



# SJ approves record \$2.8 million budget

By Patrice Hornak  
Editor

St. Johns

Despite the hour-long recommendations made by former Mayor Roy Ebert to the St. Johns City Commission regarding the 1978-79 budget for the city, the Commission passed the document in its entirety last Tuesday evening, May 23.

The record \$2.8 million budget reflected an 18 per cent increase over the 1977-78 budget and will cause taxpayers to pay three additional mills this coming year.

Ebert suggested ways to trim the budget by three mills, complaining the city hall employee increases were

"excessive" and the budget in general was "fat."

However, Mayor John Arehart pointed out to Ebert in several instances that the budget was not inflated any more than when Ebert was mayor. In some cases, areas were cut.

Ebert argued that he should have been given a hand-written work budget showing how the city arrived at the figures in the budget. The city declined to give him the line-item budget because negotiations with the Department of Public Works (DPW) and the police department had not been completed and the city "felt it was in the public interest" not to release those figures.

A portion of the increased budget

will go toward the wastewater treatment program, street improvements and two special assessment projects, one for a sanitary sewer and one for curb and gutters.

The new budget also reflects a 13.65 per cent increase for the city manager, clerk, treasurer and zoning administrator.

Also at last week's City Commission meeting, the Commission went on record as favoring the F-3 alignment for the US-27 by-pass of St. Johns.

The Commission's recommendation called for an easy-on, easy-off interchange at Parks Road and at Maple Rapids Road, and that the existing US-27 between Parks and Maple Rapids Roads be designated as a Business Route and appropriately signed.

## Sleepy Hollow keeps improving

By Sue Kiley  
Staff Writer

Sleepy Hollow

Sleepy Hollow has taken on a new look.

The state park which was constructed around 1973 now has completely

asphalted roads throughout the area, a bath house, indoor restrooms, a first aid station, changing rooms, and a concession stand.

According to Dave Sinclair, park manager, there was a tremendous increase of visitors from 1976 to 1977. In fact, he estimates almost 100,000 more people visited Sleepy Hollow in 1977.

The 2685 acres of park have swimming and picnic areas as well as hiking trails.

"Provided we have good, warm weather, the volume of visitors should increase greatly this year too with the added features to the park," Sinclair commented.

Another feature the state is providing

at the recreation area is lifeguarding at the beach site.

Construction for these new facilities started last fall and were ready last Wednesday.

Boats are allowed at Sleepy Hollow, however they must be man or electric-powered.

This is the first year a fee will be charged for using the park. Motor vehicle permits are \$5 per year or \$1 for the day. Senior Citizens 65 years old and over will be charged \$1 for the year.

Hiking trails are located on the east side of the park and go about four miles. There is also an organizational campgrounds for Boy and Girl Scouts.

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### Aviation hero honored

Approximately 400 persons witnessed the marker dedication Monday at East Plains Cemetery for aviation pioneer Philip Orin Parmelee who once

flew for the Wright Brothers and was regarded as a national hero. He died June 1, 1912 and is buried in East Plains Cemetery. Walter T. Roach

Post 182, American Legion, made Parmelee an honorary member of their Post following the ceremony. (Photos by Patrice Hornak)

### PROFILE

A smile is  
her style



Be happy is a way of life for new 4-H Youth Agent Theresa Dow.

### 15¢ stamps

If you have a letter to mail, remember to put a 15-cent stamp on it as postal fees went up yesterday. In the last 20 years, the cost of mailing a letter has tripled.

### Tryouts tonight

Twenty-five Pony Leaguers are needed. Tryouts and drafting will be Wednesday, May 31, at the Little League field in St. Johns.

### Fulton finances

The Fulton Board of Education and administration will hold a meeting to explain the financial position of the district to interested citizens on Monday, June 5, at 8 p.m., in the Middle School gym.



### Just like the olden days

Mrs. Neva Pope of rural St. Johns returned to the classroom last week dressed in an old-fashioned gown. She and other Community Resource Volunteers (CRV) spent time teaching in a country school room which they composed in the Central School library in St. Johns. Mrs. Pope graduated from Clinton County Normal School (now Central School) in

1919 and she actually went to school in what is now the library. In 1971, she retired from North Ovid Elementary after 37 years in the teaching profession. Here she teaches second graders in Mrs. Patricia Pioszak's class "flower writing," as part of the Michigan week activities. CRV is funded by the Mott Foundation. (Photo by Patrice Hornak)

## Michigan Week keeps youngsters busy

Clinton County

Michigan Week for Clinton County school children was filled with action-packed special events that helped make them more aware of their state and communities and their history.

Programs set up by Community Resource Volunteers, a county wide volunteer organization operating through a grant from the C.S. Mott Foundation, staged activities that included pancakes cooked on an old wood stove; a tour of historical houses taken on roller skates; quilting and spinning demonstrations; old farm equipment; a small animal day; a showing of local artists in St. Johns; a country school set up in Central School library; tours of the Clinton County Courthouse, museum and ambulance garage; special talks on antiques, local history, old flags and the state's history and geography.

Bath Elementary School set aside a special day when volunteers came and set up an old kitchen range and cooked pancakes for the 600 students. A cornsheller, fanning mill and other old farm equipment were demonstrated. Old stories were told. Helpers included Walker and Alice Kyes, L.D. Pettit, Matt Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Spangler, Alta Reed, Mary Ondush and Hilda Miller.

Eureka and East Essex Schools in the St. Johns district also had pancakes, planned and served by CRV volunteers Olive Purtil and Ilah Briggs. Ken Wright also helped at East Essex, flipping pancakes for the six grades. Special programs at these schools included a talk on a day in great-grandmother's life by Catherine Rumbaugh and presentation of a doll collection by Calista Reed. Mrs. Rumbaugh also went to 15 other classrooms.

Ford Caesar, Michigan historian and author, spent Friday at four schools giving his presentation on Michigan. Lynn Block acted as his guide for the day.

Swegles School held open house for parents Wednesday and Thursday to correspond with day-long visits by Marta Giesecke and Mary Rappuhn who demonstrated quilting and spinning and Roy and Wanda Ryan who

spoke on their extensive collection of Indian artifacts.

The Ryans also spent a day at the junior high with their collection, setting

up in the library so classes could visit all day.

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## Clinton gets another circuit judgeship

Clinton County

Clinton and Gratiot Counties will be sharing two circuit court judgeships instead of one as a result of action taken by the state legislature last Thursday when 18 more circuit court judgeships were added throughout Michigan to cope with increasing caseloads in the courts.

The House approved the bill 64-24 and the Senate voted 23-2.

Of the 18, Wayne and Ingham Counties got two each and Oakland County received three. Those counties receiving one new judge are the 8th in

Ironia and Montcalm, Kent County, Bay County, the 19th in Clinton and Gratiot, St. Clair, Monroe, the 40th in Lapeer and Tuscola and two newly-created circuits in Lake and Mason Counties and one in Huron County.

Sixteen of the 18 judgeships will be up for election this year, and two in 1981. Clinton County's will be up for election and nominating petitions must be filed before June 6.

29th Circuit Court Judge Leo Corkin is not running for re-election this year, so two circuit judgeship seats will be available in the Clinton-Gratiot circuit.

## US-27 public hearing slated for Thursday

Clinton County

Clinton County residents will be given an opportunity to present their views and suggestions concerning the routing of US-27 from St. Johns north to the county line.

A public hearing has been slated for Thursday, June 1, at St. Johns High School beginning at 8 p.m.

The area of US-27 under study is located in Bingham and Greenbush Townships, with four proposals under consideration: G (Partial), F-1, F-3 and F-5.

The G (partial) route follows the present US-27 route north of St. Johns; F-1 is located between US-27 and Scott Road; F-3 and F-5 are one-fourth mile west of Williams Road, with F-3 joining US-27 around Hyde Road and F-5 joining US-27 at the County Line Road.

The environmental impact statement as well as maps of the four routes being considered are available for review at the following locations: county clerk's office, county planning office, county extension office, Bement Public Library and the St. Johns city clerk's office.

# Clinton deputy beaten, assailants flee on foot

By Sue Kiley  
Staff Writer

Clinton County  
A Clinton County Sheriff's deputy was assaulted and beaten on a dead-end road in Watertown Township during the Memorial Day weekend holiday.  
Deputy Richard Harrington was making a routine check on a car and its two occupants, a male and female, that was parked behind the Royal Scot Bar location on Saturday, May 27 at 10:40 p.m. A heated discussion then took place between the deputy and the male occupant of the car, 19-year-old John J. Shulick, of 1433 Comfort St., in Lansing.  
Deputy Harrington had asked for and received the couple's driver's licenses, turned around for a moment and then went to speak to Shulick when he was knocked down according to police reports.

The deputy was then allegedly beaten up by the man.  
The two subjects fled on foot from the area leaving Deputy Harrington unconscious on the road. After regaining consciousness the deputy radioed for help with Capitol City Airport police, the first to respond. DeWitt Township officers and the Clinton County Sheriff's Department also came to the officer's aid.  
A search was initiated with the help of the Lansing police helicopter; the Lansing post of the Michigan State Police and its tracking dogs; and Eaton County Sheriff's deputies from the Delta Township branch.  
At 1:20 a.m. two officers of the MSP, William Walton and William Rinkey found the girl, Barbara Hurley, 23, of 1005 Westfield, Lansing walking in the woods along Delta River Road and subsequently arrested her.  
The search for Shulick con-

tinued until 5 a.m. Shulick's attorney brought him in to the Clinton County Sheriff's Department where he was lodged.  
Bond was set at \$10,000 each.  
The pair were arraigned

on Tuesday afternoon. Shulick is being charged with assaulting a police officer which is a two-year circuit court misdemeanor. Hurley is being charged with aiding and abetting an assault of a police officer.

## Safe holiday in Clinton recorded

Clinton County  
No fatalities or serious accidents were reported on Clinton County roads over the long Memorial Day weekend according to Clinton County Sheriff's deputies reports.  
Four car-deer accidents were handled during the past week with seven other minor accidents also occurring. Injuries resulted when

cars driven by Douglas E. Rennells, Ithaca, and John C. Horney, 107 S. Swegles, St. Johns collided at the intersection of US-27 and Colony Road on May 24 at 3:07 p.m.  
Horney was injured in the accident and taken to Clinton Memorial Hospital for treatment.  
Rennells was cited by deputies for failing to yield the right of way.



## Top FHS students

The 10 top seniors at Fowler High School are (back row, from left) Darryl Schmitz, Linda Thelen, Sharon Simon, Cheryl Thelen and

Tony Schafer, (front row, from left) Lucy Klein, Lucy Arens, Sandra Schafer, Judy Thelen and Lynette Thelen.

## Fowler top 10 students named

Fowler  
Sandra Schafer and Lynette Thelen were named Valedictorian and Salutatorian, respectively, for the Fowler High School class of '78.  
Miss Schafer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Schafer and attained a 3.91 grade point average during high school. She was a member of National Honor Society, the girls' track teams, Varsity Club, class secretary during her junior year and class treasurer her senior year and she was a member of the school newspaper staff.

Miss Thelen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Urban Thelen and graduated with a 3.81 GPA. She was a member of the National Honor Society, girls' softball team, girls' volleyball team, Varsity Club, Vocational Industrial Clubs of America (VICA) and she was vice president of her class as a sophomore and secretary of the class of 1978. She was also a candy stripper during her senior year.  
Both girls plan a career in the secretarial field.

10 seniors at Fowler High School were Lucy Arens, Judy Thelen, Lucy Klein, Darryl Schmitz, Sharon Simon, Linda Thelen, Tony Schafer and Cheryl Thelen.

During the awards assembly, a number of awards were presented: Tony Schafer won the Math Award, Linda Wieber won the Euclid Award, LuAnn Schomisch was named the top business student, Cindy This won the Typing II Award and winning the Shorthand II Award were Sandy Schafer, Therese Weber, Linda Thelen and Sharon Simon.

The Typing I Award went to Elaine Weber; Ginny Schafer and Mindy Feldpausch won the Accounting I Award; and Diane Goerge, Jill Koenigsnecht, Donna Schmitt and Audrey Simmon won the Shorthand I Award.

Also receiving awards were Chris Martin, World History; Chris Martin and LuAnn Smith, Chemistry; Darryl Schmitz, Instrumental Music and John Philip Sousa Awards; LuAnn Schomisch, Library; Tom Ellsworth, LuAnn Schomisch and Pauline Kramer, Clinton National Bank Eagle Award; Sue Mueller and Pauline Kramer, Choral Music; Darryl Schmitz and Jim Theis, Industrial Arts Outstanding Seniors; Linda Wieber, U.S. History; Tim Thelen (11), Psychology Award; Lucy Arens, Advanced Art; Sally Bozung, Art; and Joni Koenigsnecht and Shirley Goerge, Art I Awards.

Sandy Schafer, Darryl Schmitz and Peter Ulrich received four-year perfect attendance awards.

## Workshop helps P-W seniors

Westphalia  
Job finding is a difficult task. Recognizing this, Pewamo-Westphalia counselors and teachers teamed together to sponsor a workshop on employability skills for their seniors. The goal of this workshop was to give a parting gift to all seniors—the job finding skills that will put them "out-front" on the job mastering market.  
The workshop was held May 25 from 8:30-12 a.m.

Seniors learned how to handle work goals, to locate jobs, to do their information sheet, resumes, letter of application, how to do job paper work, interviews, telephone calls, and how to keep their job after being hired.  
The workshop was planned by Ron Kramer, Tom Spencer and Audrey Casari. Narrators were Cotter and Mrs. Casari, counselors.  
Teachers who helped were Marilyn Huhn, Dennis Pilmore, Frank Ehrhardt, Nancy Cusack, Marsha Smith, Deborah Rothfuss, Darlene Costello, Mike Folk, Lori Fox, Ron Kramer, Tom Spencer and Mark Szyper-ski.

Parents who helped were Marie Bengel and Millie Droste.  
Students who helped were Sharon Rademacher, Sue Ann Pinkney, Linda Spitzley, Cheryl Thelen, Norma Fedewa, Janet Rademacher, Mary Weber and Dorothy Thelen.

## DeWitt Twp chief named

DeWitt Twp  
DeWitt Township has hired a new police chief to replace Michael Ferrence who left his post to accept a position with the FBI.  
Named to take over the police chief spot was Thomas R. Aranow, 28, of Birmingham, for the salary of \$18,400. Aranow is currently a sergeant and field supervisor for Wayne State Department of Public Safety.  
The new chief assumes his duties June 5.

## Kelsey, Hufnagel elected

Eaton County Sheriff Arthur Kelsey was recently elected chairman of the Region 6 Criminal Justice Coordinating Council. He will hold the position for one year beginning in July.  
Vice-Chairman will be Clinton County Sheriff Anthony Hufnagel.  
The Council is one of the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission's advisory committees. Its job is to coordinate criminal justice planning activities in Clinton, Eaton, and Ingham counties.

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## Tullis runs for Powell's seat

Announcement was made last week by Max E. Tullis, 57, of Saranac that he is a Republican candidate for State Representative, 88th District. This seat is being vacated this year due to the retirement of Stanley Powell of Ionia who has served the district since 1964.

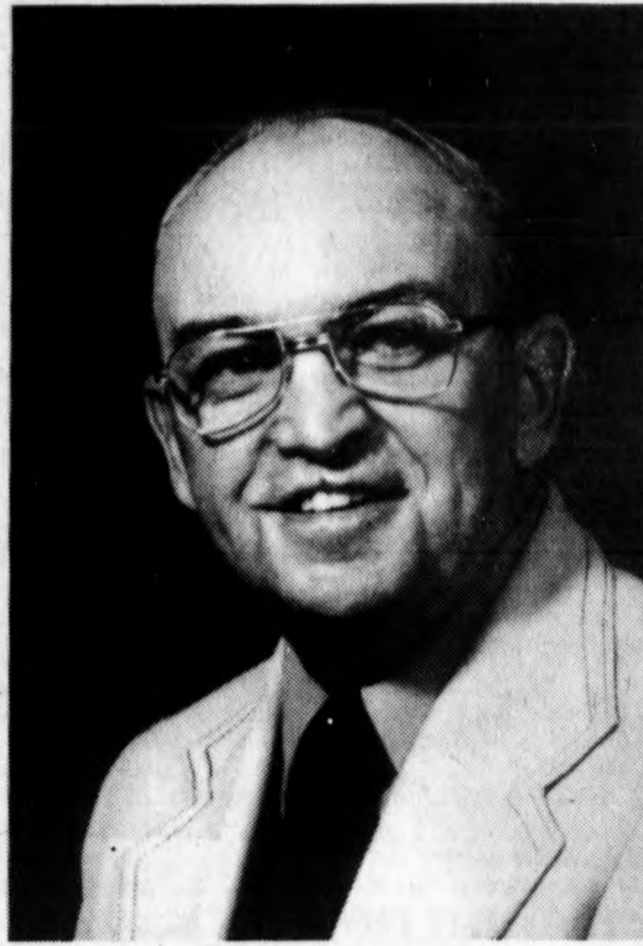
Tullis is a graduate of Alma College from which he holds a B.S. degree in government and history. After graduation from Alma in 1948, Tullis came to the Saranac school system where he taught for 10 years.

Early in 1942, he enlisted in the United States Army where he served four years in the China-Burma-India in veterans affairs. Tullis has an honorary life membership in both the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars as well as being a charter member of Pup Tent 76 of

Ionia, which is the honorary degree of the VFW.

Now serving his seventh consecutive term as president of the Village of Saranac, he has accomplished much within his community. In that time the village has constructed a new water-sewer system; a 32-unit senior citizens complex and a new \$1.6 million bridge over the Grand River. Currently another 49-unit senior citizen facility is being constructed in the village and plans are in motion for a new public park on the banks of the Grand River.

An advocate of low taxation, Tullis maintains, "deficit spending does not make good government." With a current 15-mill limitation on municipalities, Saranac is rather unique in that its citizens are enjoying a 7.5 mill levy.



Max Tullis

## New judgeship entices Green

St. Johns Clinton County Probate Judge Timothy M. Green of St. Johns has announced he will be a candidate for the newly-created judgeship for Michigan's 29th Circuit at

the non-partisan primary election Aug. 8. The second judicial post for the circuit, which includes Clinton and Gratiot counties, was established by recent legislative act signed

by the governor, and is an eight-year term. Judge Leo W. Corkin of St. Johns currently presides alone in the 29th Circuit. Provision for a second judge reflects the greatly increased court caseload in the two counties.

Judge Green, 57, has been a member of the Clinton Gratiot bar since 1949 when he succeeded to the St. Johns law practice of the late Clement Pung. He subsequently joined the late Edward W. Fehling of St.

Johns in the law partnership of Fehling & Green. From 1967 to 1972 he was also associated in a law partnership with attorney Paul A. Maples in St. Johns.

He was first elected Clinton County probate judge in 1956 and has been returned to that post in four subsequent non-partisan judicial elections. He continued his law practice in St. Johns until 1972 when Michigan probate judges were prohibited from engaging in such activity outside their court duties.

During his more than two decades in the Clinton County probate post, he has frequently been assigned to preside as judge in circuit, district and probate jurisdic-

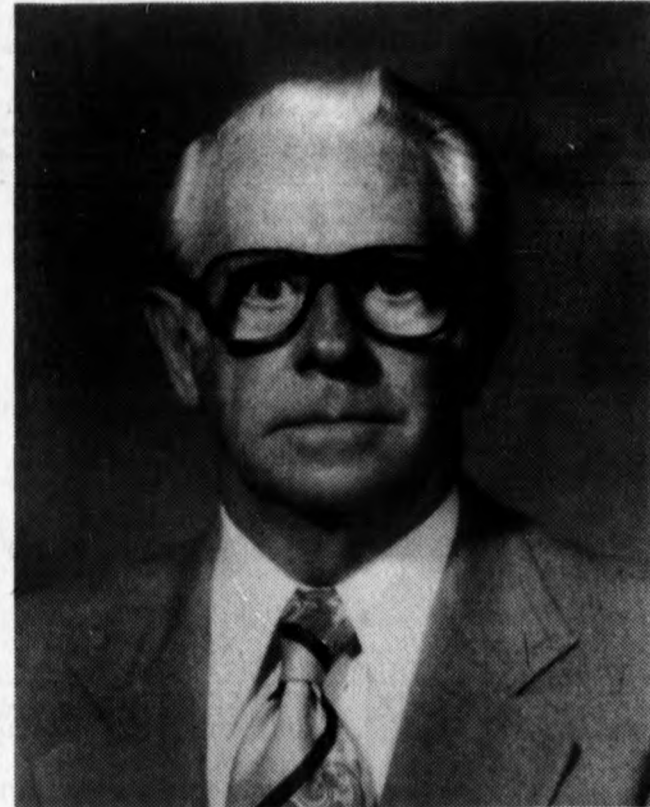
tions in neighboring counties.

He is a member of the Clinton-Gratiot Bar association, the Michigan Bar association and the American Bar association. He has been admitted to practice before the U.S. Supreme Court.

A native of rural Nebraska, Judge Green received his undergraduate education at Trinity College in Iowa and the University of Nebraska. He obtained his law degree from the University of Notre Dame in 1947. His studies were interrupted by four years of service with the U.S. Army Engineers in the South Pacific during World War II. During part of that period he was on the staff of Gen. Douglas MacArthur in the Philippines.

He is a member of the American Legion, VFW, Disabled American Veterans and Knights of Columbus.

Judge Green was married to the former Alma Weber of Fowler in 1945. They are parents of a son, Terry, of Grand Rapids; and two daughters, Mrs. Melanie Humphrey of Mt. Pleasant and Miss Sharon Green, a recent graduate of Aquinas College, Grand Rapids. The Greens are members of St. Joseph Church in St. Johns.



Timothy Green

## Newman seeks Circuit Court position

St. Johns Jon Newman, Clinton County prosecuting attorney, has announced his candidacy for Circuit Court Judge of the 29th Judicial Circuit, consisting of Clinton and Gratiot counties. Newman is seeking to fill the position currently held by Judge Leo W. Corkin, who has decided not to run for re-election.

Newman graduated from Okemos High School in 1961, received his bachelor's degree from Michigan State University in 1966 and a juris doctorate degree from Wayne State University Law School in 1969.

Before coming to Clinton county as an assistant prosecutor in 1970, Newman was employed one year as a staff member of the Governor's Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice, assigned to the

Administration of Justice Subcommittee.

In 1971, Newman was appointed Prosecuting Attorney by Judge Leo W. Corkin to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Patrick B. Kelly who resigned to enter private practice in Manistique. Newman was then elected prosecutor in 1972 and re-elected in 1976.

He has served on the Board of Directors of the Prosecuting Attorneys' Association of Michigan since 1972, having recently served as president of the association in 1976-1977. In 1975, Newman was appointed to a select panel of prosecutors from across the country to serve on a National District Attorneys' Association Task Force to prepare national goals and standards for prosecutor's offices.

Newman also serves on the governing council for the Criminal Law Section of the State Bar of Michigan, is a past member of the Prosecuting Attorneys' Coordinating Council and also a member of the American Bar Association, the Clinton-Gratiot Bar Association and the St. Johns Rotary Club.

Newman stated his philosophy as follows: "I believe that our courts too frequently invade the functions of our legislative and executive branches of government. A judge should recognize and accept the Constitutional doctrine of separation of powers and that a judge is not a depository of arbitrary power but a public servant acting under law."

Newman and his wife Marilyn live in St. Johns with their three children.

## Local talent featured

The 37th Annual Chesaning Showboat, scheduled for July 10-15, has completed selection of 1978 Amateur acts.

Bob Rhode, Captain of Showboat and chairman of this phase of the entertainment, has indicated that the twenty-five acts will participate in the 1979 Showboat with the finals to be held on the last night's presentation of the river spectacular on Saturday, July 15.

