet to face the Eagles and Bellevue, and Thursday they go to Ionia. The girls meet Fowler and Fulton Tuesday at Fulton.

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- Pottersville 83, P-W 51
- Fulton 82, Bellevue 50
- Fulton 106, Portland St. Patrick 14
- Fowler 88, Laingsburg 28
- Olivet 71, Fowler 44
- Bath 80, Williamston 56
- Bullock Creek 75½, O-E 60½
- P-W 79, Webberville 49
- St. Johns 97, Swan Valley 34

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- Mason 96, DeWitt 62
- Bath 101½, Laingsburg 56½
- Pottersville 120, P-W 38
- Olivet 108, Fowler 50
- DeWitt 96, Perry 62
- Fulton 127, Bellevue 28
- Fulton 136½, Portland St. Patrick 18½
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- Laingsburg 94½, Fowler 62½

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Wild Fowler inning beats P-W



Safe at third

Dave Shephard leaps high in the air to pull down a throw at third, but his effort isn't enough to stop Fowler's Jim Theis from sliding in safely. Fowler came out on top of the wild game, 13-9. (Photo by Susan Tusa)

Westphalia
Fowler scored five runs in the sixth inning to beat Pewamo-Westphalia 13-9 in a wild CMAA game Thursday. Also last week, P-W fell to Webberville 4-1 and beat Carson City 10-8, while Fowler lost to Bellevue 3-2.

The P-W-Fowler contest was exciting, if not especially well-played. The Pirates opened with two runs in the first, but Fowler answered with three in the second.

The Eagles then came up with four unearned runs in

the third inning, using three P-W errors and one hit. It would have been even a bigger inning for Fowler if the Pirates hadn't gotten a double play with bases loaded.

The P-W came nibbling back, scoring one in the third, one in the fourth and three in the fifth to tie the game. But Fowler returned with five runs on five hits in the sixth inning, icing the game. Don Schrauben added an insurance run, a solo home run, in the seventh.

Dave Messer, Dan Braun and Mark Schrauben each had two hits for Fowler. Messer had an RBI and Mark Schrauben drove in a pair of runs. Neil Thelen had a double, two RBIs and scored twice.

Dave Bengel went all the way for P-W to take the loss, his first regular season loss in his two-year varsity career against 10 wins. His only other varsity loss came against Wyoming Lee in the Class C regionals last year. Bengel struck out 11, but

allowed 15 hits. Steve Schmitt got the win for Fowler, relieving Jeff Thelen in the sixth. P-W pitching allowed 12 hits, and each team committed eight errors.

Bengel was the top P-W batter with two hits and two RBIs, while Mike Belen, Bill Simon and Dave Shephard each had two hits.

On April 24, Bellevue slipped past the Eagles 3-2 and P-W was stopped by Webberville 4-1. All of the scoring in the Fowler game came in the fifth, when Bellevue scored three times in the top of the inning. Mark Schrauben and Doug Koenigsnecht drove in runs with a single and double, respectively, but that was the end of the Eagle attack.

"We played a super defensive ball game," Eagle Coach Jim Wetmore said. "We only had two errors, and those didn't hurt us. But we didn't hit well. We had four strikeouts, so we're making contact, but we aren't getting base hits." Fowler had five hits, but only the two run-producing

hits in the fifth inning were solid, Wetmore said. Don Schrauben took the loss, striking out seven and walking one.

P-W was shut down by the pitching of Webberville's Ron Van Sickler, who held the Pirates to five hits. Dan Miller took the loss, going two innings. Bengel came in relief.

The Pirates scored their only run in the second inning when Simon singled, moved around to third and scored on Joe Schafer's sacrifice fly.

The Pirates' bats were more active against Carson City. Bengel had a single, a home run and three RBIs, Simon had a single and two RBIs and Tom Bengel had two singles and scored a run.

Scott Simon, a sophomore, went four and two-thirds innings to get his first win. Dave Bengel pitched to five batters and struck out three.

Tonight Saranac is at P-W, Thursday the Pirates host Bellevue and Monday P-W goes to Portland St. Patrick. Thursday Fowler goes to Pottsville and Monday the Eagles go to Laingsburg.

DeWitt nine unbeaten

Mason
Strong pitching by Dave Noch and Mike Church led DeWitt to three Capital Circuit wins last week, a 5-4, 6-0 doubleheader sweep of Okemos on April 24 and a 6-5

win over Mason Friday. Noch was the winning pitcher in the first Okemos game and against Mason. The sophomore is now 2-0 with an earned run average of 0.82. Church had a no-hitter against Okemos, walking two and striking out four in the five-inning game.

DeWitt only got three hits against the Chiefs in the first game, but still managed to scrape out five runs. The Panthers did it the hard way—in the third inning they scored three runs using only one hit but three walks and six stolen bases.

Scott Waite was the top Panther hitter with a double and two RBIs. Jeff Sutton had a double, Dave Strouse had the other hit and Mark Moody had two RBIs.

Church and DeWitt were in control all the way in the second game. Waite was the offensive leader with a single, double and two RBIs.

DeWitt and Mason played a seesaw game. The Panthers had a 1-0 lead in the first inning when Terry Mitchell singled, stole second and scored on Moody's single. But Mason came right back in the bottom of the inning to tie it on an unearned run.

Moody doubled in the third and came home on Strouse's single to put DeWitt back ahead, but three unearned runs by Mason put the Bull-

dogs up 4-2. DeWitt tied the score in the fourth when Noch walked, Mitchell singled and Sutton walked to load the bases. Strouse then singled to drive in two runs.

Mason went back up in the fourth inning on its only earned run of the game, but in the sixth with two outs and Sutton on third and Moody on second, the Mason third baseman threw the ball away, the only Bulldog error of the game, and allowed the two runners to score to give DeWitt the win.

Moody had two hits, one of which was a double, while Mitchell, Strouse and Dale Challiss all had two hits.

DeWitt is now 4-0 overall and 3-0 in the Capital Circuit. The second game of the scheduled doubleheader with Mason was not played, and will be made up May 15.

DeWitt is now 4-0 overall and 3-0 in the Capital Circuit, one-half game behind Charlotte, which is 4-0. Howell trails at 3-1.

The Panthers are at home tonight against Lansing Catholic Central, then host Portland St. Patrick Friday. Saturday DeWitt is at Three Oaks, near the Indiana state line, to meet River Valley. Monday the Panthers resume league play at Howell. All the dates are doubleheaders.

LOSE ONLY 1 SET

Redwings take 3 meets

St. Johns

Last week was profitable for the St. Johns tennis team, as they took Charlotte, 7-0 on Tuesday, beat Lansing Eastern on Thursday to the tune of 6-1, and finished Friday with a 7-0 victory over Saginaw Swan Valley.

The Jayvees posted a 4-3 win over Charlotte on Tuesday. Against Swan Valley, Tim Halfman won the first singles competition with a 6-3, 6-0 score against Dave Little; Bryan Salminen won second singles 6-2, 6-2; Jim Vitous had a 6-2, 6-1 match in the third singles play; and Jim Dedyne went 6-3, 6-1 for a fourth singles win.

Alan Gore and Jeff Swears had an easy 6-2, 6-1 win in the first doubles slot against Tim Giacchetti and Nick Mugura; Ron Moon and Jon Salminen combined for a 6-4, 6-2 win in the second doubles competition; and Jason Livingston and Kurt Stork won 6-2, 6-2 in third doubles.

The win gave St. Johns a 5-2 record while Swan Valley dropped to an even 3-3.

The Redwings didn't have much difficulty with Lansing Eastern, either. Number one

singles player Bryan Salminen took a 6-2, 6-1 win over Lee Chepy; and Jim Vitous in the number two slot was defeated by Dave Estrada 6-1, 2-6, and 6-2 for St. Johns' sole loss of the week.

Third singles play was won by Dedyne, 6-0, 6-1; and Jeff Musolf finished with a 6-1, 7-6 win.

Gove and Swears took a 6-4, 6-4 match from Jerry Sohr and Jim Palamara in first doubles play while Moon and J. Salminen got an easy 6-1, 6-1 match over Livingston and Stork went 6-4, 6-3 in third doubles.

St. Johns swept Charlotte, beginning with Halfman's 7-6, 6-3 victory over Eric Deller in first singles. B. Salminen posted a 6-1, 6-2 win in second singles; Vitous won a 6-1, 6-2 match in third singles; and Dedyne claimed a 6-4, 6-4 win in fourth singles.

Gove and Swears had no trouble putting away Steve Banks and Kevin Shuneson in first doubles action, 6-1, 6-2. Moon and J. Salminen combined for a 7-5, 6-4 win in second doubles play; and Musolf and Rod VanOrsdol took a 6-2, 6-3 win in third

doubles.

Claiming victories in the JV competition were Jason Livingston who defeated Don Kelley 6-2, 6-1 in first singles; Garth Banninga took a 6-3, 6-2 win in second singles; the first doubles team of Chuck Coleman and Kevin O'Connor took Tim Johnson and Mike Nelson 6-1, 4-6 and 6-4; and the second doubles team of Jon Strombom and Scott VanBuren posted a 6-4, 6-4 win.

Losing their matches were third singles player Jerry Curtis who lost to Tim Walton 4-6, 7-6 and 6-0; Jay Richards who lost to Jim Maatsch 5-7, 6-3 and 6-2; and the third doubles team of Tom Vitous and Dan Halfman who dropped a 6-2, 7-5 match to Mike Shuneson and Barry Lewellyn.

The St. Johns JV's upped their season record to 3-1 by defeating Charlotte.

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Redwing girls win, boys lose

By Marcia Lusk
Correspondent

Saginaw
The Redwing track teams split a conference meet at Swan Valley Wednesday, as the girls defeated the Vikings 97-34 and the boy's team lost 78-70.

The girls' 440, 880 and mile relay teams again took all of their events. Brenda Bennett was number one in the one- and two-mile runs with a

time of 6:04.3 for the mile and 12:50 for the two-mile. Julie Bennett was third in the two-mile and fourth in the mile.

In the shorter distances, Debbie Grennell was first in the low hurdles and second in the 220 yard dash. Kim Martin was fourth in the 440- and 880-yard dashes, Elaine Miller was fourth in the low hurdles, and Carmen Young and Donna Feldpausch were first and third in the 100-yard dash.

Denise Cerny took first place in the high jump at 4-8 and second in the long jump. Connie Pattison was first in the discus with her toss of 94-0, and third in the shot put. Ronda took second in the shot and third in the discus, and Donna Feldpausch and Elaine Miller were third in the long jump and the high jump, respectively.

For the boys, Brian Thelen placed first in the discus and the 880-yard dash and second in the 440 dash. Todd Scott

was first in the two mile with time of 10:55.6, and also was third in the mile. Steve Massey was first in the mile, timed at 5:02, and second in the 880 yard dash.

Andy Spencer was third in the 220- and 440-yard dashes; Mark Purtil took first in the high hurdles with a time of 16.7, and was fourth in the low hurdles. Mike Moore and Eric Brockmyre tied in fourth place in the pole vault, and Moore also placed third

in the low hurdles.

Bruce Szarka was third in both discus and shot put; Dave Rice was third in the long jump and fourth in the 100 yard dash; and Mike Stafford was fourth in the discus and the 440 dash. The mile relay team also won with a time of 3:44.8.

Tonight the Redwings entertain Corunna, then Friday the boys go to DeWitt while the girls are at the Haslett Invitational.



Covering all the base

When Pewamo-Westphalia's Lynn Wieber covers third base, she doesn't fool around—she also covers the runner. This runner was Fowler's Becky Snider. Snider was safe, but P-W still won the CMAC game 11-4. (Photo by Susan Tusa)

O-E battles losing streak

Midland

Ovid-Elsie's baseball team dropped to 0-4 in the Mid-Michigan B league last week with three losses, a 5-1 defeat at the hands of Corunna and a doubleheader loss to Bullock Creek, 11-7 and 6-2.

One of the Marauder's problems was that they couldn't get a decent offensive game and a strong pitching performance at the same time. Against Corunna Brian Byrnes, Rogert Stiles and Dan Fabus all pitched fairly well, but O-E only had

three hits, two by Mike Davis, and only an unearned run.

Byrnes, the starter and loser, struck out eight in three innings before he was removing because of a pulled muscle. However, the senior also allowed three runs, included a wind-aided home run in the third inning.

Stiles allowed two runs in the fourth inning, but Fabus came in and held the Cavaliers in check for the last three innings.

The Marauders scored

plenty of runs in the opening game at Bullock Creek, but that game the pitching failed. John Micka, who had been a reliable performer all season long, couldn't find the plate in the opening inning. He only lasted two-thirds of an inning, walking six, and O-E found itself down 7-0 after just one inning.

But this time the Marauders scored some runs. Byrnes started it with a second-inning home run with the bases empty, and in the third Matt Fabus singled and

scored on Brad Hudecek's double.

Larry Knutson homered in the fourth for O-E, and in the fifth Fabus hit a home run with one on. Hudecek closed the Marauder scoring with a two-run home run in the seventh. Fabus was three for four, and Hudecek was two for three.

By the second game Coach Jack Nutter was out of pitchers, so he was forced to go with Mike Hudecek, a sophomore just back from a basketball injury. But layoff didn't appear to hurt him much—after the first inning, anyway.

The Lancers struck for five runs in the first, using two walks, a couple of errors and a home run. But Hudecek soon took control and went on to strike out seven while only walking two and allowing just two earned runs.

Brad Hudecek was three for four, while Knutson was two for three. O-E outhit Bullock Creek nine to eight, but the Marauders couldn't get the timely hit, stranding 14 runners on base.

Thursday O-E travels to Alma for an MMB doubleheader.

Pirates down Fowler

Fowler

Pewamo - Westphalia's softball team has been squandering leads recently, but at least the Pirates are moving in the right direction.

April 24 the Pirates blew an early lead and lost to Webberville 9-6. Wednesday the Pirates had a 7-0 lead against Carson City and hung on for a 7-5 win, and Thursday Fowler mounted a sixth-inning rally but P-W still cruised to an 11-4 victory.

Everybody was hitting for

the Pirates against Fowler, as Diane Klein, Carol Schafer and Julie Thelen all had four hits, while Lynn Wieber, Therese Simon, Colleen Smith and Maureen Cook all had three hits.

P-W scored three in the first, three in the second, three in the fourth and two in the sixth. Fowler scored all four of its runs in the sixth.

Kat Schmitt and Shirley Hengesbach each went two for four to lead the Eagle batters. Julie Thelen was the winning pitcher, and Jane George took the loss for

Fowler.

Fowler lost another CMAC game, a 10-0 decision to Bellevue April 24. The Eagles only had four hits that game.

P-W could be grateful that Webberville only scored nine runs, since the Spartans had 18 hits and the Pirates made 10 errors. Two double plays in the early going erased Webberville scoring threats, however, and P-W had a good lead going into the sixth inning.

But everything fell apart in the final two innings. Webberville started hitting, P-W stopped catching and the Pirates gave up eight runs in the last two innings to take their second league loss.

Simon and Klein each had two hits, including a double, and two RBIs, while Schafer and Thelen each drove in one run. P-W had eight hits.

P-W seemed as if it was going to pull the same trick against Carson City. The Pirates had a 7-0 lead in the fifth inning but the errors popped up again in the late going. Carson City scored four in the sixth, but the Pirates held them to a single run in the seventh to take the non-league win.

Wieber was three for four that game with two doubles. Klein had two hits and Schafer and Thelen had one hit apiece.

P-W, 3-2 overall and 1-2 in the CMAC, hosts Saranac today is at Bellevue Thursday and entertains Portland St. Patrick Monday. Fowler, 3-4 overall and 1-2 in the league, is at home against Potterville Thursday and against Laingsburg Tuesday.

Fulton girls win 1

Middleton

Fulton's softball team split a pair of conference games last week, beating Portland St. Patrick 19-17 on April 24 but falling to Bellevue Thursday 11-3.

