



## Report that deer

To keep the tradition, the Clinton County News will take a picture of the first successful deer hunter who brings his or her deer to the newspaper office the opening day of deer season, Nov. 15.

But, to announce the successes of other Clinton County deer slayers, the paper will print their names, weight of the deer, time the deer were shot and how many points the deer has. The newspaper staff asks all deer hunters to phone in this information by Monday, Nov. 19 for the Nov. 21 issue or Monday, Nov. 26 for the Nov. 28 issue. Happy hunting.

## Depression Glass

Virginia Willyoung, local authority on Depression Era Glass will be present for consultation and identification, Sunday, Nov. 18 from noon-4 p.m. at the Paine-Gillam-Scott House Museum, St. Johns.

This will be the last day to view the Willyoungs' exhibit of candy dishes of the depression era. Regular hours at the historical museum are Sundays, noon-4 p.m. and Wednesdays, 2-8 p.m. It can be found on Maple Street, west of the courthouse.

## Christmas at museum

Christmas comes to the Paine-Gillam-Scott House Museum the Sunday after Thanksgiving. Special musical activities are planned for each Wednesday night candlelight tour. On the 28th of Nov., Al Parrish, Lansing will bring music boxes from his collection.

The Victorian Christmas will feature antique toys, decoration and stockings on the mantel. Make sure your family doesn't miss a museum visit during the holidays.

## 'Medea' performed for community

For the people in our St. Johns area, a special presentation of the St. Johns production of "Medea" will be given to the public free of charge on Tues., Nov. 13, 1979 in the St. Johns High School Pocus Auditorium. The production will begin at 8 p.m. and the cast and crews will be meeting with the audience after the performance. "We do hope that many people will try to see this excellent theatre production. Our high school enjoys the greatest reputation in theatre excellence, and more interest from the local community would be appreciated by the students," said drama director Robert Koger.

## Book Fair

Paperback books, maps and Hallmark posters will be featured at the Perrin-Palmer Elementary School Book Fair, Nov. 13, 14 and 15 during parent-teacher conferences. Everyone is welcome from 8:30-3:30 each day. Perrin-Palmer children can attend while their parents are talking with teachers. Grandparents may come shop for Christmas. Open to the public.

## Lumber company invoices forged

St. Johns

Since early summer Central Michigan Lumber in St. Johns had been getting ripped off...to the tune of at least \$7,000. Two of the company's employees were behind the sham.

Four persons have been charged according to St. Johns Police Chief Lyle French, with four or possibly five more persons expected to be arrested by the end of the week.

Ronald S. Amos, 20, 3145 Maple Rapids Rd., St. Johns, one of the employees has been charged with conspiracy and forgery. Scott Nicholas, 106, W. Steel, St. Johns has been charged with larceny by false pretenses.

Two men pleaded guilty in Circuit court on Monday and will be sentenced Dec. 17 according to Jon Newman, prosecuting attorney.

Two men are Robert Nussbaumer, 37, 1447 W. Steel, larceny by false pretenses and Wayne Searles, 17, St. Johns two counts of breaking and entering. One offense occurred at Central Michigan Lumber and one at Dean's Hardware.

Paul Welch, owner of Central Michigan Lumber called police on Oct. 27 requesting an officer for suspected embezzlement of the business.

According to police reports the employees allegedly took an invoice pad and were writing out their own orders and giving them to friends and relatives. In addition to this, they also were allegedly taking money out of the till and involved with three breaking and enterings.

A warrant is still pending on the other employee involved.



Rah for our side

These two little girls had a good time marching around their front yards, pretending they were leading the band and cheering their team on to victory. Seven-year-old Kami Schroeder (right) and five-year-old Kristin Zimmerman who live on Cass

Street in St. Johns had a grand time in their make believe world. When asked what team they were cheering for, Miss Zimmerman wasted no time in saying that she was a Dallas Cowboy cheerleader. (Photo by Patrice Hornak)

## \$36,561 PLEDGED

## United Way par with last year

By Patrice Hornak  
Editor

Clinton County

Though not all divisions have concluded their 1980 United Way campaign fund drive effort, Clinton County United Way chairman Harold Wellman said he expects the local pledges to at least meet last year's total.

"The county is looking pretty good—a lot better than the city of Lansing," said Wellman Monday, following a meeting of the Clinton County United Way division chairpersons.

The 1980 Capital Area United Way campaign is only at 73 percent of goal. Last year 85 percent of goal reported at this same point of the campaign.

At Monday's Clinton County meeting, Wellman reported the local campaign is 63 percent of goal, or has received \$36,561. The 1980 goal is \$58,280.

He also said that some major contributions have yet to come in, namely from Federal-Mogul of St. Johns and Hancock Industries of Elsie. Last year Federal-Mogul employees gave \$13,000 and Hancock employees gave \$2,500.

Both of these contributions will be included in the industry division which reported that \$10,200 has already been donated this year. The industry goal is \$29,900. Division chairperson is David Dodd from Sealed Power.

Three of the bright spots in the Clinton County campaign are the commerce, government and professional divisions headed by Terry Hall, Jerry Ambrose and Romaine DeCamp, respectively.

Commerce reported \$16,300 pledged to date, surpassing a \$16,100 goal. Government's pledges thus far are \$2,800, over the \$1,800 figure set as a

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## Election vote tallied

St. Johns

Voters in St. Johns went to the polls yesterday, Tuesday, Nov. 6 to choose two city commissioners out of a field of

four candidates.

Following is the unofficial tally of the votes as released by city hall last night.

Roy Ebert .....	4 4 9
John Hannah .....	5 4 7
Jeanne Rand .....	2 9 8
Donald Roesner .....	6 5 6

## Gunnisonville gets state historical marker

Gunnisonville

Clintonians passing the intersection of Clark and Wood roads in Gunnisonville are stopping to read a new green and gold official State of Michigan marker erected by the Clinton County Historical Commission.

The double post metal marker was approved by the Michigan History Division, Department of State and registered as Local Site No. 449. It briefly tells the story of Elihu Gunnison, first settler in 1835, and the rural community which developed around the school, church, cemetery, post office, store and bandstand.

The school built in 1907 is the third one on the site. It has been restored, and is used regularly as a demonstration classroom and meeting place.

Dedication ceremonies are scheduled early in 1980.

GUNNISONVILLE

Purchasing one hundred sixty acres of farm land from the Government, Elihu Gunnison, first settled this site, originally known as Gunnison, in 1835. This settlement, which its inhabitants often called the "four corners," had a bandstand and general store owned and operated by Boyden Hubbard. After being appointed Postmaster, Hubbard opened the Gunnisonville Post Office in 1891 and operated it in his store.