Performing Monday night will be an Elsie group, "The Charleston City Girls" presenting a medley from the Roaring 20's. Members of the group include Brenda Davis, Kim Bullard, Lisa Engle, Shelley Davis, Michele Fizzell, Andrea Hippe, Rita Guyski, Cheryl Trimble, Janelle Price, Jayne Hyzer, Chris Michael, Sue Dasen, Jan Harkema and Mary DesJardins.



Jon Newman

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## Board favors F-3 US-27 route

Clinton County Board of Commissioners went on record supporting the F-3 route for the proposed relocation of US-27. At its Board meeting Tuesday afternoon, May 23 Commissioners also approved an interchange to be located at Parks Road.

The special transportation Committee and the Clinton

County Planning Commission favored both the F-3 and F-5 routes and considered them superior to the G route.

There was no consensus by the group on the best interchange for the city of St. Johns. The city wanted the Parks Road site because it felt other roads would be too far away.

Other business handled by the Board included:

—Herbert Mairer of Tri-County Regional Planning submitted a pre-application for rural development. This matter was referred to the Planning Commission.

—Final hearing was held on the DeWitt Town Plaza for Economic Development Corporation funding and the

project was approved. —Tom Enos, representative of the Community

Mental Health Department gave its annual report to the Board.

## Scholarships for Bath seniors announced

Bath

A number of seniors at Bath High School have been named scholarship recipients, including Valedictorian Andrew Beachnau who received a University of Michigan Regents-Alumni Scholarship.

National Merit Scholarships were awarded to Camille LaGuire and Gary Parks; a \$1,000 student life scholarship renewable each year at Oakland University was awarded to Beachnau; and Kathy Nichols received a Lansing Community College scholarship, paying for her tuition and fees.

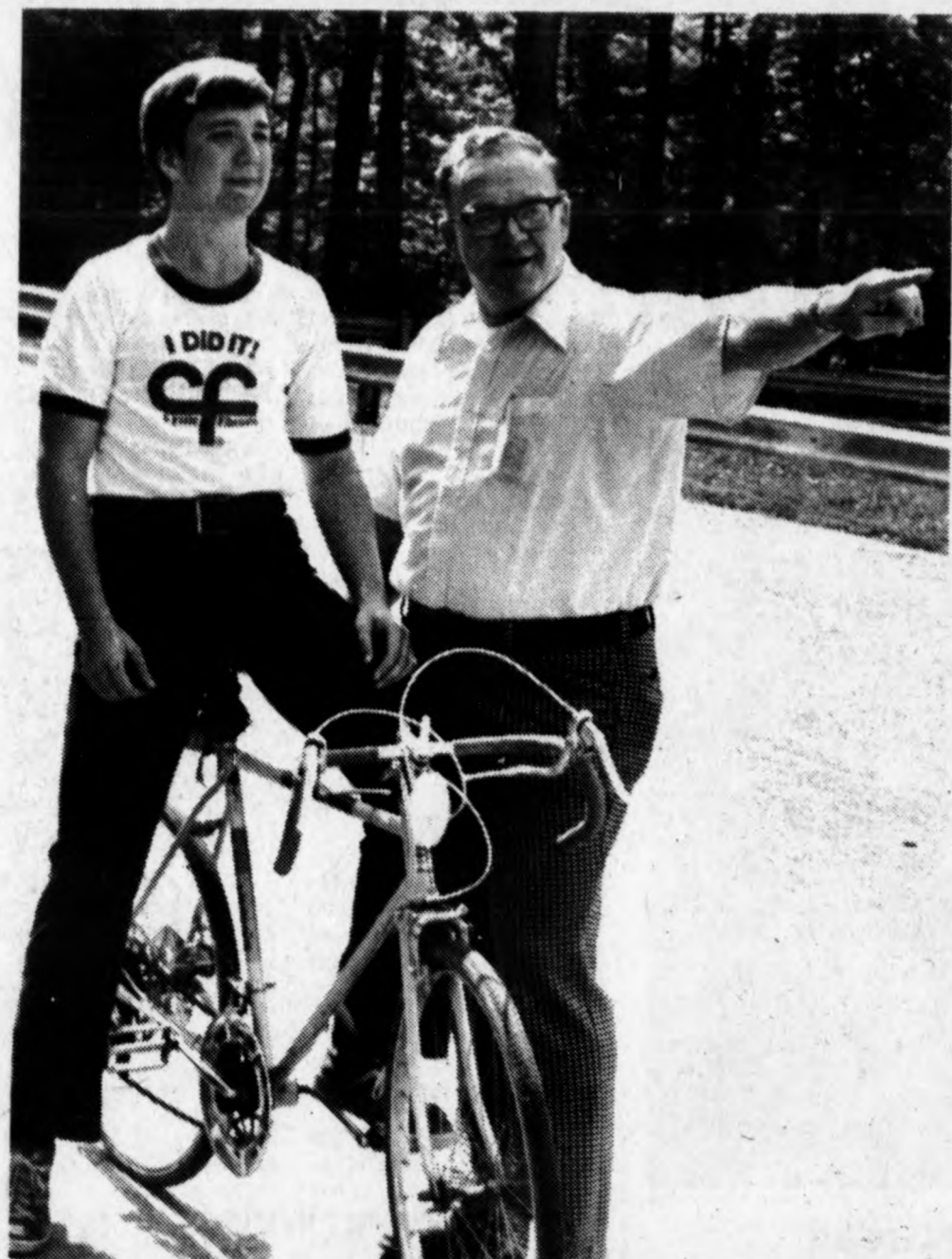
Miss LaGuire also received an LCC Learning Resource Divisional Scholarship for photography and Peter Miller received an LCC Division of Business

Award. Both awards cover tuition and fees.

Receiving Michigan Business Schools Association Scholarships for \$900 were Kathy Green, Janet Scarane and Linda Schafer.

The top 10 students in the class included Beachnau, Salutatorian Andrew Bos, Gregory Covell, Miss Green, Miller, Miss Nichols, Parks, Miss Schafer, Bruce Swart and Gregory Tarrant.

Michigan Competitive Scholarship Competition qualifiers included: Beachnau, Steven Black, Bos, Orson Deemer, Angela Jassman, Jeanette Kaufman, William Ketchum, Patricia King, Miss LaGuire, Jonathan Means, Miller, Parks, Swart, Tarrant, Brenda Morrill and Christopher Zeeb.



## DeWitt youth goes to Japan

DeWitt

DeWitt High School sophomore Matt Bishop will be heading to Japan and Hawaii as a member of the Lions of Michigan All-State

Band on June 17, to participate in the ceremonies installing Ralph Lynam as president of Lions International.

Matt, the son of James and

Nancy Bishop, will play alto sax in the band. He is being aided by the DeWitt Lions Club and DeWitt Boosters Club who are helping defray the expense of the trip.

## Bike-a-thon nearing

The Bike-A-Thon will be on in St. Johns June 4 for Cystic Fibrosis. Bikers will be starting their trek at 1 p.m. from Smith Hall and will travel the city park area. Joe Humenik, local co-chairman of this project is pointing out the course to his son, Mark, who will be participating in the event. Other co-chairman is Denis Scott. First prize is a 10-speed bike and second prize is an AM-FM radio both donated by Bailey's Music Store. Sponsor sheets are available from Beck's Farm Market; Dean's Hardware; and both Rodney B. Wilson and the high school. (Photo by Sue Kiley)



## OPEN HOUSE

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June 4, 1 to 6 p.m.



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## Co-op students receive awards at O-E

**Elsie**  
The Ovid-Elsie Business Cooperative Education program concluded its sixth year of operation with the sixth annual co-op banquet, which was held Tuesday evening, April 25, in the high school cafeteria.

Bob Foreback, cooperative education director, spoke of the past history of both the business and distributive programs offered at Ovid-Elsie High School. He also spoke on what is happening now in the business department and outlooks for the future.

The program was highlighted by the presentation of certificates to the training stations and to the outstanding co-op students in office education and distributive education.

The outstanding co-op award in distributive education was given to Lynette Hrncharik, who is presently employed at Maron's IGA in Ovid. The outstanding co-op awards in office education were given to Kristie Hose, who is employed with Ovid-Elsie Area Schools, band director, and Lois Purves, who is employed with Ovid-Elsie Area Schools, co-op director.

Achievement records for all co-ops and the training station certificates were handed out by the director, Mr. Foreback.

The banquet concluded with a tour given to those who attended to WOES Radio Station, the school store, and the business department.

Listed below are this year's co-ops and their training stations.

**Office Education**—Barb Deisler, Deisler's Flowers; Kelly Bradish, Junior High Librarian; Andrea Fabus, M.M.P.A.; Kristie Hose, Ovid-Elsie Area Schools Band Director; Cindy Fowler, Ovid-Elsie Area Schools Food Services; Diane Kusenda, Ovid-Elsie Area Schools Administration



Receiving awards during the sixth annual co-op banquet at Ovid-Elsie High School were (from left) Co-op Coordinator Robert Foreback; Outstanding Distributive Education Co-op award winner Lynette Hrncharik; and Outstanding Office Education Co-ops Lois Purves and Kristie Hose.

**Office:** Patty McClelland, Dr. Jack Bates; Terri Moore, Ovid-Elsie Area Schools Adult Education; Kathy Williams, Ovid-Elsie Area Schools Adult Education; Lois Purves, Ovid-Elsie Area Schools Co-op Director; Ann Whiting, Ovid-Elsie Area Schools Athletic Director; Jean Reynolds, Ovid-Elsie Area Schools Librarian; Deb Slavik, Clinton National Bank; and Lauralee Lott, Ovid-Elsie Area Schools Curriculum Consultant.

**Distributive Education**—Karl Baumgras, Darling's Hardware; Mike Perrien, Yogi's Super Service; Sidney

Das, ARA Services; Jim Ginther, Maron's IGA; Stan Hampton, Maron's IGA; Brian Hettinger, Maron's IGA; Kay Parmenter, Maron's IGA; Lynette Hrncharik, Maron's IGA; Barry Rivest, Maron's IGA; Kevin Peters, Gene's IGA; Scott Schoendorf, Gene's IGA; Ken Russell, Min-A-Mart; and Barb Pugh, Deisler's Fowlers.

The co-op program is now setting up for next year's co-ops and if anyone is interested in discussing it, they can call Bob Foreback, the co-op director, at the high school. The numbers are (Ovid) 834-2271, and (Elsie) 862-4237.



### Skillful bus drivers

Leona Ettinger, (fourth from the left) diver of Bus No. 9 for the St. Johns Public Schools placed third in the Regional School Bus Safety Rodeo at Harry Hill High School in Lansing on May 13. A total of 68 contestants participated from 14 school districts. Clinton County was represented with four drivers from Bath; three from DeWitt; and five from St. Johns. Others participating from St. Johns included: Karen Holliday; Annette Wilson; Pat Warner; and Johonna Harris.

## Gellers named Big Brother, Sister of Year

**St. Johns**  
Big Brothers-Big Sisters of Clinton County, Inc. recently celebrated their 1st Annual Big Brother-Big Sister Banquet.

The banquet was held at Pilgrim United Methodist Church on Parks Road in St. Johns with 60 volunteers, friends, and children attending the event.

The program speaker was Trooper Burt Lardie of the Michigan kState Police from the Ionia Post. His presentation was a description of the

State Police K-9 Program and how German Shepherd dogs are utilized. Trooper Lardie has been a dog handler for several years.

Several presentations of appreciation were given to outstanding individuals and organizations who have volunteered their support in making the program successful during the year of 1977.

Special Big Brother and Big Sister of the Year Awards were presented to Charles R. Geller and Joan

E. Geller, husband and wife, from St. Johns for outstanding service and dedication to their Little Brother and Little Sister.

Rev. Hugh Banninga, vice-president of the Board of Directors, was the master of ceremonies. In his closing remarks he said, "It is most gratifying to work with everyone who has assisted in making our program a success this past year. We should all look forward to 1978 with great expectations."

### —NOTICE— To Cut Weeds

Chapte 106 of the St. Johns City Code states in part:

9.41 No person occupying any premises and no person owning any unoccupied premises shall permit or maintain on any such premises, any growth of noxious weeds; nor any growth of grass or other vegetation to a greater height than twelve (12) inches in the average; nor any accumulation of dead weeds, grass or brush.

This notice is to inform all persons that weeds not cut by June 1, 1978 will be cut by the City and the owner of the property charged with actual cost of cutting, removal or destruction, including supervision and overhead costs... which sum, the city's cost, shall be a lien against the premises.

This notice enables the City to cut the weeds as many times as is necessary and charge the costs to the property owner.

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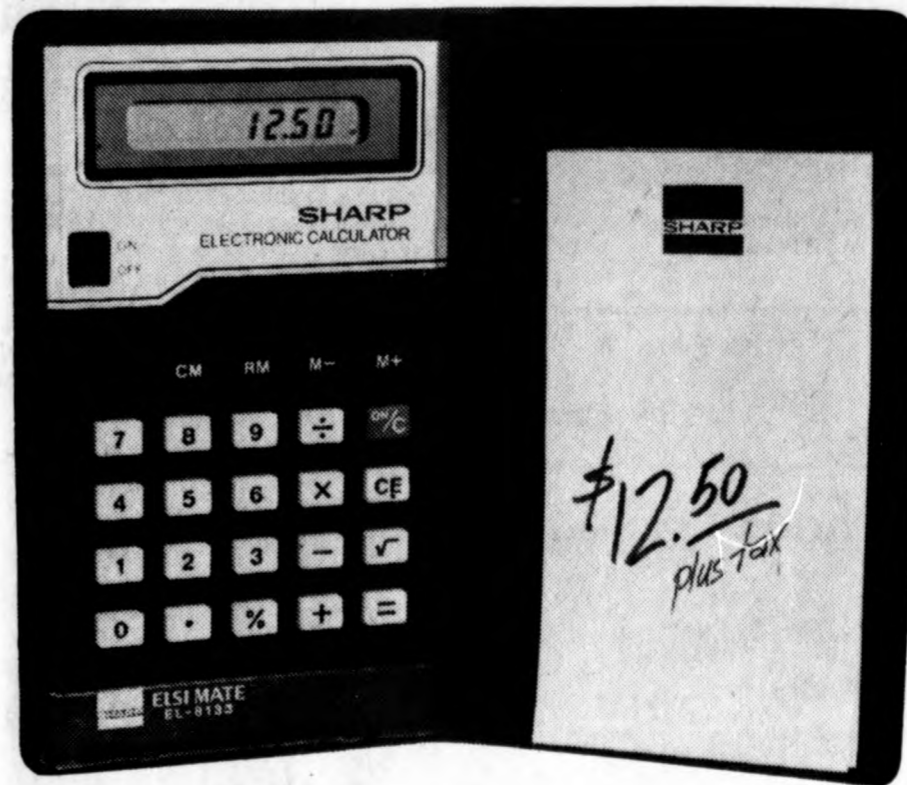
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# Editorial Page

## Do SJ taxpayers have \$20, \$30, \$40?

The commercial warns, "You can pay me now, or you can pay me later" indicating that an ounce of prevention is a step in the right direction. This can fittingly apply to the upcoming school millage election.

Education costs money. It took money to get the St. Johns school system to the point where it is today and it will take more money to keep it that way. After all, inflation hits everyone and everything.

St. Johns voters can refuse to put more money into their school system which boasts some excellent facilities and programs at the high school level or they can say "no" to more spending and neglect the already neglected elementary programs.

In the end, St. Johns voters will pay. They will either pay for better schools or their children will pay from inadequate programs.

Last fall voters said no and throughout the school year voters kept complaining to the Board of Education about the unsatisfactory conditions or opportunities in the schools. If the millage proposal asking for one additional mill for two years is defeated, much of the same disagreement between the Board and the community will probably take place. Everyone thinks money should be cut from other

programs—other programs which do not directly affect them.

The Citizens Advisory Committee of about 80 community residents studied the school system and didn't come up with a long list of overexpenditures or areas in which the school system could save money. No, the group came up with ways to spend more money—if the money is available.

The problem is: Is the money available?

One mill would cost the owner of a \$40,000 home a total of \$20. Those who live in \$60,000 homes would pay \$30 and those with \$20,000 homes would pay \$10. This is based upon the definition of a mill: \$1 assessed for every \$1,000 of assessed value on a home. The assessed value of the home is, by law, half of the real value.

Voters will go to the polls June 12 and make that decision. They will decide whether they have \$10, \$20 or \$30 to give to their school system.

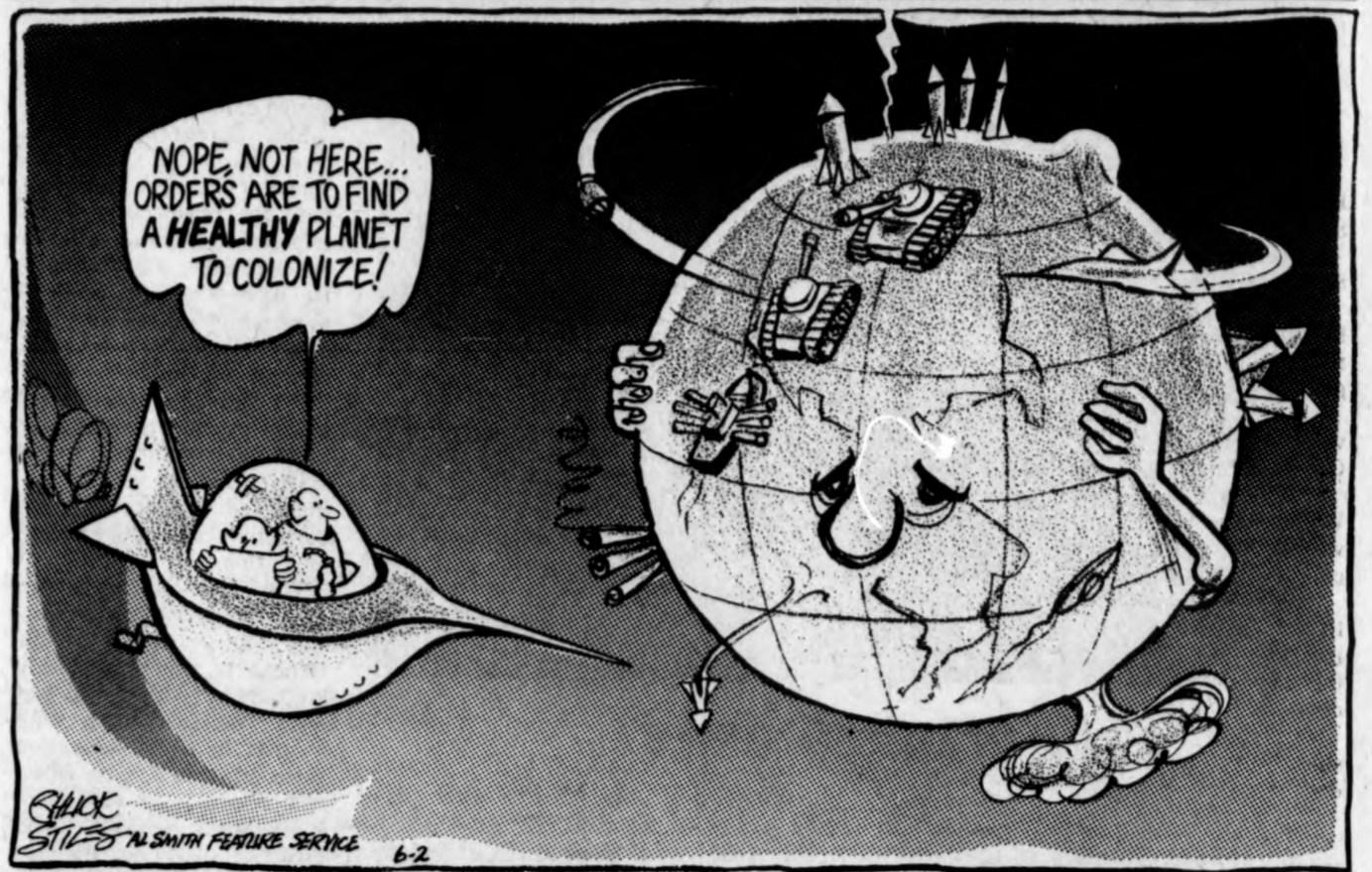
Voters should keep in mind that a sound school system is a definite selling point when the homeowner wishes to sell his or her house. Ask the voters of Bay City who have defeated millage proposal after millage proposal and now are faced with half days, no extracurricular activities and a tough struggle to sell their homes.



By Patrice Hornak

School millage goes to support their schools, not the state or federal governments which are eating up more of our paycheck every day. This is a local election. State and federal spending has exceeded its limits, and the St. Johns city budget increased three mills last week and only one person objects to that hike.

Is there money available? Voters can pay now or pay later.



"WORLD SPENDING \$1 MILLION A MINUTE ON WEAPONS OF WAR—News Item

### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

## Clinton Sheriff responds to Rep Nash

Dear Editor:

With all due respect to State Representative Ernest Nash, I feel that I must respond to his informal letter of May 17, 1978.

First of all I would have to say that I hold the Michigan State Police in the highest regard. Through the years my contact with the troops on the road, as well as the various post commanders, has been very positive and rewarding. I would also state that our county enjoys one of the best working relationships with the Michigan State Police in the State of Michigan.

There has been discussion in various law enforcement studies, that the Michigan State Police should be relegated to highway patrol only, with no enforcement powers off the highways. This I cannot support. We need the resources the State Police afford us and the citizens should have a choice as to which police agency handles their problems.

During the last few years the increase in rural crime has increased considerably, as well as the vehicular accident rate. The Michigan State Police are suffering as well as most police agencies from lack of man power to effectively perform those enforcement functions necessary. The actions which prompted SB1517 was the completion of the study by the Law Enforcement Committee for The Michigan Commission on Criminal Justice established by Governor William Milliken, which analyzed the various police-sheriff's functions in an effort to come up with a role definition which would outline the primary and secondary responsibilities of local law enforcement, sheriffs and state police. In hopes of providing a more effective overall less costly duplication of services which may now be present.

Their recommendations were as follows:

TO: Michigan Commission on Criminal Justice

FROM: Law Enforcement Committee

SUBJECT: Summary of Recommendations on Role Definition

Mission Statement: Whereas the Law Enforcement Committee of the Michigan Commission on Criminal Justice recognizes that the present structure of

law enforcement in Michigan with its multiplicity of police agencies, overlapping jurisdiction and duplication of effort impedes efficient and effective delivery of police services and escalates the cost to the citizens. (adopted by the Law Enforcement Committee on July 13, 1977).

The Law Enforcement Committee recommends the following role definitions and submits them for commission approval:

I. The Michigan State Police Role (A-D Adopted by the Commission on January 14, 1977, Amended by Law Enforcement Committee on July 13, 1977).

A. The Michigan State Police SHALL provide at no cost to local communities: (1.) Forensic laboratory services; (2.) Michigan Law Enforcement Officers Training Council (MLEOT) training; (3.) Law Enforcement Information Network data (LEIN); (4.) Computerized criminal histories; and (5.) Intelligence services.

B. The Michigan State Police SHALL develop a pool of troopers available for local support in emergency situations.

C. The Michigan State Police should re-establish the trooper force to not less than the July, 1975 level.

D. The Michigan State Police SHALL provide Statewide patrol of the expressway system.

E. All supportive services presently provided by the state to Law Enforcement shall be continued, including the following: (1.) Continued and improved Law Enforcement Information Network. (2.) Forensic crime laboratories, including control and satellites recommended by the governor's Forensic Science Committee. (3.) Basic, in-service and specialized Law Enforcement Training Developed and implemented by Michigan Law Enforcement Officers Training Council. (4.) Specialized criminal investigative follow-up, on request from local police agencies, with no restriction of investigations of governmental agencies. (5.) Criminal investigation on request from local law enforcement agencies in major cases and multi-jurisdictional investigation, including narcotics and other dangerous drugs, organized crime, homicide, arson and auto theft. (6.) Mutual aid to local law enforcement agencies on their request when justified by the Michigan State Police. (7.) Breathalyzer program administration and supervision. (8.) Central records and identification programs. (9.) Computerized criminal history (CCH), computerized management and operations information data centers.