Suzanne Gruhaugh led the Pirate attack with four hits in six at-bats and four RBIs. Ronna Gallagher was four for six with three RBIs, Tina Welch was two for four with a pair of RBIs and Chris Hunt was two for three and drove in two runs.

Also, Jennifer Ely and Farah Ondrus were three for six with one RBI and Carla Litwiller was one for four with two RBIs.

Middleton

After a rough week, everyone looks forward to an easy weekend. Fulton struggled through two conference losses during the week, a 3-1 loss to Portland St. Patrick Monday and a 2-0 decision to Bellevue Thursday, but the Pirates swept a doubleheader from Ashley 15-4 and 4-0 Saturday.

Both the St. Patrick and Bellevue games saw weak hitting performances by Fulton, with the Pirates getting three hits off the Shamrocks and four off the Broncos.

The lack of punch didn't help pitcher Randy Troub, who dropped both league contests. Troub has only allowed four earned runs in the CMAC, but has just a 1-2 record. The Fulton senior only allowed nine hits in the two games.

"We couldn't buy a break last week," Fulton Coach Warren Kent said. "Not a lot of things went wrong, but enough to get beat."

"We didn't get timely hits. Against Bellevue we had three hits in one inning, including a double, and still

didn't score a run. On any other day we could have beaten St. Pat's and Bellevue, but that's the way it is in our league."

But things are different outside of the league, apparently, as Fulton swept past Ashley.

The Bears were only down 5-4 in the sixth inning of the first game, but Fulton scored 10 running in the bottom of that inning to win going away. The Pirates had 17 hits and were aided by four Ashley errors.

Meanwhile, Terry Hnetyka and Jim Sali, who regularly play catcher and third base, kept Ashley in check. Hnetyka, the winning pitcher, went three innings and allowed one hit, while Sali finished the game, also allowing just one hit. Not bad showings for a pair who, according to their coach, "hadn't pitched since Little League."

Gary Moore had three hits for Fulton, including two doubles, and a pair of RBIs. Tim Childers had three hits, two of them doubles, and three RBIs, and Jeff

Stephens had three hits, including a double.

Hnetyka had three hits and drove in three runs.

The second game of the doubleheader was truly a giveaway. Fulton was outhit by the Bears five to three but Ashley committed six errors, and all the Pirates runs were unearned.

The outfield seemed to be a particular sore spot for Ashley, as three errors by the centerfielder in the third inning cost the Bears three runs.

Sali had two hits for Fulton, while Hnetyka had the other safety. Kelly Shaw took the loss, pitching a strong game for Ashley.

Fulton, 1-2 in the league and 6-5 overall, Carson City tonight and hosts Mt. Pleasant Sacred Heart Thursday, both non-league games. Monday the Pirates entertain Potterville.

Fulton loses 2 in CMAC

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DeWitt wins 3 more

DeWitt's softball team moved its record to 5-1 and its Capital Circuit mark to 4-1 with three wins last week.

On April 24 the Panthers destroyed Class A Harry Hill 19-2, the following day DeWitt beat Haslett 18-5 in a league game and Thursday the Panthers knocked off another league opponent, Eaton Rapids, 6-2.

Cindy White was the pitching star of the week, picking up wins in the two league games, striking out nine against Haslett and eight against Eaton Rapids. In addition, White moved her batter average to .60 for six games.

DeWitt settled matters with Hill quickly, scoring 11 runs in the top of the first. DeWitt added four runs in the third and again in the fourth.

Tammy Boughton had a triple and three RBIs that game, while Denise Davis was four for four with four RBIs and Maureen Stevens went two for four with four RBIs. DeWitt had 16 hits.

Sue Noch went all the way to get the win, allowing Hill only two hits. DeWitt had one error, Hill three.

The Panthers also jumped off against Haslett, scoring three times in the first and five more in the second. DeWitt scored in every inning.

DeWitt showed heavy hitting that day. Della Hughes had a home run, Davis had four hits, including a home run and four RBIs, and White led everyone with four hits.

including a home run, a triple and four RBIs. DeWitt had 15 hits.

White continued her offensive onslaught against Eaton Rapids with a triple, home run and three RBIs. Noch had two hits and scored twice, putting her batting

average at .500.

On April 21, DeWitt came from behind in the bottom of the seventh to edge Lansing Catholic Central 7-6. Stevens had the key hit, a two-out seventh-inning double which drove in Noch and Davis. Linda Noch got the

win in relief.

Thursday the Panthers entertain Okemos in a league game, and this weekend they travel to Lansing for the Eastern High School tournament Saturday and Friday. Tuesday they host Sexton in another non-league match.

Fowler girls beat Olivet

Olivet Fowler's track teams opened their conference schedule last week by getting one win out of four dual meets.

The Eagle girls picked up the lone win, beating Laingsburg 88-28, while they lost to Olivet 71-44. The boys lost to Laingsburg 94½-62½ and to Olivet 108-50.

The boys had only three first-place winners, all winning against Olivet and Laingsburg. Neil Hufnagel won twice, taking the long jump with a leap of 20-3 and the 330-yard low hurdles in 43.15, a Fowler record. Doug Koenigsnecht was the other winner, taking the high jump with 5-10.

The girls had more success, scoring five first places against both opponents and eight more won against just Laingsburg. Janet Feldpausch was a double winner, taking the long jump with a leap of 15-2½ and the 110-yard low hurdles at 16.3. Sharon Goerge also had two wins in each meet, taking the 880 in 2:54.1 and the 220 in 29.0, a

school record. Jane Goerge won the 100-yard dash in 12.4 seconds, beating her Laingsburg and Olivet opposition.

Winning against Laingsburg were Katherine Schmitt, shotput; 30-10; Sandy Thelen and Sue Farley, tied in the high jump, 4-2; Cindy Klein, two mile, a school-record 13:29.6; and Farley, 440, 67.4. Also winners were Donna Pung, Farley, Lois Koenigs-

knecht and Shelia Schafer, 880 relay, 2:10.8; Cindy Klein, mile run, 6:22.0, her second record performance of the day; Judy Braun, Lois Koenigsnecht, Feldpausch and Kay Snider, 440 relay, 60.2; and Mandy Miller, Farley, Cheri Halfmann and Phyllis Thelen, mile relay, 4:49.

The Eagle boys are at Pottersville tonight, while the girls are at Fulton Tuesday.

Panthers split dual meets in Perry

DeWitt High School had four record-breaking performances last week while splitting a pair of dual

meets, beating Perry 96-62 Wednesday but losing to Mason by that same score on April 24.

Ron Hensley claimed two of the records, going 6-5 in the high jump against Perry and taking the two-mile against Mason in 9:42. Roland Hensley finished second in that race in 9:48, also beating the old DeWitt mark.

John Enderle was the final record setter, throwing the discus 131-9 against Mason.

The Panthers had five other wins against the Bulldogs, and Enderle had a hand in three of them. He won the shotput with a toss of 41-7, took the 440 dash in 53.1 and was on the winning mile relay team with Greg De-Smith, Steve Sutton and Dave Wilson, which had a time of 3:39.8.

Ron Hensley went 6-2 to win the high jump, while Dave Wilson recorded the area's first sub-minute 880-yard run, winning in 1:58.3. In the non-league victory over Perry, Ron Hensley won the two mile in 10:08.6 and Roland Hensley had a double win, taking the 880 in 2:07 and the mile in 4:37.4.

Tony Faggion was a double winner in the hurdles, winning the 330 lows in 40.0 and the 120-highs in 15.9. John Lass took the 100-yard dash in 10.7, Scott Talman took the 220 in 23.9 and Sutton won the 440 dash in 56.3.

The 880 relay team of Mark Wilson, Mike Schaar, Lass and Talman won in 1:37.0, while the mile relay team of Faggion, Ron Hensley, Roland Hensley and Enderle won in 3:38.2.

The Panthers go to Howell tonight, host St. Johns Friday and Haslett Monday.

2 break school track records

Elsie Two school records fell last week, but so did the Ovid-Elsie girls' track team, as the Marauders lost to Bullock Creek 75½-60½ Wednesday.

Freshman Jennifer Litomisky was one of the record-setters, going 4-10 against

the Lancers. That mark was short-lived, however, since Saturday she jumped 4-11 at the East Lansing ninth grade relays.

Robin Parker set the other school record with a time of 16.6 in the 110-yard low hurdles.

Lori Webster was a double winner, taking the shot with a throw of 34-3½ and the discus with 98-11. Jodi Hehrer, won the 880 in 2:42.3 and Vicki Sehlke took the 100-yard dash in 12.3.

The 440 relay team of Kristie Hose, Debbie Fraker, Parker and Sehlke was also victorious, winning in 55.5.

Bullock Creek ran well in the 220 dash and mile relay, 15 points in those last events to win the meet.

Ovid-Elsie took 10 girls to the East Lansing relays Saturday. No team points were kept, but the highlight of the trip was the high jump relay. Litomisky combined with Sehlke for a height of 9-4. Litomisky accounted for 4-11 of that, while Sehlke had a leap of 4-5.

Ed Damer of Lansing won \$500 in the Super Stock class, while Jim Terrill and Gary Fedewa took second and third.

Crystal Raceway opens

Crystal Kris Patterson of St. Johns took home the first place trophy and a \$250 prize in the Limited Sportsman class at Crystal Raceway's opening session Saturday.

Ed Damer of Lansing won \$500 in the Super Stock class, while Jim Terrill and Gary Fedewa took second and third.



Pewamo-Westphalia softball

The Pewamo-Westphalia softball team. Front (l-r): Diane Klein, Vicky Freund, Therese Simon, Carol Schafer, Robin Schafer, and Denise Pline. Back: Mary Kay Hanses,

Maureen Cook, Jeanne Spitzley, Colleen Smith, Lynn Weiber, Julie Thelen, Lori Barker and Coach Bonnie Somero. (Photo by Tom Nowak)

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Sports schedule

Baseball

May 3
Lansing Catholic at DeWitt (2)
Saranac at Pewamo-Westphalia

May 4
Mt. Pleasant Sacred Heart at Fulton
St. Johns at Chesaning (2)
Ovid-Elsie at Alma (2)
Bellevue at Pewamo-Westphalia
Fowler at Potterville

May 5
Portland St. Patrick at DeWitt (2)

May 6
Charlotte at St. Johns (2)

May 8
Pewamo-Westphalia at Portland St. Patrick
Potterville at Fulton
DeWitt at Howell (2)
Fowler at Laingsburg

May 9
Bullock Creek at St. Johns.
Bath at Dansville

Softball

May 3
Saranac at Pewamo-Westphalia
Fowlerville at Bath
Fulton at Mt. Pleasant Sacred Heart

May 4
Alma at Ovid-Elsie (2)
Okemos at DeWitt
Potterville at Fowler
Pewamo-Westphalia at Bellevue

May 5
DeWitt at Lansing Eastern tournament

May 6
DeWitt at Lansing Eastern tournament
Ovid-Elsie at Ithaca (2)

May 8
Fulton at Potterville
Laingsburg at Fowler
Bath at Leslie
Portland St. Patrick at Pewamo-Westphalia
Sexton at DeWitt

Tennis

May 3
DeWitt at Howell

May 4
St. Johns at Corunna

May 5
Haslett at DeWitt

May 6
DeWitt at Maple Valley Invitational

May 8
St. Johns at DeWitt

Track

May 3
DeWitt at Howell
Hemlock at Ovid-Elsie
Fowler at Potterville (boys)
Pewamo-Westphalia, Bellevue at Olivet
Corunna at St. Johns
Fulton, Webberville at Laingsburg (boys)

May 4
Pewamo-Westphalia at Ionia

May 5
DeWitt at St. Johns (boys)
St. Johns, Bath at Haslett Invitational (girls)
Fulton at Ithaca Relays (girls)

May 6
Fulton at St. Charles Invitational (boys)
Ovid-Elsie at Tecumseh Relays
Bath at Quincy Relays (boys)

May 8
Bath at East Lansing (boys)
Haslett at DeWitt

Racing returns

Super Stock racing will return to the high-banked one-half mile of the Owosso Speedway Sunday as Rodger Ward, in cooperation with Justice Brothers Automotive Chemicals, presents the 6th Annual C.A.R.S. Classic.

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The gates for this program will open at 4 p.m. with time trials starting at 4:30 p.m. The first event is scheduled for 6 p.m.

Bath defeated

Stockbridge

Bath's baseball team lost two lopsided games to Stockbridge Tuesday, 24-0 and 11-1.

Don Cronk was the top hitter for the Bees, managing three hits for the afternoon. Tuesday the Bees are at Dansville.

O-E track loses

Elsie

Ovid-Elsie's boys' track team lost to Mid-Michigan B league meet Wednesday to Bullock Creek 83 1/2 to 74 1/2.

The Marauders collected eight firsts in the loss. Matt Fabus won the shot put with a throw of 41-2, and Perry Salyer won the long jump with 19-8. That was a costly jump, however, as Salyer pulled his Achilles tendon on the landing and is now on crutches.

final individual winner, taking the 440 dash in 53.8.

The Marauders had their usual success in the relays, sweeping all three. The 880 relay team of Mike Shank, Dave Lockwood, Joe McAninch and Welton won in 1:36; the 440 relay team of Weir, Lockwood and McAninch won in 46.5; and the mile relay squad of Bill Kayanek, Tim Martin, Welton and Jeff Winans took their event in 3:43.5.

Steve Weir swept the hurdles, winning the 330 lows in 42.6 and the 120 highs in 18.1. Brett Welton was the

O-E hosts Hemlock tonight, goes to the Tecumseh Relays Saturday and is at Alma Tuesday.

CARLAND

Carland's United Methodist Women met at the home of Mrs. Everett Reneaud in Carland, Wednesday evening, April 5, to plan Carland's Social Event of the year: The Mother and Daughter Banquet.

This social event has taken place every Spring in Carland since 1903. Seventy-five years ago, the mothers and daughters were brought to the event in horse drawn buggies. Programs over the period of years have included musical, magic, skits, dolls, and poems.

Comptroller of the Currency
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REPORT OF CONDITION

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Charter number 3378 National Bank Region Number 7

ASSETS		Thousands of Dollars
Cash and due from banks		49,395
U.S. Treasury securities		NONE
Obligations of other U.S. Gov't agencies and corps		893
Obligations of States and political subdivisions		1,572
Other bonds, notes, and debentures		NONE
Federal Reserve stock and corporate stock		NONE
Trading account securities		1,139
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell		90,860
Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	49,919	11,639
Less: Reserve for possible loan losses	524	
Loans, Net		49,395
Direct lease financing		NONE
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises		893
Real estate owned other than bank premises		1,572
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies		NONE
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding		NONE
Other assets		1,139
TOTAL ASSETS		90,860
Demand deposits of individuals, prtshps., and corps.		11,639
Time and savings deposits of individuals, prtshps., and corps.		58,757
Deposits of United States Government		178
Deposits of States and political subdivisions		11,962
Deposits of foreign govts. and official institutions		NONE
Deposits of commercial banks		NONE
Certified and officers' checks		457
TOTAL DOMESTIC DEPOSITS		82,993
Total demand deposits	14,129	
Total time and savings deposits	68,864	
Total deposits in foreign offices		NONE
TOTAL DEPOSITS IN DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN OFFICES		82,993
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase		NONE
Liabilities for borrowed money		NONE
Mortgage indebtedness and liability for capitalized leases		274
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding		NONE
Other liabilities		999
TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)		84,266
Subordinated notes and debentures		NONE
Preferred stock No. shares outstanding NONE (par value)		NONE
Common stock a. No. shares authorized 351,952		
b. No. shares outstanding 351,952 (par value)		1,760
Surplus		1,848
Undivided profits		2,884
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves		102
TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL		6,594
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL		90,860
Average for 30 calendar days ending with report date:		
Cash and due from banks		4,934
Fed. funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell		3,755
Total loans		49,824
Time deposits of \$100,000 or more in domestic offices		6,954
Total deposits		83,315
Fed. funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase		NONE
Liabilities for borrowed money		NONE
TOTAL ASSETS		91,061
Standby letters of credit (outstanding as of report date)		180
Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more (outstanding as of report date)		7,866
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Robert W. Whatley
Signature
April 28, 1978
Date

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

John A. Bumbough
Paul R. Dinsley
Gordon C. White
Directors

Securities having a par value of \$4,700,000.00 were pledged at March 31, 1978 as collateral for public deposits including \$1,153,000.00 of the Treasurer, State of Michigan and for other purposes required by law.