In 1901 rural mail service was initiated in this vicinity, and the old post office was discontinued. In spring of 1890 the townspeople established the community band which performed

for religious, educational and social gatherings. During the latter part of that decade, the Gunnisonville Band participated in several State Band Tournaments.

Michigan History Division,  
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GUNNISONVILLE

The Gunnisonville school was initially a center for social, religious and educational activities. It served as a school for nearly a century and a quarter, first being established in 1836 and continuing to operate, though only as a kindergarten in latter years, until 1963. The present one-room schoolhouse, the fourth to stand on this site, was constructed in 1907. It was refurbished as a living educational museum by the joint efforts of the Gunnisonville Restoration Committee and the Lansing School District in 1975. The Methodist Episcopal Church, now the United Methodist Church, was organized in 1862. Seven years prior to this, the local cemetery was established. In 1888, the present church edifice was completed and dedicated on November 4.

## Groundbreaking set for Care Center

St. Johns

Groundbreaking for the Clinton Area Care Center, a 108-bed nursing home to be built on Scott Road in St. Johns has been set for Saturday, Nov. 10 at 9:30 a.m.

Carmen Tranchell, a feisty senior citizen who got the ball rolling on building a care center, will put the first shovel into the earth Saturday morning. It was this woman who approached Jeanne Rand and Mrs. Rand has since taken the idea and with the help of hundreds in Clinton County residents, is making that idea a reality.

A \$600,000 fund raising campaign is now under-

way to finance the first leg of the care center. This money will be used to obtain an FHA loan to build the \$1.8 million facility.

The care center will have 108 beds—18 skilled nursing beds, 45 intermediate care beds and 45 home for the aged beds.

Following the groundbreaking, there will be coffee and rolls served in the Clinton Memorial Hospital cafeteria. Everyone is invited to attend the groundbreaking and gathering afterward.



Historical site

Marking the spot of a historical site in Michigan is a huge green and yellow sign

at the corner of Clark and Wood Roads in DeWitt Township. (Photo by Sue Kiley)



# Stull trial date set for Nov 20

### Clinton County

A Clinton County Circuit Court date of Nov. 20 at 9 a.m. has been set for 24-year-old Trent Lee Stull who is charged with alleged kidnapping and criminal sexual conduct first degree (rape). Stull is presently lodged in the Clinton County jail with bond set at \$100,000

after a hearing was held in Clinton County two weeks ago.

The County News reported the woman who had allegedly been raped at knife point, was dropped off at an undisclosed Clinton County location following the incident. However, when she got on the witness stand in front of Judge Randy Tahoven a few days

later, she said Stull dropped her off where she wanted to go, in this case Northwind Farms in East Lansing.

The 18-year-old Ingham County woman apparently changed her account of what happened from the time she was interviewed by Jon Newman, prosecuting attorney

to the hearing. Newman had given the Clinton County News the version of the story the woman had given him.

There are motions pending to have the bond on Stull dropped to a lower amount. These motions will be heard on Wednesday (today).

## Service award

For their outstanding support Loren Perry (center) and Bill Swears (far right) receive a Public Awareness Award from Air Force members. St. Johns High School had an Air Force van for the purposes of recruiting at the school last May. Presenting the award from the Air Force are Master Sergeant John Tate of East Lansing, Major Hal Loebach, from Detroit and Ed Magee, Lansing who is the recruiter. (Photo by Sue Kiley)

## Flu shots given

Influenza (flu) vaccine is available for people with chronic health problems like diabetes, diseases of the heart, lungs or kidneys; severe anemia or chronic illness (or medicines) which lower the body's resistance to infection, 18 years old or older. It

is also for all persons 65 years old or older.

This service will be provided at Mid-Michigan District Health Department's regular blood pressure screening clinic Nov. 8 at the Congregational Church, St. Johns; from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m.

## Man wounded by gunshot

### Clinton County

Larceny, breaking and entering and an accidental gun-shot wound were among incidents handled by Clinton County Sheriff Department deputies last week.

Nol J. Cabrera was accidentally shot in the left leg while cleaning a .22 cal. pistol at his home, 1174 S. Countyline Rd., Maple Rapids, Oct. 31.

Dorothy Korrach, 12580 W. Herbison, Eagle returned

home to find a 19-inch television set missing and dressers ransacked. Officers are investigating.

A windmill and lawn ornaments were stolen from Harold Bauer, 3008 N. Krepps Rd., St. Johns.

Roger Feldpausch, 11192 W. Maple Rapids Rd., reported the larceny of a 19 1/2 foot Verlin Kruger tan custom built fiberglass canoe.

Mrs. Arthur Cornell, 9088 Grove Rd. reported that \$170

in cash, a \$400 chain saw and an Atlas mower were taken in a breaking and entering at her residence.

A 1973 green Ford Pinto Hatchback with a luggage rack was taken from Jerry Atkinson, 2251 W. Mead Rd., St. Johns, Nov. 3 at 11 p.m. He told officers he heard the vehicle leave the drive. Also taken were two shotguns, a LWinchester automatic and a Stevens single shot.

## Pot found, tires stolen

### DeWitt Twp.

Four Goodyear tires on four different Broncos were stolen from Fowler Ford on N. US-27 between Oct. 29 and Oct. 31. The tires were valued at \$500 according to Tom Aranow, police chief.

Deb Welch, 2811 W. Michigan Ave., reported \$500 worth of damage was done to her car while parked

in the Stardust parking lot on N. US-27 in DeWitt Township. All the windows were smashed out in the car on Nov. 2.

A bottle was thrown through the window of a car driven by Mark Marasick on Oct. 30 from an overpass. Over \$200 worth of damage was done to the car.

Officers are investigating a Country Meadows resident who threatened trick or treaters with a shotgun after some local youths smashed one of his pumpkins.

Sunday night police recovered 80 pounds of homegrown marijuana valued at \$10,000. No one has been charged as of yet.

## Car hit, where's Lansing?

### Bath Twp.

William Burgess of M-78 Truck Stop observed a semi-tractor back into a vehicle and then drive away.

Burgess jumped in his car and started following the tractor trying to get his attention on the CB radio. When he couldn't he then tried to get a Smokey. He still could not get anybody on the radio.

A member of the REACT

team answered him however, and asked for his location.

"I'm on M-78 between Marsh Road and Hagadorn heading west," he said.

"Heading towards where?" the other voice questioned.

"I'm going towards Lansing," Burgess answered back.

"Lansing... Where in the heck is Lansing?" the other voice said.

Being a little exasperated Burgess said, "Lansing, Michigan."

After a short pause the voice came over the radio, "I can't help you a bit, I'm in Waco, Texas."

Chief Gene Reno also reports that 175 gallons of gas was stolen from the Fred Picken's home on Clark Road.