F. Although the Michigan State Police has statewide jurisdiction in every area of law enforcement, it shall have primary responsibility for high visibility patrol, enforcement and accident investigation on all interstates, all limited access and state highways outside of incorporated areas. (E & F Adopted by the Law Enforcement Committee on March 29, 1977).

II. The sheriff's role (Adopted by the Law Enforcement Committee on February 14, 1977).

A. The sheriff shall perform all constitutional and statutory functions

with primary responsibility for the following: (1.) Custody and transportation of all adult and juvenile offenders, excluding status offenders, when remanded by court action, or otherwise received by the sheriff. Transportation may be delegated. (2.) Security of all courts except the Supreme Court and Court of Appeals. (3.) Preservation of the peace and patrol of unincorporated areas of the county and secondary responsibility in incorporated areas and for police services on interstate, limited access and other state highways. (4.) Administration and service of civil process. (5.) Countywide law enforcement services, involving multi-jurisdictional matters and any subsequent contractual agreement for these services.

III. Local Law Enforcement Role (Adopted by the Law Enforcement Committee on July 8, 1977).

A. Although the local law enforcement agency shall have authority in every area of law enforcement within its jurisdiction the local unit of government shall provide, 24 hour basic police services including preventive patrol and emergency response, criminal investigation, motor Vehicle accident investigation and enforcement and local ordinance enforcement.

B. When these services cannot be provided locally, they shall be obtained through contractual agreement with the sheriff or other statutorily approved law enforcement agency.

C. The local law enforcement agency may provide a full range of police services but should utilize all supportive and investigative Services provided in the role definitions for the Michigan State Police and Sheriff.

In my opinion those recommendations do not remove authority but outline a more effective and efficient role of responsibility for you the tax payer to support for law enforcement services.

The Senate Bill 1518 would assist in support of a local traffic enforcement and vehicle inspection program in the various counties, and we in Clinton County could obtain as much as \$85,000 of state monies to perform those functions. I am greatly concerned about the accidents which continue to mount on our County road system. Already this year we have suffered 11 fatalities and only 2 were on the state highway, with 9 being secondary or rural roadways. The increased enforcement is necessary if we are to lessen this rate. The following shows the accident activity for 1976 in Clinton County by those Agencies charged with the investigations.

I would hope with those responsibilities defined your Sheriff's Department would be able to remove certain patrol hours now being spent on state highways and move primarily into the rural area to afford the citizens in this County a more effective and efficient means of traffic enforcement as well as a better visibility for deterrent to other crimes in the rural area.

Sincerely,

Anthony A. Hufnagel

Clinton County Sheriff

	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	PROPERTY DAMAGE	KILLED	INJURED
Clinton Co. Sheriff	632	6	200	426	6	312
2 Posts, State Police	229	1	62	166	2	81
2 - Township P.D.	444	2	132	300	2	226
3 - Cities	386	0	74	312	0	111
Other	54	0	8	46	0	9
TOTAL	1745	9	486	1250	10	739

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State Police role threatened

By Richard L. Milliman

Keep an eye on the ongoing battle in the Michigan legislature over the question of which police agency should be responsible for which road patrol duties.

Presently the joust concerns a couple of bills about state funding for county sheriff departments of financing patrolling of secondary roads. It will cost the state treasury about \$12.5 million, under proposed financing.

And, under the reasoning included in the proposals, if the county counties are responsible for local road patrols, then state police would be responsible for patrols of state highways.

On the surface, the whole idea doesn't sound too bad. How come, then, that the entire state police establishment—from Commander Gerald Hough through the Michigan State Police Command Officers Association, and the State Police Troopers Association—all go into apoplexy when discussing the bills?

You have to go back just a bit to get all the background. Last fall, when Detroit was in a budget crunch, the city had to halt city patrols of Detroit freeways. Wayne County didn't have money for the job, either. As Calvin Coolidge might have said of the resulting situation, when you remove policemen from patrols in Detroit, crime results. The Michigan State Police were thrown into the breach, and did a commendable job. However, not everybody was happy.

The AFL-CIO, for one. The big union opposed state funding for continued state patrols of Detroit freeways, primarily because that meant Wayne County police officers would not be doing the patrolling, and the Wayne County officers belonged to the AFL-CIO while the state troopers did not.

After quite a tussle, the State Police won and the union lost. According to Col. Hough, that situation set the stage for the latest go-round.

What Col. Hough and his allies fear, is that the new proposals, while spelling out duties of county sheriff departments in certain areas of road patrol—and in funding those patrols—also will severely limit the reach of the state police by restricting their activities to patrolling state highways.

For example, the troopers' association feels the sheriff's aid bill is "just the tip of the iceberg as the raiding of state funds for county law enforcement will, in the long run, result in duplication of crime laboratories and investigative services now provided by the

State Police in cities and counties without cost."

Col. Hough spells out his concerns like this: "We don't want the State Police to be a highway patrol. Since 1917, we have been a full service police agency. It would be a step backward to become a highway patrol."

The measurers are also backed by the Michigan Sheriffs' Association. For example, Oakland Sheriff Johannes Spreen called for the role of sheriff to be "more than just a jailer and deliverer of papers." Spreen claims the proposal would "properly define and legitimize the role of the sheriff throughout the county."

From where I sit, the state police have every right to be concerned. Direct state subsidy to sheriff patrols, although welcome by most hard-pressed counties with budget problems, would undoubtedly lead to more and more pressure for more and more state financial aid for other aspects of the sheriff's duties—and certainly at the expense of the Michigan State Police.

Where the AFL-CIO fits in apparently is in the membership angle, and thus in union influence of law enforcement

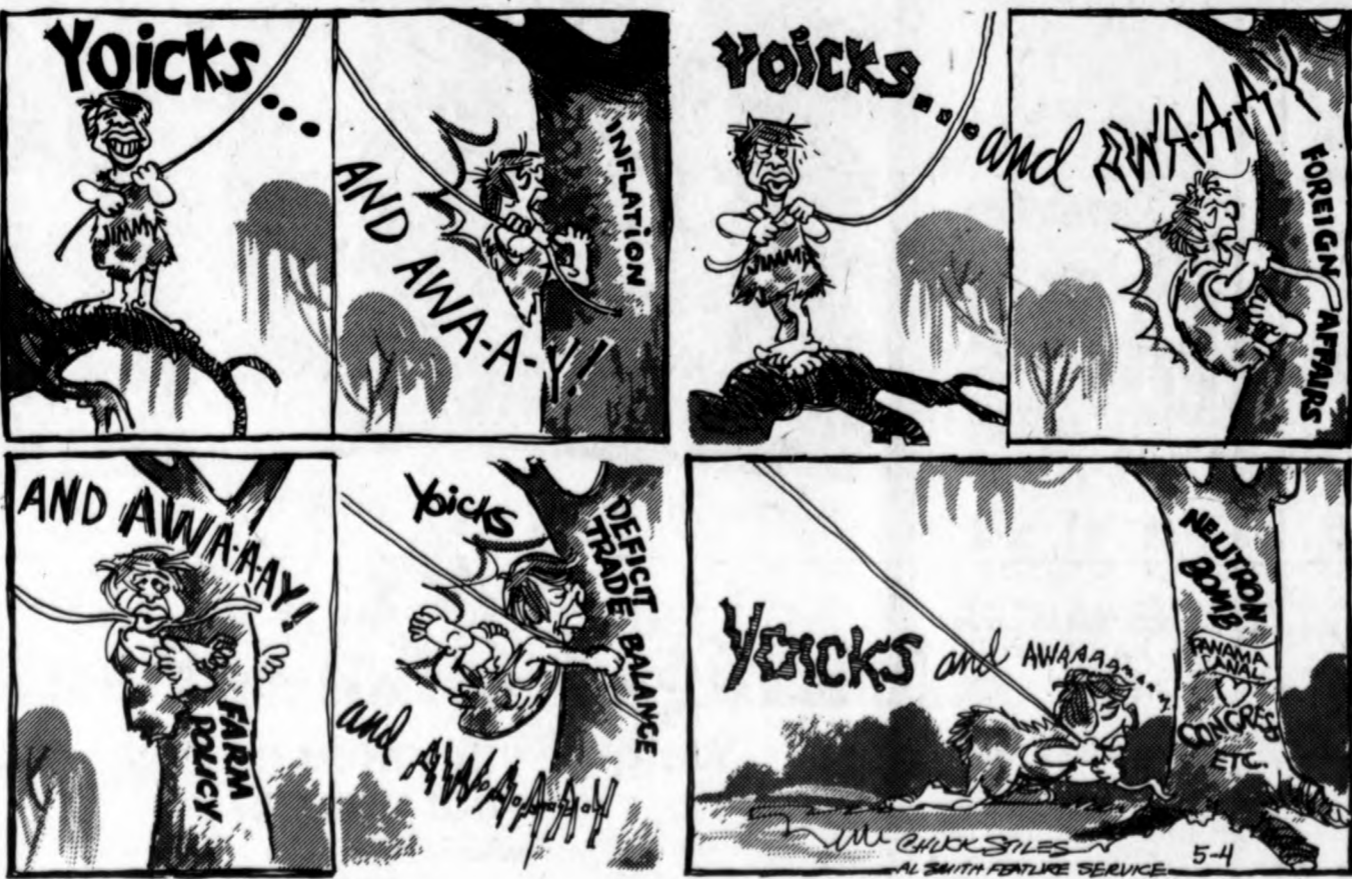
agencies. More state money to counties for more road patrols means more deputies in Wayne County and all other Michigan counties, with more union members and more opportunities for AFL-CIO influence in sheriff departments.

There are other problems in the bills—such as mandating county patrols in townships and other local jurisdictions, without reimbursement to the county.

But the total thrust of the movement is highly questionable, and I certainly agree with Col Hough and his state police allies that any action in the Michigan legislature which would weaken the role of the Michigan State Police would be resisted with all fervor.

A five-year-old boy was asked by a new neighbor how many there were in his family.

"Seven," was the reply.  
"My, that many children must cost a lot," the neighbor exclaimed.  
"Oh, no," said the child. "We don't buy them, we raise them."



## PERSONALITY PROFILE

# Smiles make unconventional role easier for 4-H Youth Agent

By Sue Kiley  
Staff Writer

St. Johns

Most people who know Theresa Dow know they won't find her at her desk at the Cooperative Extension office very much of the time, especially during Fair days when her hours go from 7 a.m. to 1 a.m.

Ms. Dow has taken over an unconventional job for a woman, at least it is a first for the residents of Clinton County. She is the county's new 4-H Youth Agent.

How Theresa got into the business of 4-H is a story in itself. While she was going to Michigan State University, Ms. Dow was taking a double major of Elementary Education and child development.

"In the four years I went to school, there wasn't one time that I can remember not being in some type of classroom," she commented. "If it wasn't my own class it was in the elementary grade, the nursery schools, or day care centers."

Very rarely will anyone see Theresa without a smile and she attributes this to "loving" just about everything she has done in life.

It was really a hard decision for her to decide what she wanted to do after graduation.

She was involved with 4-H as a teen-ager growing up on the family farm in Mulliken as well as working part-time at the 4-H office at MSU.

"I loved by student teaching, but I also really liked what I was doing in the 4-H office," 22-year-old Ms. Dow said. "After graduation I decided to take some time off to find out what I wanted to do."

In the meantime, Theresa did some student teaching for a couple of months. "I really needed the break, because I had gone to school during the summers too," she added.

In March of 1977 Ms. Dow was named assistant to John Aylsworth who was youth agent at the time. She was really thrown into her work when Aylsworth left for Japan about

four months after she started.

Back in high school Theresa had thought about becoming a youth agent, but five years ago there were very few women holding the position. Now almost one third of the youth agents in the state are women.

"My job is different now as there is a lot more responsibility," the new agent said. "Before, if there were problems they really weren't mine. Now you could say 'The buck stops here.'"

She noted the 4-H program in Clinton County is a strong one and will continue whether she is there or not.

"It really helped being the assistant here first," she commented. "I got to work with the people before hand and I wasn't just a stranger coming in to take over." She did note, however, many people do not associate her with the job and act rather surprised to know a woman holds the position.

In the short time Theresa has held the job, there have been many gratifying moments for her. One was when one of the Teen Club kids moved away and called her long distance just to talk. "It really makes you feel good when things like that happen," she commented.

One of the most unlikeable parts of the job, even though it is rather funny and Theresa talks about it with a smile, is packing and unpacking cars for certain programs the Extension Office sponsors.

"I hate hauling all this junk," she said. "I think you have to be part mining mule when you're in Extension."

Being a woman in the job creates a challenge according to Theresa. Activities like moving 200-pound barrels of glass, bales of papers, or fixing broken items is not all that easy for a female, but Theresa says the challenge is not a problem.

"You just have to find new ways to solve the problems and then do it," she said.

A favorite part of life for Theresa is cheering people up and being happy herself. Two words she uses to describe herself is "cheerful" and "nuts".

"I like being unique," she said. "I think people should be happy in whatever they do."



Theresa Dow

## Balloons sail from Grand Rapids

By Patrice Hornak  
Editor

St. Johns

When Don Smith looked up in the sky Monday evening, May 22, he thought he was seeing an unidentified flying object (UFO) but what he really found was a bunch of balloons from Grand Rapids.

The gaily colored balloons filled with helium landed on Don's farm located at 5244 S. Chandler Rd., about 8:45 p.m. Attached to the group of 43 balloons was a large banner describing the owners of the balloons.

"Collins School Balloon Launch" read the banner which also gave the school's address as 4368 Heather Lane, Grand Rapids.

Don, son of Alice and Gerald Smith, plans to write the Collins School a letter and enclose the banner as proof of his finding. Unfortunately, the balloons are skinking daily and will not be able to make another voyage.



Don Smith holds the balloon "UFO" he found early last week on his rural St. Johns farm. The balloons traveled all the way from Grand Rapids. (Photo by Patrice Hornak)

## Asparagus sale complete

For the past month the county Farm Bureau office has been taking orders for Michigan All-green asparagus and customers picked up these orders last week.

## Two men promoted by CNB&T

St. Johns

Clinton National Bank & Trust Company has announced the promotion of two officers within its management. Robert W. Whatley has been named Vice President and Cashier and Michael J. Wisinski has been promoted to Senior Vice President, Loan Administration.

Whatley, a certified public accountant, joined Clinton National in 1975 as vice president and controller. He will continue to be responsible for the overall accounting and financial planning functions of the bank, as well as assuming additional operational responsibilities.

He is a native of Saginaw and a graduate of Michigan State University. He was awarded his C.P.A. certificate in 1969. He is a member of the American Institute of C.P.A.'s, the Michigan Asso-

ciation of C.P.A.'s, Bank Administration Institute, and the St. Johns Rotary Club. He and his wife, Kathleen, have four children and currently reside in East Lansing.

Wisinski joined Clinton National Bank in 1975 as loan administrator and responsible for all lending functions of the bank and its 10 full-

service branches in Clinton County and Lansing, and will continue these responsibilities as well as that of compliance officer for the bank.

A native of Grand Rapids, Wisinski attended Grand Rapids Junior College and Western Michigan University where he received a B.S. in economics in 1965. He is

active in his field as a member of the Robert

Morris Associates and also currently serves on the Board of Directors for the Family and Child Services of Lansing, is a member of the Knights of Columbus and the Lions Club of St. Johns. He and his wife, Marie, have four children and currently reside in St. Johns.

## Local Cub Scouts end year

Club Scout Pack 512 ended its regular season May 22 with award ceremonies at the United Methodist Church. Joey Wise was the newest Bobcat taken into the Pack.

Badges were awarded to: Chris Briggs, Wolf, Tony Medina, Bear, Alex Parker, Chris Woodruff, Wolf Silver Arrow, Kevin McClintic,

Wolf Gold Arrow, Paul Wood, Bob Sanderson, Outdoorsman, Mike Moore, Craftsman and Naturalist, Steven Eckert, Steve Carroll, Athlete, Stanley Kioski, Webelos.

In special award ceremonies four Webelos were awarded the Arrow of Light award, which is the highest award in Cub scouting. Dale

Good, Mike Moore, Bob Sanderson, and Ron Wycoff.

Pack 512 will now go into the summer program beginning June 3 with the Scout Fair "The Wonderful World of Scouting" at the National Guard Armory, Lansing. June 17 will be a Bike Rodeo and Picnic, then summer camp in July.

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# Society This Week

## Feldpausch, Young exchange vows

St. Joseph Catholic Church was the site of the wedding of Diane Lynn Feldpausch and Paul Canfield Young on April 7. Fr. William Hanker and Rev. William Coleson officiated at the 8 p.m. double ring, candlelight ceremony.

The couple was escorted down the aisle to an altar decorated with white gladiolus, yellow and white

mums, and yellow and white daisies by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Feldpausch of St. Johns and Mr. and Mrs. E. Jack Young of Charlotte.

Traditional wedding songs were played on the organ by Mrs. Ray Schneider.

The bride wore a Victorian styled gown of nylon organza over tafetta with a sheer yoke bodice of alecon lace

and seed pearls. The gown was designed with a fitted waistband, A-line skirt, lace and flounce border. The gown also featured bishop sleeves with lace cuffs and a chapel train.

She wore a two-tiered, finger-tip veil of imported illusion which was edged in seed pearls and was secured with a Camelot lace cap also edged with seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of yellow roses, and white and yellow

daisies.

Maid of honor was Carol Nurenburg, friend of the bride from Lansing. Bridesmaids were Kathy Feldpausch of East Lansing and Suzanne Young of Charlotte.

The attendants wore floor-length yellow dresses in empire styling with matching long-sleeved short jackets accented with a tie front. They wore yellow silk sweetheart roses with baby's breath in their hair.

The mother of the bride wore a floor-length mint green gown featuring an accordion pleated skirt with a matching short cape.

The groom's mother chose a floor-length cream toned chiffon gown featuring tiers of soft brown flowered print. Best man was Michael Fulton, Charlotte, who is a friend of the groom. Groomsmen were Mark Young, of Charlotte, and Michael Boyd of Ohio. Ringbearer was Jason Smith, a nephew of the

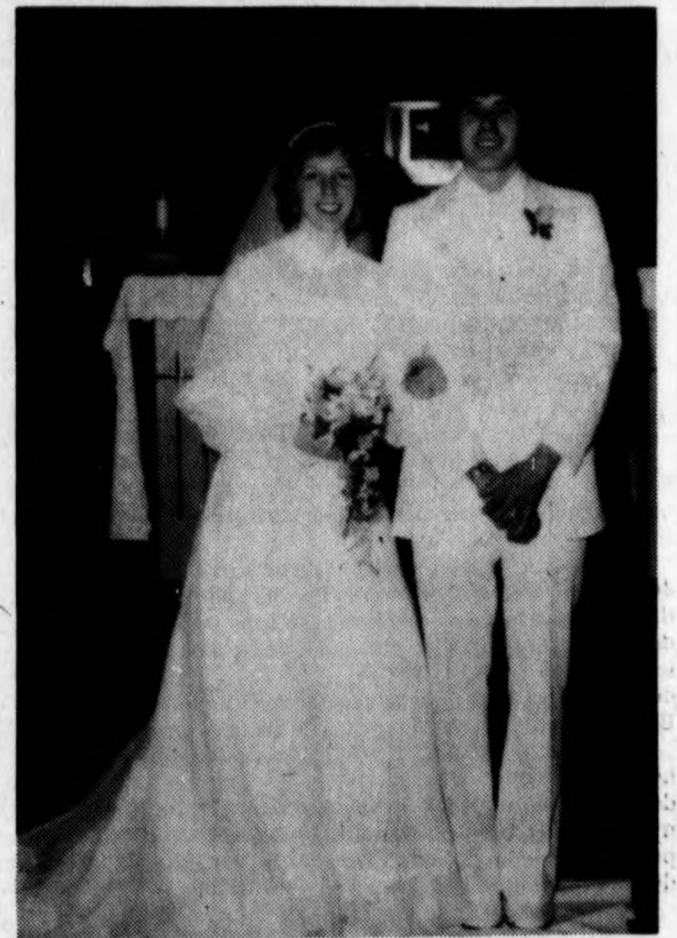
bride from Lansing. Ushering were Robert Schroeder of East Lansing and Sue Jeffery of East Lansing, both friends of the bride and groom.

A reception was held in the St. Joseph gymnasium immediately following the ceremony. Helen Buggs, Jennifer Ott, Sue Faivor and Sue Schneeberger, friends of the bride, served at the reception for approximately 300 guests.

Special guests at the reception were Mrs. Anna Mankey, grandmother of the bride, and Fred Feldpausch, grandfather of the bride.

The couple are making their home in Sidney, Ohio where the groom is employed as manager of the B-K Camera Shop.

The bride was a 1975 graduate of St. Johns High School and the groom was a 1975 graduate of Charlotte High School and he was a student at the Ohio Institute of Photography.



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### Area happenings

June 2—Champagne Art Auction sponsored by St. Johns B.P.W. Club at Smith Hall starting at 8 p.m. Be sure to attend this exciting and fun event.

June 4—The Lansing Art Gallery announces its first annual Open Photography Competition to open with a reception from 1 to 4 p.m. The exhibition will run from June 4-30; Gallery hours are: Tues.-Fri. 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., and Sundays from 1 to 4 p.m. The Gallery is located at 425 S. Grand Avenue, Lansing.

June 5—At noon the Clinton County Chapter of M.A.R.S.P. will have a picnic at Waldron Elementary School in Fowler. Spouses are invited.



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fedewa

### 50th anniversary

Robert and Theresa Fedewa of 9052 DeWitt Road, DeWitt will celebrate their 50th anniversary with a 10:00 A.M. mass of Thanksgiving at the Community of St. Jude Church on June 4.

A reception will be held at the St. Jude Center for relatives, friends and neighbors from 2 to 5 p.m. Hosting the event will be

the sons and daughters-in-law: William and Joan (Stechshulte); Donald and Beverly (Tank); Richard and Linda (Vermillion); Stanley and Bernice (Doyle); Robert Jr. and Julia (Cook); Thomas and Helene (Kendrick); Bernard and Mary (Procter).

There are 27 grandchildren.

### Marriage licenses

Wayne Alan Wilson, 21, 8005 N. Scott Rd., St. Johns

Patricia Ann Snyder, 16, Route 1, Ashley.

John Jesse Perez, 19, 635 Renker Rd., Lansing;

Jo Esterline, 20, 13007 North US-27, DeWitt.

Jill Marie Wing, 23, R 1 Marshall Rd., St. Johns;

Jeffrey Charles Wing, 22, R 1 Marshall Rd., St. Johns.

Alan Ford Hoffman, 29, 1795 Sunny Mede, Lansing;

Linda Kay Little, 23, 4693 West Grand River, Lansing.

Melvin Lester Wieber, 32, 1003 Church Street, St. Johns;

Julia Pia Silvestri, 26, 1001 North Clinton, St. Johns.

Gregory Thomas Cypher, 23, 16720 Clinton Road, Lansing;

Cathleen Louise Plunkett, 18, 16720 Clinton Road, Lansing.

William Robert Nielsen, 24, 6810 S. Cedar St., Lansing;

Denise Diane Desprez, 19, 909 Hampshire Drive, St. Johns.

Randy Lee Crandall, 22, 119 Brunswick, DeWitt.

Linda G. Rohrbacher, 27, 119 Brunswick, DeWitt.

Ronald Roy Fizzell, 30, 6314 E. Pratt Road, Laingsburg;

Carolyn Sue Watson, 31, 6314 E. Pratt Road, Laingsburg.

James Lawrence Lowell, 21, 7025 W. Jason Rd., St.

Johns; Kathryn Anne Thurlow, 20, 8635 S. Francis Rd., St. Johns.

Robert Alan Miller, 23, 2265 W. Parks Rd., St. Johns;

Carol Van Etten, 19, 2265 W. Parks Rd., St. Johns.