DHS drops 2

DeWitt's girls' track team fell to Mason last Monday, 73-63, and then hosted Holt on Thursday, only to see their guests take home an 82 1/2-53 1/2 victory.

Against Mason, Liz Faggion took the high jump and then ran on the winning 880 relay and 440 relay teams. The 880 relay team finished with a 1:53.3 clocking.

Also finishing in first place against Mason were Liz Jensen with a 12:35.7 time in the two-mile run; Kathy Severs finished at 12.1 in the 100

yard dash; and Lori Grendys took 5:12.5 to finish the one-mile run.

Stacy Love of Mason set a school record in the long jump at 17-0 1/4.

Nancy Garland had a double win against Holt, taking the long jump in 17-2 1/2 and the shot put in 35-6 1/2. Liz Jensen ran the two mile in 12:48.04; Lori Grendys finished the one mile in 5:49.4; and DeWitt's 440-relay team took first with a 52.5 clocking. Holt runners finished first in the remainder of the events.

Bath girls up record to 3-0

By Jenni Snider

Bath girl's track upped their dual meet record to 3-0

last week, with wins over Laingsburg (108-38) and Williamston (80-56).

Bath was strong in the Laingsburg meet, placing first in every event except the 220-yard dash. Ruth Miehlke placed first in discus, shot put, and long jump to get things off to a good start. The first three places of the high jump were taken by Bath girls.

Later in the week, Bath met Williamston, which gave them a little more competition. The 440-relay team knocked 3 seconds off their time from the Laingsburg meet and came in with a 55.8. Kathy Nichols placed first in the 880 yard run with a time of 2:40, and first in the Mile run with a time of 6:08.

Earlier in the season the team had a good showing at the Spartan Relays, placing 15th among a field of 44 schools. They also placed third at a triangular meet against Holt (1st) and Pinckney (2nd).

Village of Fowler

At a regular meeting of the Council of the Village of Fowler, Clinton County, Michigan, held in the Village Hall on the 10th day of April, 1978, at 7:00 o'clock p.m., Eastern Standard Time.

PRESENT: Dennis Smith, James Koenigsnecht, Stephen Spicer, Leroy George, Wayne McCausey, Roy Smith.

ABSENT: None.

The Village Clerk presented maps, preliminary plans and specifications, a cost estimate in the amount of \$1,000,000, and an estimate of useful life, all prepared by Fishbeck, Thompson, Carr & Huber, Inc., consulting engineers, for proposed improvements and replacements for the Village of Fowler Water Supply System.

By unanimous consent, the maps, plans, specifications, and cost estimate for and estimate of useful life of the proposed improvements and replacements for the Village of Fowler Water Supply System were ordered to be filed with the Village Clerk.

The following ordinance was offered by James Koenigsnecht who moved its adoption, and Roy Smith seconded the motion:

ORDINANCE NO. 78-

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR ACQUIRING IMPROVEMENTS AND REPLACEMENTS FOR THE WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM OF THE VILLAGE OF FOWLER, MICHIGAN; TO PROVIDE FOR THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF REVENUE BONDS TO PAY PART OF THE COST THEREOF; TO PROVIDE FOR THE RETIREMENT AND SECURITY OF THE BONDS AND TO PROVIDE FOR OTHER MATTERS RELATIVE TO THE SYSTEM AND THE BONDS.

THE VILLAGE OF FOWLER, CLINTON COUNTY, MICHIGAN, ORDAINS:

Section 1. Whenever used in this ordinance or in the bonds to be issued hereunder, except when otherwise indicated by the context:

a. The term "Village" shall mean the Village of Fowler.

b. The term "Council" shall mean the Council of the Village of Fowler, the legislative and governing body thereof.

c. The term "project" shall mean the improvements and replacements to be acquired pursuant to this ordinance.

d. The term "acquired" shall be construed to include acquisition by purchase, construction or by any other method.

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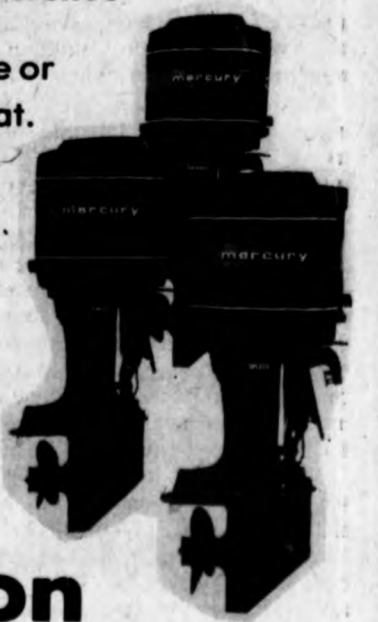
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e. The terms "water supply system" and "system" shall be construed to include all water tanks, lines, pumps, pipes, mains, plants, works, equipment, wells, instrumentalities and properties, as the same shall from time to time exist, used or useful in connection with obtaining, treating and distributing water by the Village.

f. The term "current expenses" shall be construed to include all reasonable and necessary costs of operating, repairing, maintaining and insuring the water supply system but shall exclude depreciation and payments into the Bond and Interest Redemption Fund.

g. The terms "revenues" and "net revenues" shall be construed as defined in Section 3 of Act No. 94, Michigan Public Acts of 1933, as now amended.

h. The term "FHA" shall mean the Farmers Home Administration of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Section 2. The Council hereby determines it to be advisable and necessary to acquire improvements and replacements for the water supply system of the Village by acquiring the following in accordance with maps, plans and specifications prepared and to be prepared by Fishbeck, Thompson, Carr & Huber, Inc., consulting engineers, (the "Engineers"), to wit:

- a. Develop new well or wells.
b. Construct a new elevated storage tank.
c. Install a new control system.
d. Replace substandard mains and construct new water main extensions.

Section 3. The Council does hereby adopt the Engineers' estimate of 40 years and upwards as the period of usefulness of the project, and the Engineers' estimate of \$1,000,000 as the cost of the project.

Section 4. There are hereby authorized to be issued and sold pursuant to the provisions of Act No. 94, Michigan Public Acts of 1933, as amended, revenue bonds of the Village, aggregating the principal sum of \$577,000 for the purpose of paying part of the cost of the project (the balance of the estimated cost to be paid by a FHA grant of \$423,000), the bonds to be designated "Water Supply System Revenue Bonds, Series 1978" and shall mature serially on July 1 in each year as follows:

- \$2,000 in each of the years 1980 and 1981; 6,000 in each of the years 1982 through 1988; 9,000 in each of the years 1989 through 1993; 12,000 in each of the years 1994 through 1998; 15,000 in each of the years 1999 through 2004; 20,000 in each of the years 2005 through 2007; 24,000 in each of the years 2008 through 2012; and 27,000 in each of the years 2013 through 2018.

The bonds shall be in the denomination of \$1,000 each or multiples thereof as shall be specified by the original purchaser: shall be dated as of the date of delivery of the bonds; shall be numbered consecutively in the direct order of their maturities from 1 upwards; may be coupon bonds payable to the bearer, may be registered bonds as to principal only, or may be registered bonds as to both principal and interest, registration to be at the option of the holder; and shall bear interest at a rate or rates to be hereafter determined, payable on January 1, 1979, and thereafter semi-annually on the first days of July and January in each year.

Registration of the bonds shall be recorded in the registration books of the Village to be kept by its Treasurer and noted by the Treasurer of the Village in the registration form on the reverse side of each registered bond. Registered bonds may be transferred or placed in bearer form only by submitting the same, together with a satisfactory instrument of transfer signed by the registered holder or his legal representative duly authorized in writing, to the Treasurer of the Village. No transfer of registered bonds shall be valid unless and until so registered on the registration books of the Village and so noted on the reverse side of the bond. The person in whose name any bond is registered may for all purposes, notwithstanding any notice to the contrary, be deemed and treated by the Village as the absolute owner thereof, whether the bond is overdue or not, and any payment of principal or interest by the Village to the registered holder of any bond shall constitute a valid discharge of the Village's liability upon such bond to the extent of such payment. Registration of any bond shall not be transferred less than five (5) days prior to any interest payment date nor after the bond has been called for redemption. Both the principal of and the interest on the bonds shall be payable to the respective registered holders thereof in lawful money of the United States of America, such principal payments to be made upon presentation and surrender of the bonds at the office of the Treasurer of the Village and interest payments to the holders of bonds registered as to both principal and interest shall be made by mail addressed to the registered holders at their registered addresses. None of the bonds shall bear interest at a rate in excess of five (5) per cent per annum. The interest rate on any one bond shall be at one rate only and be represented by only one coupon for each coupon period and all bonds maturing in the same year shall carry the same interest rate.

The bonds shall be subject to redemption prior to maturity in any order and in whole or in part, at the option of Village, on any one or more interest payment dates. Notice of redemption shall be given to the holders of the bonds to be redeemed by publication of such notice not less than thirty (30) days prior to the date fixed for redemption at least once in a newspaper or publication circulated in the City of Detroit, Michigan, which carries as part of its regular service notices of the sale of municipal bonds; provided, that where any bond shall be registered, notice of the redemption thereof shall be given by registered mail of the United States Postal Service addressed to the registered holder thereof at the address shown on the bond registration books of the Village, which notice shall be mailed within the State of Michigan not less than thirty (30) days prior to the date fixed for redemption. Bonds called for redemption shall not bear interest after the date fixed for redemption, provided funds are on hand with the paying agent, or the Treasurer of the Village of Fowler in the case of registered bonds, to redeem the same.

The principal of the bonds payable to bearer and the interest on the coupon bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at such bank or trust company qualified to serve as paying agent under the laws of the State of Michigan or the United States of America, as shall be designated by the original purchaser of the bonds with the approval of the Village, upon presentation and surrender of the bonds and attached coupons as they severally mature. In the event that the FHA purchases all of the bonds, and the bonds are registered in the name of the FHA both as to principal and interest, payments of the principal and interest on the bonds shall be paid by the Village to the FHA Finance Office.

Section 5. The President and Clerk of the Village shall execute the bonds for and on behalf of the Village, and the Clerk shall affix the seal of the Village thereto. The Treasurer of the Village shall execute the interest coupons to be attached to the bonds by causing to be affixed thereto his facsimile signature. The Treasurer of the Village shall deliver the bonds and attached coupons to the purchaser thereof, as hereafter

determined by the Council, upon receipt of the purchase price therefor. In the event the bonds are sold to the FHA and the FHA requests delivery in installments, such delivery, payment, and adjustment in coupons, if necessary, shall be made in accordance with the provisions of Section 2A of Chapter 3 of Act 202 of the Public Acts of 1943, as amended.

Section 6. The bonds herein authorized shall be sold in the manner provided in Section 12 of Act No. 94, Michigan Public Acts of 1933, as amended.

Section 7. The principal of and interest on the bonds shall be payable primarily from the net revenues derived from the operation of the water supply system, including future improvements, enlargements and extensions thereof. To secure the payment of the principal of and interest on the bonds, and on any additional bonds of equal standing issued as hereinafter provided, there is hereby created in favor of the holders of the bonds and the interest coupons pertaining thereto, and each of such holders, a first lien, by Act No. 94, Michigan Public Acts of 1933, as amended, made a statutory lien, upon the net revenues of the water supply system, including future improvements, enlargements and extensions thereof. The net revenues so pledged shall be and remain subject to the lien until the payment in full of the principal of and interest on the bonds. As additional and secondary security, pursuant to Section 7(2) of Act No. 94, Michigan Public Acts of 1933, as amended, the full faith and credit of the Village is hereby pledged to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds when due. In the event the net revenues of the water supply system are insufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds when due, the Village hereby contracts to pay the same from its general fund or levy taxes without limitation as to rate or amount therefor in addition to any other taxes that the Village is authorized to levy.

Section 8. The holder or holders of any of the bonds or interest coupons herein authorized to be issued shall have all the rights and remedies given by law and particularly by Act No. 94, Michigan Public Acts of 1933, as amended, for the collection and enforcement of the bonds and coupons and the security therefor, including the right to have a receiver appointed for the system in event of default on the part of the Village in performance of the terms of the bond contract.

Section 9. The system shall be operated upon the basis of a fiscal year beginning on January 1, of each year and ending on the last day of December of the same year.

Section 10. The operation, maintenance, and management of the water supply system shall be under the immediate supervision and control of the Council or of such officer or board as shall be designated or created by the Council and subject to its control. The funds of the water supply system shall be deposited with the Village Treasurer who shall obtain and file with Village Clerk a fidelity bond in an amount equal to the funds of the system which he would normally expect to have under his custody and control.

Section 11. Effective on the 1st day of October, 1978, the quarterly charge (3 months) for water within the Village shall be as set forth below:

- \$10.80 for 0 to 4,000 gallons used per quarter
\$.90 per 1000 gallons for 4,000 to 25,000 gallons used per quarter
\$.45 per 1000 gallons for all over 25,000 gallons used per quarter

Charges for water supply service to premises outside the Village shall be fixed by the Council and may be higher than charges for similar services to premises within the Village.

The Village shall pay for all water supply services furnished to it by the water supply system. Charges against the Village shall be payable in quarterly installments from the current funds of the Village or from the proceeds of taxes which the Village, within constitutional limitations, is hereby authorized and required to levy in amounts sufficient for that purpose.

Section 12. No free service shall be furnished by the system to the Village or to any person, firm or corporation, public or private, or to any public agency or instrumentality. Charges for services furnished by the system shall be billed and collected quarterly. Such charges shall become due on the 10th day of the second month following the end of each quarter, and if such charges are not paid on or before such due date, then a penalty of 10 per cent of the unpaid charges shall be added thereto together with a penalty of 1 per cent of the unpaid charges for each month such charges remain unpaid.

Section 13. Charges for services furnished by the system to any premises shall be a lien thereon, and on May 1 of each year the person or agency charged with the management of the system shall certify any such charges which have been delinquent six (6) months or more, to the proper tax assessing officer who shall enter the same upon the next tax roll against the premises to which such services have been rendered, and the charges shall be collected and the lien shall be enforced in the same manner as provided in respect to taxes assessed upon such roll; provided, that when a tenant is responsible for the payment of such charge against any premises, and the Council is so notified in writing, with a true copy of the written lease of the affected premises attached, if such a written lease exists, then no such charge shall become a lien against such premises from and after the date of such notice. In the event of the filing of such notice, no further service shall be rendered by the water supply system to such premises until a cash deposit equal to twice the quarterly charge to such premises shall have been made as security for the payment of charges thereto.

Section 14. The rates hereinbefore established are estimated to be sufficient to provide for the payment of the expenses of administration and operation of the water supply system and such expenses for the maintenance thereof as may be necessary to preserve the same in good repair and working order; to provide for the payment of the principal of and interest on all bonds payable therefrom, as and when the same shall become due and payable; and to provide for such other expenditures and funds for the system as are required by this ordinance. Rates shall be fixed and revised from time to time by the Council so as to produce the foregoing amounts, and the Village covenants and agrees to maintain at all times such rates for services furnished by the water supply system as shall be sufficient to provide for the foregoing.