## SJ Quiz Bowl team claims another win

### St. Johns

Jackson Lumen Christi was the latest victim of the St. Johns Quiz Bowl team, with the Redwings winning last Tuesday night, 115-80.

The team will go against Durand Nov. 13 and if the St. Johns team wins, it will advance to the championships in the spring.

Quiz Bowl competition is televised over WKAR-TV

Tuesday nights at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday afternoons at 4:30 p.m.

Two teams each composed of four high school students and an alternate set which team can answer the most number of questions correctly. Points are given for each correct answer and the team with the most points wins the match.

Ovid-Elsie's Quiz Bowl team will be watching the St.

Johns contest Nov. 13, as the O-E team will go against the winner of the St. Johns match or the winner from the Lake Fenton vs. Howell match. Ovid-Elsie will be on television Dec. 11.

St. Johns' Quiz Bowl team is composed of: Marcia Lusk, Joe Parker, Ben Manring, Irenna Garapetyan and Kris Tetens. Their advisor is Robert Koger.

## Low income families can obtain fuel oil

The cold winter months are quickly approaching in Michigan and over 40,000 low-income people of the Ingham, Eaton, Clinton and Shiawassee county area are about to face the most costly heating session on record.

A recent survey indicated that in the Lansing area, fuel oil has escalated in price 16 percent. Most distributors of fuel oil are having to pay cash for their supplies and because of this are having to require their customers to pay cash for all deliveries. Most low-income people do

not have available to them, the cash to make the necessary fuel purchases.

Capital Area Community Services, Inc. (CACCS) Weatherization program has made the weatherization of homes of fuel oil users as the program's top priority. Any low-income home owners who use fuel oil should contact Capital Area Community Services, Inc. at 482-6281 immediately for help.

The CACCS program will weatherize the dwelling within the guidelines estab-

lished by the Department of Energy. The overall goal is to make the home more heat efficient and that will cut down on the amount of fuel used.

Because of the severity of the situation, CACCS is seeking immediate assistance from churches, community groups, and the general other community human service agencies, in locating the low-income fuel oil users.

For further information, please contact Ms. Sharma Krauskopf at 482-6281.

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# Eagle residents want safety considered

By Sue Killey  
Staff Writer

## Clinton County

"We want the Board of Commissioners to look at this gravel pit issue from a safety standpoint rather than an economic one," Jim Kus an Eagle Township resident recently commented.

Residents in the area where a gravel pit operator wants a special use permit are upset. The Clinton County Planning Commission had previously recommended denial for the special use permit. However, commissioners wanted some reasons why the pit should be allowed to operate also.

Residents in the area have had a bad taste in their mouths with the other gravel pit located across the road. Kus cited an instance where a gravel truck was barreling down State Road to the National Guard Army Airport at speeds ranging from 50 to 70 miles per hour.

A school bus has been run off the road, and several windshields have been broken due to debris falling off the trucks. In addition, residents claim the road has deteriorated also because of the heavy trucks using the road.

According to Kus last fall the other gravel company was hauling seven days a week. People ended up calling the state police and the Clinton County Sheriff's department.

They (the residents) don't want the same types of activities to occur if a special use permit is granted to Stay and Associates.

The biggest concern the 65 citizens have is that of the safety of their children. They are also worried about their property values going down and about their wells being contaminated.

An unsolicited opinion was given by Sheriff Tony Hufnagel regarding the safety issue. In his letter to Kus, the sheriff said he saw a potential problem should tandem traffic be increased on that stretch of State Road.

In the last paragraph of Hufnagel's letter it stated, "So far we have no history of repeated vehicular accidents on that stretch of road and I would like not to increase the potential."

A letter was also received by the group from Dr. Norval S. Bovee, superintendent of the Grand Ledge School District. In his letter Bovee states, "The width of State Road and the fact that the road is closed in your area because of the lack of a bridge has caused us concern from both the safety and economy aspects of our operating school buses. Our buses must turn around and backtrack in that mile which is never safe or economical as we would like. And there are growths of trees that are restricting the width of the road which is a factor with the snowbanks in the winter. It would seem, for the safety of everyone, the road would need improvements before additional heavy usage could be recommended."

Three real estate companies also expressed their opinions that the gravel pit would devalue properties.

Portland School district also uses State Road for its buses. Between 14 and 16 trips from school buses are made on the road daily.

"No matter how long we have been living in an area we still have some basic rights," Kus said. "Our general welfare should be the commission's concern over economics."

Continuing he said, "We would like some assurances that if violations occur proper action will be taken against the gravel company."

Presently Watertown Township is going through the same problems with a gravel pit in that area.

"A closer look has got to be taken when it comes to special use permits for gravel pits," Kus concluded.



## Mighty big check

This is a mighty big check—in more ways than one. Clinton Bank and Trust pledged \$11,866.60 in this year's Clinton County United Way campaign. This was the largest contribution by a single business. Bank employees gave \$5,933 and the bank matched that. This reflects a 35 percent increase over the bank's pledge last year and totals about \$30,000 given by the bank and employees during the past 10 years. Seventy-one percent of all bank employees participated. Presenting the check to Terry Hall (left) who is the commerce division chairperson are Kurt Becker, (right) who called on Clinton Bank and Trust for their pledge, and bank president Brandon White II. (Photo by Patrice Hornak)

VILLAGE CENTER HARDWARE'S

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<b>\$1.99</b> reg. \$3.99	<b>37¢</b> reg. 57¢ "popular sizes"	<b>47¢</b> reg. 79¢	<b>77¢</b> reg. \$1.29	<b>\$1.99</b> reg. \$3.19	<b>87¢</b> GAL. reg. 94¢
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## DeWitt staff ratify contracts

**DeWitt**  
Teacher and support personnel contracts are nearing completion here as teachers voted to ratify a two-year contract, Thursday, Nov. 1 and support personnel agreed upon the recommendations of a state mediator, Monday, Oct. 29.

The Board of Education was expected to ratify the teacher contract at a special meeting last night, Nov. 5. They will vote on the tentative agreement with

support personnel at the regular meeting, Nov. 12.

DeWitt support personnel include school secretaries, cafeteria workers, bus drivers and custodians who are seeking their first contract after joining Michigan Educational Personnel Association which is affiliated with the Michigan Education Association (MEA). Bargaining began in May and the state mediator was called for in October.

## Bath Band Boosters will honor Kressler

**Bath**  
The Band Boosters will hold open house, Tuesday, Nov. 13 at the high school cafeteria in honor of the new band director, David Kressler.

A potluck dinner from 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. will be followed by a bake sale and bazaar until 10 p.m. Entertainment will include selections from the newly formed stage band.

The group is still soliciting baked goods and bazaar items which can be dropped off at any school office on the 13th.

Potluck participants are to bring a main dish and a salad or dessert along with their own table service. Beverages will be provided.