Robert Edward Nydam, Jr., 246 Hill St., Whitinsville, Massachusetts;

Melody Ann Vining, 19, 4219 Scott Rd., St. Johns.

Clarence Britt Christie, 28, 720 Coleman Road Lot 258, Lansing;

Martha Lozano, 23, 720 Coleman Road Lot 258, Lansing.

Philip Scott Scheid, 31, 600 Chadwick Road, DeWitt;

Candice Lou Taylor, 31, 600 Chadwick Road, DeWitt.

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**Engaged**

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jumper, St. Johns announce the engagement of their daughter, Dawn E. Jumper, to Dr. David C. Boechler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Boechler, Royal Oak.

The bride-elect received her Associate of Nursing degree from Lansing Community College. She is presently the assistant department head of the

Neurology Rehabilitation Unit at Sparrow Hospital in Lansing.

The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Central Michigan University and Creighton University in Nebraska. He is presently a radiology resident at U of M in Ann Arbor.

The couple is planning a July 1 wedding date.

**Kus, Smith united in evening rites at St. Joseph Church**

Dorothy Lynn Kus, became the bride of Lee Gerard Smith on April 28 at 6 p.m. at St. Joseph Catholic Church. Fr. William Koenigsnecht officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride was escorted down the aisle by her father to an altar decorated with yellow and white gladiolus.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kus, 3780 N. US-27, and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Smith, 718 S. Lansing, all of St. Johns.

For her wedding the bride chose a traditional white floor length gown of organza over taffeta with a bodice of Raschel lace. The dress featured a Queen Anne neckline of scalloped chantilly lace and was accented with pearls. The ensemble was designed with an empire waistline, shepheress sleeves, an A-line skirt with appliques and a double ruffle flounce with a chapel length train.

She wore a shoulder length matching mantilla on a

Juliet headpiece which was accented with pearls. She carried a bouquet of yellow, baby roses and white baby mums nestled in baby's breath and sprays of green ferns.

Maid of honor was Jamie Teichert, a friend of the bride. Attendants were Patty Meyer, Cheryl Smith, Cheryl Elliott, Mrs. Paul Jopke and Mrs. James Kus. Flower girl was Jennifer Green, niece of the groom, St. Johns.

The bridesmaids were attired in maize gowns of polyester knit with poly chiffon capes outlined in marabou. The gowns were designed with halter backs and a horseshoe bodice. The flower girl wore a white knit gown with ruffled sleeves, neckline, hem, and was trimmed with a yellow ribbon around the bodice.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Kus chose a floor length gown of ice-mint silesta with a draped cowl neckline. The groom's mother wore an off-white Qiana, sleeveless gown with a poly chiffon cape of matching color brocaded in green and rust.

Both mothers wore corsages of baby roses trimmed in greens and baby's breath.

Best man for the groom was Dick Bugg, a friend from San Diego, California. Groomsmen were Eric Smith, Larry Kus, Lynn Weber, Bob Hunter, and Jim Kus. Ushers were Tim Pioszak and Rodney Henning.

A reception for the couple was held at St. Joseph's Church following the ceremony with 500 guests attending.

For the service the groom's grandmother, Mrs. Herman Smith, played Ava Maria, Hawaiian Wedding Song, On This Day, and Oh Beautiful Mother, on the organ which were sung by the groom's aunt, Mrs. Carol Duguay and Beautiful was sung and played by the groom's brother in law, Charlie Green.

Serving at the wedding was LuAnn Fedewa, Kelly Eaton, Joyce Brown, Dr. and Mrs. Fred Endres, Kathy Miller and Michelle Labrie, Paul Jopke and Ann Green acted as host and hostess.

Special guests attending the ceremony was Mrs. Anna Kus, St. Johns; Mrs. Clara Wieber, St. Johns, grand-

mothers of the bride and Mrs. Tilly Smith, St. Johns, grandmother of the groom.

The couple took a wedding trip along the East coast. Both are graduates of St. Johns High School and the groom attended LCC.

The couple are making their new home at 1201 W. Alward Rd., DeWitt.



A boy, Derek Michael, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Koenigsnecht of 524 Walnut Fowler on May 5 at Carson City Hospital. He weighed 7lbs. 13oz. The baby has 1 brother. Grandparents are Pauline and Norman Goerge, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Koenigsnecht all of Fowler. The mother is the former Diane Goerge.

A boy, Theodore "Teddy" Jacob, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Howard F. Kremer of 1007 E. Cass, St. Johns on May 7, 1978 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 8lb. 6oz. The baby has one sister. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Forest C. Kremer of Elsie and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A Herington of Grand Rapids, MI. The mother is the former Linda Sue Herington.

A boy, Chad Michael, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Moinet of 120 W. Lewis, St. Johns on May 13,

1978 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 9lbs. 1/2oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Russell Henning and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Moinet. The mother is the former Sally Henning.

A girl, Heather Sue, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Rademacher of 3039 S. Countyfarm, St. Johns on May 15, 1978 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 7lbs. 5 1/2oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rademacher and Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Rose. The mother is the former Cindy Rose.

A girl, Rachell Marie was born to Mr. and Mrs. Doug Peck, of Midland on May 6 at Midland Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Peck and Mr. and Mrs. Don Wood. The mother is the former Betty Jo Crose.



Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith

**Births**

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Mercer St. Johns, became the parents of a girl, on April 8 at 7:42 a.m. at Carson City Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Vitek, St. Johns, became the parents of a girl, on April 8 at 8 a.m. at Carson City Hospital.

A boy, Brian Dale, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Randolph of Rt. 3, St. Johns on May 18, 1978 at Carson City Hospital. He weighed 8lbs. 2oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dale Randolph and Mrs. Ann Glowacki. The mother is the former Jane Glowacki.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Baccus, Grand Ledge, became the parents of a son, Andrew Robert, on May 17 at Sparrow Hospital.



Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rademacher

**35th anniversary**

Elmer and Verena Rademacher of Rte. 1, Eagle, will celebrate their 35th wedding anniversary Sunday, June 4 at an open house at St. Mary's hall in Westphalia from 2 to 5 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Rademacher were married May 26, 1943. The party will be hosted by their children; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rademacher, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Rademacher, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rademacher, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Holland, and John, Roy and Mary Rademacher.

All friends, relatives and neighbors are invited to attend.

**Village of Fowler**

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# Obituaries

## Robert White

Funeral services for Robert A. White, 66, of 2181 W. Cutler Rd., DeWitt who passed away May 24, 1978 at a Lansing Hospital were held at DeWitt Community Church Friday, May 26, at 1 p.m.

Rev. Merle Eastman and Rev. LaVern Bretz officiated and interment was in DeWitt Cemetery.

He was born Oct. 24, 1911 in East Lansing to Oliver and Jessie (Garver) White. He resided most of his life in the DeWitt area and on June 28, 1932, he married Dortha Stevens in St. Johns.

Mr. White was a member of the DeWitt Community Church, the DeWitt Masonic

Lodge 272 and he was past master of that organization. In 1968, he retired from the carpentry profession.

Surviving are his wife, Dortha; four daughters, Mrs. Richard (Roberta) Morrill of East Lansing, Mrs. Robert (Marjorie) Schaar of Westphalia, Mrs. Donald (Ruth) Peterson of DeWitt and Mrs. Edward (Janis) DeGeer of DeWitt; three sisters, Mrs. Arnold (Nina) Adams of Sumner, Mrs. Hugh (Ruth) Bouts of DeWitt, Mrs. Raymond (Kathryn) Coin of Sheridan; and three brothers, Stewart of White Cloud, Francis of Los Angeles, Calif. and Allen James of DeWitt.

Also surviving are 11 grandchildren and one great grandchild. A brother, Thomas, preceded his

brother in death.

Masonic services were held at 7:30 p.m. Thursday evening in the DeWitt Area Chapel and funeral arrangements were made by the DeWitt Area Chapel.

## John Woodbury

Funeral services for John Z. Woodbury, 85, of rural Ashley, who passed away May 23, 1978 at Carson City Hospital after a short illness were held Friday, May 26, at the Osgood Funeral Home in St. Johns at 1:30 p.m.

Rev. Terry MacArthur officiated and interment was in Union Home Cemetery.

Mr. Woodbury was born in Farwell Oct. 19, 1892 to Lester and Rhoda (Lockwood) Woodbury. He resided all of his life in Gratiot County, having lived the last 33 years at the Ashley address.

On Sept. 27, 1945, he married Thelma Danley at home.

## Robert Wieber

Robert J. Wieber, 63, of 401 Carl Street, Portland, died May 20, 1978 at a Lansing hospital.

Mr. Wieber was born April 13, 1915, the son of Edward Wieber and Rosalia Wolfert.

Survivors include his wife, Patricia; one son, Dennis, of Portland; one daughter Mrs. Jean Barta of Concord, California; four sisters, Mrs. Florence Hutting of Lansing, Mrs. Adeline Hedley of Lansing, Mrs. Milberg Freund of Westphalia, and Mrs. Ethel McGee of Prudenville.

Rosary was May 22 at 8 p.m. at Neller Funeral Home. Funeral Mass was May 23 at 10 a.m. at St. Patrick's Church with Father Donald Weber officiating.

Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery in Westphalia.

Mr. Woodbury was a member of the American Legion Post 153. He retired in 1963 as a maintenance man for Clinton National Bank.

Surviving are his wife, Thelma; two step-sons, Bruce and Douglas Hulbert, both of rural Ashley; a step-daughter, Mrs. Lianne Loomis of rural Ashley; and seven step-grandchildren.



A color guard leads the Memorial parade down Clinton Avenue in St. Johns last Thursday night. Following the parade,

Memorial services were held in the cemetery. (Photo by Tom Nowak)

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF FOWLER PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT CLINTON COUNTY, MICHIGAN TO BE HELD JUNE 12, 1978

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Annual Election of the School District will be held on Monday, June 12, 1978 in the Gymnasium of the Fowler High School in the Village of Fowler, Michigan.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7:00 O'CLOCK, A.M., AND CLOSE AT 8:00 O'CLOCK, P.M.

At the Annual School Election there will be elected two (2) members to the Board of Education of the district for full terms of four (4) years ending in 1982.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCIES:

Clare Feldpausch                      Linda Myers                      Ralph Pung

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT the following proposition will be submitted to the vote of the electors at the Annual School Election:

### 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)?

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

I, Gerald E. Shepard, Treasurer of Clinton County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of March 9, 1978, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Fowler Public School District, Clinton County, Michigan, is as follows:

By Clinton County:	None
By Bengal Township:	None
By Dallas Township:	None
By Essex Township:	None
By Lebanon Township:	None
By Riley Township:	None
By the school district:	None

Gerald E. Shepard  
Treasurer, Clinton County, Michigan

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education.

Winifred McKean  
Secretary, Board of Education

## Carl Seibert

Carl W. Seibert, 73, of 125 E. Front St., Ovid, passed away Saturday, May 27, 1978 at Sparrow Hospital.

He was born in Clinton County Aug. 21, 1904 to Albert and Elizabeth (Mankey) Seibert. He resided most of his life in St. Johns and moved to Ovid two years ago.

He was a member of the Michigan United Conservation Clubs and he retired in 1971 from Federal Mogul in St. Johns.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Sharon Teeland of Ovid; a son, Larry Seibert of Ovid; and nine grandchildren.

Funeral services were at the Osgood Funeral Home Wednesday, May 31, at 1 p.m. Rev. Wayne Cassman officiated and interment was in Mt. Rest Cemetery.

## Charles Holden

Charles E. Holden, 64, of 419 Hamlin St., Owosso, passed away Sunday, May 28, 1978 at Owosso Memorial Hospital after being ill for

the past six months.

Funeral services were held at the Houghton Chapel-Osgood Funeral Homes, Tuesday, May 30 at 11 a.m. Rev. Justin Shepard officiated and interment was in Maple Grove Cemetery.

Mr. Holden was a veteran of World War II, have served in the U.S. Army. Memorials may be made to the Corunna VFW.

He was born in Clinton County Sept. 21, 1913 to John and Minnie (Bartlett) Holden. He attended Ovid schools and resided in Ovid and Owosso all of his life.

On Oct. 9, 1947, he married Mary Lachman in Owosso.

He was a life member of the Corunna VFW, and was employed by Owosso public schools as a janitor for five years. He had previously worked 20 years at Economy Mills in Owosso.

Surviving are his wife, Mary of Owosso; two daughters, Mrs. Mary Ann Hall of Alpena and Mrs. Barbara Harris of Pine, Colo.; two step-daughters, Mrs. Mildred Mesler of Lansing and Mrs. Violet Hall of Owosso; a brother, Lloyd Holden of Bannister; a sister, Mrs. Marie Ewing of Largo, Fla.; 14 grandchildren; and several great grandchildren.

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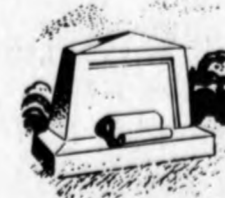


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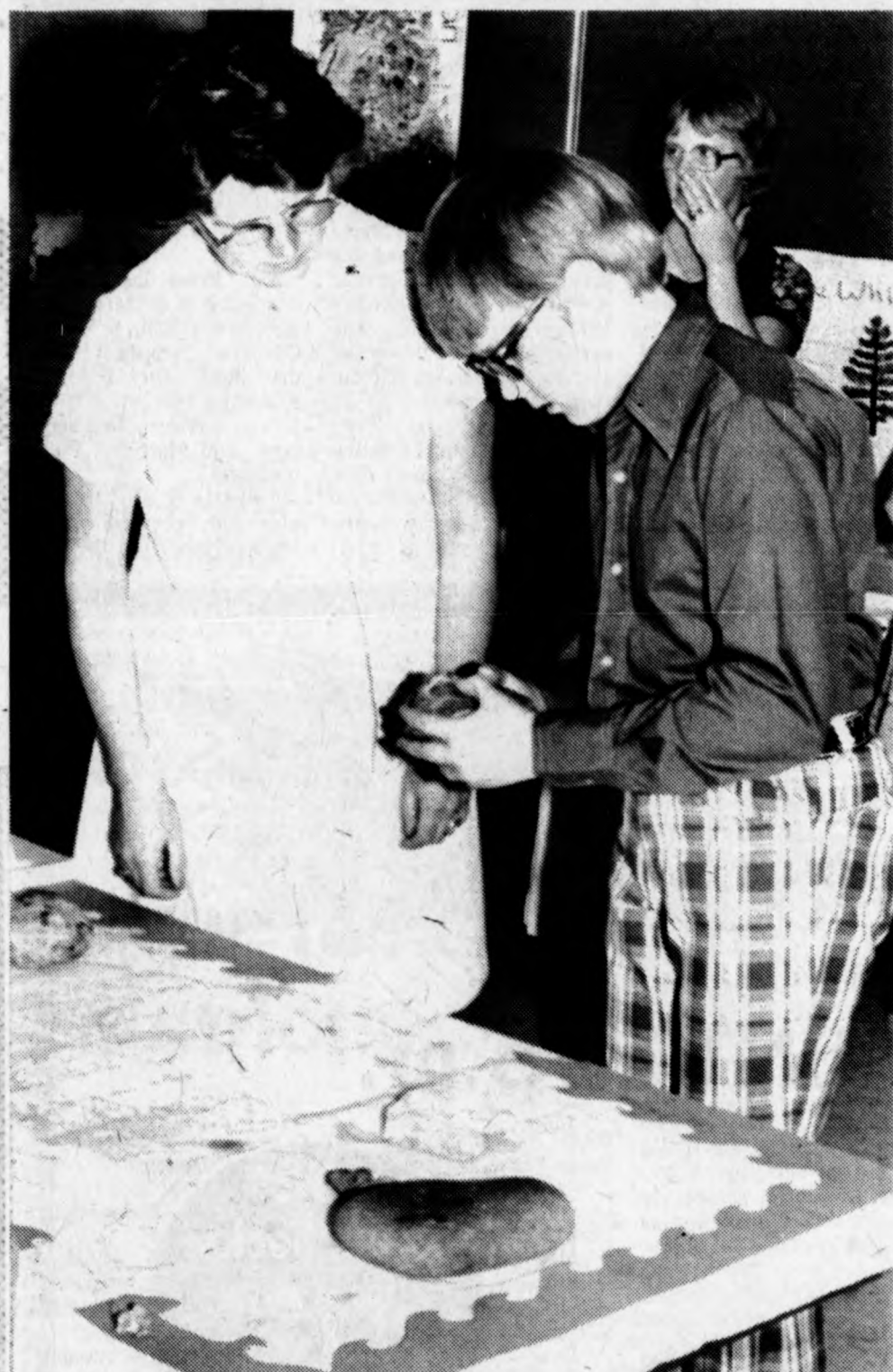
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"Money to Make America Grow", the story of James B. Eads.

The series will be rotated between main office customer areas and in future months, will be available for viewing in the lobbies of all branch locations.



## Michigan Week project

Dell Baker shows his mother, Wanda, what he made for his project during Michigan Week. Sixth graders at Eureka Elementary School make projects concerning Michigan. They also invited their parents to a potluck dinner. (Photo by Sue Kiley)



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The school is designed to background dealers and employees on the latest developments in livestock and poultry nutrition, animal care, feed programs, livestock and poultry nutrition, animal care, feed programs, livestock facilities, selling, business management, public relations, and advertising.

Various sessions of the

school were conducted by members of the Kent nutrition, manufacturing and distribution, sales, communications, and finance departments. The program included a tour of the Kent manufacturing plant and research farms.

## Fowler News

Mrs. Myerl Daggett of Elsie spent Thursday with Mrs. Lula Boak. Mrs. Elmira Ernst spent Tuesday with Mrs. Lula Boak. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Weber and family spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Donovan and family and also, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Simons and family of Mt. Clemens.



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# ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF PEWAMO-WESTPHALIA COMMUNITY SCHOOLS IONIA AND CLINTON COUNTIES, MICHIGAN TO BE HELD JUNE 12, 1978

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Annual Election of the School District will be held on Monday, June 12, 1978 in the Pewamo-Westphalia High School Building.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7:00 O'CLOCK, A.M., AND CLOSE AT 8:00 O'CLOCK, P.M.

At the Annual School Election there will be elected two (2) members to the Board of Education of the district for full terms of four (4) years ending in 1982.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCIES:

Douglas C. Campbell  
James C. Heckman  
Donald S. Walter  
Murdo J. Wood

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT the following propositions will be submitted to the vote of the electors at the Annual School Election:

### 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 (\$.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?

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

I, Lucille Heppe, Treasurer of Ionia County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of May 15, 1978, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Pewamo-Westphalia Community Schools, Ionia and Clinton Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Ionia County	.00125 mill - unlimited
By Lyons Township	None
By North Plains Township	.001 mill - 1980
By Portland Township	None
By the School District	None

Lucille Heppe  
Treasurer, Ionia County, Michigan

I, Gerald E. Shepard, Treasurer of Clinton County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of May 15, 1978, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Pewamo-Westphalia Community Schools, Ionia and Clinton Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Clinton County	None
By Bengal Township	None
By Eagle Township	None
By Lebanon Township	None
By Dallas Township	None
By Riley Township	None
By Westphalia Township	None
By the School District	None

Gerald E. Shepard  
Treasurer, Clinton County, Michigan

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education.

THOMAS A. DROSTE  
Secretary, Board of Education

# Hospital Auxiliary receives annual reports

Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary Board held its annual meeting May 16, with 35 members present.

The highlight of the evening was a reception honoring Maxine Parmelee, co-sponsored by the Meals-on-Wheels committee members and the Auxiliary. Mrs. Parmelee has been a hospital employee for many years and was instrumental in the formation of the Meals-on-Wheels program. Katie Aylsworth, president of Meals-on-Wheels, presented to the hospital \$100 in honor of Maxine and also presented her with a personal gift.

A business meeting followed with Chairman Marilyn Wood presiding.

The members received copies of the annual report. Yearly committee reports were as follows: the net

profit from the gift shop was \$3,539; the puppet committee members worked a total of 224 hours and made 354 puppets; the members of the sewing committee logged 980 hours and made 248 new articles and 536 items from salvaged material; 13 members of the television committee amassed a total of 354 working hours and the net profit was \$2,982.

Tray favors were provided for all the holidays. Three hundred book marks made by Pauline Reed were used on hospital trays and delivered to homes for the aged and to nursing homes in Ovid, DeWitt and St. Johns. The drapery committee bought new drapes for the Special Care Unit and for other departments where needed.

The corresponding secre-

tary reported that 14 get-well cards, 35 thank-you cards, and nine sympathy cards had been sent. Mrs. MacLaughlin reported that the scrap book was up-to-date with all available articles inserted.

The year's activities included a Heart Ball which netted a profit of \$1,375, a Style Show and Card Party which has netted approximately \$900 but returns are not complete, and a Theater party to Detroit. Plans are being made for a flea market which will be held June 17.

Katie Aylsworth reported that in the past four months the Meals-on-Wheels had delivered 2,111 meals. She also thanked the Auxiliary for their financial support.

The Auxiliary members wish to express their appre-

ciation to Pauline Reed for the sizable donation she gave the Auxiliary. Pauline resigned because she is leaving the community. Helen Lewis resigned from the Auxiliary because of other commitments. However, she wishes to again become a member in the near future.

Four new Board members were presented: Mrs. John Bryant, Mrs. John Thrush, Mrs. Lawrence Heibeck and Mrs. Gerald Soffin.

In behalf of the members, Mary Crosby congratulated Marilyn Wood on the excellent contributions she had made as chairman for the Auxiliary. Marilyn thanked the members for their fine cooperation. "This is an organization", said Marilyn, "where you never work

alone, you have the entire membership assisting you in every endeavor."

When the Auxiliary recon-

venes in September the following body of new officers will be in charge: chairman-

Mrs. John Paradise, first

vice-chairman-Mrs. Myron Humphrey, second vice-chairman-Mrs. Edward Mikula, recording secretary-

Mrs. Gerald Wilcox, corresponding secretary-Mrs. Raymond Coger and treasurer-Mrs. Jack Bertoldi.

## Musicales adjourns for summer

St. Johns

The final meeting of the year for St. Johns Morning Musicales was May 11 at the St. John Lutheran Church for the installation of officers, program, and salad potluck luncheon.

Frances Peterson presented the program entitled "Musical Children", which included facts about famous child prodigies such as Wolfgang Mozart, who was playing the harpsichord at age four, and composing music at age five; Bela

Bartok and Claude Debussy who were composing at age nine; and Felix Mendelssohn who was composing at 10 years of age and had written the full orchestral score for "A Midsummer's Night Dream" at age seventeen.

She then introduced two of St. Johns' young composers, Melissa Martis and Ellen Witteveen, who both performed prize-winning compositions of their own. The girls are eighth graders at Rodney B. Wilson. Also on the program was

Jeff Richards, a seventh grader, who played "Petite Russian Rhapsody", "Mahogany", and "Maple Leaf Rag." Concluding the program was ninth-grader Kristin Valentine, this year's Scholarship Winner, who performed a Bach Invention, and one of the Songs Without Words, by Mendelssohn.

Helen Lewis gave a brief report on the annual meeting of the Michigan Federation of Music Clubs, of which the local organization is a part. The meeting was at Inter-

lochen Music Camp earlier this month, and was also attended by Esther Jacoby and Margaret Paige.

Hila Bross installed the new slate of officers including Carolyn Ruhl, president; Carolyn Campbell, vice-president; Kay Pilmore, recording secretary; Helen Lewis, corresponding secretary; and Margaret Paige, treasurer.

Orientis Fish, retiring president, received a gift of appreciation from the club.

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## Lose in pre-district

# Season over for Redwings

**St. Johns**  
The St. Johns baseball team dropped three out of four games last week including a tournament contest, to end the year with a 8-11 season record.

May 23 the Redwings fell to Corunna 4-3, and Friday they split a doubleheader with Mt. Pleasant, winning the first game 8-2 and falling in the second 13-0.