Section 15. The revenues of the water supply system are hereby pledged for the purposes of the following funds, and as collected shall be set aside into a fund to be known as the "Receiving Fund" of the system, and shall be transferred therefrom periodically into separate and special funds, as follows:

a. OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE FUND—Out of the revenues in the Receiving Fund there shall be first set aside quarterly annually into a fund to be designated "Operation and Maintenance Fund" a sum sufficient to provide for the payment for the next quarter of all current expenses of administration and operation of the water supply system and such current expenses for the maintenance thereof as may be necessary to preserve the water supply system in good repair and working order. At the beginning of each fiscal year, the Council shall adopt a budget covering the foregoing expenses for such year, and such expenses shall not exceed the amount specified in the

budget except when approved by a vote of 2/3 of the members of the Council declaring the necessity thereof.

b. BOND AND INTEREST REDEMPTION FUND—Out of the remaining revenues in the Receiving Fund there shall be next set aside in each quarter into a fund to be designated "Bond and Interest Redemption Fund" a sum proportionately sufficient to provide for the payment as the same become due of the next maturing principal and interest on each issue of bonds then payable from the revenues of the system; provided, that the amount so set aside for interest on the bonds herein authorized, in each quarter during the first six (6) months of each fiscal year, shall not be less than one-half (1/2) of the total amount of interest maturing on the following January first, and during the last six (6) months of each fiscal year, shall not be less than one-half (1/2) of the total amount of interest maturing on the following July first, and the amount so set aside for principal on the bonds herein authorized in each quarter during each fiscal year, shall not be less than one-fourth (1/4) of the amount of principal maturing on the July first immediately following such fiscal year, and if there shall be any deficiency in the amount previously set aside, then the amount of such deficiency shall be added to the current requirement. Monies in the Bond and Interest Redemption Fund may be used to pay principal and interest on the bonds and for the redemption of bonds; provided, that, except in case of refunding, no bonds less than all the outstanding bonds of the issue shall be called for redemption unless the Village shall have on hand in the fund sufficient monies therefor not otherwise appropriated or pledged, in excess of the amount of interest and principal maturing on all issues of bonds then payable from the revenues of the system within the next eighteen (18) months from the redemption date. In respect to the allocation and use of monies in the Bond and Interest Redemption Fund, due recognition shall be given as to priority rights, if any, between different issues or series of outstanding bonds.

c. DEBT SERVICE RESERVE FUND—Out of the remaining revenues in the Receiving Fund, there shall be next set aside in equal quarterly installments in a fund to be designated the "Debt Service Reserve Fund," a sum aggregating not less than \$3,421 per year commencing with the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1980, until the Debt Service Reserve Fund shall reach \$34,210, and at all times thereafter when the Debt Service Reserve Fund shall be less than \$34,210. In the event monies in the Bond and Interest Redemption Fund, after the transfer of all monies, if any, from the Surplus Fund to the Bond and Interest Redemption Fund, shall be insufficient to pay all or part of the principal of and interest on the bonds as they become due, an amount sufficient to pay such principal and interest, or all of the Debt Service Reserve Fund if such fund is insufficient to pay such principal and interest, shall be transferred from the Debt Service Reserve Fund to the Bond Interest and Redemption Fund to be used to pay principal of and interest on the bonds. Notwithstanding the foregoing, at such time as the monies in the Bond and Interest Redemption Fund and the Debt Service Reserve Fund are sufficient to pay all of the principal of and interest on all of the bonds then due and to become due, the monies in Debt Service Reserve Fund shall be transferred to the Bond and Interest Redemption Fund and shall be used for such purpose, and the transfer of monies from the Receiving Fund to the Bond and Interest Redemption Fund and the Debt Service Reserve Fund shall thereafter be suspended.

d. SURPLUS FUND—Revenues remaining in the Receiving Fund at the end of any fiscal year after all periodic transfers have been made therefrom as above required shall be deemed to be surplus and may be left in the Receiving Fund or may be transferred to a fund to be designated "Surplus Fund." Monies in the Surplus Fund from time to time may be transferred to one or more of the foregoing funds or may be used for any purpose related to the system; provided, however, that if at any time there shall exist any default in making any periodic transfer to any of the above mentioned funds, then such default shall be rectified so far as possible by the transfer of monies from the Surplus Fund. If any such default shall exist as to more than one fund at any one time, then such transfers shall be made in the order in which such funds are listed above. Monies in the Surplus Fund may be used to redeem bonds.

No disbursements shall be made from the Receiving Fund except to the special funds as above provided.

Section 16. In the event that monies in the Receiving Fund are insufficient to provide for the current requirements of the Operation and Maintenance Fund or the Bond and Interest Redemption Fund, any monies and or securities in other funds of the water supply system shall be transferred, first, to the Operation and Maintenance Fund, and, second, to the Bond and Interest Redemption Fund, to the extent of any deficits therein.

Section 17. All monies in the several funds of the system shall be deposited with the Clinton National Bank And Trust Company, in the Village of Fowler, Michigan. The monies in the several funds of the system, except monies in the Bond and Interest Redemption Fund and monies derived from the sale of the bonds, may be kept in one bank account, in which event the monies in the bank account shall be allocated on the books and records of the Village to the respective funds as herein provided. Investments of money in the Bond and Interest Redemption Fund being accumulated for the payment of the next maturing principal and interest shall be limited to United States Government obligations having maturity dates prior to the date of the next maturing principal or interest. In the event of any investment of funds of the system, the securities representing the same shall be kept on deposit with the Clinton National Bank And Trust Company, in the Village of Fowler, Michigan, and the income therefrom shall become a part of the fund from which such investment was made.

Section 18. The Village hereby covenants and agrees with the holder or holders, from time to time, of the bonds herein authorized to be issued, that it will punctually perform all duties with reference to the water supply system and the bonds required by the constitution and laws of the State of Michigan and the charter of the Village and by this ordinance; that it will construct the project herein provided for in substantial accordance with the maps, plans and specifications hereinbefore referred to, and will have the same in operation at the earliest possible time; that it will not sell, lease, mortgage or in any manner dispose of the system or any substantial part thereof, until all bonds payable from the revenues thereof shall have been paid in full; and that it will not permit any person, firm or corporation to compete with it in the furnishing of water to premises within its corporate limits. The Village further covenants and agrees with the holders of the bonds that it will maintain the water supply system in good condition and operate the same in an efficient manner and at a reasonable cost so long as any of the bonds are outstanding; that it will maintain insurance on the system for the benefit of the holders of the bonds in an amount which usually would be carried by private companies engaged in a similar type of business; that it will prepare, keep and file such

records, statements and accounts as may be required by Act No. 94, Michigan Public Acts of 1933, as now or hereafter amended; that it will promptly file with the original purchasers of the bonds a copy of each annual statement which it is required to file with the Municipal Finance Commission and will also file with such purchasers a copy of the Annual Audit of the system certified to by a Certified Public Accountant, within ninety (90) days after the close of each fiscal year. Any such audit shall be in such reasonable detail as will present the full financial condition of the water supply system to the holders of bonds and shall include auditor's comments on the manner in which the system's management has complied with the provisions of this ordinance in respect to the several funds of the system. The Village further covenants that each of the officials or employees having control of system funds during acquisition, construction, development and operation of the system shall be covered by fidelity bonds with a company or companies authorized to do business in the State of Michigan, the fidelity bonds to be in amounts at least equal to the total funds in the control of each such official or employee at any one time.

Section 19. While any of the bonds herein authorized to be issued shall be outstanding, no additional bonds payable from the revenues of the system shall be issued which shall have prior or equal standing therewith, except as hereinafter provided. The Village shall have the right to issue additional bonds of equal standing for the completion of the project herein described in event the bonds herein authorized shall prove to be insufficient therefor. The Village shall have the right to issue additional bonds payable from the net revenues of the water supply system for the purpose of improving, enlarging and or extending the water supply system, which bonds when issued shall have equal standing with the bonds herein authorized, provided, that no such additional bonds of equal standing shall be issued unless net revenues for the fiscal year preceding the fiscal year in which the additional bonds are issued together with the estimated net revenues from the improvements, enlargements and extensions for the first fiscal year of the system following installation of such improvements, enlargements and extensions shall be equal to at least 100 per cent of the largest amount of principal and interest thereafter maturing in any fiscal year on the bonds then outstanding payable from the revenues of the system and on such additional bonds then being issued; provided, however, that this limitation may be waived or modified by the written consent of the bond holders representing 75 per cent of the then outstanding principal indebtedness. Junior and subordinate bonds may be issued without restriction. No such additional bonds shall be issued if the Village shall then be in default in making any payments to the Operation and Maintenance Fund or the Bond and Interest Redemption Fund. Permission by the Municipal Finance Commission of the State of Michigan (or such other state commission or agency as shall have jurisdiction over the issuance of municipal bonds) to issue such additional bonds shall constitute a conclusive presumption of the existence of conditions permitting the issuance thereof.

Section 20. The bonds and attached coupons herein authorized to be issued, shall be substantially in the following form, to wit:

(FORM OF COUPON BOND)
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF MICHIGAN
COUNTY OF CLINTON
VILLAGE OF FOWLER
Number \$
WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM REVENUE BOND,
SERIES 1978

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS, that the Village of Fowler, Clinton County, Michigan, hereby acknowledges that it is indebted and for value received promises to pay to the bearer hereof, or if this bond is registered, to the registered holder thereof, the sum of

..... THOUSAND DOLLARS

on the first day of July, A.D., 19...., and pay interest thereon at the rate of (.....) per centum per annum, from the date hereof until paid, the interest being payable on January 1, 1979, and thereafter semi-annually on the first days of July and January in each year, which principal and interest are to be paid solely out of the revenues hereinafter specified. Both principal and interest are payable in lawful money of the United States of America at in the City of or if this bond is registered the principal is payable at the office of the Treasurer of the Village of Fowler, upon presentation and surrender of this bond and the coupons hereto attached as they severally mature.

This bond is one of a series of bonds of like date and tenor except as to maturity numbered consecutively in the direct order of their maturities from 1 upwards, in the aggregate principal amount of Five Hundred Seventy-Seven Thousand Dollars (\$577,000) issued by the Village of Fowler under and pursuant to and in full conformity with the Constitution and statutes of the State of Michigan (especially Act No. 94 of the Michigan Public Acts of 1933, as amended) and Ordinance No. duly adopted by the Council of the Village of Fowler on the ... day of 1978, for the purpose of paying part of the cost of making improvements and replacements for the water supply system of the Village of Fowler.

The principal of and interest on the bonds of this series are payable primarily from the revenues of the water supply system (including future improvements, enlargements and extensions thereof) remaining after deducting the reasonable expenses of the administration and operation and maintenance of the system, and the payment of both the principal of and interest on the bonds, and on any additional bonds of equal standing which may be issued pursuant to the terms of this ordinance, is secured by a statutory first lien on such net revenues. As additional and secondary security, the full faith and credit of the Village of Fowler is pledged to the payments of the principal of and interest on the bonds.

The bonds of this series may be redeemed at the par value thereof and accrued interest on any interest payment date in whole or in part.

Notice of redemption shall be given to the holders of bonds called to be redeemed, by publication of such notice not less than thirty (30) days prior to the date fixed for redemption, at least once in a newspaper or publication circulated in the City of Detroit, Michigan, which carries as a part of its regular service notices of the sale of municipal bonds; provided, that when any bond shall be registered, then notice of the redemption thereof shall be given by registered mail addressed to the registered holder thereof at the address shown on the bond registration books of the Village of Fowler,

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which notice shall be mailed within the State of Michigan not less than (30) thirty days prior to the date fixed for redemption. Bonds so called for redemption shall not bear interest after the date fixed for redemption provided funds are on hand with the paying agent, or the Treasurer of the Village of Fowler in the case of registered bonds, to redeem the same.

The Village of Fowler hereby covenants and agrees that at all times while any of the bonds of this issue shall be outstanding it will maintain such rates for services furnished by the water supply system as shall be sufficient to provide for the payment of the expenses of administration and operation of the system and such expenses for the maintenance thereof as may be necessary to preserve the same in good repair and working order; to provide for the payment of the interest upon and the principal of all bonds payable therefrom, as and when the same become due and payable; and to provide for such other expenditure and funds for the system as are required by the ordinance. Rates shall be fixed and revised from time to time by the Council of the Village of Fowler so as to produce the foregoing amounts.

This bond may be registered as to principal only in the name of the holder on the books of the Village of Fowler and such registration noted on the back hereof by the Treasurer, and thereafter no transfer shall be valid unless made upon the books and likewise noted on the back hereof. Transferability by delivery may be restored by registration to the bearer. Negotiability of the interest coupons shall not be affected by registration.

It is hereby certified, recited and declared that all acts, conditions and things required to exist, happen and be performed, precedent to and in the issuance of the bonds of this series, existed, have happened and have been performed in due time, form and manner as required by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Village of Fowler, Clinton County, Michigan, by its Council, has caused this bond to be signed in its name by its President and its Village Clerk, and its corporate seal to be affixed hereto, and has caused the annexed interest coupons to be executed with the facsimile signature of said Treasurer, all as of the first day of, A.D., 19.....

VILLAGE OF FOWLER
By, President

(SEAL)
By, Village Clerk

(SEAL)

(COUPON)

Number, \$.....

On the first day of, A.D., 19....., the Village of Fowler, Clinton County, Michigan, will pay to the bearer hereof the sum shown hereon, in lawful money of the United States of America, at the, in the, of, same being the interest due on that day on its Water Supply System Revenue Bond, Series 1978, dated, 19..... This coupon is subject to the redemption provision applicable to the bond.

(FACSIMILE)
Village Treasurer

REGISTRY

In Whose Name Date of Signature of Registered Registration Treasurer of Village of Fowler

(FORM OF REGISTERED BOND WITHOUT COUPON)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

STATE OF MICHIGAN
COUNTY OF CLINTON

VILLAGE OF FOWLER

Number, \$.....

WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM REVENUE BOND, SERIES 1978

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS, that the Village of Fowler, Clinton County, Michigan, hereby acknowledges that it is indebted and for value received promises to pay to the Registered Holder the sum of

THOUSAND DOLLARS

on the first day of July, A.D., 19....., and to pay to the registered holder hereof interest thereon at the rate of, per centum per annum, from the date hereof until paid, the interest being payable on January 1, 1979, and thereafter semi-annually on the first days of July and January in each year, which principal and interest are to be paid solely out of the revenues hereinafter specified. Interest shall be mailed to the registered holder at the address specified in the registration book of the Village. Upon maturity the principal will be payable at the office of the Treasurer of the Village of Fowler, upon presentation and surrender of this bond.

This bond is one of a series of bonds of like date and tenor except as to maturity, numbered consecutively in the direct order of their maturities from 1 upwards, in the aggregate principal amount of Five Hundred Seventy-Seven Thousand Dollars (\$577,000) issued by the Village of Fowler under and pursuant to and in full conformity with the Constitution and statutes of the State of Michigan (especially Act No. 94 of the Michigan Public Acts of 1933, as amended), and Ordinance No. duly approved by the Council of the Village of Fowler on the, day of, 1978, for the purpose of paying part of the cost of making improvements and replacements for the water supply system of the Village of Fowler.

The principal of and interest on the bonds of this series are payable primarily from the revenues of the water supply system (including future improvements, enlargements and extensions thereof) remaining after deducting the reasonable expenses of the administration, operation and maintenance of the system, and the payment of both the principal of and interest on the bonds, and on any additional bonds of equal standing which may be issued pursuant to the terms of said

ordinance, is secured by a statutory first lien on such net revenues. As additional and secondary security, the full faith and credit of the Village of Fowler is pledged to the payment of the principal of and interest on the bonds.

The bonds of this series may be redeemed at the par value thereof and accrued interest on any interest payment date in whole or in part.

Notice of redemption shall be given to the registered holder of this bond by registered mail addressed to the holder at the address shown on the bond registration books of the Village of Fowler, which notice shall be mailed within the State of Michigan, not less than thirty (30) days prior to the date fixed for redemption. Bonds so called for redemption shall not bear interest after the date fixed for redemption provided funds are on hand with the Treasurer of the Village of Fowler to redeem the same.

The Village of Fowler hereby covenants and agrees that at all times while any of the bonds of this issue shall be outstanding it will maintain such rates for services furnished by the water supply system as shall be sufficient to provide for the payment of the expenses of administration and operation of the system and such expenses for the maintenance thereof as may be necessary to preserve the same in good repair and working order; to provide for the payment of the interest upon and the principal of all bonds payable therefrom, as and when the same become due and payable; and to provide for such other expenditures and funds for said system as are required by said ordinance. Rates shall be fixed and revised from time to time by the Council of the Village of Fowler so as to produce the foregoing amounts.