The boosters formed last year during a drive to replace the band's 20 year old uniforms. In use since

September the new uniforms include both a marching band jacket and a concert jacket. The boosters organization is pledged to paying for half of the \$14,221 cost. Part of their share has been financed for four years at about \$1,000 a year, the rest was earned by the band members themselves and the parent organization.

## Liaison to visit

**St. Johns**  
Congressman Don Albona's congressional staff liaison will be in St. Johns on Wednesday, Nov. 14 from 9:30 a.m. to noon at the courthouse.

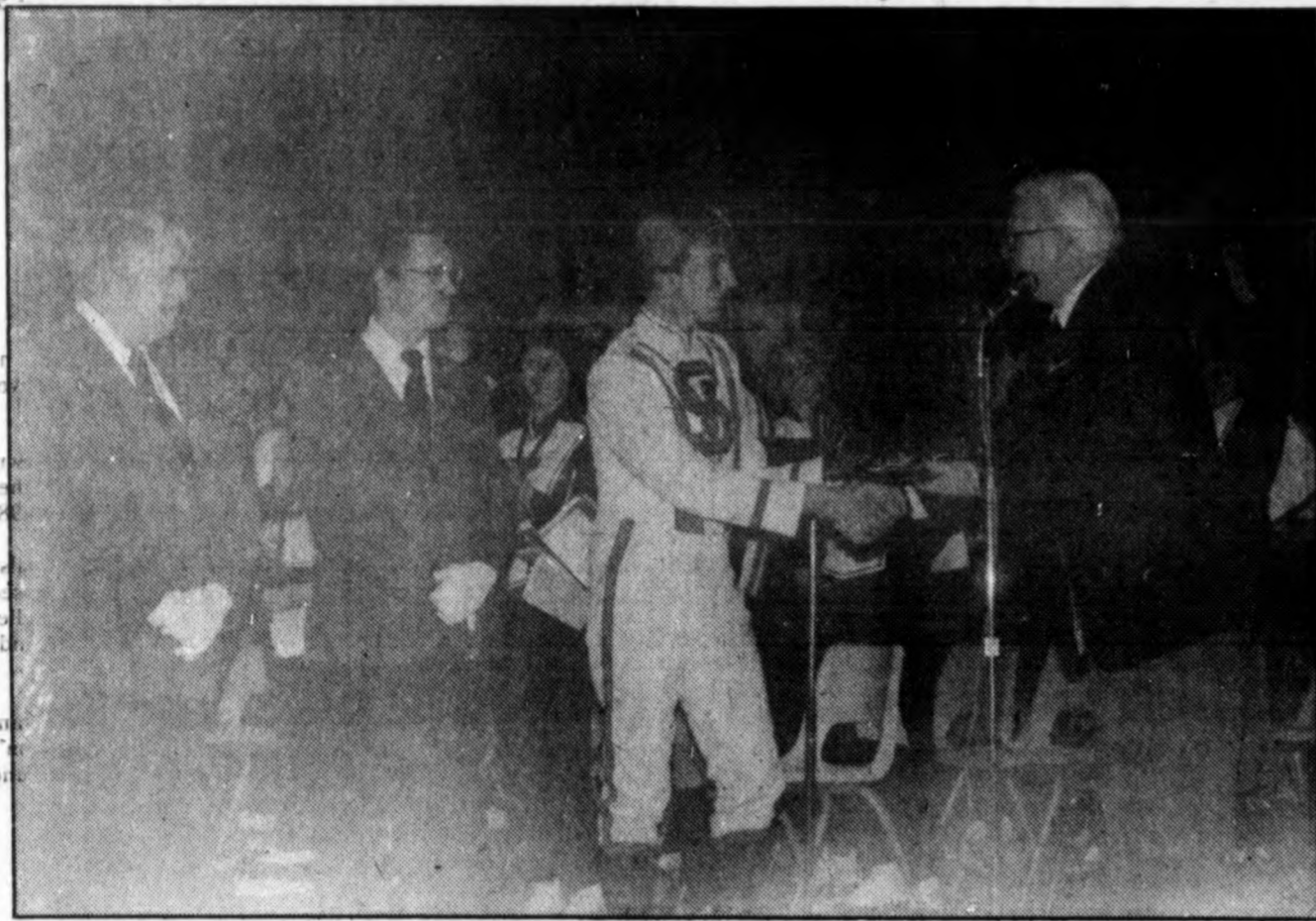
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**St. Johns**

St. Johns High School dramatists will make it nine in a row when they compete in the Michigan High School Drama Com-

petition state finals Nov. 16 and 17.

They earned the honor of competing in the finals after placing second in the regional competition last Saturday, Nov. 3 at Portage

Northern High School. St. Johns finished second, while the host team, Portage Northern, finished one point ahead of the Redwings for first place.

Participating in the regionals were Portage, St. Johns, Stevensville Lakeshore, Okemos and Jackson Parkside high schools.

Portage Northern "The Brick and the Rose" receiving a score of 187 of a possible 200 points. St. Johns scored 186 points with their presentation of "Medea". Okemos was third with 160 points for "Lizzie Borden of Fall River".

State high school drama finals will be held at Southfield Lathrup High School on Nov. 16 and 17 and is open to the public free of charge. Following is the schedule of schools participating in the finals and vying for the 1979-80 high school drama title:

- November 16:**  
 4p.m.-Flint Central H.S.--"The Effect of Gamma Rays on the Man in the Moon Marigolds"  
 5:05p.m.-Henry Ford II H.S.--"Rope Dancers"  
 7:15p.m.-St. Johns H.S.--"Medea"  
 8:20p.m.-Marquette H.S.--"Crows"  
 9:25 p.m.-Essexville Garber H.S.--"Dark of the Moon"

- November 17:**  
 9 a.m.-Southfield Lathrup H.S.--"The Long Stay Cut Short"  
 10:05 a.m.-Okemos H.S.--"Lizzie Borden of Fall River"  
 11:10a.m.-Standish-Sterline H.S.--"The Miracle Worker"

- November 17:**  
 1p.m.-Portage Northern H.S.--"The Brick and the Rose"  
 2:05p.m.-Trenton H.S.--"Echoes"  
 3:10-Escanaba H.S.--"The Glass Menagerie"

- 4:15p.m.-Charlevoix H.S.--"Fiddler on the Roof"  
 5:15p.m.-A special non-competing performance of the 1970 state finalists production of "The Ugly Duckling" from Southfield High School with its original cast.  
 6:30p.m.-Presentation of awards.

As indicated from the preceding schedule, this year's state drama finals look more exciting than ever, and afford the public an excellent opportunity to experience some of the finest in our state free of charge.