Then Friday the Redwings closed the season with a 5-4 pre-district loss to Alma at Alma.

Dan Lee had an outstanding game for St. Johns against Alma, allowing four hits, striking out nine and walking just two, but unfortunately all those hits and walks seemed to come at once, allowing the Panthers to score five in the third inning.

That was the only scoring until the top of the seventh, when the Redwings scored all four of their runs. Lee started the rally with a double. Pat Sipkovsky walked and Albert Ott singled to load the bases.

Randy Pertler walked to force in one run, Sipkovsky scored on a wild pitch and Paul Desprez knocked in the final two runs with a single.

Lee led St. Johns with two singles and a double, while Sipkovsky had three singles. Pertler had a pair of doubles,

Lounds had two hits and Desprez had three RBIs.

Tim Bates was the winning pitcher against Mt. Pleasant in the first game, which saw St. Johns take a 2-0 first-inning lead on Sipkovsky's two-run home run.

After Romig singled home a run in the second, the Redwings picked up four more in the third. Tod Ballinger scored on Desprez' triple, then Desprez scored on an error.

A double steal brought

home one more run, and another followed after a collision at the plate.

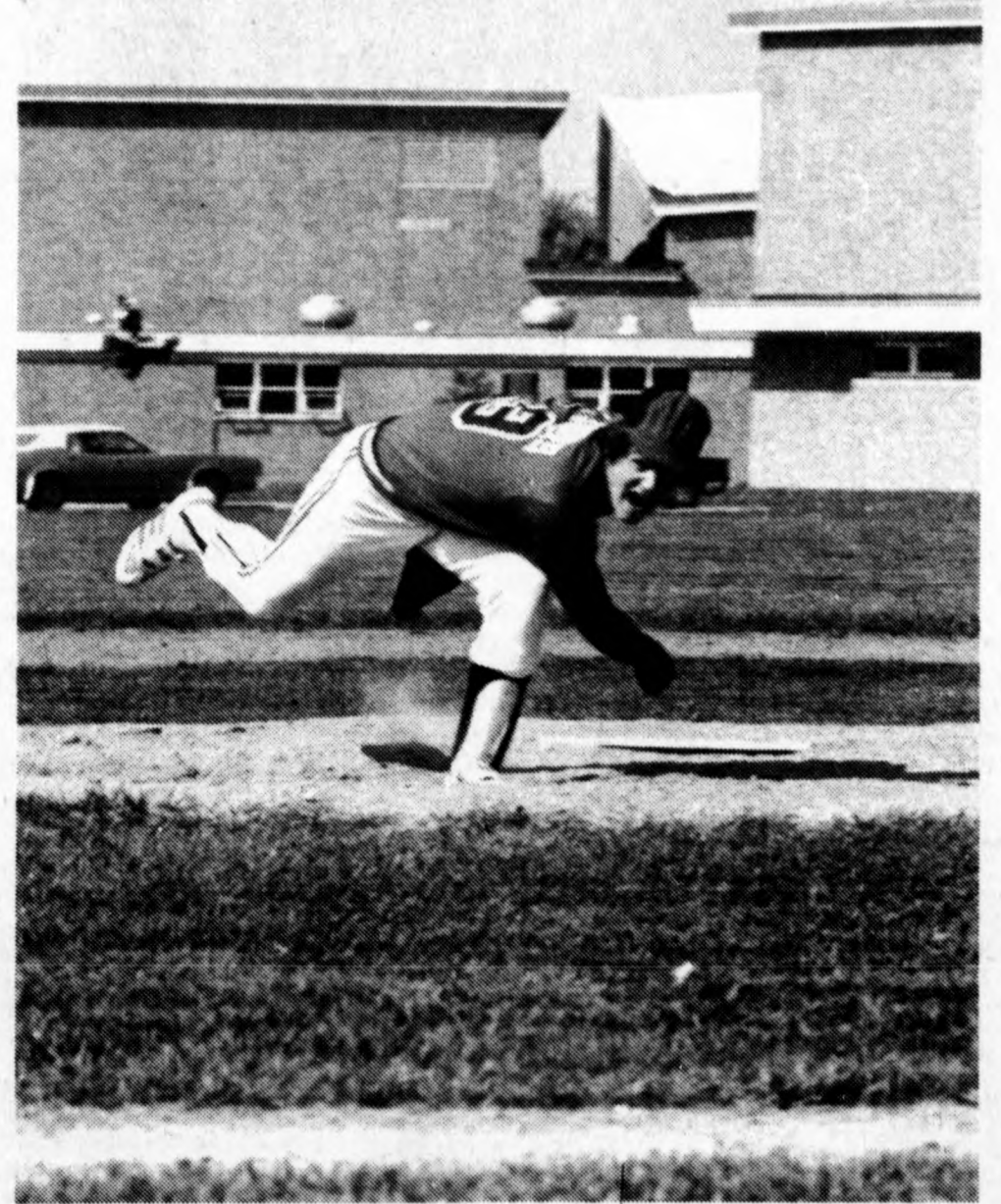
Rich Carter had three hits for St. Johns, while Ballinger and Bates had two hits.

In the second game, the Oilers combined 12 hits and five St. Johns errors for 13 runs off pitchers Mike Greene and Ballinger.

At Corunna, the Cavaliers scored in the first on two walks, a fielders choice and

an infield single. St. Johns scored next in the fourth inning when Dan Lee singled, and an error left runners on second and third. Mike Stafford's long fly to left center field was misplayed, allowing two runs to score, and Sperry singled home Stafford for the last run.

Corunna pulled to within one in the bottom of that inning, and in the fifth the Cavaliers took the lead for good on three walks and a bloop single.



**Bates stops Oilers**

Tim Bates threw a five-hitter to lead St. Johns to an 8-2 win over Mt. Pleasant Thursday. The Redwings dropped the nightcap 13-0. (Photo by Tom Nowak)

## DeWitt 4th in Circuit

**Mason**  
DeWitt's boys' track team finished fourth in the Capital Circuit meet here May 25, then dropped a dual meet with Haslett Thursday 91-67.

Okeemos won the conference meet with 119 points. Howell was second with 103, Haslett third with 70 and DeWitt right behind with 69½. Mason followed by 52, Charlotte had 45, Eaton Rapids 15 and Lansing Catholic 12½.

DeWitt had three first places, all involved Dave Wilson and all were good for some sort of record. Wilson took the 880 run in 1:56.8, a school record and the fastest time in the area. The mile relay team of Ron Hensley, Scott Tallman, John Enderle and Wilson and a school-record time of 3:31.8, and Wilson set a meet record in

the mile, finishing in 4:25.3.

Getting seconds were Ron Hensley in the high jump, 6-2. Roland Hensley, two-mile, 9:43.2, and the 440 relay team of John Lass, Mark Willson, Bruce Decker and Mike Schaar. 46.2.

Tallman took a third in the 440 at 52.1, and Ron Hensley was fourth in the 880 with 1:59.5.

The 880 relay team on Willson, Schaar, Lass and Tallman was fourth in 1:37.3, and Enderle tied for fifth in the 440 at 52.9. Enderle was sixth in the discus at 126-11, and Ron Hensley was sixth in the mile at 4:37.5.

The Panthers picked up six firsts against Haslett. Lass took the only field win with a 19-3½ long jump.

Roland Hensley and Mike Willson tied for first in the two-mile in 10:33.6, while

Dave Wilson and Ron Hensley tied for first in the 880 at 2:01.8.

Tallman was first in the 440 at 52.4, Ron Hensley won the mile in 4:32.8, and the mile relay team of Dave Wilson, Greg DeSmith, Ron Hensley and Enderle won in 3:34.6.

Tonight DeWitt will enter five individuals and the mile relay team in the State Journal Honor Roll meet at Sexton's Memorial Field. Ron Hensley, Roland Hensley, Dave Wilson, Willson, Tallman and Enderle will compete tonight. All except Willson will also take part in Saturday's state finals at Michigan Center.

## Fowler to host 2 districts

**Fowler**  
Area sports fans will be able to see plenty of high school action this weekend, as Fowler High School will host Class D districts in baseball and softball.

The softball tournament begins Friday. In the opening game at 1:30, the winner of the Morrice-Vestaburg pre-district game meets the winner of the Laingsburg-Portland St. Patrick game. At 3 p.m. the Mt. Pleasant Sacred Heart-Ashley winner meets the Fowler-Beal City winner, and the winners of those games will meet for the championship at 5 p.m.

The baseball tournament gets underway Saturday when Ashley meets Mt. Pleasant Sacred Heart at 10 a.m. At noon the winner of the Beal City-Vestaburg pre-district games meets the Saginaw St. Mary-Saginaw Michigan Lutheran Seminary winner, and the district finals are at 3 p.m. The winner advances to regional play at Mason County Eastern High School in Custer.

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Steve Garfield takes a cut at a pitch in Bath's loss to Leslie Friday afternoon. (Photo by Tom Nowak)

**Fulton moves to district**

Saginaw

Fulton jumped out for four runs in the first inning and led all the way to beat Saginaw St. Stephens 10-5 Friday in a Class C pre-district game here.

Senior Randy Troub was the winning pitcher, striking out 11 while walking two. Troub allowed eight hits, but Coach Warren Kent said only three of them were solid hits.

"We didn't play badly," Kent said, "but that may have been the worst we've played all year. We had three errors, which is a lot

for us lately. We've made 30 less errors this season than at the same time last year."

Daryl Trefil was two for two with two RBIs, while Larry Fisk had one hit in three trips and two RBIs.

In addition to picking up the tournament win, Troub was also honored by being named to the CMAC all-conference first team as a pitcher. Joining him on the first-team is John Kresge, who made it as an infielder.

Jerry Winsor and Terry Hnetyuka were named second-team all-conference

as an outfielder and catcher, respectively. Winsor was first-team last season, while this is the third straight year Hnetyuka was second-team.

"They go by batting average," Kent said, "and thought Terry never strikes out and always hits the ball he doesn't have the highest batting average. But I'll take him over anybody else."

Jim Sali and Jeff Stephens were given honorable mention.

Fulton will be in the Ithaca district Saturday, facing the winner of the Breckenridge-Saginaw S.S. Peter and Paul game at 12:30.

**O-E edged in tournament**

Elsie Despite an outstanding pitching performance by Brian Byrnes, Ovid-Elsie was knocked out of Class B tournament play Friday by Bullock Creek 1-0 in 10 innings.

Earlier in the week O-E beat Hemlock 6-4 but lost to Chesaning 13-9.

Byrnes, who went all the way for O-E against Bullock Creek allowed just three hits while striking out 16 and walking two. His pitching adversary, Jeff Stone, allowed four hits, had 11 strikeouts and walked one. But O-E had more chances to score, and Byrnes didn't allow an earned run.

"That was the best high school job of pitching I've seen in six year of coaching," O-E Coach Jack Nutter said of Byrnes' game. "He outthrew Jeff Stone."

O-E had a golden opportunity to score in the fourth inning, but a freak play killed the rally. With bases loaded and nobody out, Byrnes ducked away from an inside pitch. But his bat hit the ball, the ball went fair and Bullock Creek turned it into a double play. Then John Micka laced a line drive that appeared to be headed for the outfield that was speared by the second baseman to end the inning.

O-E had runners on the second base three times but

failed to score a run.

Bullock Creek only had one runner reach second base, but he scored. In the tenth inning a Lancer was safe on an error by the third baseman. He tried to take second, but was caught in a rundown, but the ball was dropped—the second error on the play—and the runner was safe on second.

Those errors cost the Marauders the game, at Brian Burch followed with a single to drive in the only run.

"It was typical of our season," Nutter said of the tough loss. "It's been a brutal year."

Against Hemlock May 23, Byrnes picked up an extra-inning win in relief of Perry Salyer, who pitched five strong innings.

O-E had a 3-0 lead, but the Huskies tied the game with a three-run home run by Mark LaPorte in the fifth. Brad Hudecek knocked in a run in the sixth to put O-E ahead, but an error and a sacrifice fly in the seventh tied the game for Hemlock.

But in the eighth, after Matt Fabus reached first on a fielder's choice, Hudecek hit his fifth home run on the year to put O-E ahead for good.

Hudecek got his sixth home run of the season

against Chesaning to set a school record. But it took him a long time to get credit for it, since he hit it two weeks earlier.

The Chesaning contest Thursday finished a rain-shortened game which was started May 11. On that day Hudecek homered, but he couldn't get credit for the homer until the game was completed.

Hudecek didn't seem to notice the time shift, however as he finished three for four for the afternoon, picking up where he left off. Matt Fabus was three for five, and Larry Knutson and Mike Davis had two hits. Knutson had three RBIs.

O-E finished 7-13 overall and 3-11 in the MMB.

**Local teams do well in CMAC**

Olivet

County track teams generally finished in the top half of the CMAC meets for boys and girls held here Wednesday.

Fowler's girls finished second, just ahead of Fulton. In the boys division, Fulton was second and Pewamo-Westphalia was fourth.

Olivet won the girls meet with 80 points. Fowler was second with 39½, Fulton had 38, Potterville 35½, Webberville 16, Laingsburg 10, P-W 4 and Bellevue 1. Portland St. Patrick did not enter a girls team.

For the boys, Olivet won with 65 points. Fulton had 54, Laingsburg 46, P-W 26, Potterville 20, Webberville 15, Bellevue 15, Fowler 9 and St. Patricks 6.

The Eagle girls took three first places. Jane Goerge won the 880 run at 2:41.65, Janet Feldpausch won the low hurdles in 15.8 and the

440 relay team of Sharon Goerge, Kay Snyder, Judy Braun and Feldpausch won in 53.6.

Taking thirds for Fowler were Mandy Miller, long jump; 15-8½; Sharon Goerge, 100-yard dash, 12.26; Sue Farley, 440, 63.4; and the mile relay team of Cheri Halfmann, Sue Farley, Jane Goerge and Miller, 4:23.4.

Finishing fourth for the Eagles were Feldpausch, long jump, 15-2¼; Sandy Thelen, high jump, 4-6; Sharon Goerge, 220, 28.25; and the 880 relay team of Halfmann, Farley, Miller and Phyllis Thelen, 1:56.8.

Snyder finished fifth in the 100-yard dash, and Cindy Klein was fifth in the mile.

Randy Troub led Fulton to three first places finishes. His top performance came in the long jump, when his effort of 21-1¾ set a league record. He won the high jump with 6-3, and ran on the winning 440 relay team with Joe Collins, Buzz Hanson and Kelvin Drake.

Fulton took four seconds.

The same group that won the 440 relay was second in the 880 relay in 1:33.3. Al Warnke was runner-up in the 880 run in 2:03.0. Brad Winsor was second in the high hurdles in 15.4, and Collins was runner-up in the long jump with 20-10.

Drake finished third in the 100-yard dash, in 10.64, Collins third in the high hurdles in 15.62, and the mile relay team of Bob Feise, Loveberry, Marc Batway and Warnke was also third in 3:35.03.

Winning fourths were Bob Feise, 440, 53.4, Brian Betz, shotput, 41.2; and Winsor, highjump, 6-0.

Batway had the only Fulton fifth place, a 54.4 finish in the 440.

For the Fulton girls, Beth Batway led a Pirate sweep of the top three places in the high jump with a winning height of 4-10. Nancy Kresge was second at 4-8, and Sharon Kresge was third at that same height.

While that was the only Fulton first, five on the non-winning teams set school records. Marti McVannel's second place time in the 440 of 62.4 set a record, as did the second place 880 relay team of Linda McVannel, Sharon Kresge, Batway and Carrie Montague, which finished 1:52.1.

Another record-setting group was the mile relay team, which was second in 4:22.5. That was made up of Batway, Sheila Penner, Sandy Price and Marti McVannel. Price's time of 16.08 in the low hurdles was a school record and good for third place, and Montague's time of 27.9 in the 220 was another third-place and another school record.

Fulton got fourths out of Nancy Kresge in the 100-yard dash, 12.5, and the 440 relay team of Bonnie Baxter, Linda McVannel, Nancy Kresge and Sharon Kresge, 56.1. Elaine Lyon was fifth in the shotput and the discus.

Gary Schafer was the star for the P-W boys, winning 16

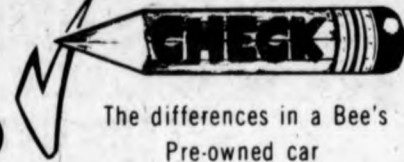
points and setting three school marks. He won the low hurdles in 40.6, and was third in the high jump at 6-0 and was third in the 220 in 23.8, all setting P-W marks. He also placed in the 100-yard dash in 10.6, but Coach Steve Spitzley said his true time was closer to 10.3. Had the timer been accurate, Spitzley said, Schafer would have had a fourth school record.

Tim Spencer threw the discus 129-2 for first place, and Todd Droste was third with 122-2. Steve Kimball was sixth in the 440 with 54.7, and the all-freshmen 880 relay team of Guy Walter, Mark Kimball, Dean Schafer and Tom Thelen was fifth in 1:44.

Placing for the Fowler boys were Doug Koenigs-knecht, second in the high jump, 6-2; Neil Hufnagel, fourth in the long jump; Brian Thelen. Fourth in the low hurdles and Terry Thelen, fifth in the 100-yard dash.

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Corunna 54  
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CMAC  
Olivet 65  
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Corunna 33  
Bullock Creek 31  
St. Johns 20  
Swan Valley 10  
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# Bath girls clinch title

By Jenni Snider

The Bath Girl's varsity track team went to Pinckney believing they could do it, and came home proving they could, boasting the Ingham County League Title.

The Bees had three individuals and two relay teams that became league champions. Tammy Burdick in the shotput at 36'6"; and Kathy Nichols in the 880-run and the mile run with times of 2:22.2 and 5:42, respectively.

Renee Fouch ran the 110-low hurdles with a time of 15.5, setting a new league and school record.

The 440 relay team which consisted of Joan Penrod, Leanne Vietzke, Renee Fouch and Dawn Cooley took top honors, leading all the way with a time of 53.6. The mile relay team came in with a time of 4:19, after Patti Kloecner, Ronda Phillips, Linda Lowrie and Kathy Nichols placed first.

The freshman 880-relay team of Joan Penrod, Shelly

Geasler, Karen Pratt and Renne Matthews placed third.

Other outstanding performances were: Ruth Mielhke, second in shot put; Renee Fouch, third in long jump; Ruth Mielhke, third in discus; Patti Kloecner, third in the 440-run; Tammy Burdick, fourth in discus; and Linda Lowrie, fifth in the 880-run and mile run.

Coach Nancy Robertson said, "With Pinckney as the favorite, the girls rose to the occasion giving 110 per cent and proved that enthusiasm makes the difference."

The Bees have three girls which qualified for the state meet. They are Renee Fouch in low hurdles and long

jump, Ruth Mielhke in shot put and Tammy Burdick in shot put and discus.

Renee Fouch will be running long jump and hurdles in the State Journal Prep Honor Roll meet. Ruth Mielhke and Kathy Nichols are alternates in their respective events.

## CMAC baseball team named

Five Clinton County baseball players were named to the 1978 Central Michigan Athletic Conference (CMAC) All-Conference team, and four were named to the second team.

Named to the first team were pitcher Randy Troub of Fulton, P-W catcher Mike Belen, Fulton infielder John Kresge, Fowler infielder Mark Schrauben and Fowler outfielder Dan Braun.

Also making the first team were Dave Pung, a pitcher from St. Pat's; Mike Trierweiler, St. Pat infielder; Webberville's infielder Randy Hays; Olivet's outfielder Randy Morrison; and Bellevue's outfielder Dave Rugg.

The second team consisted of: Bellevue pitcher Bryant Burdick, P-W pitcher Dave Bengal, Fulton catcher Terry Hnetyka, Pottersville infielder Steve Lett, Olivet infielders Rob Fleming and Doug Campbell, Bellevue infielder Les Greenfield, Fulton outfielder Jerry Winsor, St. Pat outfielder Steve Hengesbach and P-W

outfielder Doug Schafer. Receiving honorable mention were:

Fowler—catcher Dave Messer, infielder Jim Theis, and outfielder Neil Thelen; P-W—outfielder Bill Simon, infielder Joe Schafer and designated hitter Tim Bengal; Fulton—infielder Jim Sali and outfielder Jeff Stephens; St. Pats—catcher R. May and infielder D. Spohn; Olivet—catcher S. Morrison and outfielder J. Neff; Bellevue—catcher J. McDermitt, and infielders D. Eubank and M. White; and Webberville—pitcher R. VanSickle, catcher S. Crandall, and outfielders S. Nelson and N. Cox.

## Underdogs are champs



Tom Bullard

Marsha Snyder

Champions of Redwing Bowling Lanes first men's and women's singles tournament are Tom Bullard and Marsha Snyder. Bullard, the number six seed, defeated number one seed Dan Martin, 594 to 550; while the number three seeded Snyder whipped number one seed Kay Penix 559 to 489.

## Panthers sweep 2 from Haslett

DeWitt

DeWitt's baseball team dropped three out of five games last week, including the Panthers' tournament opener.

DeWitt lost to Charlotte May 22 in a Capital Circuit doubleheader 5-1 and 8-7, swept a league doubleheader from Haslett 7-1 and 14-3, and dropped a pre-district game to Portland 2-0 Monday.

In the first game against Charlotte, both teams had four hits but the Orioles put them together better, using them in combination with Panther walks and errors. DeWitt scored its lone run on an error, as Dave Strouse singled, Mike Church was safe on an error and Strouse came home on the bad throw.

DeWitt was more productive in the second game, taking a 4-0 lead in the first inning and a 6-1 lead in the top of the second. But Charlotte came back with three in the second, three more in the fourth and one in the fifth to take an 8-6 lead.

DeWitt rallied in the seventh, scoring one run and loading the bases with two outs. But the potential tying run was thrown out at the plate trying to score on a passed ball and the Panther charge fell short.

Jeff Sutton had two singles for DeWitt, and Dale Challiss and Dave Noch each had two RBIs. Both teams had five hits, but DeWitt made five errors while Charlotte made none.

DeWitt controlled both games against Haslett, connecting for 11 extra-base hits in the double header. In the first game, Strouse had a triple and a home run with one RBI, while Moody also homered.

Terry Mitchell had a double and an RBI, as did Noch. Randy Dewey had a double, while Steve Crowley had two singles and an RBI and Sutton Drove in one run.

In the second game, Chal-

liss had a triple and three RBIs while Crowley had a double and three RBIs. Mike Church had a single, a double and two RBIs, and Scott Waite had two doubles and a single.

The first game's winning pitcher was Moody, and Church won the second. Church recorded nine strikeouts and allowed four walks, while Moody gave up three walks and had two strike-

outs. The predistrict game against Portland was a pitcher's duel, as Church and Bill Hitchcock both had impressive statistics. Hitchcock allowed just three hits, striking out 16 and walking one. Church allowed seven hits, struck out 12 and walked one.

The game could have easily gone the other way, as the Portland runs weren't

products of solid hitting. Two short doubles to left put runners on second and third with two outs, and a bloop fly was dropped by the DeWitt left fielder, allowing two runs to score.

DeWitt had runners on second and third with one out in the seventh, but couldn't score.

All of DeWitt's hits were doubles—two by Moody and one by Challiss.

The week's activity put DeWitt at 12-9 for the season.

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## SJ finishes 4th in frosh-soph meet

Elsie

St. Johns finished fourth in the Ovid-Elsie Freshmen-Sophomore Meet, with Chesaning taking top honors with 91 points, followed by Alma with 51, St. Louis with 41.5 and St. Johns with 35.

Corunna finished fifth with 23 points, East Lansing scored 22, Bath had 20, Ovid-Elsie had 18, Bullock Creek scored 16 and Saginaw Swan Valley accumulated 12 points to round out the top 10. Ionia and Jackson County Western tied for eleventh place with 11 points; Byron scored 10, Grand Ledge got eight, Ithaca scored 7, Lansing Catholic Central scored 6 and Hemlock scored 5.5. St. Charles failed to pick up any points during the meet.