It is hereby certified, recited and declared that all acts, conditions and things required to exist, happen and be performed, precedent to and in the issuance of the bonds of this series, existed, have happened and have been performed in due time, form and manner as required by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Village of Fowler, Clinton County, Michigan, by its Council, has caused this bond to be signed in its name by its President and its Village Clerk, and its corporate seal to be affixed hereto, all as of the, day of, A.D., 19.....

VILLAGE OF FOWLER

By, President

(SEAL)
By, Village Clerk

PROVISIONS OF REGISTRATION

This bond shall be registered on the books of the Treasurer of the Village of Fowler kept for the purpose as bond registrar upon presentation, which registrar shall make notation of such registration in the registration form below. This bond may be transferred only upon an assignment duly executed by the registered holder or his attorney, such transfer to be made on the registration books and endorsed hereon.

REGISTRATION

Name of Signature of Registrar Village of Fowler

Date

Section 21. The proceeds of the sale of the bonds herein authorized to be issued shall be deposited in the Clinton National Bank And Trust Company, in the Village of Fowler, Michigan. From the proceeds of the sale of the bonds there shall first be transferred to the Bond and Interest Redemption Fund, any premium and accrued interest paid to the Village by the purchaser of the bonds. The balance of such proceeds shall be used solely to pay the cost of the project hereinbefore described and any engineering, legal and other expenses incident thereto, and shall be paid only upon authorization of the Council; provided, that the Council shall not authorize the payment of any such moneys for construction work until there shall have been first filed with it by the consulting engineer in charge of such work a written statement to the effect that the same so to be paid is in full or partial payment of a contract obligation in connection with the project and that the Village has received the consideration for such payment. The statement of the engineer shall also show the amount of construction estimates which have been theretofore approved by him for payment and the amount of the balance which will be required for the completion of the project. If any bonds are purchased by the FHA, the construction account shall be established as a supervised bank account. Funds in such account in excess of Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation coverage shall be secured as provided in Treasury Circular No. 176.

Section 22. The bonds herein authorized shall not be issued until the Municipal Finance Commission of the State of Michigan has approved such issuance, and the Village Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to make application to the Commission for such approval.

Section 23. Any balance of the proceeds of the sale of the bonds herein authorized remaining in the Construction Account after the completion of the project shall be paid immediately into the Bond and Interest Redemption Fund and the same shall be used only for the redemption of the bonds. Any bonds so retired shall be cancelled and shall not be reissued.

Section 24. The Village Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to cause the following notice to be published and prominently displayed once in the Clinton County News, to wit:

VILLAGE OF FOWLER
COUNTY OF CLINTON
STATE OF MICHIGAN

NOTICE OF INTENTION OF THE VILLAGE OF FOWLER OF THE COUNTY OF CLINTON TO ISSUE REVENUE BONDS AND NOTICE OF RIGHT TO PETITION FOR REFERENDUM THEREON

TO ALL ELECTORS AND TAXPAYERS OF THE VILLAGE OF FOWLER AND INTERESTED PARTIES:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Village Council of the Village of Fowler, County of Clinton, Michigan, intends to authorize the sale, issuance and delivery of its WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM REVENUE BONDS, SERIES 1978 (the "Bonds") for the purpose of paying part of the cost of acquiring improvements and replacements for the water supply system for the Village of Fowler.

The net revenues of the water supply system of the Village of Fowler will be pledged to the payment of principal and interest on the Bonds. As additional and secondary security, the full faith and credit of the Village of Fowler will be pledged to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds when due. In the event the net revenues of the water supply system are insufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds when due, the Village of Fowler will pay the same from its general fund or levy taxes without limitation as to rate or amount therefor in addition to any other taxes that the Village of Fowler is authorized to levy. The maximum amount of the Bonds to be issued is \$577,000.

The Bonds will mature in not to exceed 40 annual installments with interest at a rate not to exceed 5 per cent per annum on the unpaid principal balance of the Bonds from time to time remaining outstanding.

RIGHT TO PETITION FOR REFERENDUM

This notice is given to and for the benefit of the electors and taxpayers of the Village of Fowler, and interested parties, in order to inform them of the intention of the Village of Fowler to sell, issue and deliver the Bonds, and also to inform them of their right to petition for a referendum upon the question of selling, issuing and delivering the Bonds. The Village of Fowler intends to sell, issue and deliver the Bonds without a vote of the electors thereon, but the Village of Fowler will not sell, issue and deliver the Bonds until 45 days after publication of this notice. If, within the 45-day period, a petition for referendum requesting an election on the sale, issuance and delivery of the Bonds, signed by not less than 10 per cent or 15,000 of the registered electors of the Village of Fowler, residing within the Village of Fowler, whichever is less, has been filed with the Village Clerk, the Village of Fowler will not sell, issue or deliver the Bonds unless approved by a majority of the electors of the Village of Fowler voting thereon at a general or special election.

This notice is given by order of the Council of the Village of Fowler pursuant to Act 94 of the Public Acts of Michigan, 1933, as amended. Further information may be obtained at the office of the undersigned Village Clerk.

Dated: April 10, 1978.

Winifred McKean
Village Clerk

It is hereby determined that the aforesaid notice provides information to adequately inform the taxpayers and electors of the Village of the nature of the bonds to be issued, the obligation to be undertaken by the Village, and of their right to file a petition for a referendum requesting an election on the issuance of the bonds.

It is hereby found and determined that The Clinton County News has general circulation in the Village of Fowler and is the newspaper reaching the largest number of persons to whom the notice is directed.

Section 25. This ordinance shall be recorded in the minutes of the meeting of the Council at which it was adopted, as soon as practicable after its passage, which record shall be authenticated by the signatures of the President and Clerk of the Village, and shall be published once in The Clinton County News, a newspaper of general circulation within the Village. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

Section 26. If any section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance shall be held invalid, the same shall not affect any other part of this ordinance.

Section 27. All ordinances and resolutions and parts thereof, insofar as the same may be in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed.

Winifred McKean Carl J. Koenigsnecht
Village Clerk President

ADOPTED: Yeas Dennis Smith, James W. Koenigsnecht, Roy Smith, Steve Spicer, Leroy Goerge, Wayne McCausey, Nays None.

The following resolution was offered by Roy Smith and seconded by James Koenigsnecht:

BE IT RESOLVED, that sealed proposals for the purchase of \$577,000 Water Supply System Revenue Bonds, Series 1978, be received up to a time and on a date to be later determined by the Council of the Village, and that notice thereof be published in accordance with law in the Michigan Investor which notice shall be substantially in the following form:

OFFICIAL NOTICE OF SALE

\$577,000
VILLAGE OF FOWLER
COUNTY OF CLINTON, STATE OF MICHIGAN
WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM REVENUE BOND, SERIES 1978

SEALED BIDS for the purchase of the above bonds will be received by the undersigned at, Michigan, on, the, day of, 19....., until, o'clock, Time, at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened and read.

BOND DETAILS: The bonds will be coupon bonds, registrable as to principal only, or at the option of the original purchaser, both as to principal and interest, of the denomination of \$1,000 each or multiples thereof, dated as of the date of delivery, numbered in direct order of maturity from 1 upwards and will bear interest from their date payable on January 1, 1979, and semi-annually thereafter.

The bonds will mature on the 1st day of July, as follows: \$2,000 in each of the years 1980 and 1981; 6,000 in each of the years 1982 through 1988; 9,000 in each of the years 1989 through 1993; 12,000 in each of the years 1994 through 1998; 15,000 in each of the years 1999 through 2004; 20,000 in each of the years 2005 through 2007; 24,000 in each of the years 2008 through 2012; and 26,000 in each of the years 2013 through 2018.

PRIOR REDEMPTION: All bonds shall be subject to redemption prior to maturity, at the option of the Village, in any order, in whole or in part, on any one or more interest payment dates, at par and accrued interest to the date fixed for redemption. Thirty days notice of redemption shall be given by publication at least once in a newspaper or publication circulated in the City of Detroit, Michigan, which carries as part of its regular service, notices of sale of municipal bonds, and in case of registered bonds notice shall be given by registered mail to the registered holder at the address shown on the bond registration books which notice shall be mailed within the State of Michigan not less than 30 days prior to the date fixed for redemption. Bonds called for redemption shall not bear interest after the redemption date, provided funds are on hand with the paying agent, or the Treasurer of the Village of Fowler on the case of registered bonds, to redeem the same.

INTEREST RATE AND BIDDING DETAILS: The bonds shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding 5 per cent per annum, to be fixed by the bids therefor, expressed in multiples of 1/8 or 1/20 of 1 per cent, or both. The interest on any one bond shall be at one rate only, all bonds maturing in any one year must carry the same interest rate and each coupon period shall be represented by one interest coupon. No proposal for the purchase of less than all of the bonds or at a price less than 100 per cent of their par value will be considered.

PAYING AGENT: Both principal of and interest on unregistered bonds shall be payable at a bank or trust company located in Michigan qualified to act as paying agent under State or United States law, to be designated by the original purchaser of the bonds, who may also designate a co-paying agent, which may be located outside of Michigan, qualified to act as paying agent under the law of the State in which located or of the United States, both of which shall be subject to approval of the undersigned.

PURPOSE AND SECURITY: The bonds are issued under the provisions of Act 94, Public Acts of Michigan, 1933, as amended, and Ordinance No. of the Village, for the purpose of paying part of the cost of improving, enlarging and extending a water supply system. The bonds are payable primarily from the net additions thereto, and a statutory first lien on said net revenues has been established by the Ordinance. The Village has covenanted and agreed to fix and maintain at all times while any of such bonds shall be outstanding such rates for service furnished by the system as shall be sufficient to provide for payment of the necessary expenses of operation, maintenance and administration of the system, of the principal and interest on the bonds when due, and to provide for such other expenditures and funds for the system as are required by the Ordinance. As additional and secondary security, the full faith and credit of the Village of Fowler is pledged to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds when due. In the event the net revenues of the system are insufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds when due, the Village of Fowler will pay the same when due from its general fund or levy taxes without limitation as to rate or amount therefor in addition to any other taxes the Village of Fowler is authorized to levy.

ADDITIONAL BONDS: For the terms upon which additional bonds of equal standing as to revenues of the system may be issued, reference is made to the above-described Ordinance.

GOVERNMENT PURCHASE COMMITMENT: The United States Department of Agriculture, Farmers Home Administration, has agreed to purchase the bonds at par, with a 5 per cent interest rate, in the event that no bids are received at the herein-advertised public sale.

GOOD FAITH: A certified or cashier's check in the amount of \$11,500 drawn upon an incorporated bank or trust company and payable to the order of the Treasurer of the Village of Fowler, must accompany each bid as a guarantee of good faith on the part of the bidder, to be forfeited as liquidated damages if such bid be accepted and the bidder fails to take up and pay for the bonds. No interest shall be allowed on the good faith checks and checks of the unsuccessful bidders will be promptly returned to each bidder's representative or by registered mail. The good faith check of the successful bidder will be immediately cashed and payment for the balance of the purchase price of the bonds shall be made at the closing.

AWARD OF BONDS: The bonds will be awarded to the bidder whose bid produces the lowest interest cost computed by determining, at the rate or rates specified in the bid, the total dollar value of all interest on the bonds from, 19....., to their maturity and deducting therefrom any premium.

LEGAL OPINION: Bids shall be conditioned upon the unqualified approving opinion of Dickinson, Wright, McKean, Cudlip & Moon, attorneys of Detroit and Lansing, Michigan, a copy of which opinion will be printed on the reverse side of each bond, and the original of which will be furnished without expense to the purchaser of the bonds at the delivery thereof.

CUSIP: CUSIP numbers will be imprinted on the bonds of this issue only if requested by the purchaser and will be imprinted upon such terms as may be agreed upon with the purchaser.

DELIVERY OF BONDS: The Village will furnish bonds ready for execution at its expense. Bonds will be delivered without expense to the purchaser at Fowler, Michigan, or elsewhere as may be mutually agreed. The usual closing documents, including a certificate that no litigation is pending affecting the issuance of the bonds, will be delivered at the time of the delivery of the bonds. If the bonds are not tendered for delivery by twelve o'clock noon, Eastern, Time, on the 45th day following the date of sale, or the first business day thereafter if said 45th day is not a business day, the successful bidder may on that day, or any time thereafter until delivery of the bonds, withdraw his proposal by serving notice of cancellation, in writing, on the undersigned in which event the Village shall promptly return the good faith deposit. Payment for the bonds shall be made in Federal Reserve Funds. Accrued interest to the date of delivery of the bonds shall be paid by the purchaser at the time of delivery.

THE RIGHT IS RESERVED TO REJECT ANY OR ALL BIDS.

ENVELOPES containing bids should be plainly marked "Proposal for Water Supply System Bonds."

Village Clerk
Village of Fowler

APPROVED:
STATE OF MICHIGAN
MUNICIPAL FINANCE COMMISSION

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Village Clerk be and hereby is authorized and directed to forward the foregoing notice of sale to the Municipal Finance Commission for its approval.

ADOPTED: Yeas, Nays

STATE OF MICHIGAN)
) ss.
COUNTY OF CLINTON)

I, the undersigned, the duly qualified and acting Clerk of the Village of Fowler, Clinton County, Michigan, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of proceedings adopted at a regular meeting of the Council of the Village held in the Village on the 10th day of April, 1978, the original of which proceedings is on file in my office, and that this meeting was held and the minutes therefor filed in compliance with Act 267 of the Public Acts of 1976. I further certify that immediately after adoption by the Council the ordinance was authenticated by the signatures of the Village President and Village Clerk and was recorded in the official minutes of the Village.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed my official signature this 10th day of April, 1978.

Winifred McKean
Village Clerk

Area girls attend FHA convention at WMU

Kalamazoo
More than 1,200 junior high and high school students and their advisors from throughout Michigan concluded a three-day state convention of Future Homemakers of America (FHA) at a Friday, April 28, general session in Miller Auditorium on the Western Michigan University campus.

Pewamo-Westphalia High School.
O-E students, included Sharla Kimmel, Audrey Durham, Karen Bendi, Jackie Young, Kim Bosom and Kriss Kellerman. Their advisor is Betty L. Wales.

During the three days, in addition to business meetings and speakers, members were entertained by a student talent show, the FHA State Chorus directed by WMU associate professor of music Willard Hahnenberg, and they viewed FHA exhibits. Featured speaker at Thursday's session was Kalamazooan Jo Jacobs, Title IX coordinator for the Michigan department of education.

P-W students attending the conference were Sharon Rademacher, SueAnn Pinkney, Margeret Smith, Brenda Storm and Liz Jenks. Kiane Sinko is their advisor.

Cub Scouts study 'World Around Us'

Verna Perry

"The World Around Us" was the April theme for Cub Scout Pack 512. In learning about the world around us, two Dens have been attending the Woldumar Nature series at Smith Hall.

In award ceremonies April 24 badges were presented to: Kent Hoyt, Wolf Gold and Silver Arrow; Don Kebler, Wolf Silver Arrow; and Peter Bauman and Randy VanDeuren, Bear Gold Arrow.

Webelos receiving Aquanaut badges were: Dave Reed, Ron Wycoff, Paul Wood, Mark Coffee, Steve E Eckert, Michael Moore, Dale Good, Steven Ceaser, Robert

Sanderson, Scott Rudy, Richard Kirby, Leland Steppig and Steven Carroll.