**NINE IN A ROW**

**Dramatists go to finals**

**Varsity Night**

Eugene Fisher, District Lions Governor presented Todd Scott, drum major of the St. Johns Redwing Marching Band and band directors Walter Cole and John Speck with an award during Varsity Night for their participation in competition in Montreal. Over 50,000 people attended the event in which the St. Johns group placed first. (Photo by Sue Kiley)

In addition to winning a berth in the state finals, they were successful in bringing home several individual performance awards and medals. Winning awards of excellence for individual work, which is the second highest award given, were St. Johns' lighting crew of Colleen Whetstone and Mike Moore and actress LuAnn Shellite for her role of the nurse. Winning the highest individual award of superior were Linda Hopp for her acting roll of Medea, Tim Weaver for his set design, Jessica Youness, Terri Pitchford, and Pam Race for their costumes, and Chris Cole, Fred Wood, Irenna Garapetyan, and Brent Laidler for their work in sound.

The St. Johns Win takes an even greater prominence when compared with all of the scores achieved in the four regional contests across the state. In looking at the scores of the final 12 high schools, St. Johns has the second highest score achieved, and that being only one point behind the highest score. So it looks like St. Johns will once more be in the thick and thin of the state drama championship-an honor they have held for the past two years.

**500 expected at fund dinner**

**St. Johns**

Reservations are pouring in this week in support of Clinton Area Care Center building fund community dinner to be held Tuesday, Nov. 13, at the high school cafeteria.

The event, scheduled for 6:30 p.m. marks the opening of the public phase of CACC campaign. Response by the end of the week is expected to be nearing 500 people. The special speaker will be Bernard Feldpausch, native Clinton County resident and St. Johns businessman.

Citing a need for representation from every township, Charles Coletta, campaign co-chairman, said "We're gratified with the interest in this dinner. The people recognize that we have a problem in providing for our increasing population of aged people. The problem will not go away. We must cope with it. We are ready to tackle it. That's why we need a crowd at our gathering-to approach this thing together."

The dinner will spell out present needs and plans and will seek public support for a \$600,000 fund-raising effort. That support will begin operation of the care center and allow the board to apply for the needed FHA loan.

The projected new Clinton Area Care Center will provide 108 beds of which 18 will be Medicare beds, the first in the county.

Co-chairman Tony Kuntz said interested persons who have not received invitations should call the campaign office at 224-6808 and make reservations. "This is a public dinner requiring public support," he stated.

The building fund committee includes Coletta and Kuntz, campaign co-chairmen; Robert Sirrine, pattern gifts chairman; Randy Tahvonen, advance group chairman; James Grost, M.D., doctors and dentists; Gary Becker, special gifts chairman; Joseph Mullaney, area chairman; Lester Jenkins, treasurer; Patrice Hornak, publicity; and members Harold Benson, Keith Laidler, Jeanne Rand, Donald Roegner and Gerald Workman. William Luecht is honorary chairman.

There will be no solicitation at the dinner. Arrangements will be made by Mrs. Donald Gilson, Mrs. James Grost, and Mrs. Alden Livingston.

**CB&T authorizes 20-cent dividend**

**St. Johns**

The board of directors of Clinton Bank and Trust Company has authorized a 20 cents per share cash dividend payable Nov. 15 to shareholders of record on Nov. 2.

The dividend equals the 20 cents per share which was paid to shareholders on Aug. 15 and is in addition to a 34 cent dividend paid in May. The current dividend brings the total of cash dividends to 74 cents declared in 1979. A 5 per cent dividend was also issued in May of this year.



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**Home Gem**

Bleach **48¢ gal.**

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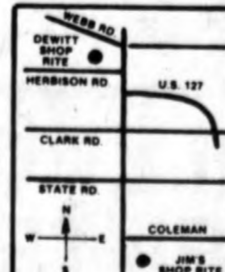
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## Watertown Twp displayed at historical museum

### St. Johns

The township room at the Paine-Gillam-Scott House Museum, St. Johns has a new display. Watertown Township which includes the village of Wacousta will be on display for several months.

Unique to the exhibit is a candleholder made with both a spike and hook for hanging. There is an unusual salt dish, interesting silverware and a foot stool with ironwork legs. Of a special note are some old photographs that show maple syrup collecting, wood cutting, fruit spraying and other farm activities.

In the display case, also look for a tiny lard pail that was a souvenir of the 1876 centennial.

The room was arranged by Margaret Noble, Mable Ingalls and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Starling.

Winter hours at the museum are Sundays from noon until 4 p.m. and Wednesdays from 2-8 p.m.

A depression era candy dish collection will remain in the diningroom through Sunday, Nov. 18 when Mrs. Virginia Willyoung, local authority on depression glass will be present for consultation and identification.



### Drawn work

This little table, covered with a lacy looking cloth of "drawn work" is part of the Watertown Township display now at the Paine-Gillam-Scott House Museum, St. Johns. The intricate work was done by drawing weft threads out of the cloth and then arranging the warp threads in a design. (Photo by Sharon Randall)

## Bath looks into sewer permit abuses, committee formed

By Sue Kiley  
Staff Writer

### Bath Twp.

Bath Township officials formed a three man committee Monday night to investigate sewer permit abuses in the township. This action came following a discussion on residents renting out portions of their homes which have bathroom and kitchen facilities but are only listed as a single family dwelling.

A case in point which was handled at Monday's meeting was the Jerry Jerome property. In 1976 he had taken out a sewer permit for one family. However, it was later learned the upstairs had separate facilities and was rented periodically.

The home will now have a sewer factor of one and one-half rather than just one. Rates will be charged back to Jerome for the time he was not paying for the extra facilities.

"There are several other

instances of this kind of thing," Carol Crofts, treasurer said. "We want to know about it."

Supervisor Thomas Woodruff added, "If it has the ability or capability for use you have to pay for it."

Sewer usage rates will also go up \$2 per month beginning Jan. 1, 1980. The last time the rates were raised was in 1978.

"This should be enough to take us through 1980," Woodruff said. "But we can't say for certain."

He added, "There's no doubt about this sewer is costing us money."

In other action the township board agreed they should order a new 1980 police car for \$6,812.

Board members also voted in favor of a proposed interchange at Chandler Road for I-69 when it extends to the township.

"If we don't say we want it at the beginning, it won't ever happen," Clerk June Burnette said.

## Parents invited to high school

### St. Johns

Parents will get a capsule version of their high school student's daily classroom schedule during the annual open house at St. Johns High School on Thurs-

day, Nov. 8 beginning at 7:15 p.m.

During the evening, parents will attend each of their student's classes, giving the parent an oppor-

tunity to meet their child's instructors. Each class will last 15 minutes.

Instructors will provide parents with the goals and objectives of their class as

well as explain homework, grading and materials.

Following the open house, there will be refreshments in the cafeteria from 9:20-10 p.m.