No first names were included in the meet results.

St. Johns' Howe set two new records by jumping 6 feet in the high jump and running 15.32 in the 120-high hurdles. He also finished second in the 330-low hurdles.

Bath's Foote finished second and third in the pole vault and long jump, respectively; and the freshmen 440-relay team from Bath took third.

Ovid-Elsie finished second in the open mile relay, with Bath taking third and St. Johns finishing fourth. O-E's Winans finished second in the 440-run and the freshmen mile relay team from O-E took fifth.

Spencer from St. Johns finished fourth in the 220-dash and St. Johns finished second in the open 880-relay event.

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# O-E girls 3rd at MMB track meet



**Corunna**  
County athletes managed only one first place finish in the MMB track meets held at Corunna High School May 23. Ovid-Elsie's girls team was the top local finisher, coming in third with 34

points. St. Johns' girls were sixth with 20 points. The O-E boys tied for fifth with 22 points, while St. Johns tied Swan Valley for seventh place with 18.

team, they had the only individual champion from the county. Jeff Howe won the 120 high hurdles in 15.3. The Redwings also had a pair of seconds, as Brian Hazle was runnerup in the shotput and Brian Thelen

was second in the 880-yard run. O-E also had two seconds, Dave Lockwood in the 220-yard dash and the 440 relay team. The Marauders also had

four thirds: Tim Martin, 880 run; Brett Welton, 440-yard dash; Steve Weir, 330 low hurdles; and the mile relay team. In the girls competition, O-E took four seconds. Jennifer Litomisky was runnerup in the high jump, Lori Webster was second in the discus, Kristie Hose was second in the 100-yard dash and Shelley Bracey was second in the 220.

hurdles. Chesaning won the girls crown with 51 points. The Indians were followed by Alma, 37; O-E, 34; Corunna, 33; Bullock Creek, 31; St. Johns, 20; Swan Valley, 10; and Hemlock, 8.

In the boys meet Corunna won with 54 points. Next was Bullock Creek, 42; Alma, 41; Chesaning, 39; Hemlock 22; O-E 22; and St. Johns and Swan Valley, 18.

All four county squads will have competitors in the State Journal Honor Roll track meet tonight at Memorial Field at Lansing Sexton High School, and the St. Johns boys and girls will be represented in the state finals Saturday.

## Marauders girls down Hemlock, 15-11

**Elsie**  
Ovid-Elsie's softball team saved their best for the last, as the Marauders beat Hemlock 15-11 May 23 for their first win of the season. "We really looked good," Coach Jeff Leydorf said. "We had the stolen bases, we laid down our bunts well, we really got the breaks. We just had a super game."

O-E's offense was led by Philis Ackels, who was three for four with two triples and three RBIs. Connie Johnson was four for four with an RBI, a triple and four runs scored, and Eldina Marriage was two for four. Denise McCue was two for five with a triple, and Janet Stefanek had two doubles in four trips. Wendy Truax, a freshman,

was the winning pitcher. While the Marauders had an unimpressive record, they still managed a team batting average of .314. Ackels, Marriage, Francis and McCue all finished over .300 for the season.

Coach Leydorf said he's looking forward to next season, when his charges will have more experience and more confidence. O-E is losing three seniors, while nine girls will be back for their final season.

## Fulton softball ends

**Maple Rapids**  
Fulton's softball team's tournament run was a short one, as the Pirates were eliminated by Shepherd 21-6 Friday in pre-district play. Karla Litwiller was the only Pirate with two hits, while Jill Moore, Kennifer Ely, Chris Hunt, Janet

Fricke and Ronna Gallagher each had one hit. Fulton did get some good news however, as both Litwiller and Suzanne Grubaugh were named to the CMAC second all-conference team. The Pirates finished with a 5-10 overall record.



**Fulton softball team**

The Fulton softball team. Front (l-r): Coach Vivian Baily, Jennifer Ely, Suzanne Grubaugh, Tina Welch, Sarah Ondrus, Kiffiny Baily (manager) and Coach Judy Bolyard. Middle: Jill Moore, Sue Whifford, Ronna

Gallagher, Jan Litwiller, Cherie Baker and Marcy Fisher. Back: Janet Fricke, Doreen Davis, Cherie Austin, Karla Litwiller and Chris Hunt. (Photo by Tom Nowak)

## Fowler district hopes dashed

**Mt. Pleasant**  
Fowler's baseball season came to an end Saturday as the Eagles were edged by twice-beaten Mt. Pleasant Sacred Heart 6-5 in pre-district action.

After falling behind 6-2 in the fifth, Fowler scored two in the sixth and one in the seventh. The potential typing run was left on second base in that inning.

Fowler committed four errors and allowed four unearned runs, three coming in the decisive four-run Irish fifth inning.

Lots of potential runs were left on base for the Eagles—runners were stranded on first and second in the first and sixth innings and on second and third in the fifth. Fowler had runners on second in every inning but the second, yet couldn't push them home.

"In every ball game we lost but one we had one bad inning that was our undoing," Coach Jim Wetmore said. "But I'm proud of the kids. They were down 6-2, they came back and almost tied it."

Don Schrauben, the losing pitcher, didn't pitch one of his better games, Wetmore said, but he was hurt by

fielding mistakes. The outfielders had trouble picking up the ball at the plate on the Central Michigan University field, and some fly balls that should have been caught were lost in the sun.

Leading the Fowler attack were Neil Thelen, with two hits and an RBI, Dave Messer, who had two hits and scored once, and Mark Schrauben, who doubled off the fence in the first inning. Fowler finished 7-7 overall and 3-5 overall, and many of those losses were tough. Fowler dropped a lot of one and two-run games, Wetmore said, with the only big loss a 9-4 decision at the hands of Laingsburg.

## Bowl-A-Thon slated

Redwing Bowling Lanes will be sponsoring an Open Bowl-A-Thon on June 3rd and 4th, to help the youth of St. Johns this summer. People wishing to help the youth program should stop out and bowl a game or two for the kids. The St. Johns' Womens' Bowling Association will feature a bake sale at the lanes on these days to aid the program.

A Scotch Doubles tournament will be run at 10:00 p.m. June 3, to also help the kids program. Call 224-7025 to reserve a slot in the Scotch Doubles.

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### Swegles open house

Visiting Debbie LaGuire's fifth grade at Swegles School during the open house were (from left) Shirley Davison, a neighbor of Julie Maples, Ken Koneval and his father Ken Koneval, and Mrs. LaGuire. (Photo by Patrice Hornak)

During an open house at Swegles and Teresa Merrill Elementary Schools last Wednesday, parents, friends and relatives of the elementary students were invited to visit the classrooms and special exhibits as a part of the Michigan Week observation. Guests and members of Lynn Koger's fourth grade class at Swegles and Ima Jean Beck's fourth graders at Central School enjoyed a spinning demonstration by Mary Rappuhn of St. Johns who is a Community Resource Volunteer (CRV). (Photo by Patrice Hornak)

### Man awaits sentencing

**St. Johns**  
A 19-year old Haslett man will be sentenced June 12 for breaking and entering the Forte Bernie Party Store in Bath Township last Dec. 1. John Clark of 6314 High St., Haslett was found guilty of breaking and entering May 11. He is currently serving a nine-month sentence in the Ingham County Jail for attempted B & E in that

county on Dec. 20. Michael Ordiway, a mentally retarded teen who accompanied Clark to the Forte Bernie Party Store, testified against Clark at the trial in Clinton County. Stolen from the party store were beer, wine, lunchmeat, hot dogs, snacks, gloves and a host of other items. Ordiway was not prosecuted in the case.

### Two Clinton highway projects given okay

Two Clinton County highway projects were among 47 other highway and airport construction and maintenance projects on which bids were taken recently in Lansing.

The projects included the reconstruction of the intersection of US-27 with Price Road north of DeWitt, with the project bid being \$116,526 awarded to Brown Brothers Construction Company of Lansing; and the replace-

ment of an existing flat slab concrete bridge carrying Wood Street over a county drain near the north Lansing city limit with a steel culvert, including excavation and resurfacing on Wood Street.

Cost of the latter project is \$58,932, with the Ken Roberts Construction Company of East Lansing to do the work. Both projects are expected to be completed by September.

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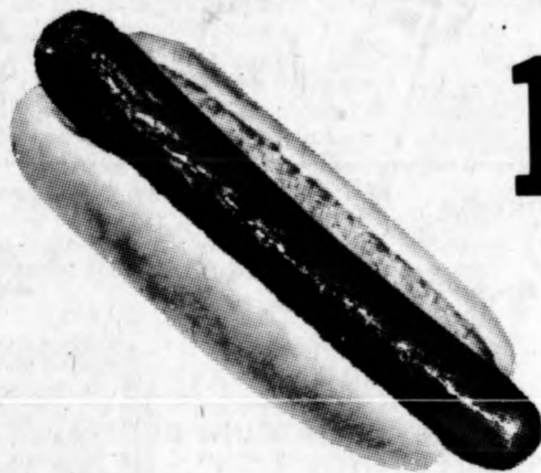
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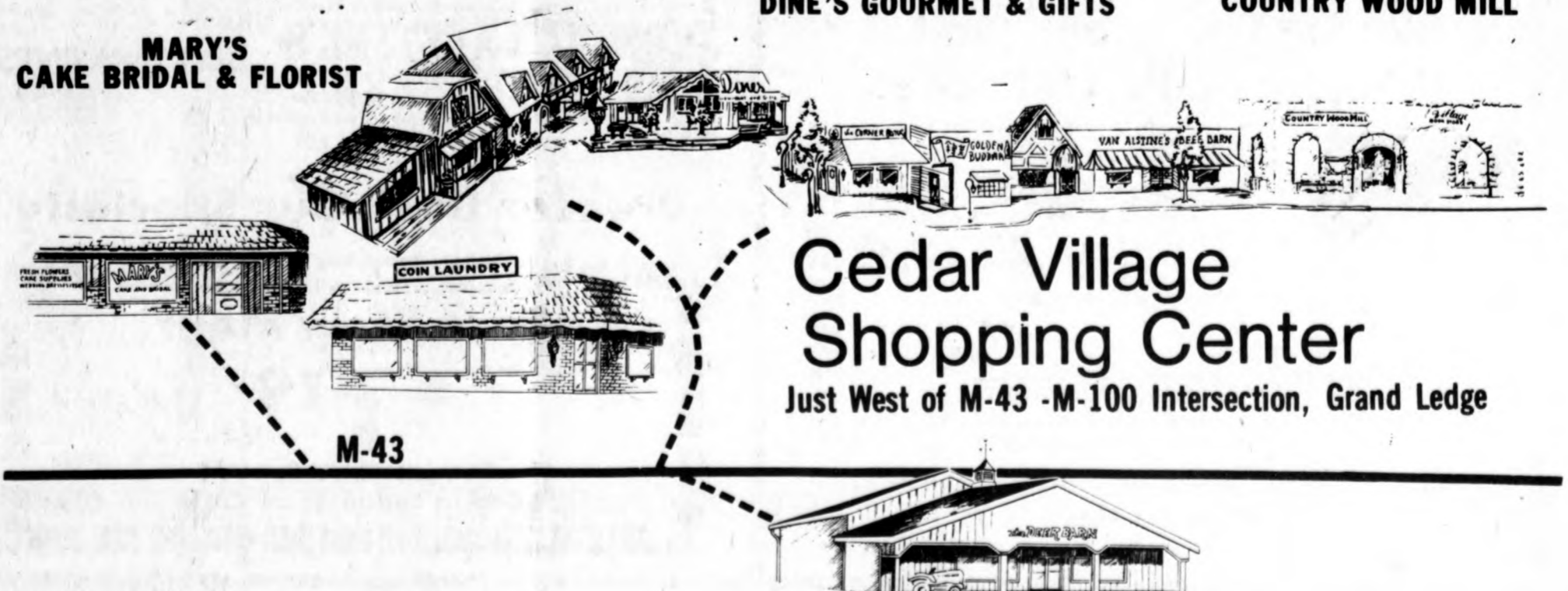


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#### NOTICE OF MEETING OF BOARD OF DETERMINATION

Notice is Hereby Given that the Board of Determination, composed of Maurice Gove, Derrill Shinaberry, and Alden Livingston, will reconvene on Thursday, June 15, 1978, at 7:00 P.M., at DeWitt Community Church, 505 Webb Drive, DeWitt, Michigan 48820 to hear all interested persons and to determine whether the drain in Drainage District known as Prairie Creek and Gunderman Lake Drain as prayed for in the Petition to clean out, relocate, widen, deepen, straighten, tile, extend or relocate along a highway dated November 7, 1977, is necessary and conducive to the public health, convenience and welfare, in accordance with Section 72 of Chapter IV of Act No. 40, P.A. 1956.

Harry J. Harden  
Clinton County Drain Commissioner

# 4-H Chatter By Theresa Dow

**FAMILY PLANNING**  
Memorial Day and the end of the school year traditionally signals the beginning of the summer and a very busy season for families. With family vacations, sports camps, band camps, 4-H trips, visiting relatives and all of the other hundreds of activities that mark summer time, it is often a fact that families find their members going off in various directions and have little time to enjoy spending time with each other.

4-H is at its busiest during the summer months with trips, camps, workshops, softball activities, and Fair, and often 4-H is as guilty as other activities of keeping family members involved in different activities. Our challenge this year is to plan activities that entire families can participate in and enjoy

doing together. We can do that by encouraging parents to be a part of the various trips and camping activities as well as planning programs and events to interest adults and 4-H'ers.

4-H programs and activities are always open to interested parents and leaders and they are more than welcome to attend. There are many things planned for the next few months and our challenge to you is look at the summer calendar and plan to include your whole family in any that may be of interest.

Family planning is a way of bringing your family closer together this summer and enjoying the time spent with one another.

**SUMMER 4-H CALENDAR**  
June 9 4-H Softball season begins

June 12 Bob Lo Trip  
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June 15 4-H Dairy Tour  
June 19 Bob Lo Trip  
June 22-24 Exploration Days  
July 8 Barry County Camp  
July 6 Foods-Nutrition Workshop  
July 11 Bob Lo Trip  
July 18 Flower Workshop  
July 19-20 Holstein Show  
July 21 Softball Play-offs begin  
July 22-23 Teen Club Canoe Trip  
July 29 County Garden Tour

August 14-17 4-H Fair  
**MAY HORSE SHOW**  
Seventy-two 4-H'ers defied Mother Nature and the rain to participate in the first 4-H Youth Horse Show of the season on Saturday, May 20. The show was held on the Clinton County Fairgrounds

in St. Johns. Florian Barker was the judge for each of the twenty classes. Melissa Jablowski from the Fox Trotters Club was the winner of the High Point Pony trophy and Beth Jakus of Spat's 'n Spurs rode the High Point Horse.

The next horse show is a C.M.H.A. sanctioned show set for June 25 at the Fairgrounds.

**4-H'ERS INVADE CANADA**  
Sixty-two Clinton County 4-H'ers enjoyed a trip to Detroit and Canada on Saturday, May 20. The day had an early beginning as the bus left from the Extension Office at 7 a.m. First stop was at the Detroit Zoo, where everyone had time to explore on his own. An excellent luncheon at the Renaissance Center was enjoyed by all and was followed by some sight

seeing in the Detroit Plaza's World of Shape.

The day ended with a trip through the tunnel into Canada, some souvenir hunting and a return trip over the bridge.

**CLUB NEWS**  
The Ovid Village Elves met at the United Church at 6:30 p.m. on May 9. They decided to sell popcorn to make enough money to go to Bob Lo Island. Jill Wakefield

## 2 graduate

**Mt. Pleasant**  
Ted Loznak and Cynthia Thornton, Central Michigan University juniors from St. Johns were among nearly 300 persons inducted into Sigma Iota Epsilon scholastic business administration and management honorary

won a trip to Detroit. Wendy McCreery won a trip to Yankee Springs. Theresa Serviss won a trip to Berry County. Kathy Doten did a demonstration on how to make Finger Jello. Wendy McCreery did a demonstration on how to make Heavenly Hash, and Lynn Meredith did a demonstration on how to make picnic glass holders. The next meeting is on June 13 at the United Church at 6:30 p.m.



John Bennett Anna Kingma

## Foreign youths visit farms

By Patrice Hornak  
Editor

**St. Johns**  
IFYE may not mean much to anyone else but to two foreign visitors in Clinton County, IFYE stands for International Farm Youth Exchange, a program which has brought them to the United States for the summer.

Spending three weeks in St. Johns are Anna Kingma from northern Netherlands (Friesland) and John Bennett from Wotton-Under-Edge in England.

Anna is staying with the John Aylsworth family and John is living with the Bill Kissane family.

Back in their native countries, both work on their family's farms. John is in partnership with his brother and father and they farm a dairy, grain and potato farm measuring 320 acres. Anna works on her father's dairy farm of 160 acres, one of the largest farms in her vicinity. She hopes to go into partnership with her family, also.

Both European visitors are aware of the large proportions in the United States, including the sizes of farms, sizes of tractors, distances between cities and states, and the size of American

automobiles.

John also noted the farms here are square, not higgledy-piggledy" (jigsaw) like back in his country. In England, farmers plant almost every available inch, according to John, and while helping the Kissanes in the field, he has been "going into the corners" and planting closer to power lines and telephone poles—something which not all Americans practice.

Besides noting farming techniques, the European visitors who are part of 22 young farmer delegation from Western Europe are also taking notes on the 4-H program.

In England, John belongs to the Young Farmers of England, a group of young people between the ages of 10 and 26, though he points out there are not many members the age of 10 to 15.

Anna also belongs to a variation of 4-H, though she could not translate its name in English. Her club is for members 15 to 30 years of age. Anna speaks French, German, Italian, Friesian, Dutch and English.

After spending two and one-half months in Michigan with several host families, John and Anna will both visit Oregon. In total, they will spend five and one-half months in the U.S.

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# Students acquainted with all kinds of baby animals

St. Johns Tuesday, May 23, was a happy one for many St. Johns pupils, Kindergarten through fifth grade. It was Baby Animal Day at St. Johns City Park where the children could see, feel, hear, and touch most of the baby animals loaned by area people for the one day viewing.

The baby rabbits, kittens, and puppies were very quiet. The two calves were also quiet and showed their boredom by licking the sign on their pen. The lone gosling, a downy ball of fluff, danced and slept by turns. The pigs did their share of oinking and the lambs of baaing.

There were two goat families, two nannies with two kids each. A pair of ducks quacked their late arrival and were definitely an added attraction. These animals were all inside the dairy barn. Just outside Clarence Leveck had tethered his pony. Here he set many children upon its back and told them all about his pet as he did so.

Over at Smith Hall where they were protected from early morning chill were baby chicks. Here they cheeped, ate, and drank water around a miniature ferris wheel and merry-go-round. Here also the children could see and feel the texture of the grains on display.

The children were given balloons and coloring books donated by Clinton National Bank, paper hats by McDonald Dairy Products, garden and flower seeds by Northrup King Seed Co., and a plastic bag to put it all in by Super Crost Seed Corn.



This is just one of the many classes which visited the Farm Bureau small animal exhibit last week.

## Grain marketing seminar slated

All Farm Bureau members are invited to attend the 4th annual Grain Marketing Seminar sponsored by Michigan Farm Bureau. This year's event will be held June 28 at Long's Convention Center in Lansing. Long's is located near the I-96 and Cedar Street Interchange. Free parking is available at the convention center.

Activities for the day will begin at 9:30 a.m. with registration and free coffee and rolls. A noon luncheon will be available at a cost of \$5 per person. Tickets will be available at the door.

Speakers and topics will include: Vern Sorenson, professor of agricultural policy, M.S.U. "GATT II Negotiations and What They Mean to Michigan Farmers"; Myron Laserson, senior vice president grain division, Continental Grain Company. "The United States Role in World Grain Markets"; Darrel Good, grain marketing specialist, University of Illinois, "Grain Pricing alternatives"; Donn Kunz, manager grain department, Michigan Elevator Exchange "Market Outlook '78".

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The day was held in conjunction with special Michigan Week Activities staged through the Community Resource Volunteers program.

By Virginia Jones

## Farmer Pete's Wife

Guess what woke me up this morning? It was a good, old-fashioned sound to me. A rooster crowing!

I can hear someone groaning, but it did sound so perky and alive and good; just what I needed. A grin spread from ear to ear as I sprang out of bed bright and early, for a change.

Lately it has been good, oh, so good, just to lie there and THINK about getting up and even putting it off as long as possible.

A fall on the sidewalk shook me up and skinned both knees and elbows a couple of weeks ago. Then last week I chased cows because the gate was left open. Ever since, one foot likes to go slower than the other one. I sort of have been feeling like the centipede who didn't know which foot to put first and sometimes stumbled.

Until this morning! That rooster worked wonders and is still making me feel like putting lame knees to work. Peas are the only thing in that garden spot that was going to be more than just a dream. A couple of hours early like this can really add to my day.

(What time do you think a rooster starts crowing?) This chicken idea has been with me for a long time. We used to raise so many every spring and have hundreds of layers and sold eggs. Guess I just missed that this spring. As I was listening to the HOT LINE on the St. Johns radio station last week it came to me to call in about wanting a rooster.

The response was good! I was so surprised when Mrs. Gilbert (Wanda) Baker said she had one to sell. We went over and now I am a very small chicken farmer. Sally and her husband live at Chesaning in the country so she got a rooster and three hens too.

That Sally always was the best little chicken-egg hunter there ever was. Now we are saving the eggs for one of the hens to go broody and set on them. I'll let you know.

Sammy says, "Oh, great, Mom. Not one of those birds better even LOOK at any of the tools or tractors in the sheds." P.S. Old soft-hearted just yelled in that there are two eggs in the nest. He also made a fancy circle with a flourish as he turned to go home to breakfast. THAT was to show that he thought it won't be so bad having baby chicks, after all, Mom. If you don't count them before they are hatched... or put all of your eggs in one basket.

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A few days ago, when USDA announced that farm prices had gone up again in April for the seventh consecutive month, that was good news. You can see from these figures that they'll have to go up a whole lot more to put farmers' buying power where it once was.

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# Centennial farm in Fowler designated

**Fowler**  
A farm owned by Mr. and Mrs. Clair L. Thelen R.R. No. 1, Fowler, has been designated as a Centennial Farm by the Division of Michigan History.

The farm, located in Essex Township, Clinton County, has been in the possession of the family since 1877. It was originally purchased Feb. 13, 1877 by Joseph Bauer, great grandfather of present owner.

Secretary of State Richard H. Austin, whose Department administers the Centennial Farm program, said the program was inaugurated in 1948. Since then, more than 3,000 Michigan farms have been certified as Centennial Farms.

Certificates are provided by the Division of Michigan History. Large metal

markers are provided by the Detroit Edison and Consumers Power Companies. Explains Austin, "A Centennial Farm is one which has been in the continuous possession of the same

family for 100 years or more."

For this purpose, the Michigan History Division considers a farm to be either 10 or more acres having estimated farm product sales of

more than \$50 yearly, or less than 10 acres having estimated sales of at least \$250 yearly. A centennial farm comprises only the land and not the farm buildings, which may be remodeled or even new.

Applications for Centennial Farm recognition are obtainable from: Centennial Farm Program, Division of Michigan History, Michigan Department of State, Lansing, Michigan 48918.

## Blue Star Mothers send hand-made items to veterans

**DeWitt**  
DeWitt Blue Star Mothers Chapter 99 met at the home of Barbara Peltier on Howe Road, Thursday evening, May 11. There were eight members in attendance.

Hospital chairman Elsa Hilts stated that a box was given to Grand Rapids Veterans Hospital containing 17

lap robes, 18 pair of scuffies, 56 bibs, 18 pillows, and two boxes of cards. Ann Arbor Veterans Hospital received 15 lap robes, 18 pair of scuffies, two boxes of cards and eight books. A box is ready to go to Battle Creek Veterans Hospital containing 15 lap robes, 18 pair of scuffies, and two boxes of cards. These items were

made by the members at several sewing meetings this past winter.