The Pack's Kite Contest was held Saturday, April 29, at St. Johns High School. Twenty-four boys participated. Den winners were: Den 1, Kent Hoyt; Den 2, Robbie Garrod; Den 3, Mike

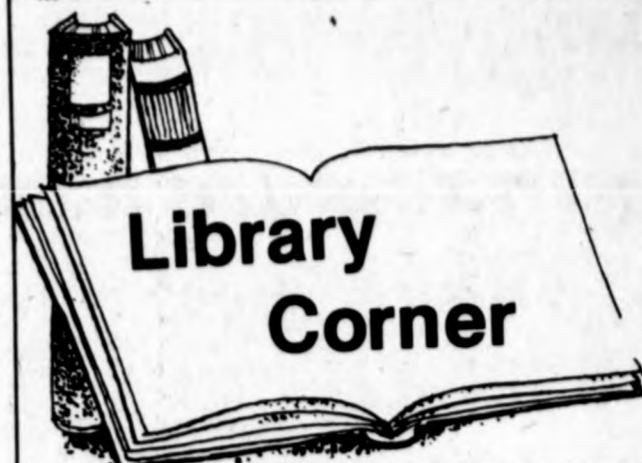
Robinson; Den 4, Rollie Casteel; Todd Perry, Den 6; Chris Briggs, Den 7; and Paul Wood, Webelos 1.

Top awards went to Todd Perry for first place, Paul Wood for second place and Robbie Garrod for third place.

Area happening

May 9—The Pashami Dancers will wind up the Center for the Arts Dance Series with a performance at 8 p.m. Tickets for perform-

ance are \$2.50 general admission and \$1.50 students and senior citizens. Their previous performance at the Center in November of 1976 was a sell-out.



By Jean Bartholomew

Welcome to the merry month of May... Most of us are more than ready. Grass is greening, buds are bursting, and the seed catalogues are whetting our appetites with promised garden treasures. Now is the time to become serious about that flower, vegetable or herb garden. Check with your local library for suggestions or guidelines. We have books from the beginner to the expert on all these subjects, and more.

Michigan Week is May 22 to May 27. How much do you know about your state? Have you ever visited the Lumberman's Memorial, Indian River Shrine, Beal Gardens at MSU, the State Capitol Building, Tulip Festival in Holland, Scottish Games in Alma or the Soo Locks? Who knows, instead of that trip to Disneyland, you might try Greenfield Village or the Detroit Zoo.

Many of our young patrons have been working very hard on papers about Clinton County for several weeks. I commend all of them. They're learning interesting, little-known facts about their immediate area that we adults are not aware of, and doing an excellent job.

We're planning a display of Michigan material all month. Some old, some new, all about our native state. The new Michigan Atlas is one of the books (everything you always wanted to know about Michigan, but didn't know where to look) as well as the new shipwreck 4 vol. set.

A partial list of new books:

- Whistle, Jones
- Goodby California, McLean
- Tappen's Mule, Gray
- Gnomes, Huygen
- The Winding Stair, DuMaurier
- Witches Brew, Hitchcock
- House Beautiful Colonial Homes



Kite flying

Daniel Fleischer of Den 1 keeps his kite afloat by running with it in the recent kite flying contest west of the St. Johns High School parking lot. (Photo by Patrice Hornak)

St. Johns City Commission Minutes

February 27, 1978

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Arehart at 7:30 p.m.

COMM. PRESENT: Roesner, Starck, Brockmyre, Arehart
COMM. ABSENT: Hannah (excused)
STAFF PRESENT: F. Bruce Wood, City Clerk, Paul A. Maples, City Atty., Roger A. Van Dyk, City manager

Motion by Comm. Brockmyre supported by Comm. Roesner to approve the mins. of the Feb. 13, 1978 Reg. Meeting and the Special Meeting of Feb. 16, 1978 as corrected.
YEA: Roesner, Starck, Brockmyre, Arehart
NAY: None
Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Brockmyre to approve the Warrants.
YEA: Roesner, Starck, Brockmyre, Arehart
NAY: None
Motion carried.

Mayor Arehart asked for additions or deletions to the agenda. There were three additions.

Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Starck to approve the agenda as amended. YEA: Roesner, Starck, Brockmyre, Arehart
NAY: None
Motion carried.

A letter from the M.M.L. was read notifying the Comm. of the Annual Legislative Conference.

A letter from the Michigan Mid-South Health Systems Agency was presented, asking for the City's support of a planning grant.

This was discussed at length.

Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Starck that the City Manager write a letter of support to the Michigan Mid-South Health Systems Agency Inc. in support of a planning grant contingent upon approval of the ambulance service.
YEA: Roesner, Starck, Brockmyre, Arehart
NAY: None
Motion carried.

A letter from the M.M.L. was presented notifying the Comm. of the Annual Region V meeting.

Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Brockmyre to grant permission to the St. Johns Jaycees to hold an Easter Egg Hunt at the City Park, March 25, 1978 at 10:00 a.m., and that all fees be waived.
YEA: Roesner, Starck, Brockmyre, Arehart
NAY: None
Motion carried.

The City Attorney gave the first reading of Ord. No. 295.

Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Brockmyre to approve the first reading of Ord. No. 295 and set a Public Hearing for March 27, 1978 at 8:00 p.m.
YEA: Roesner, Starck, Brockmyre, Arehart
NAY: None
Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Roesner to authorized payment to C.J. Rogers Const. Co. on Voucher No. 345.
YEA: Roesner, Starck, Brockmyre, Arehart
NAY: None
Motion carried.

A contract between Hubbell, Roth and Clark, Engineering and the City of St. Johns for construction of the Wastewater Treatment Plant was presented.

There was a short discussion.

Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Starck to approve the Contract with H.R. & C. Inc. for the engineering of the Wastewater Treatment Plant and authorize the Mayor and Clerk to sign.
YEA: Roesner, Starck, Brockmyre, Arehart.
NAY: None
Motion carried.

The city Manager presented a memo concerning fence heights and accidents relating to fence heights.

There was a lengthy discussion regarding fence heights, definition of swimming pools etc.

The City Attorney recommended that another Public Hearing be set if the Ord. is amended.

Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Starck that the City Comm. direct the City Attorney to incorporate into the first reading, a fence height of 5 feet.
YEA: Roesner, Starck, Brockmyre, Arehart.
NAY: None
Motion carried.

The City Attorney gave the first reading of Ord. No. 294.

Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Starck to approve the first reading of Ord. No. 294 as amended and set a Public Hearing for March 27, 1978 at 7:45 p.m.
YEA: Roesner, Starck, Brockmyre, Arehart
NAY: None
Motion carried.

Chief Lyle French gave the annual police department report.

There was a lengthy discussion.

Motion by Comm. Brockmyre supported by Comm. Starck to accept the annual Police Department report and commend the department for their fine work.
YEA: Roesner, Starck, Brockmyre, Arehart
NAY: None
Motion carried.

The Park Board recommended that the City apply for two tennis courts on the North end of the Senior Citizens Park.

There was a short discussion.

Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Brockmyre to accept the recommendation of the Park Board and to proceed with the Fed. Pre-Op. for Land and Water Conserv. fund monies for const. of two new tennis courts in the area of the Senior Citizens Park.
YEA: Roesner, Starck, Brockmyre, Arehart
NAY: None
Motion carried.

The Park Board recommended that the City proceed with Phase V of the Senior Citizens Park to install the shrubs.

There was a short discussion.

Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Roesner to proceed with Phase V of the Senior Citizens Park as recommended by the Park Board.
YEA: Roesner, Starck, Brockmyre, Arehart.
NAY: None
Motion carried.

A resolution was adopted setting the Public Hearings for the Elias Brothers and Egan Ford Project Area and Project District Area designations.

Comm. Roesner stated that he felt it would be beneficial if the City Comm. and Comm. Lancaster and Wood of the County Comm., would meet occasionally to discuss problems of mutual concern.

There was a short discussion.

Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Starck to direct the City Manager to contact Comm. Wood and Lancaster to set up a meeting with the City Comm, on March 6, 1978.
YEA: Roesner, Starck, Brockmyre, Arehart
NAY: None
Motion carried.

Comm Brockmyre asked to be excused from the Work Session on March 6, 1978.

Motion by Mayor Arehart supported by Comm. Starck to rename St. Johns Park Board to the St. Johns Parks and Recreation Board.
YEA: Roesner, Starck, Brockmyre, Arehart
NAY: None
Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Brockmyre to adjourn.
YEA: Roesner, Starck, Brockmyre, Arehart
NAY: None
Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:13 p.m.

March 13, 1978

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Arehart at 7:30 p.m.

COMM. PRESENT: Arehart, Roesner, Brockmyre, Starck
COMM. ABSENT: Hannah (excused)
STAFF PRESENT: F. Bruce Wood, City Clerk, Roger A. Van Dyk, City Manager, Paul A. Maples, City Atty.

Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Roesner to approve the mins. of Feb. 27, 1978 as corrected.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Brockmyre, Starck
NAY: None
Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Brockmyre supported by Comm. Starck to approve the Warrants.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Brockmyre, Starck
NAY: None
Motion carried.

Mayor Arehart asked for additions or deletions to the agenda. There were none.

Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Starck to approve the agenda as presented.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Brockmyre, Starck
NAY: None
Motion carried.

The City Commission rejected a resolution certifying approval of Project Area Designation and establishing Project District Area Boundaries, of Elias Brothers.

The City Commission approved a resolution certifying approval of Project Area Designation and establishing Project district Area Boundaries, of Egan Ford.

A letter was read from the Municipal League asking that a City Official and Alternate be designated to vote at the League Legislative Conference.

Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Starck that Mayor Arehart be designated as a voting member and that City Manager Van Dyk be designated as the alternate.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Brockmyre, Starck
NAY: None
Motion carried.

A letter from the Mayor of Frankenmuth was read,

inviting the Mayor and his wife to their regional meeting.

A letter from Gove Assoc., Inc., was presented stating that they had done an evaluation of the Railroad St. right of way survey.

Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Brockmyre to direct the City Atty. to draw up a resolution of intent to vacate the N 16 1/2 ft of the Railroad St. r-o-w beginning at Mead St. and extending 600 ft. Westerly and that the resolution be advertised four consecutive times and that a Public Hearing be set for Apr. 24, 1978 at 7:45 p.m.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Brockmyre, Starck
NAY: None
Motion carried.

The City Manager presented a request from D.J. Rogers Const. Co. of a reduction in retainage from 10 per cent to 5 per cent.

This was discussed at length.

Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Brockmyre to table the request until a recommendation from the Engineers had been received, a determination of the amount owed by the City, and an affidavit from D. J. Rogers specifying the amount that had been paid to sub-contractors and suppliers and amounts owned to sub-contractors and suppliers.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Brockmyre, Starck
NAY: None
Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Roesner to approve the \$1.00 per capita assessment for the Clinton Area Ambulance Service for the next two years (1978-1979).
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Brockmyre, Starck
NAY: None
Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Starck to authorize the City Manager to accept bids on two new police cruisers.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Brockmyre, Starck
NAY: None
Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Roesner to set a Public Hearing on the Federal Mogul Plant rehabilitation district for April 10, 1978 at 7:45 p.m. and that all proper notification be given.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Brockmyre, Starck.
NAY: None
Motion carried.

The City Manager presented quotes for a pressure test pump for the Water Dept.

Motion by Comm. Brockmyre supported by Comm. Starck to authorize the City Manager to purchase the pressure test pump from Water Products Co. at a cost of \$536.92.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Brockmyre, Starck
NAY: None
Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Brockmyre to adjourn to the Exec. Session to discuss union negotiation.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Brockmyre, Starck
NAY: None
Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Brockmyre to adjourn the Reg. Session.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Brockmyre, Starck
NAY: None
Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:15 p.m.

High or low, students learn to measure blood pressure

By Patrice Hornak
Editor

Fowler

What is a sphygmomanometer? Ask a Fowler Middle School student what it is—and he or she may even spell it for you.

A sphygmomanometer is more commonly called a blood pressure cuff and students in Rose Strzyzewski and Dave LaGuire's classes recently completed a unit on the causes and effects of high blood pressure.

They conclude the unit with a Parents Night April 25, which was attended by approximately 90 persons who were given an opportunity to have their blood pres-

sure measured by the middle school students.

The Kidney Foundation loaned eight sphygmomanometers, as well as booklets explaining high blood pressure to Fowler Middle School under a pilot program financed by District 29 Steel Works Union.

"Blood pressure is the force of blood pushing upon the arteries," says Miss Strzyzewski. She also said high blood pressure has often been described as the "silent killer" because there are no symptoms. However, it is easily controlled and treatable, but is never cured.

One student was detected as having high blood pressure during the three-week

unit, and between eight and 10 adults were detected as having high blood pressure at the Parents Night which concluded Blood Pressure Awareness Day in Fowler. However, many already knew they had high blood pressure, Miss Strzyzewski said.

In conjunction with the

unit of study, students also wrote poems, songs and made posters about high blood pressure.

Assisting the students were Dr. William Jordan of the Fowler Clinic, and nurses Denise Plowman, Monica Martin and Carol Thelen.

Historic tour slated

May 20 and 21—Ionia County Historical Society will sponsor an Old Homes Tour in Ionia, and an antique show and sale will be held in conjunction with the tour. The tour will include the

Blanchard House owned by the County Historical Society six private homes, the First Presbyterian Church, the Hall-Fowler Memorial Library and the Ionia County Courthouse.



Pump it up

Having his blood pressure taken by Jane Gensterblum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gensterblum, is Bob Wohlfert, son of Irene Wohlfert and Pat Wohlfert. Supervising

are Kevin Geller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roman Geller, and Pam Payne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Dalton. (Photo by Patrice Hornak)

LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE ELECTORS OF ST. JOHNS PUBLIC SCHOOLS CLINTON AND GRATIOT COUNTIES, MICHIGAN

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Annual School Election of the School District will be held on Monday, June 12, 1978.

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER WITH THE APPROPRIATE CITY OR TOWNSHIP CLERKS, IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, JUNE 12, 1978, IS MONDAY, MAY 15, 1978. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5:00 O'CLOCK, P.M., ON MONDAY, MAY 15, 1978, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

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ADDENDUM

TAKE NOTICE that the following proposition will be submitted at the annual election on June 12, 1978:

TAX RATE LIMITATION INCREASE PROPOSITION FOR OPERATING PURPOSES

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in St. Johns Public Schools, Clinton and Gratiot Counties, Michigan, be increased by 18.75 mills (\$18.75 on each \$1,000.00 of state equalized valuation) for a period of 2 years, 1978 and 1979, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes, 1/2 mill to be used for the maintenance and repair of school facilities (17.75 mills of the above increase being a renewal of 17.75 mills for operating purposes which expired with the 1977 tax levy and 1 mill being additional operating millage)?

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Central National reports quarter assets

St. Johns
Harold Wellman, President and Chairman of the Board of Central National Bank of St. Johns reported that for the first quarter of 1978, the bank posted a 17.6 per cent gain in total assets over a similar period in 1977.

Total assets at the end of the quarter amounted to \$43,863,184 compared to the \$37,310,000 of last year. Total deposits were \$39,419,646 compared to \$33,407,000 for the same period in 1977, an increase of 18 per cent. Total loans were

\$25,047,018 compared to \$20,375,000 for the first quarter in 1977, an increase of 22.9 per cent.

March 31, 1978. This represents an increase of 19.8 per cent.

Central National Bank of St. Johns currently operates four offices in the Mid-Michigan area, and offers extended banking hours, as well as full-service Saturday banking.

J conference attracts students

Mt. Pleasant
Twenty-eight students from Clinton County attended the 57th annual Michigan Interscholastic Press Association (MIPA)

conference held April 21 at Central Michigan University.

The conference is an opportunity for high school journalists from around the state to participate in workshops and attend lectures by educators and professional journalists.

The MIPA conference is sponsored by CMU's Department of Journalism and is directed by Thomas R. Rood, assistant professor of journalism at CMU.

Attending the conference were 10 students from Ovid-Elsie High School, four from Pewamo-Westphalia High School and 14 from St. Johns High School.

From August 1965 to June 1977 Japan recorded an incredible total of 720,665 minor earthquakes.

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Blacktop program for 1978 reviewed

Clinton County
A total of 25.35 miles are included in Clinton County road Commission's 1978 blacktop program as reported to the Clinton County Board of Commissioners recently.