## ★ United Way

goal. Professionals have pledged \$4,170, surpassing their \$3,756 goal.

Both the education and outlying communities divisions have not completed their drive, but Warren Faloon reported the outlying communities of DeWitt, Fowler, Ovid and Elsie have to date donated \$577 and Tony Kuntz who is heading the education drive said he has received

\$2,500 to date.

The goal of the education division is \$4,500 and the outlying community goal is \$1,377. The special gifts division is still to come, also.

Chairman Wellman said this year's campaign should do as well as last year's campaign, raising about \$52,000. It will be another two weeks before final

figures will be submitted. Federal-Mogul began their United Way campaign just last week.

The 1980 budget was based upon last year's budget, with an added 9.5 percent inflationary figure added to each division's goal. Wellman said that the 9.5 just is not there.

## Academy applications available

Applications for the four military service academies are now available from the district office of Congressman Howard Wolpe. Wolpe announced today that young men and women desiring to attend West Point, Annapolis, the Air Force Academy, or the Merchant Marine Academy, for the class entering in 1980 should complete applications now and register for the ACT or SAT tests as soon as possible.

"I have been extremely pleased with the caliber of the men and women who

have already submitted applications and those currently enrolled in the service academies," Wolpe said. "The importance of academy appointments is especially great now that the volunteer

military service has replaced the draft."

Interested persons should write Congressman Wolpe at his Battle Creek office (33 Capital Ave. N.E., Battle Creek, MI 49014) as soon as

possible, preferably before November 15. Applicants can, and should, contact the specific academies they are interested in so as to establish a pre-candidate file.

## Looking Ahead

**BATH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** will be holding a bazaar Saturday, Nov. 10 from 4 to 8 p.m. Dinner from 5 to 7 p.m. Ham and turkey will be served. The event will be held at the Church on Main Street in Bath.

**GUS KAIKKONEN'S COMEDY BRONTOSAURUS TALES** opens Nov. 8 at the BoarsHead Theater for a three-week run. Performances are at Lansing's Center for the Arts, 425 S. Grand, at 8:00 p.m. Thursday and Friday, 6 p.m. and 9 p.m. Saturday and 7 p.m. Sunday. For more information, call (517) 484-7805 or 373-4636.

**NOVEMBER 8**—The Ashley United Methodist Church will hold their Annual Bazaar and Smorgasbord Supper on November 8th. Bazaar opens at 10:30 a.m., lunches served at 11 a.m., Smorgasbord Supper served at 5 p.m. Bazaar includes Christmas and craft items, merchandise and bake sale. The "all you can eat" Smorgasbord Supper is priced as follows: Adults: \$3.50; Children 12 and under \$1.75 and Pre-schoolers Free.

**QUALITY ANTIQUE SHOW**—Saturday, Dec. 1 from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. at St. John's Episcopal Church, 120 Kidd St., in historic Ionia. This is sponsored by the church building fund.

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# Editorial Page



## He plants the seeds

By Sharon Randall

**Bath**

There's great potential at Bath High School and its coming to the surface right now because someone special is stirring the pot.

The idea man is Tony Drago, in his second year as principal at this small class C Clinton County high school district that touches East Lansing on one side and Laingsburg on the other. Drago is the seed planter but he gives all the credit to his students who pick up the ball and carry his ideas off on their own.

What's happening at Bath is student awareness and student involvement and it's not stopping at the door of the high school but reaching into the community as well.

The student government is at the head of the movement but the action comes from the entire student body, Drago says. Students have formed a Community Service club and have gone out into the community to help where they are needed. Recently, a Bath senior citizen, Mrs. Ruth McGonigal, was treated to a crew of high school students

who washed her walls, cleaned her house and helped her get things ready for winter. They have a list of six more elderly citizens who can use such energy. Some of these youngsters have never had the opportunity to help before, and it's turned them on. One excited student said, "I love grandmas and I'll help anyone I can."

This week the students are starting a food drive, planning to fill Thanksgiving baskets for the area's needy. Contributions will come from the entire student body.

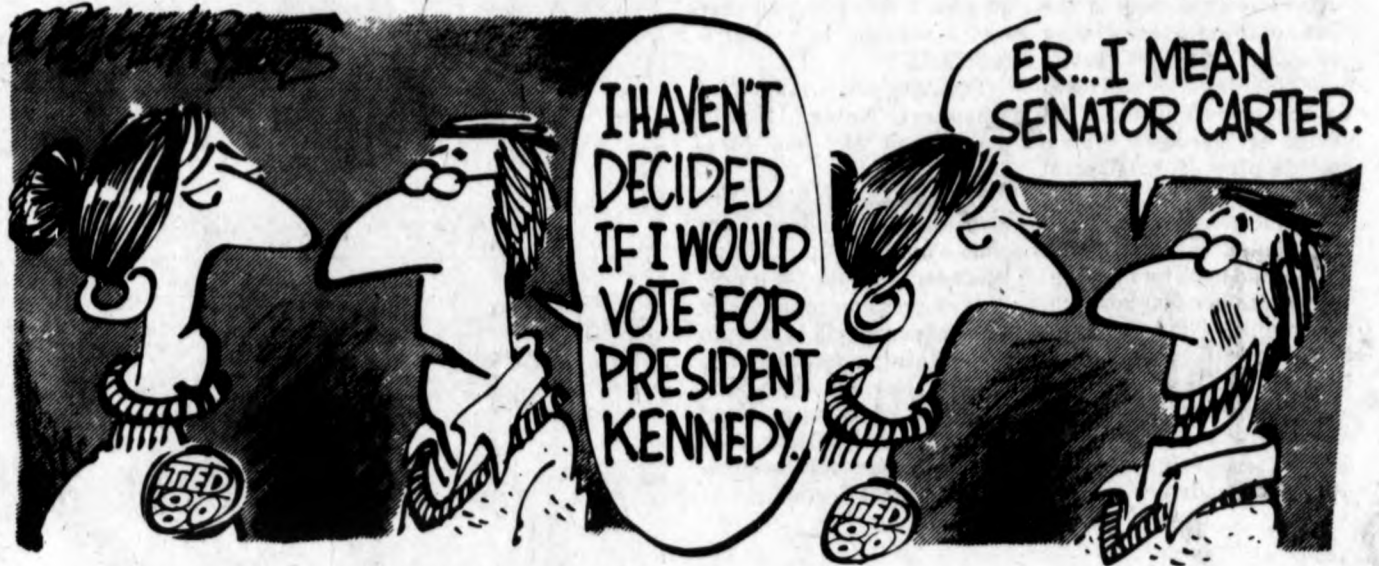
Their projects won't end with helping the poor or the elderly. This community normally depends upon Lansing for extra activities but the students hope to change that.