Nine members from the chapter met with St. Johns Chapter 88 for a county meeting April 20; also, four members attended the district card party at Belding.

The Memorial Day

parade, State Convention to be held in June, and the Past Presidents picnic at DeWitt Riverside Park on July 31, were all discussed.

The next meeting will be with Jean Thayer on DeWitt Road June 8. Co-hosting will be Doris Greenfield and Lawanna Johnson. An outing to Frankenmuth is planned for July.



One of two soybean variety plots for Clinton County goes in. Filling hoppers are (from left to right) Lester Becker, Karl Smith and Charlie Walker.

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## Ag Advice

By Mark Hansen

The third of the three-year soybean variety trials in Clinton County, began last week through the cooperation of the Clinton County Farm Bureau and the Co-operative Extension Service.

Two plots were planted for the 1978 season. One plot was put in on the Ralph Gove farm, on the edge of Essex Township, while the other was planted at the farm of Karl Smith in Ovid Township.

Ralph Gove, along with his father Gerald, and Ralph's son, Mark, help fit, plant, and spray the nineteen variety, twelve-row testplot. The Gove plot was planted on

Wednesday, May 24, while the Smith plot went in on May 25. Karl Smith, along with his neighbors, Lester Becker and Charley Walker helped put in the Smith Plot which contains twenty-one varieties in eight-row strips.

We will try to arrange a twilight tour later this summer to view the two plots. Our appreciation goes out to the many seed dealers and representatives for the seed donations, and a special thanks to the farmers mentioned above, for the effort they contributed to the 1978 Clinton County Soybean Variety Trials.

## Extension calendar

June 1 4-H softball coaches, managers, and umpires meeting, 8 p.m., Fairgrounds, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

June 3 Glass collection, Fairgrounds, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

June 6 4-H Exploration Days orientation, Smith Hall, St. Johns, 7 p.m.

June 7—Swine breeders workshop at MSU

June 9 4-H softball begins

June 12 First Bob-Lo trip

June 13-14 Cedar Point trip

June 15 4-H Dairy Tour American Embryo Inc.

June 19 Second Bob-Lo trip

June 19-22 College Week, MSU

June 28 Blueberry tour in Genesee or Saginaw County

## Jim's Column

By Jim Pelham

Because of an extreme problem in supply transportation, farmers may have a tough time obtaining all the fertilizer they need for spring planting.

Gary E. Shaw, Michigan Plant Food Council president, says that only about 30 per cent of the rail cars used for fertilizer transportation last year, are available this spring.

The car shortage stems from current demands to transport grain, the winter effects on rail transportation, and the need to replenish utility coal stocks. The Interstate Commerce Commission is calling the rail car shortage the worst since the 1960's.

Wet weather last fall prevented many farmers from making their usual fertilizer applications. The combination of transportation difficulties and the lack of fall purchases means that

about 10 per cent of the 909,287 tons used last year has been moved to farms to date. About 30 per cent of the total is currently in the hands of Michigan fertilizer distributors. This means that based on last year's total fertilizer use, 545,573 tons or 60 per cent is yet to be moved into the state before planting season is over.

Whether or not fertilizer inventories can be replenished is currently anybody's guess. However, the fertilizer industry is doing its best to get supplies moved into Michigan. To help, farmers are urged to contact their local fertilizer dealer, buying grades as they need them and fertilize according to soil tests for maximum profit rather than maximum yield.

Good fertilizer supplies do exist but it's a matter of getting them into Michigan. Despite the supply problems, prices should remain stable.

## Ovid man graduates

**Ovid**  
David Burk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burk (Pat Burk) of Frankenmuth received his Bachelor of Science Degree in Business Administration Cum Laude from CMU. David is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs.

Harold Burk of Ovid. David's girlfriend, Marcia Weiss of Frankenmuth also received her degree Bachelor of Science in Education Cum Laude.

Following commencement, the graduates were honored with a dinner party at the Embers.

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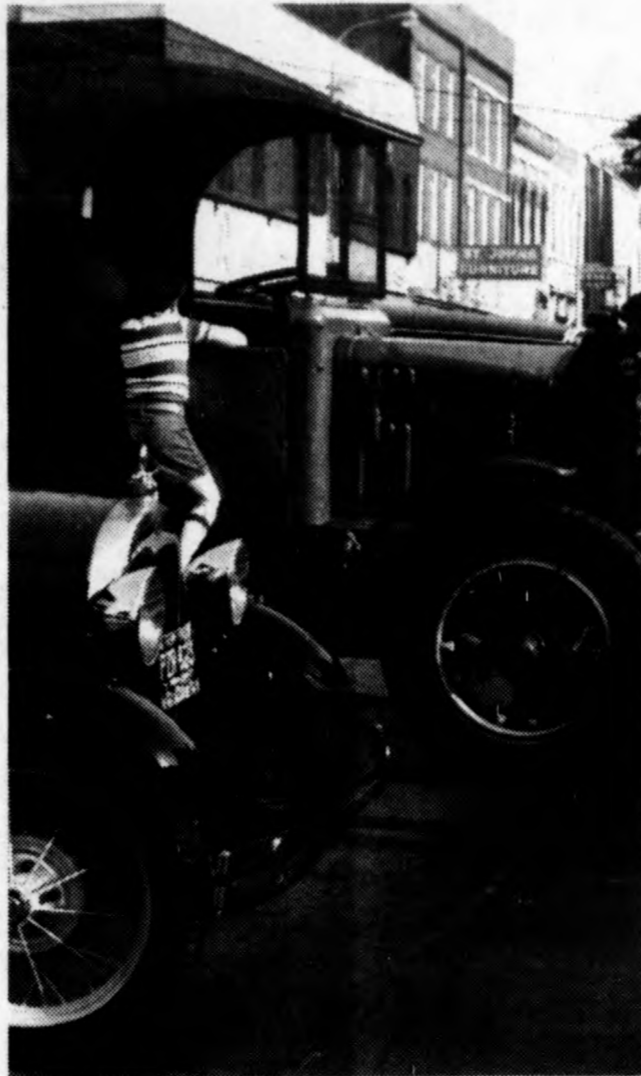
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### Michigan Week fun downtown

On hand for the Michigan Week festivities downtown St. Johns Wednesday evening were a host of 4-H clowns including Thumper (kneeling) and (from left) Cecil, Blue, Cherry and Bubbles. (Photo by Patrice Hornak)



The Hub Antique Car Club brought back memories during the Michigan Week activities downtown in St. Johns Wednesday night. To some, the antique cars provided a new avenue of exploration. The evening was co-sponsored by CRV, WRBJ and the Clinton County News. (Photo by Patrice Hornak)



Maple Rapids and Bath square dance clubs combined for a bit of street dancing during the Michigan Week festivities in St. Johns Wednesday night in Clinton Avenue. Caller Wendell Law invited youngsters to join with the square dancers and he even called the "Hokey Pokey" for all the youths who came downtown for homemade ice cream, skateboard demonstration, roller skating, the antique car exhibition, and cotton candy. (Photo by Patrice Hornak)

### Winners honored

The Spring Honor Council of the Free Methodist Church honored the high awards winners in C.Y.C. (Christian Youth Crusaders). Julie Pope won the Fairburn Award, the top award in the Cadet Division. Danny Fleischer, Bonnie Snider, and Lois Slocum each won the Todd Award, the top award in the Herald Division.

### New branches announced

**St. Johns**  
The annual meeting of the shareholders of Clinton National Bank and Trust Company was held Thursday, April 20, at the V.F.W. Hall in St. Johns. The meeting was presided over by Brandon C. White, President. White reported that shareholders had approved the declaration of a five per cent stock dividend; proposals for the re-election of the Board of Directors: Roy F. Briggs, Gayle L. Desprez, John A. Fox, George P. McPhail, Raymond G. Parr, Harry E. Patterson, John A. Rum-

baugh, Louis N. Schneider, Harold A. Shneider, Cayle Sloat, Monte R. Story, Lorenz A. Tiedt, Brandon C. White, Ink White; and a clarification in the Articles of Association.

White concluded his remarks with the announcement that the bank had received approval from the Comptroller of the Currency to open two new branch offices in the greater Lansing area. Both offices will be located on Lake Lansing Road.

The first, near Wood Street, will emphasize convenient drive-through banking and is expected to open in late 1978. The second office, scheduled to open in early 1979, will be located near the corner of Lake Lansing Road and Hagadorn. The new branch will offer services to customers in the Meridian Township-East Lansing area for a new facility to be constructed during 1978.

#### OFFICIAL NOTICE TO THE CITIZENS OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS OF PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER APPROVAL OF A PROJECT PLAN AS SUBMITTED BY THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF THE COUNTY OF CLINTON FOR A RESTAURANT PROJECT

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to Act 338 of Michigan Public Acts of 1974, as amended, The Economic Development Corporation of the County of Clinton has, in connection with a restaurant project for use by Elias Brothers Restaurants, Inc. submitted a project plan to the City for its approval. Said project plan deals with the restaurant project and details all information required by law relative to said project and its impact on the community.

The City Commission of the City will meet at the Municipal Building at 121 East Walker at 8:15 p.m. on Monday the 12 day of June, 1978, and will conduct a public hearing on the advisability of approving by resolution the project plan.

THIS NOTICE is given pursuant to the requirements of Act No. 338, Michigan Public Acts of 1974, as amended. Further information concerning the matters set out in this notice may be secured from the City Clerk's office. All interested citizens are encouraged to attend said hearings and will be given an opportunity to address the City Council concerning the matters set out in this notice.

Bruce Wood  
City Clerk

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### CLINTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MEETING

A meeting of the Clinton County Board of Commissioners will be held on Tuesday, June 6, 1978, in the Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan.

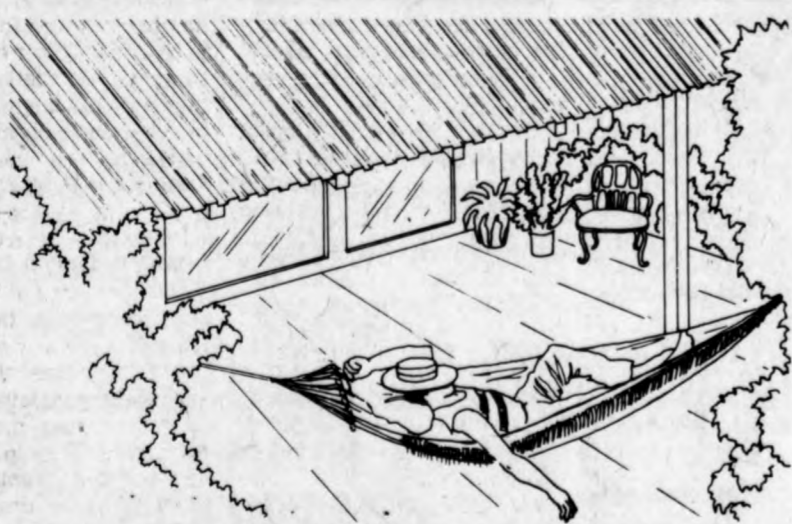
At 11:00 A.M. the Board will act on the following recommendation from the Clinton County Zoning Commission:

ZC-5-78—Watertown Township

Rezone from A-1, Agriculture to M-1, Limited Industrial to permit the construction of warehousing and utilization of the existing building for contractor's office building.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: WA 533—All that part of the lands lying south of the highway known as New M-16 and described as the E. 15.50 rods of the W 1/2 of SE 1/4 of Sec. 36, T5N-R3W, Clinton County, Michigan lying north of the center of the turnpike road (old M-16).

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Zoning Administrator



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# Elsie news

**United Methodist Church**  
The United Methodist Church completed a series of four weekly Sunday morning sessions for adults to study. It was on "A Look at China Today". The talks were given by Dr. Ruth Ike during which she also presented

colored slides of her recent tour of the People's Republic of China. She was assisted by her husband Don Ike.

Mrs. Ike was among a group of 25 men and women who were invited to be guests of the Chinese government last fall. She was a professor at John Wesley College in Owasso, where she has been teaching a course on "Far East New China". Her talks were concerned with an introduction of Chinese culture showing the pictures of the people, city and rural scenes, buildings, business, factories, schools and churches.

The vast reclaiming of land by terracing, reforestation projects, dams, and reservoirs and the extensive utilization of cement throughout China were pictures that showed the work of many laborers. It was interesting to note that elec-

tricity was available throughout the country. Dr. Ike recommended "Profiles in Ethnology" by Elman R. Service to understand the political point of view.

The Cadre Schools, communes, agriculture, urban and rural development, politics, education and religion were discussed during the "Look at China

Today", all subjects proving informative as well as interesting.

The Elsie United Methodist Church congregation were invited to the Duplain United Methodist Church to see and hear about "The Family in China" and view colored slides particularly of the children, as a fitting conclusion to the other talks on Wednesday night.

## Highway materials inspector retires

Floyd G. Moulton, 801 Tyrrell Rd. of Bancroft and formerly of St. Johns, a highway materials inspector, has retired after 20 years with the Department of State Highways and Transportation.

A native of Bannister, he studied business administration at Ferris State College in Big Rapids and joined the Department as an engineering clerk in 1958. Since 1970, he has been assigned to the Department's laboratory in Lansing, his present position.

Between 1948 and 1958, Moulton operated a dairy farm in the St. Johns area. Earlier, he managed Moulton Chevrolet Sales in Elsie. He served in the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers between 1929 and 1932.



**Kids view police car**

Several hundred school children invaded the Clinton County Sheriff's department for tours conducted by deputies. Here John Criswell is

showing three boys in Mrs. Pulliam's class at Central School the working of a police car. (Photo by Sue Kiley)

The Science and Education Administration (SEA) has approved a \$40,500 grant to the University of Georgia to explore the possibility of converting garbage to food for swine through the fermentation process. USDA regulations stipulate that food waste fed to animals must be cooked.

The scientists will grind, mix and ferment the waste under controlled conditions to study effects on 19 different organisms.

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## Legion Auxiliary breaks for the summer

St. Johns American Legion Auxiliary Unit 153, St. Johns, met at the home of Etta Smith Tuesday, May 17 at 8 p.m. with President Anita Lynam presiding.

The annual Memorial Day parade will be held Thursday, May 25 at 6 p.m. Unit Poppy girls Lori and Stephanie Knight will ride in the parade chauffeured by Legion member Tom Ebert. Other Unit members who wish to ride should contact Kay Mishler. Ginger Bacon will present the Unit Poppy Cross at the cemetery.

Election and installation of Unit officers for 1978-79 were held. Etta Smith acted as Installing officer. Officers installed were President, Mary Hiller; First Vice President Arlene Hettler;

Second Vice President Regina Frechen; Secretary Kay Mishler; Treasurer Betty Knight; Chaplain Ruth Conklin; Historian Jean Dunham; Sgt.-at-Arms Ann Walker; and Executive Board members are Helen Patterson, Rhoda Russell

and Alice Brooks. The American Legion and Auxiliary Department Convention will be held in Grand Rapids July 13-16 with headquarters at the Pantlind Hotel. Unit delegates elected are President Mary Hiller and Etta Smith. Alternates

are Regina Frechen and Jean Dunham.

Notes of appreciation will be sent from Unit 153 to Beulah Ballantine for the lap robe she crocheted which will be taken to the Michigan Veterans Facility in Grand Rapids and to Norma Eleson

for her generous cash donation to the Unit's Veterans Fund.

There will be no June meeting of Unit 153. The next regular meeting of Unit 153 will be Tuesday, Sept. 19 at the American Legion Post Home.

## Local priests assigned to parishes

Fr. Louis Martin of St. Mary Parish in Westphalia will be assigned as Associate Pastor at St. Joseph Church, St. Johns.

Fr. Martin, who was ordained by Bishop Kenneth J. Povish on May 12, at St. Mary Cathedral, Lansing

will assist Fr. William Harker in the ministry of the parish.

Born in Westphalia, Fr. Martin received his seminary training at Sacred Heart Seminary in Detroit. For the past year he has served as a deacon in St. Casimir Parish

in Lansing.

Fr. John Klein of Holy Trinity Parish in Fowler will be associate Pastor at St. Roberts Parish in Flushing.

Fr. Klein, who was ordained by Bishop Kenneth J. Povish on May 12, at St. Mary Cathedral, Lansing,

will assist Fr. John Fackler

in the ministry at the parish. Born in Fowler, Fr. Klein received his seminary training at Sacred Heart Seminary in Detroit. For the past year he served as a deacon in St. Francis Parish in Ann Arbor.

## OFFICIAL NOTICE TO THE CITIZENS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF DeWITT

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

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to Act 338 of the Public Acts of 1974, as amended, The Economic Development Corporation of the County of Clinton has designated the following described project area to the Township Board for its approval:

Land situated in the Township of DeWitt, Clinton County, Michigan, described as:

Parcel #1 - Commencing on the Section line at a point 297.0 feet North 89°44' West from the Northeast corner of Section 16, Town 5 North, Range 2 West, DeWitt Township, Clinton County, Michigan, thence South 0°05' East 250.0 feet, thence South 89°44' East 207.0 feet to the Westerly R/W line of US-27, thence South 0°05' East 700.0 feet along the Westerly R/W line of US-27, thence North 89°44' West 429.25 feet, to East line of Walnut Estates #3, thence North 0°05' West 700' feet, thence South 89°44' East 156.25 feet, thence North 0°05' West 250.0 feet, thence South 89°44' East 66.0 feet to the point of beginning.

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

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

Walnut Estates No. 3, a subdivision of part of the E½ of Section 16, T5N, R2W, Lot 43.

Walnut Estates No. 3, a subdivision of part of the E½ of Section 16, T5N, R2W, Dot 42.

Walnut Estates No. 3, a subdivision of part of the E½ of Section 16, T5N, R2W, Lot 41.

Walnut Estates No. 3, a subdivision of part of the E½ of Section 16, T5N, R2W, Lot 40.

Commencing at a point 250 feet South 0°05' East and 90 feet North 89°44' West of Northeast corner of Section 16, T5N, R2W, then West 200 feet, North 200 feet, then East 132.78 feet then Southeast 110 feet then South 112 feet to point of beginning.

Beginning on the North Section line at a point N 89°44' West 363.25 feet from the NE corner of said Section 16, South 0°2'20" East 250 feet parallel with the East Section line N 89°44' West 156.25 feet parallel with N Section line then parallel with said East line N 0°2'20" West 250 feet to N Section line S 89°44' East 156.25 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at the Northeast corner of Section 16-T5N-R2W, thence South 0°05' East 950 feet, thence North 88°44' West 90 feet to point of beginning, thence South 0°05' East 275 feet along the Westerly R/W line of US-27, thence North 89°44' West 200 feet, thence South 0°05' East 300 feet, thence North 89°44' West 66.0 feet, thence North 0°05' West 300 feet, thence North 89°44' West 163.25 to the East line of Walnut Estates No. 3 Subdivision, thence North 0°05' West 275 feet, thence South 89°44' East 429.25 feet to the point of beginning.

All of Southeast ¼ of Section 9, T5N, R2W, South of Webb Road exc. Rose Subdivision also exc. a parcel beginning 841.25 feet West of Southeast corner of Section 9, thence West 520 feet North 535 feet East 520 feet, thence South 535 feet to point of beginning.

The Township Board will meet at 7:00 o'clock p.m., the 12th day of June, 1978, at the Township Hall located at 780 E. Wieland Rd., Lansing, Michigan, and will conduct a public hearing on the advisability of approving by resolution the aforesaid project designations.

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

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

*Audrey M. Hazelo*  
Township Clerk

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**Auction Sale** 26

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**Misc. Wanted** 28

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**Legal Notice**  
**CLINTON COUNTY ZONING COMMISSION:** Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held at the Clinton County Service Center, 306 Elm Street, St. Johns, Michigan on Thursday, June 22, 1978 at 8:00 P.M.

**THE FOLLOWING CASES WILL BE HEARD BY THE ZONING COMMISSION:**

Case No. ZC-7-78—Bingham Township

**PURPOSE:** An application for a Special Use Permit has been filed by James O'Connor on behalf of The Way of Michigan, Inc., pursuant to Section 5.66(13) of the 1971 Clinton County Zoning Ordinance, to utilize an existing building as a biblical research and teaching center with offices, meeting rooms, book sales and other activities related to the operation.

**LEGAL DESCRIPTION:** Beginning at the NE corner of the W 1/2 of the NW fractional 1/4 of Section 18, T7N-R2W, Clinton County, Michigan, thence W. 260 feet, thence S. 335 feet, thence E. 260 feet, thence N. 335 feet to the point of beginning.

Case No. ZC-6-78—Bath Township

**PURPOSE:** Propose to rezone the following described property from R-1A, One-Family Rural Residential to M-1, Light Industry.

**LEGAL DESCRIPTION:** NE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 25, T5N-R1W, Clinton County, Michigan, N. of M-78 except N. 150'. Containing approx 30 acres.

Interested persons are requested to attend and voice their opinions with respect thereto.

Additional information may be obtained from the Department of Development Control, 306 Elm St., St. Johns, MI, Monday through Friday, 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

J. Anthony Nelson,  
Zoning Administrator

22-1-24-1

State of Michigan  
The Probate Court for the County of Clinton, Estate of Estrella L. Mageau, Deceased. File No. 19833.

**TAKE NOTICE:** On Wednesday, June 21, 1978, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom, Court House, St. Johns, Michigan before the Hon. Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the Petition of Luke Becker, Executor, praying for the allowance of his Final Account.

Dated: May 24, 1978  
Attorney for Petitioner:  
Robert H. Wood  
MAPLES & WOOD  
306 N. Clinton Ave.  
St. Johns, Mich. 48879  
Phone 224-3238  
Petitioner:  
Luke Becker  
11268 Kent Street  
R. F. D. No. 2  
Fowler, Michigan 48835

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State of Michigan  
The Probate Court for the County of Clinton, Estate of Richard Leon Wohlfert, deceased.

**TAKE NOTICE:** On June 14, 1978, at 10:00 a.m. in the Probate Courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon. Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of F. Merrill Myble for appointment of James L. Theophilis, of 817 Center Street, Lansing, Michigan, or some other suitable person as administrator and for a determination of heirs of said deceased.

Creditors are notified that copies of all claims against the deceased must be presented, personally or by mail, to both James L. Theophilis and to the Court on or before August 23, 1978.

Dated: May 23, 1978  
Attorney for Petitioner:  
Church, Wyble, Kritselis, Tesse's Anderson & Robinson  
3939 Capital City Blvd.  
Lansing, Mich. 48906  
Phone (517) 323-4770  
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22-1

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
IN THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CLINTON

**IN THE MATTER OF KAREN DOMRES**  
Alleged Dependent and Neglected Child

Order to answer File No. 3947  
At a session of said Court held in the Courtroom in the City of St. Johns, Michigan on the third day of May, 1978.

**PRESENT:** HONORABLE TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.  
On the 4th day of January, 1978 a petition was filed by Patricia Balasco, Protective Service Worker for Clinton County against Peggy Ann Domres the natural mother of said minor child in Court alleging that the aforesaid child was dependent and neglected.

IT IS ORDERED that Peggy Ann Domres shall answer said charges by appearing in the Probate Court for the County of Clinton on July 11, 1978 at 9:30 a.m. Failure to comply with this Order will result in the aforesaid child being declared dependent and neglected and all parental rights being permanently terminated.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN,  
Judge of Probate

Dated: May 3, 1978 19-14

**With Neva Keys**  
**ELSIE**

**Woman's Literary Club**  
A pleasant evening was spent Tuesday, May 9, when the members of the Woman's Literary Club were hosts to older women of the area at the Fellowship Hall of the Elsie United Methodist Church.

President, Mrs. Al Pontack welcomed the 80 guests and Mrs. Orpha Clement gave the poem "House by the Side of the Road."