Those portions of roads scheduled for blacktop, overlays or wedging and overlays include: DeWitt road from Price to Parks, Watson from French to Island, Island Watson to Shepardsville, Clark Road from School to

Center, Webster Road from Drumheller to Ann, Clark Road from Chandler to Bath, from Watson to Shepardsville, Clark Road from School to Center, Webster Road From Drumheller to Ann, Clark Road from

Chandler to Bath, Colony Road from Clintonia to Grange, Stone Road from Tallman to Wright, Wacousta Road from I-96 to Herbison, Round Lake Road from US-27 to Chadwick, and Meridian Road from Centerline to Parker.



New shop in town

The Hair Loft, St. Johns' newest hair salon specializing in men's and women's blow dry styles, opened last Wednesday in the former Land of Oz building on Clinton Avenue. Owners of the salon are Tim Rabideau (sitting) and Marna Barnes-Bayes (right). Stylists are Linda Jenkins (left) and Mary Jo Hinton. The Hair Loft is open Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Wednesdays. Saturdays it is open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. (Photo by Patrice Hornak)

8 & 40 sponsors drive

Clinton County
Clinton County Salon No. 581 of the 8 & 40 met at the home of Mrs. Bert Hiller on Mead Road. Meetings are held at the homes of the members on the fourth Tuesday of each month.

A white elephant sale was held with Jean Bartholomew as auctioneer. The main project of the 8 & 40 is the clothing drive for the National Jewish Hospital in Denver, Colo. The clothing is donated by the members at Christmas and must be new and washable. This year \$120 worth of clothing was donated by the members.

Refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Jack Walker. Michigan officers of the 8 & 40 will be present at this meeting.

Area happening

May 9 and 10—Free screening for breast cancer will be performed by physicians at no charge from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. at Provincial Hospital, 1226, E. Michigan. Advance registration is preferred; call 485-3271, extension 155.



Spelling winners

Winners of the Catholic School spelling test were six, sixth graders from St. Joseph's School in St. Johns. Carol Hufnagel, Lisa Smith, Michelle Purtil, Anne Moore, Linda George, and Brenda Burns scored 100 per cent on the test. (Photo by Sue Kiley)

Hattie Roat turns 100

Former Essex Township resident, Hattie L. Roat, celebrated her 100th birthday on March 16 at a family dinner held in her honor. She was born in Gratiot County and then she moved with her family to a 20-acre farm in Essex Township. She

attended Grove School.

On Oct. 26, 1898 she married John W. Roat, a St. Johns barber. They moved to Pontiac in 1909 where she lived until moving to live with her granddaughter, Mrs. Harry Hiehl in Ortonville.

NOTICE City of St. Johns

The regular meeting of the St. Johns City Commission, scheduled for Monday, May 22, 1978 at 7:30 p.m. has been re-scheduled for Tuesday, May 23, 1978 at 7:30 p.m.

F. Bruce Wood
City Clerk

LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION SCHOOL ELECTION

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Winifred McKean
Secretary, Board of Education

ADDENDUM

TAKE NOTICE that the following proposition will be submitted at the annual election on June 12, 1978:

MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSITION

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Fowler Public School District, Clinton County, Michigan, be increased by 17 mills (\$17.00 on each \$1,000.00 of state equalized valuation) for the year 1978, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes (this being a renewal of 17 mills for operating purposes which expired with the 1977 tax levy)?

Winifred McKean

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF BATH ORDINANCE NO. 24 FAIR HOUSING

THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF BATH ORDAINS:

1. Statement of Fact and Policy

It is hereby found that the population of the Charter Township of Bath consists of people of many races, colors, religions, ancestries and national origins, and that discrimination in housing violates the public policy of the Township and that such discrimination in housing is injurious to the public health, safety and general welfare of the Charter Township of Bath and its inhabitants.

2. Discrimination Prohibited

No owner of real property, lessee, sublessee, real estate broker or salesman, lender, financial institution, builder, advertiser, or agent of any of the foregoing, shall discriminate against any other person because of the religion, race, color or national origin of such other person or because of the religion, race, color or national origin of the friends or associates of such other person, in regard to the sale or rental of, or dealings concerning, real property located in the Charter Township of Bath.

3. Exemption

The provisions of this ordinance shall not apply to the rental of a room or rooms to three or less persons in a single dwelling unit, the remainder of which dwelling unit is occupied by (1) the owner or member of his immediate family, or (2) a lessee of the entire dwelling unit or members of his immediate family.

Nothing in this ordinance shall require an owner to offer property to the public at large before selling or renting it, nor shall the ordinance be deemed to prohibit owners from giving preference to prospective tenants or buyers for any reason other than religion, race, color or national origin.

4. Penalties

Any person convicted of violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$100.00 or imprisonment in the county jail of Clinton County for a period of not more than ninety (90) days, or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Court.

5. Severability

The phrases, sentences, sections, articles and provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared to be severable, and any such phrase, sentence, section, article or provision which is declared to be unconstitutional or invalid for any reason shall in no way effect the other provisions of this ordinance.

6. Effective Date

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect 30 days after adoption and second publication.

Adopted by the Township Board on first reading April 17, 1978, upon motion by Trustee Burnett and supported by Trustee Pardee by the following roll call vote

Ayes: Woodruff, Burnett, Crofts, Carleton, Cronk, Pardee, Sober
Nays: None Absent: None

June F. Burnett
Clerk

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HELP WANTED COCKTAIL WAITRESS Clinton County Country Club 224-6287. 17-2-p-1

DENTAL RECEPTIONIST for DeWitt office. Full time position job includes typing and bookkeeping. No experience necessary. Send resume Box 619 DeWitt. 17-2-p-1

COSMETOLOGIST for new ultra modern Salon in St. Johns Shopping Center. Experience preferred but not required. Send resume Box C, Clinton County News. 18-3-p-1

HELP WANTED: Registered Nurse. Full time position, Montclair office, Mid-Michigan District Health Dept. Community Health Section. Competitive salary and benefits. For application call Stanton (517) 831-4031 or 831-5203. Deadline for accepting applications is May 5. An equal opportunity-affirmative action employer. 18-1-p-1

HELP WANTED: Community Educator and Outreach worker, in the Community Health Section, Mid-Michigan District Health Dept. To be stationed in Main Office, Stanton, and serve district-wide program Baccalaureate degree in health education required. Experience in local public health preferred. Competitive salary and benefits. For application call Stanton (517) 831-4031 or 831-5203. Deadline for accepting applications is May 5. An equal opportunity-affirmative action employer. 18-1-p-1

GENERAL MECHANIC, full time, experienced required. Taking applications Dreps R.V. Center DeWitt, MI. 17-3-p-1

NEEDED - LANDSCAPE LABORERS, no experience needed. Starting pay \$3.00 per hr. Ph. 669-3348. 18-1-p-1

HELP WANTED: Bookkeeping Clerk I. Part time position; 5 day week-7 hrs. day. For Main Office, Mid-Michigan District Health Dept. Community Health Section. Competitive salary and benefits. For application call Stanton (517) 831-4031 or 831-5203. An equal opportunity-affirmative action employer. 18-1-p-1

SUMMER RECREATION DIRECTOR: Responsible for summer recreation programs, men's and women's softball, umpire schedules, children's playground, and others. Apply at the information desk, City Offices, 121 E. Walker St. 18-1-p-1

WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP SUMMER RECREATION PROGRAM requires Playground Supervisors. Must be resident of Clinton County. Title I, C.E.T.A. funded education or sports background desirable. 6-8 week program. May call township office Tuesday or Thursday 626-6593 or 321-4031 after 4 p.m. any day. 17-2-p-1

HELP WANTED—Account Clerk, full-time position in Clinton County Courthouse. Apply: Administrative Services, Courthouse, St. Johns. 18-1-p-1

WANTED—Bath - DeWitt area, 14-15 yr. old for weekend work now, full-time after school is out. 641-4010. 18-1-p-1

R.N. or L.P.N. NEEDED Ph. before 4 o'clock 224-2985. 16-3-p-1

COMPLETE MOBILE HOME REPAIR & ROOF COATINGS. Licensed & insured, free estimates. Ph. 669-9037. Ralph Fowler. 15-tf-3

EXPERIENCED SCUBA DIVER, will repair swimming pool liners. Call 647-4871. PG-RT-CCN-18-23

WANTED—MOWING JOBS— will do to your satisfaction. Call 224-7745 ask for Dan. 17-3-p-3

WANTED - Bulldozing, backhoe work, drain fields, water lines, footings—digging of any kind. Lee Zuker Ph. 224-2049. 25-tf-3

WORK WANTED— Additions, Remodeling, Repairs, New Homes, Roofing, Water Proofing, Concrete. Licensed and insured. Free estimates 669-9037. 17-3-p-6

CHOICEST PRICE IN TOWN House is located in Elsie at 264 East Oak Street. This three bedroom house on a nice lot has all the makings to become a beautiful home...with some pounding and paint. We've got to sell it now!! So the best offer will get it. Materials to finish can be made available. Immediate possession with small down payment and low monthly payments. See it and then give us your offer. (612) 588-9758, 4500 Lyndale Avenue North, Minneapolis, Minnesota, 55412. 17-3-p-4

FOR SALE - 3 bedroom house, sharp neighborhood, S. Wash. & Holmes area in Lansing, handyman's dream, \$11,500 or best offer. Call 323-3411 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and 321-8453 from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. WPGRTCCN 18-19

MOTEL FOR SALE BY OWNER - 10 modern kitchenette units Brick home 25 acres on M-37 Ph Hartings 616-945-4182 CPW CRT CCN 18-20

BY OWNER - 3 bedroom house, good location, in Grand Ledge, large garage & shop. Call 627-2670 after 8 p.m. GWPCNCRT-18

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MENS SLEEPING ROOMS in Fowler, by the day, week or month. Call 593-3230. P-CCN-47 tfn S

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FOR RENT-ST. JOHNS office space 1000 sq. ft. Excellent location, will remodel 224-7118. 17-3-p-6

BANQUET ROOM for all your family get togethers, Christmas, office parties or receptions can accommodate 10 to 100. Office Bar, Fowler. 593-3230, PGC-45tfnS

WANTED TO RENT—Small 1 bedroom house, St. Johns area. Ph. 321-1989. \$150-\$200 per mo. 17-3-p-7

WANTED TO RENT by physician and family—3 bedroom house in St. Johns area. Needed by July 1, 1978. Phone 224-6881 Ext. 285. 18-tf-7

Trailer & Campers 9

FOR SALE—1974 5th. wheel 35 ft. Country Squire travel trailer. Twin beds, center bath & appliances, rear living quarters, real nice. Ph. 862-5088. 18-3-p-9

77 4 WHEEL DRIVE PLYMOUTH TRAIL DUSTER - 318 V8, automatic, P.S., P.B., 10,000 miles, black & silver, 5-10x15 white spoke wheels, immaculate \$5,400. Ph. 647-4026 or 647-6018. PG,RT,CCN-17tfn

FOR SALE - 1969 Ford Mustang runs goods, needs battery, \$175. Ph. 649-8884. GPWCN-16tfn.s

FOR SALE - 1976 Datsun B-210, 38,000 mi. needs tires, \$2,150. Ph. 669-9767. 18-1-p-11

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FOR SALE—1976 Vega, 33,000 mi. In real good condition. Call after 4:00 p.m. 838-2359. 17-3-p-11

1977 DELTA ROYALE - If you are a person who is economy minded and does not need air cond., this car is for you. Show room cond., 15,000 miles, \$4650. Ph. 323-2980. WGPCNCRT-18x

FOR SALE - '71 Catalina. Very good condition. Rebuilt engine. Asking \$700. Ph. 645-2452. G-P-RT-CCN-W-18

FOR SALE - 1973 Pinto runabout. New radial tires, Midas Muffler system, air conditioning. Best offer over \$600. Call 647-7684. PG-TRT CCN-18

FOR SALE - 1971 Vista Cruiser, 4 dr. Station Wagon, good condition - \$600. Firm. Call 647-6238. PG, CCN-RT-18 TFN

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SATURDAY NIGHT SPECIAL—T-Bones, N.Y. Strips, baked potato, salad bar, \$4.95. Steaks fresh cut by AJ's Market. Office Bar, Fowler 593-3230. PGC-45tfn

END TABLES & COFFEE TABLES for \$99. WILD'S FURNITURE & APPLIANCE, Laingsburg. 651-5545. 18-tf-27

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LITTON MICROWAVE OVENS, lay away for Mother's Day. WILD'S FURNITURE & APPLIANCE. 18-2-p-32

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WANTED TO BUY—Parts for H.G. Oliver Crawler Tractor. Please Ph. 593-9944 between 9 and 5. 16-3-p-18

FOR SALE—494 A John Deere 4-row planter, good condition, bright, always housed, new fertilizer disc and bearings \$875. 18-1-p-18

FOR SALE—1 Purebred Charolais bull 10 months old, wt. 800 lbs, very gentle and halter broke. May call anytime but best time in mornings, 224-2663. 16-3-p-21

FOR SALE—6 Polled Here- ford cows 4 yr. old due in June, also 1 bull. Richard Latz 661-2434. 16-3-p-21

AKC miniature Schnauzer puppies, healthy and wormed, also stud service. Ph. Ithaca 875-4339. 17-3-p-23

Help the Clinton Memorial Hospital Aux. pay off their debt for the Intensive Care Unit at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Donate those unwanted items to the Flea Mkt. and Auction Sale to be held in June. If you have items to donate Ph. 224-2361 days or 224-7051 evenings. 15-tf-DH-25

3 SLIDE BY ALUMINUM WINDOWS - 2-8ft x 4ft with 3 panes. 1-6ft x 4ft with 2 panes, screens. Suitable for porch enclosure. \$100. for all Ph. 647-4026. P.G,RT, CCN-16tfn

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TIMBER WANTED—Logs and standing timber. Logs delivered to our yard, DEVEREAUX SAWMILL, INC., 2872 N. Hubbardston Rd., Pewamo, Mich. Phone 593-2424 and/or 593-2552. 40-tf-28

SPECIAL SPRING FEEDER CATTLE SALE— Friday, May 5, 1:00 p.m. sharp. Michigan Livestock Exchange, St. Louis, 681-2191. 17-2-p-29

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LITTON MICROWAVE OVENS, lay away for Mother's Day. WILD'S FURNITURE & APPLIANCE. 18-2-p-32

FOR SALE—ALLIS CHALMERS TRACTOR model G motor in the rear. Factory rebuilt crank, new bearings, new ring gear and pinion gear \$850. 626-6728. Also Disc Plow & scraper blade. 18-2-p-18

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THE DUCK DOORSTOPS - are sure to please mom. See them at Ledge Craft Lane, Ltd., Grand Ledge. GP, CCN RT, W 18s

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

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

The undersigned will sell to the highest bidder a 1975 Sylvan Mobile home serial No. 5138. The Mobile Home may be inspected prior to sale at 2265 W. Parks Rd. Lot No. 477 St. Johns, MI 48879. Date, place and time of sale: on May 9, 1978 at 11:30 A.M. at 2265 W. Parks Rd. Lot No. 477 St. Johns, MI 48879. THE NATIONAL BANK OF JACKSON. 18-1-p-29

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BINGO—Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Shiawassee Conservation Association,

Notice 29

Radio TV 33

CUSTOM BUTCHERING AND PROCESSING, by appointment. We butcher on Wednesday and Fridays. Beef, pork. Halves and quarters, also retail cuts. All meats MDA inspected. Vaughn's Meat Processing, West City Limits on Bussell Rd. just off M-57 Carson City.

ZENITH COLOR CONSOLE TV's \$499. WILD'S FURNITURE & APPLIANCE, Laingsburg. 651-5545. 18-tf-32

Lost & Found 35

LOST—March 27, English Cocker Spaniel female white and black. Blind, partly deaf, 12 yrs. old. 4300 W. Stoll near Airport Rd. REWARD 321-1280. 18-1-p-35

SATURDAY NIGHT SPECIAL—T-Bones, N.Y. Strips, baked potato, salad bar, \$4.95. Steaks fresh cut by AJ's Market. Office Bar, Fowler 593-3230. PGC-45tfn

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Card of Thanks 30

The family of Kenneth Snyder express their sincere thanks to the friends, neighbors and relatives for the cards, visits, flowers memorial gifts and food and other kind deeds. To the Ambulance Services, the nursing staff and Dr. Stephenson for their excellent care. To Rev. Sheppard for his comforting words and a very special thanks to our co-workers. God bless you all.