They're planning a Saturday, Dec. 15th Christmas party for the lower elementary children that includes gifts, treats, movies, a skit, songs and special projects. They will entertain the youngsters from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. while parents are free to shop or take care of Christmas projects at home. This affair has been planned to involve the whole high school with shop classes making toys, the band and chorus planning music, home economic students producing stuffed toys and the Future Homemakers providing cookies and treats.

"We're looking at a good time, here," Drago said indicating that Santa and Mrs. Santa are to be on hand even if they have to be brought down by helicopter.

Drago and his students don't intend that their goodwill end at Christmas. They plan to carry through with spring clean-up and other special projects that will show the community that they care.

Out hats are off to Mr. Drago and his terrific kids. We care that you care and we expect to see a lot more of you all in the good news from Bath.



## SENIOR CITIZEN UPDATE

Do you know Marion Dreamer? Here is her picture. She was born in 1896 which makes her 83 years old. She just got back from a trip to China, at her age, I decided to tell you a little about her and her many travels.

She was born on a farm near Flushing, Michigan. She moved to Wigville, which is now Flint, but was just a grocery store and 2 or 3 houses and a church, on her grandparents farm. An uncle died of T.B. and it was found he contracted this from the cattle so the entire herd had to be killed. Even way back then the dairy farmers had problems.

Her father and mother bought another herd and started another dairy farm. They specialized in making butter. They packed it in crocks and shipped half a carload to Chicago once a week and sometimes more.

When she was five-years-old they moved to a large farm near Grand Blanc and then on to Swartz Creek where they had Holstein cattle and sold the milk to make cheese.

Her travels started when she was through the 10th grade. She went to England to live with her grandfather for a year, 1913-1914. From there she went on to Ypsilanti where she completed her high school along with 2 years of college. Her specialty was zoology.

She worked two or three years in Dearborn for United Railroad; five years at Michigan Central Railroad in the Auditing office in Detroit.

Her next change was Lewiston, Idaho when she went to Normal School for the summer. She taught all eight grades in a mining camp and it was frontier country in the mountains near Elk City, Idaho.



Ruth Delo

Another change. Baldi, Washington, a lumber camp in the Cascade Mountains where she taught all eight grades. She stopped teaching to attend Washington University at Pullman, Washington where she obtained her BS degree in Zoology.

She was on her way to Tacoma, Washington to stay with a friend when a last minute telephone call sent her to St. Xavier, Montana to teach on cattle ranch in the Big Horn Mountains, where they had four children. When she got there she had 50 cents in her pocket and she had to spend that 50 cents for her supper before she went to the ranch which was about 30 miles away.

The ranch was log cabins and they built her a tar paper shack that was separated by a blanket where she lived in one half, the other half was the school room. By this time she was 23 years old.

After a year at Xavier she became connected with the Crow Indians, for three years. She worked as a policewoman on the Detroit Police force for one year.

Back to school at Pullman, Washington. The Michigan banks had all closed so she was without funds. With \$100 tuition she took any work she could get for 25 cents an hour.

How can I leave any of her story out? It's all so interesting. In my short column?

Then on to Friday Harbor, Washington. Toppenish, Washington, Indian Service at Pine Ridge, South Dakota—Oglala, S. Dakota and in all this time she had worked 12 years in Indian Service.

It was this time she was married. No children blessed their marriage. She got sick and they moved to Custer, S. Dakota where they bought a farm in the Black Hills. This was a cattle ranch. She taught a small school in that district till the end of that year.

Then Custer, S. Dakota T.B. Sanitarium, till her mother got sick, so back to Ypsilanti, Michigan. Taught Biology and history in the high school at Faith, S. Dakota. Back to Grand Marais, Michigan for three years then to Shepherd, Michigan for 22 years. Her husband died and one year later she retired.

She heard about Vista workers while watching T.V., so she sent in an application. While working at the desk in a hotel in Cottonwood, Idaho she received a telegram to report to Vista Service at Arizona State University at Tempe, Arizona for training. Assigned to work among the Indians at Wolfspoint, Montana and Cottonwood, Idaho and to a job corps urban Center in Sparta, Wisconsin, and Marsing, Idaho.

She spent one year at Nemo, S. Dakota for Box Elder job Corps. Sent to Kokohead, Honolulu but when she arrived they sent her to a satellite camp on Island of Kauai for two years.

She moved to DeWitt five years ago because her adopted daughter and son-in-law lived there. Since then she was worked three summers at Box Elder job corps in S. Dakota. She has been to the islands of Guam, Truk, Saipan, Ponape, Palau, Majuro, Yop (twice), Nuremberg, Germany. The Orient - Japan, Hongkong, Bangkok, Taiwan and Singapore. 14 days in London, England; 18 days in Hongkong, Red China; Spent two winter months in Island of Kana; stayed at Kolola; Last Winter two months at Truth or Consequences, New Mexico; Plans to go to York, England for three months.



Marion Dreamer

A Traveler? I believe it. So-until next time.....

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### FFA urges farm safety

The Ovid-Elsie Future Farmers of America chapter is cooperating with the state and national organizations in promoting harvest safety this year.

The National Safety Council considers agriculture one of the most hazardous occupations in the United States.

Accidents hurt! Just ask the farmer who lost part of his hand because he didn't turn his corn picker off before trying to unclog it. Or the fellow who spent 45 minutes up to his neck in water, trapped under his tractor. He had been watching his plow instead of where he was going. Or the woman who was crushed under a tractor that tipped over backward when she was trying to drive it forward out of a deep ditch.

These people and thousands of others know that accidents hurt badly. Accidents cost time and money. An average of 10 working days are lost for each accident.

How much money can you lose in 10 days? What happens to your crops or livestock during that time? Will you ever be able to do the same work you did before "it" happened? Will you have to hire somebody to do your work for you?

Hospital bills, doctor bills, medical supplies and rehabilitation costs can be a big financial burden. That's why you should practice safety when working with agricultural machinery.

Farm and ranch residents in the U.S. have about 570,000 disabling injuries and 6,400 deaths from accidents each year. Half of the reported injuries to rural and farm people occurred while they were working on the farm.

During 1973, 5 percent of all U.S. workers, worked at agricultural occupations, but these workers suffered 17 percent of all work injuries. Of all types of farm accidents, those involving machinery were most common. For the number of people involved, agricultural workers are having too many accidents.

Most machinery accidents can be linked to human error and human error is often caused by poor communication. Good clear communication between machinery operators and helpers, or other people near by can be effective in reducing the number of these accidents. Some examples of the kinds of

communication used in agriculture are: Safety alert symbols mean become alert! Attention! Signal words are often used with safety symbols, CAUTION, DANGER and WARNING. Safety signs and their colors.—red and white are the colors used with danger. Black and yellow are caution signs.