Mrs. Durward Conklin introduced vocalists known as "The Silhouettes", Mrs. Sue Degerstrom and Mrs. Shirley Lyon and their

accompanist Kath Anderson of Owosso, who presented a program of music. They included selections from "Guys and Dolls", "M-O-T-H-E-R" and "Little Old Lady" as tribute to the mothers, and several recent popular numbers.

Mrs. Everett Rule, general chairman presented corsages to Mrs. Grace Fizzell, 84, the oldest of the guests and Mrs. Maude Craven, 89, oldest of the WLC members. She also asked many questions beginning with "Do You Remember—" and Mrs. Mildred Hartwick was winner. Another MOTHER contest was played with the guest winners receiving the centerpieces of glass bowls with Japanese iris and baby's breath.

For an evening dessert luncheon, the ladies were seated at tables decorated with spring flower motif and the gift centerpieces. Mrs. Jennie Loznak, Mrs. Merle Green and Mrs. Robert Bloomer served as hostesses. Table decorations were arranged by Mrs. Jean Cobb and Mrs. Paul Platner, while Mrs. Viva Scott and Mrs. G.W. Bennett were in charge of the invitations.

Assistant hostesses were Mrs. Jane Betts, Mrs. Leslie Sturgis, Mrs. Jim Betts, Mrs. Duane Green, Mrs. Dale Levey and Mrs. Ethel Stull.

Mrs. Durward Conklin announced that favors at each individual place were given through the courtesy of Frank Bernath, Elsie; Levey Jewelry of Elsie; LaValley Real Estate, Federal Savings Bank and Owosso Savings Bank, all of Owosso; and Clinton National Bank of Elsie.

The Elsie United Methodist Women held its annual missionary luncheon at Fellowship Hall, Wed. May 3. There were nine churches represented: Bannister, Salem, Greenbush, Shepardsville, Chapin, Duplain, Ovid, Elsie Baptist and Elsie Methodist.

Mrs. Robert Kelley, president of Elsie UMW, greeted the guests and gave the invocation "No Prayer Goes Unheard." Rolcall found 93 present with gifts given to the first to register the largest group.

The luncheon was served at noon by Mrs. Lyle Dunham, Mrs. L.W. Burdick, Mrs. Mildred Whitaker, Mrs. Philip West, Mrs. Gathal Martin and Mrs. Harold

Hehrer, committee on local church activities.

Mrs. Zella Brewbaker, missionary secretary, introduced Mrs. George (Joyce) Somers, who with her husband and family returned to Michigan recently from New Delhi, India where they had been missionaries and involved with responsibilities of academic planning for Lucknow Christian College and the local church, off campus, in Christian Education programs. Both were graduates of Elsie High School.

Mrs. Somers showed colored slides of the people of India, their customs and way of life. She had pictures of an Indian wedding and explained the role of women in that country is to bear many sons and stay out of politics and public life.

She explained their need was more Christian education in religion, language and personal counseling of the missionaries. When they left Lucknow, their greatest concern was that "their personal support churches" continue to give to the missions.

Mrs. Somers related that a combination of personal and professional reasons prompted their decision not to return to India. Her husband is now teaching anthropology and sociology at Adrian College. The Somers have four children and two grandchildren.

**Owosso Installation**  
Several Elsie folks attended the installation of 1978-1979 officers of Owosso Chapter No. 89 Royal Arch Masons at the Owosso Masonic Temple Saturday night, May 13.

The following officers were from Elsie: King, Charles Kridner; principal-sojourner, John Hall; Master of Third Veil, Leonard Tillotson; Master of First Veil, Loyal Hinkley; and Chaplain, Sid Keys. Max Karer of Owosso is the Excellent High Priest of the Owosso Chapter R.A.M.

There was also an initiation of novices as Nobles of the Mystic Shrine of Elf Khurafeh, with a class of over 100 men, including Harold Hinkley, Archie J. Moore and Don Ike of the Elsie Masonic Lodge. This was held early in the afternoon followed by the parade of hundreds of Shriners for festivities at the Spring Festival.

**Larry Coy honored**  
Mr. and Mrs. Sid Keys and Mrs. Don Temple attended the reception and dinner honoring F. Larry Coy of Owosso, Chairman of the Educational Committee of the General Grand Chapter, President of the Educational Board and Past Grand

Patron of the Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star of Michigan.

It was held Saturday, May 20 at the First United Methodist Church with the Abigail Chapter No. 206, OES as hosts.

After the dinner, the 300 guests went to the Owosso Masonic Temple for the initiatory degrees conferred on two candidates by the Michigan Grand Chapter officers of the Meinhart-Malacos Grand Family, and a tribute to Larry Coy "Pageantry of Stars".

**Literary Club**  
The Woman's Literary Club held its last regular meeting of the club year in the home of Mrs. Robert Bloomer, Tuesday evening, May 16, with a potluck supper and 31 members present. Mrs. Bloomer was assisted by Mrs. Beatrice Kelley, Mrs. Myron Tethal and Mrs. Jean Cobb.

Reports of committee and special projects were presented: the Spring Trading Post, profits for community projects by Mrs. Donald Kenney; American Cancer Research Drive by Mrs. G.W. Bennett; Special Olympics to which Kelly Janes and Terence Rodriguez will be sponsored by the W.L.C.; two scholarships from the club women to be announced in the near future by Mrs. Joanne Kellerman.

Possible projects for the community were discussed. Mrs. Pontack introduced and welcomed three of the new members—Mrs. Gus Patrick, Jr., Mrs. Robin Wooley, and Mrs. Merle Baese.

At the close of the meeting, each member was given folders on decorating ideas, design trends, beauty hints and recipe booklets by Mrs. Sid Keys.

Final plans were made for the annual trip, with Mrs. Lunsford Melvin as chairman, which will be an event of Thursday, June 15 when members and friends will meet at the Elsie Public Library to board a chartered bus at 8 a.m. and return home at 7 p.m. They will go to Dearborn, where they will tour the Henry Ford "Fairlane home", have lunch and dinner and visit a large shopping mall.

With Lucille Spencer  
**SHEPARDVILLE**

The Ovid-Duplain Library Club held its annual May brunch at the home of Mrs. Roger Smith on Friday, May 5. There were 21 members and four guests present. Refreshments of rolls, coffee and fruit cup were served by the hostess and her committee. The invocation was given by Mrs. Marion Walker.

After brunch, the entire group went down to the basement where Jeff Ross of the Duplain Church of Christ showed pictures of what he did while in Guatemala. He was the youngest ever to go on such a team. This was a Youth for Christ venture. The cost of the trip was \$700. He earned some of the money, his parents helped

nim as much as possible and many of his friends gave him money toward this trip. There was 100 in the group from neighboring states as well as Michigan. Among some of the things they built while spending the three weeks there was a basketball court, a church, and several outdoor toilets. He had some articles to show of the handcrafts of the natives. He was presented a gift from the club.

The main business was the election of officers. The report of the Nominating Committee was accepted with the following people to serve as officers for the coming year: President Mrs. John Spencer; first vice-president, Mrs. Lester Becker; second vice-president, Mrs. Wayne Mead; secretary, Mrs. Charles Walker; treasurer, Mrs. Lester Becker, program chairman, Mrs. Marion Walker, with Mrs. Roger Smith assisting; historian, Mrs. John Spencer; Good Cheer, Ovid, Miss Loretta Lang and Shepardsville, Mrs. Robert Hebler, Sr.; publicity, Mrs. Charles Palen, Jr.; The past presidents will act as a committee for the centennial program.

**Afternoon Circle**  
The Afternoon Circle of the Shepardsville UMW met at the home of Mrs. Lucille Spencer on Thursday, May 11. There were 10 members present.

Mrs. Karl Smith had charge of the devotions and program. She opened with a short prayer. She read a poem in memory of all mothers. Her program was on music in the church. Music communicates and edifies. Music in worship allows people to make statements in unison. She read some of the psalms of David. Many hymns are based on scriptural references. In closing she read the song "For the Beauty of the Earth."

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A girl, Sara Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Hill, Jr. of 6608 Forest Hill Rd. on May 23, 1978 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 7lbs. 5oz. The baby has one sister. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Max W. Fricke and Donald R. Hill, Sr. The mother is the former Diane Fricke.

A girl, Rachael Marie, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Doug Peck of Midland on May 6, 1978 at Midland Hospital. She weighed 6lbs. 4oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Peck and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wood. The mother is the former Betty Jo Crose.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Robinson, 215 Madison, DeWitt, became the parents of a daughter, Rhea Marlene, at Sparrow Hospital in Lansing. The mother is the former Susan Hoisington.

A boy, Derek Michael, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Koenigsnecht of Fowler on May 5, 1978 at Carson City Hospital. He weighed 7lbs. 13oz. The baby has one brother. Grandparents are Pauline and Norman Goerge and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Koenigsnecht. The mother is the former Diane Goerge.

A boy, Jason Christopher, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Pohl of Kinley Rd., Fowler on May 28, 1978 at 10:50 p.m. at Carson City Hospital. He weighed 7lb. 14oz. The baby has one sister, Kristin. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Weber of Elm St., Fowler and Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Pohl of Kinley Rd., Fowler. The mother is the former Ann Marie Weber.

A daughter, Rebecca Jill, was born May 3, 1978 to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Slabaugh of Goshen, Ind. Mrs. Slabaugh is the former Jeanette Slagell.

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A band concert will be given at 8 p.m. and a drawing for door prizes will begin at 7:30 p.m.

Door prizes include: first, a gas grill; second, goose down sleeping bag; third,

smoke-alarm; fourth, electric clock; and fifth, five-ton hydraulic jack.

Everyone is invited to attend this evening of fun and enjoyment.

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**What a swing**

St. Johns city police officer, John Reinhart helped the Clinton County Sheriff's deputies out with a line drive during a softball challenge match with Tri-County Metro Squad. The deputies split the wins with the Metro Squad in the game which was played Thursday night. (Photo by Sue Kiley)



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**Party Trays**  
Package includes:  
Cold Cuts, Turkey,  
Ham & Cheese **\$ 16<sup>95</sup>**  
10 lbs.

**Wisconsin Cheese**  
**\$ 1<sup>27</sup>** lb.

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**Stuffed Pork Chops**  
**\$ 1<sup>19</sup>** lb.

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**Sealtest Ice Cream**  
**\$ 1<sup>29</sup>** gal.



**Ground Chuck**  
**Hamburg**  
10 lbs. **\$ 9<sup>49</sup>**



**Hot Dog Buns**  
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**Beef Patties**  
**99¢** lb.



**Beef Liver Tongues**  
- Hearts **49¢** lb.

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**Smoked Picnic**  
**66¢** lb.

**Fryers Split**  
**66¢** lb.

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**Semi Boneless Pot Roast**  
**\$ 1<sup>09</sup>** lb.

**DeWitt Township Synopsis**

Synopsis of the DeWitt Township Board meeting, May 22, 1978.

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 p.m. by Supervisor Reed. The meeting was opened with the recital of the American's Creed, and a resolution acknowledging Michigan Week was adopted. This was followed with the pledge of allegiance.

The agenda was approved with the deletion of the Communications Committee report, and the addition of the O'Shaughnessey resolution and I-Squad continuation under new business.

The Public Safety Committee minutes were reviewed and approved. The police and Fire Department activity reports for April were reviewed and approved. The Assessment of the Remey-Chandler for the Township will be done by the County Drain Commissioner, Harry Hardin. The Parks and Recreation by laws were reviewed and approved. The purchase of 10 picnic tables were approved. The local chapter of the Lions Club will buy 5 picnic tables for the Valley Farms Park. The Parks and Recreation Commission thanked Cub Scout Pack 285 for the donation and planting of a flowering tree in the Valley Farms Park.

New business: The Board passed a resolution naming the property adjacent to the Sewer Treatment Plant the Richard A. Padgett Natural Area. The SCCSA water bill was referred to the attorney for review and recommendation. The purchase of a new lawn mower, from the Cemetery budget, was approved. Paul Weininger's and Jo Ann Slabonek's evaluations were reviewed and approved. Enid White's resignation was accepted. Constance Whitney's resignation was accepted. The O'Shaughnessey resolution for a public hearing was adopted and set for June 12, 1978 at 7:00 p.m. The Board approved funds for the continuation of the I-Squad.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:23 p.m.

Submitted by Judy M. Hazelo, Clerk  
Approved by Alta C. Reed, Supervisor

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## Visiting commissioners

Chairman of the Allegan Board of Commissioners, James Rolfe, and Commissioner Kirke White (left) look on as their wives Margaret and Betty receive corsages from Vice-Chairman of the Clinton County Board of Commissioners and his wife during the Commissioners Exchange day held in conjunction with Michigan Week. Also present were Commissioners Duane Chamberlain, and Robert Wood, and Administrative Assistant, Jerry Ambrose. (Photo by Sue Kiley)

## ★ Michigan Week

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Members of the Historical Society staffed the Clinton County Museum so school children who could walk, would, be able to see the special Phillip Parmelee display. Next door, the Clinton County Ambulance crew was on hand to give tours and explanations.

Hila Bross gave presentations on the history of St. Johns and old flags were Joann Martis's topic for 18 different classrooms.

Louie Anderson donated his collection of unusual antique items for classes at the junior high to try to guess what they were used for years ago. This collection and the Ryans were

presented in the library with Ruth LaBlond.

St. Johns school children had a chance to step back into the past last week as part of a Michigan Week project set up by Community Resource Volunteers and a group of its volunteers and retired school teachers from this area.

Mrs. Erna Sperry, long time supporter of the CRV volunteer program, donated her collection of country school memorabilia. Vera Bryant helped organize retired teachers who signed up to help staff the school so 21 different classrooms could

come spend an hour or more going through some of the paces of a school day from great-grandmother's day.

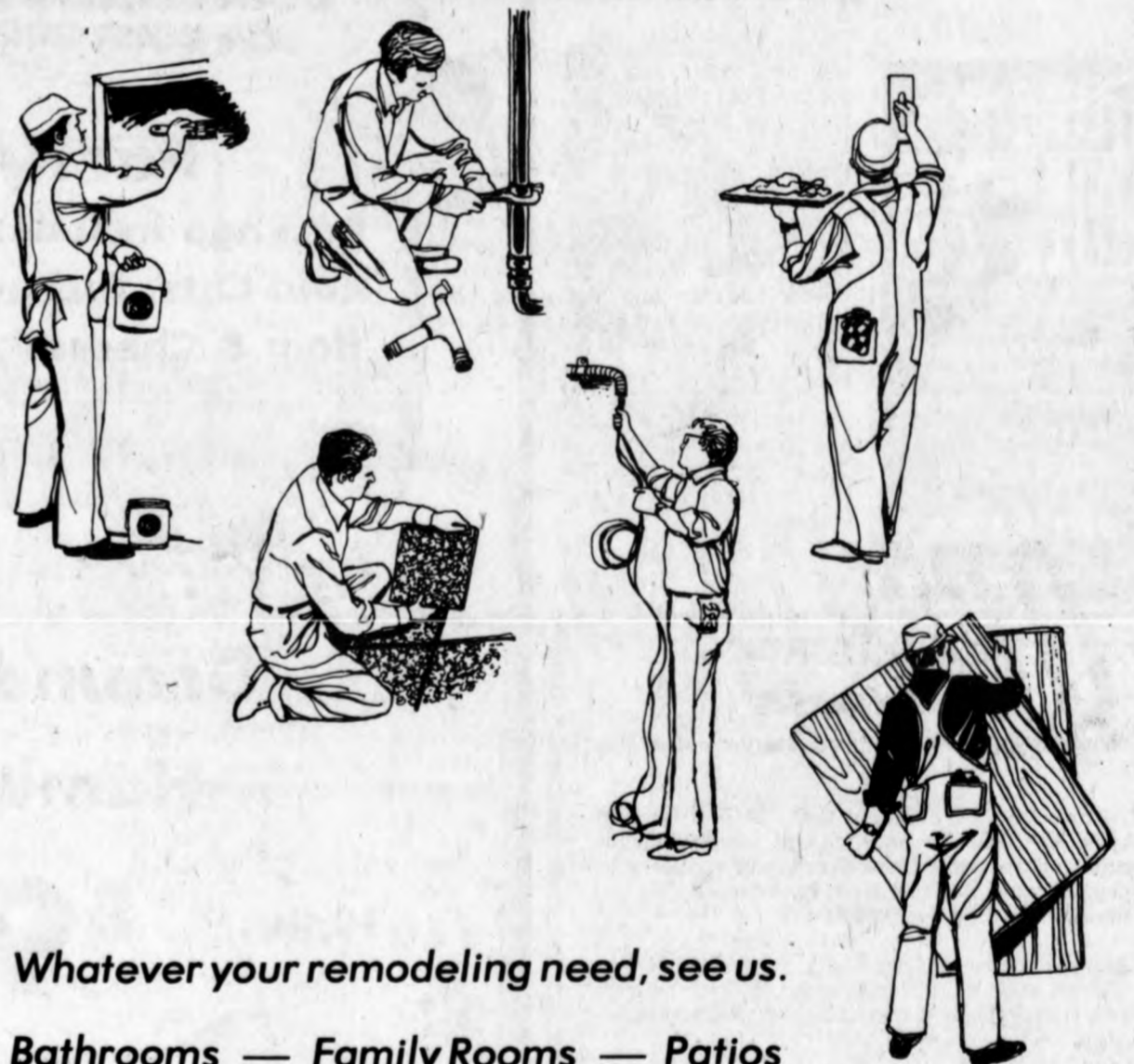
Teachers who helped explain to nearly 600 children all about pen and ink, slate boards and dinner pails were Mrs. Sperry, Mrs. Bryant, Neva Pope, Dorothy Welsh, Mary Walker, and Ella Mae Beck.

Mrs. Pope played the old pump organ, teaching children the "good morning" song. Old text books, ink wells and quill pens, benches, a pail and dipper and wash basin took the children back to the era they can now only imagine.

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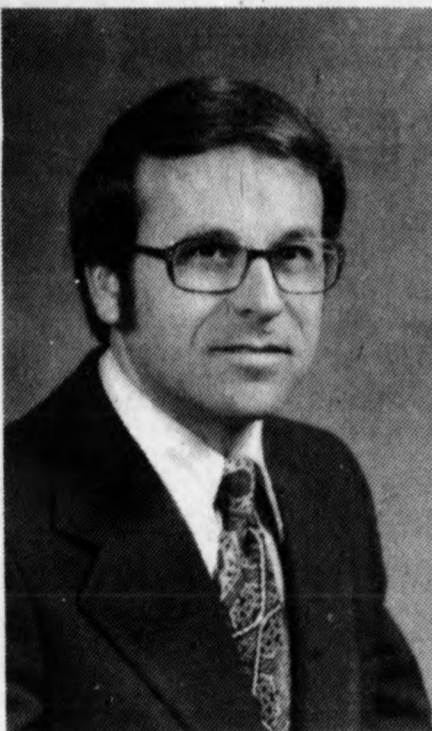
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Gayle Desprez

## Desprez replaces Nobis on board

St. Johns . . .

At the May meeting of the Clinton Memorial Hospital Board of Directors, Irene Zeeb was re-elected chairperson for the coming business year. Other positions filled were Vice-Chairperson A. Fraser MacKinnon and Assistant Secretary-Treasurer, Earl Lancaster.

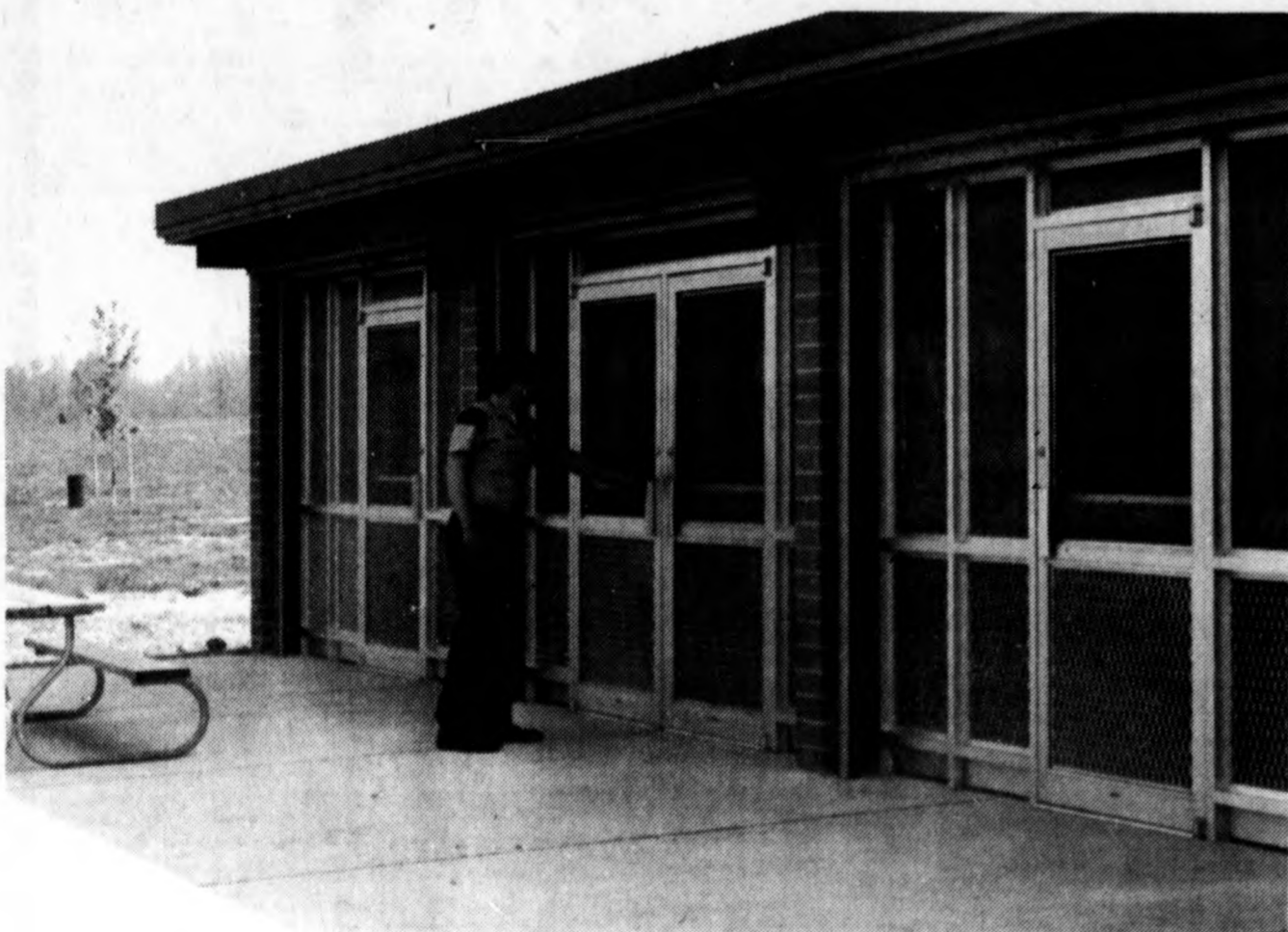
Charles Huntington was re-elected Secretary-Treasurer at the Annual Meeting of the Board of Trustees held earlier this month. A. Fraser MacKinnon and A. C. Wood were re-elected to the Board of Directors at that same meeting.

Gayle Desprez, the newest member elected to the Board of Directors, was introduced and took the Oath of Office.

Desprez is executive vice-president and chief of operations of Clinton National Bank and Trust Company. He is a native of St. Johns (born in Clinton Memorial Hospital), and resides here with his wife and three daughters.

Desprez replaces Paul Nobis who served the maximum 10 years on the Clinton Memorial Hospital Board of Directors and was not eligible for re-election.

Paul E. McNamara, hospital administrator, in congratulating the newly elected Board members said, "We look forward to another year of progress and expanded services to the community."



## New concession stand

Park Manager, Dave Sinclair enters the new concession stand recently built at Sleepy Hollow State Park on Price Road. The park has taken on a new look this year with many added features. (Photo by Sue Kiley)