Mrs. Mary Snyder & Family Mr. & Mrs. Dale Snyder & Family Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Patrick & Family Mr. and Mrs. Peter Vanderlin & Family 18-1-p-30

Many, many thanks to our friends and relatives who shared and made our 50th wedding anniversary a day we will always cherish. A special thanks to Robert and Ivah Risley and grandchildren and Marie Bancroft, Ila Thornton, Ruby Kimball and Elizabeth Levey, and all who helped in any way. Royal & Ethel Risley 18-1-p-30

My wife and children and I have enjoyed living in this area. Thank you all for being nice neighbors. My friends at Clinton Memorial Hospital helped me daily to take good care of my patients. The hardest to leave behind are my patients and the Westphalia people. We thank everyone and wish the best for you. T. Chuntarasupt & Family 18-1-p-30

Household 32

FREEZERS—from \$199. WILD'S FURNITURE & APPLIANCE, Laingsburg. 651-5545. 18-tf-34

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Legal News

STATE OF MICHIGAN THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CLINTON At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Johns, in said County, on the 26th day of April, A.D. 1978. PRESENT: Hon. Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate. IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF Burnice R. Zelinski to have her name changed to Burnice R. Pemberton. Burnice R. Zelinski having filed her application in said Court that the name of Burnice R. Zelinski be changed to Burnice R. Pemberton. IT IS ORDERED that the 24th day of May 1978 at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon at said Probate Court be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this ORDER for one week previous to said day of hearing in the Clinton County News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County. Timothy M. Green Judge of Probate 18-1

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State of Michigan The Probate Court for the County of Clinton, Estate of Scott Douglas Seethoff, Deceased, File No. 19921. TAKE NOTICE: On July 12, 1978, at 11:00 a.m. in the Probate Courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon. Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held and Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented said F. Merrill Wyble, Attorney, at 3939 Capital City Blvd., Lansing, MI 48906 and proof thereof, with copies of the claims, filed with the court on or before July 12, 1978. Dated: April 24, 1978 Attorney for Petitioner: F. Merrill Wyble 3939 Capital City Blvd. Lansing, MI 48906 Petitioner: Sharon Cobb Box 274 Route No. 1 Fowler, MI 48835 18-1

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BANNISTER

Margaret Moore returned home from Carson City Hospital Monday. She and Richard met their daughter Marcie Applebee and her infant son Christopher at Bishop Airport in Flint Tuesday evening. Marcie and Christopher will be staying with her parent while husband, Ron Applebee, is attending special Air Force training in Little Rock, Ark. After his schooling, they will all return to Altus Air Force Base in Oklahoma where he is stationed. +++

A special post Lenten Devotion was held Tuesday morning at the home of Rose Santrucek in Owosso. Three car loads of ladies met with Rose and shared a time of fellowship. Janet Swanson was in charge of devotions for the day. +++

Pat and Doug Graham returned to their home in Mio after spending Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Dunay. +++

Helen and Wayne Peck returned home Friday after spending the last three months in Zephyrhills, Fla. Their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Peck and daughters preceded them by a few days back to Michigan. They had visited his parents during Easter vacation. +++

Friends in the area will be happy to know Alice Casler has returned from Florida to her home in Ovid. Alice was a former area resident. +++

The annual Spring Rally of the Central District United Methodist Women was held in Clare Wednesday. Several ministers and laymen were present for the twelve workshops which were presented. Special music for the afternoon was presented by a quartet from the Bannister Methodist Church. It was composed of Nancy Hinkley, Mary Ann Schlarf, Maxine Leydord and Walt Miller. Marilyn Miller served as accompanist. Rev. Emmett Kadwell accompanied Walt for the day. Other members

of the U.M.W. attending were Rose Santrucek, Gayle Green, Mary Kadwell, Anabel Peck, Lillian Terrell and Janet Swanson.

With Neva Keys ELSIE

Elsie Chapter No. 69, OES was represented at the Friends' Night of DeWitt Chapter OES by the following members: Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Hinkley, Mr. and Mrs. Dale C. Levey, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Porubsky, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Keys, Mrs. Jeanne Temple, Mrs. Florence Ewer and Mrs. Elaine Sturgis. Mrs. Donivan Williams of Norway, U.P. spent the past weekend in Elsie with relatives and friends. An all-church breakfast honoring its high school sen-

iors will be held, Sunday morning, May 28 at the Fellowship Hall of the Elsie United Methodist Church at 7:30 a.m.

The Elsie United Methodist Church congregation is invited to a special program on May 10 at 7:30 p.m. when Dr. Ruth Ike will present "The Family in China."

The United Methodist Youth Fellowship held their annual Pizza and Lasagna Bake at the church Saturday evening. Lasagna made by the mothers and pizza made by the young people were served by candlelight on red and white checked tablecloths. A good attendance was reported by the young people and good service was reported by those attending.

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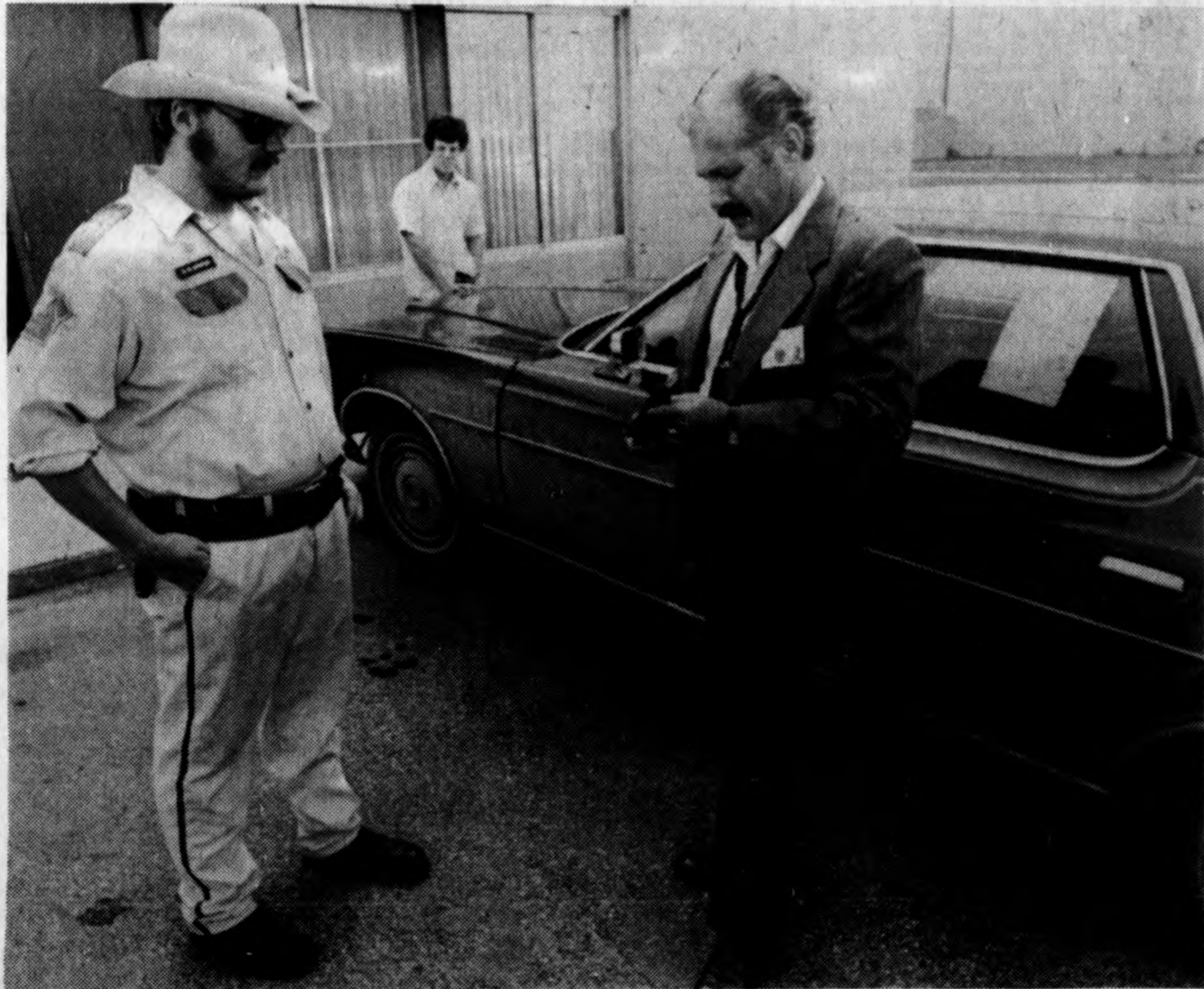
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The Back Page



Depicts rural life

This is a scene from "Clayton County Line", a film produced in northeastern Clinton County by a group of local personalities.

Amateur film premieres at O-E High May 20

An amateur film titled "Clayton County Line" depicting "rural life and morality" with "fast cars, a fat sheriff, CB radios and lots of action" is being finished by SummerProd Films, according to director and Ovid resident Dean Wilson.

writers, actors, students and movie fans who thought it might be neat to make their own movie, according to Wilson who founded SummerProd. The movie is all in good fun, "a subtle lampoon of the drive-in style movie" he adds.

The film is made in super-8, a film gauge often reserved for home movies. Wilson said super-8 was used, rather than the more expensive 16mm or 35mm film, to keep costs down. "Although it's an amateur film," Wilson said, "we're not afraid of comparison with professional efforts."

The one-hour color film was written by MSU student and should be completed some time in mid-May. "Clayton County Line" will have its premiere May 20 in the Ovid-Elsie High School Auditorium.

"Clayton County Line" is not a very deep examination of life. Most movies of this type are shallow—they're not concerned with lifestyles, but with stereotypes. This one is sort of a cross between 'Smokey and the Bandit' and 'Macon County Line' with a little bit of 'Taxi Driver' thrown in," says Wilson.

The screen play for "Clayton County Line" was written by Steve Szilagyi, an Elsie native and student at Michigan State University. The movie features people from the Ovid, Elsie, Kalamazoo, and Lansing areas.

★ Police department Continued from Page 1A

public safety committee and the township board.

The sergeant will then assume the role of acting chief until one is hired.

"Really the sergeant should be highly qualified to take over the position with the amount of training and testing they go through," the chairman of the PSC said.

Mrs. Coor admitted the police department would be left in the lurch without CETA funding. However, she added, several other departments throughout the country would be placed in the same situation.

"When CETA is eliminated, it will have national impact. We won't be the only one effected," she said. "Since 1972 we've gone through four different programs so I'm sure if CETA goes, there will be another program to replace it."

Presently the department is operating on one mill which amounts to \$52,851.

Six men on the force have four year degrees and most of the rest of the staff is working on obtaining a degree.

"We are real upset about losing Mike (Ferrence)," Mrs. Coor said. "We knew when we hired him, we wouldn't be able to keep him... we have bene-

fited however."

She noted the township doesn't feel there will be any problems for the department operating without a police chief for awhile especially with the day to day operations. She feels the program Nash set up called Management by Objectives (MBO) has a lot to

do with it.

With this program each officer knows what is expected of him and all the duties he should be performing during his shift.

In conclusion Mrs. Coor said, "We'll have the same type of department we've always had."

Jaycees offering shopping spree

DeWitt

DeWitt Area Jaycees announce their first annual Supermarket Sweep. The Sweep is a raffle, the winner of which will get five minutes with one standard grocery cart in Terranova's in downtown DeWitt.

All grocery items will be available for selection with the following exceptions: alcohol, tobacco, and a \$100 limitation on meat.

Tickets went on sale Monday, May 1, at the following DeWitt merchants: Family Barber shop, Dalman's Hardware, DeWitt Pharmacy and Terranova's. All members of the DeWitt Area Jaycees also have tickets for sale.

There will be only 500 tickets issued. The drawing will be held at Terranova's at noon May 20, with the Sweep held the week following.

Proceeds from the Supermarket Sweep go toward municipal projects.

Two killed on Clinton roads

Clinton County

Clinton County recorded two more fatalities during the past week raising the total number of traffic deaths to seven for 1978.

The first fatality happened on April 25 at 6:25 p.m. the accident occurred at the same time the mock tornado disaster was in progress.

Jeannie L. Dickenson, of 1165 S. Warren Rd., Ovid, was killed when her car collided with a car driven by 74-year-old Horace L. Brook, of 15870 Upton Rd., East Lansing.

The Dickenson auto was traveling east on Taft Road and went through a yield sign into the path of the Brook auto which was traveling south on Shepardsville Road.

The two people were taken to Clinton Memorial Hospital where Dickenson was pronounced dead. Brook was treated and has been released.

The second death occurred early Monday morning, May 1, at the intersection of US-27 and Chadwick Road.

Deborah J. Curtin, 21, of 811 Bement St., Lansing was pronounced dead on

arrival when the car she was traveling in went out of control and rolled over as it hit the shoulder of the road while passing other vehicles.

Two other persons in the auto, Jerry M. Leiby, 22 of 816 Bement St., Lansing and Dave Henly, 22 of 2516 Marsit St., East Lansing, are in Sparrow Hospital in the intensive care unit listed in serious condition.

There is some question as to who was driving the car at the time. The accident is still under investigation by the Clinton County Sheriff's Department.

DeWitt High names top students

DeWitt

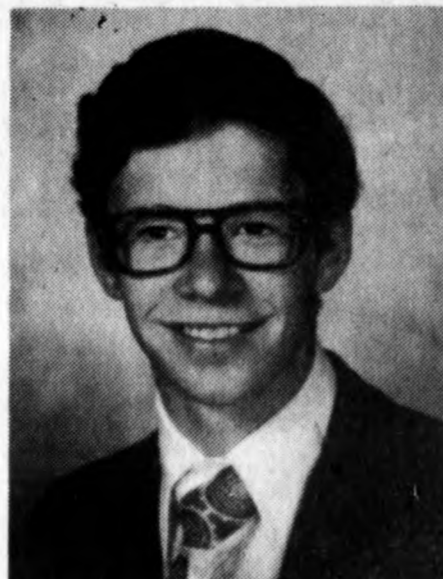
Joseph M. Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Reed, has been named Valedictorian and Maureen Stevens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stevens, has been named Salutatorian at DeWitt High School.

Joseph has maintained a grade point average of 3.96 on a 4.00 scale through high school and has been a member of the National Honor Society, marching and concert bands and a participant in the High School Quiz Bowl. He plans on continuing his education by pursuing an engineering degree at Michigan Technological University.

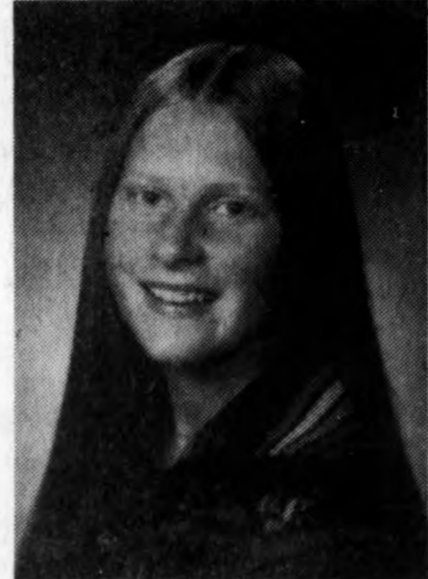
Maureen has maintained a grade point average of 3.91. She has been involved in the National Honor Society and played on the state championship teams in both basketball and softball. She plans on furthering her education at Ferris State College majoring in accounting and data-processing.

The other top academic students are

as follows: Pat Simmer, Max Hineman, Sherri Lusty, Sue Perez, Mark Mandrick, Chris Taylor, Todd Parker and Lydia Ling.



Joseph Reed



Maureen Stevens

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