Most new machinery use universal symbols to help identify controls. These symbols should be recognized by operators all over the world. Study them and you will better understand machinery controls. The slow moving emblem should be attached to all machinery that travels on the roads. Labels communicate too. Reading a label can give you much information that could prevent serious injury.

It's up to everyone associated with agricultural machinery to use safe working practices. Remember operators aren't the only ones who get hurt in agricultural machinery accidents.

By Mary Bearup  
Ovid-Elsie High School

### Jaycee-Jaycette party success

#### AN INVASION OF GHOSTS, GOBLINS, SPOOKS AND WITCHES

It was an eerie scene in Smith Hall Wednesday night. There appeared creatures from all walks of life and death. They took over the hall 400 strong. In a melee of screams and laughter, eyes widened as the little creatures threw bean bags, darts, sponges and balls to win prizes consisting of candy, donuts, orange drink, apples and popcorn.

They especially marveled as they felt their way through the pitch black darkness of the spook house. Some of the children related incidences of being chased by large, hairy monsters, and of vampires rising from their coffins to pursue them and trap them in a blind alley. Others were so frightened after the experience that they dared not tell of the evils that befell them. For the most part they were all convinced, it definitely was a

spook house.

The height of the hallowed evening came as the winners in the best costume contest were announced. Each of the winners received a \$5 prize. The winners were: for the best girl's costume, Jerri Fleming; the best boy's costume, Greg St. Johns; most original costume, Jenny Cornell, the scariest costume, Steve Hunt; and the cutest costume, November Monty.

Well, that's just a small sampling of what happens on Halloween each year as the St. Johns Chapter of the Jaycees and Jaycettes pool their time and ideas to solicit merchants, organizations and individuals to gather goodies, build games, and supply the manpower to pull off the grandest Halloween party most of these kids will ever have to remember.

I would like to thank all of the good community-minded people who gave donations and products. I would like to give a special thanks to the Clinton County News and the St. Johns Re-

mind for providing the excellent publicity the event received.

I would also like to thank all of the children and the parents who brought their children, for their participation in the fun, and I believe I can speak for any of you who attended when I say thank you, St. Johns Jaycees and Jaycettes for giving your time, your ideas, and your love for your community, by providing a fun-filled, controlled environment for our kids on Halloween Evening.

Sincerely,  
Kenneth M. Kralik

P.S. Anyone between the ages of 18 and 36 who would like to consider belonging to the Jaycees or Jaycettes, and enriching your lives through community involvement, give me a call at 224-2304 days, or 224-4787 evenings. We also have a Jayteen chapter.

### Senior citizen drop-in center

Wednesday, Nov. 7—10 a.m. exercise class; 12:30 nutrition lunch. Gen Drouin Speaker and Kris O'Brien—crafts, Christmas tree skirts and stockings.

Thursday, Nov. 8—12:30 p.m. nutrition lunch; Speaker Bob Paulson on Arthritis and Bowling.

Friday, Nov. 9—10 a.m. exercise class. 12:30 Nutrition lunch; Bingo after lunch.

**Notice—Special**

Saturday, Nov. 10—Pancake lunch 9 a.m. thru lunch. Monday, Nov. 12—New Senior Citizen pot luck with program on "focus" by the Cooperative Extension office 10:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m. with potluck at 12:00 p.m. Bring dish to pass and table service.

Tuesday, Nov. 13—Open 9-5 p.m. Come in and have coffee and conversation; 1-3 p.m. progressive euchre.

# Personality Profile

## Jaycees make it happen

By Sue Kiley  
Editor

### St. Johns

Becoming a Jaycee changed the course of Lee J. VanCamp's life. Through his involvement his wife, Judy has become one of the main forces guiding the St. Johns Jaycees.

Prior to 1975, VanCamp's life consisted of working and sleeping. He had no outside activities except for occasionally doing a little hunting and fishing.

It was Kevin Thelen, a good friend of Lee's who kept bugging him to come to a Jaycee Meeting just to see what the group was all about.

"I went to a meeting just to get him off my back," VanCamp said. "When I joined he didn't bother me anymore."

Before becoming a Jaycee, VanCamp considered himself to be a quiet, almost shy kind of person. Now that image has been changed. He has become more aggressive and thrives on meeting and getting to know people.

"There is something in my life now that wasn't there before," he said. "Sleep has become a luxury."

Judy was basically the same kind of person although her world consisted more of home and family. When Lee J. joined the Jaycees she knew a lot of what was going on through him. The Jaycees was just a name to her.

"I'm not a joiner," she said. "But I did anyway and was the seventh member of the chapter. Now there are 23 Jaycees."

It took Mrs. VanCamp almost a year to get involved with the Jaycees, however. She would go to the meetings but that was about all she would do.

"It wasn't any fun, though never working on any projects," she said.

She did get involved at the end of her first year in the organization. The project was the babysitting clinic. She was unsure of herself and didn't exactly know how to approach the task.

It didn't take long for her to become secretary, then vice president and now president of the Jaycees.

Being a Jaycee means doing good things for the community according to Lee J. His most rewarding moment as a Jaycee was when he was selling Christmas trees (one of his pet projects.) A woman in her mid 60's bought an \$8 Christmas tree and gave him \$20, telling him to keep the change.

"When I found out the rest of the story, it almost brought me to tears," he said. "The year before the Jaycees had provided a Christmas for her son and his family who had been burned out of their home. They probably wouldn't have had Christmas if it hadn't been for us." Continuing he said, "You just can't begin to know what a warm feeling that gives you."

During the four years VanCamp has been involved with the Jaycees he has missed only one program and one meeting.

"Lee J.'s a fanatic," his wife said.

Once he got involved there was no stopping him. Of the 25 to 30 projects the Jaycees do every year, Lee J. is right there on almost all of them. It doesn't matter if it is a Halloween party, an Easter Egg Hunt or the Little League program, you'll find him right in the middle of all the action.

"I get to see kids in their prime," he said with a grin.

Being a Jaycee for Judy has opened up a world filled with friends and a sense of accomplishment.

According to Lee J., who is a past president of the Jaycees, the main objective of the group is to grow as a group so they can grow as individuals.

"We give young men an incentive and a chance to let their anxieties and ambitions go through worthwhile projects," he said.

When it came Judy's turn to tell about the Jaycees, Lee J. was ready with an answer for her too.

Her comment was "You speak for your group and I'll speak for mine," she said good naturedly.

Mrs. VanCamp explained the Jaycees do a lot of projects for the community that nobody really knows about. Most of the money goes back in the community to help kids.

The Jaycees are involved with the Reading is Fundamental program. They initiated the "Buckle Up Babes" program. They have the doll and pet show, sponsor Lunch with Santa, and provide needy people with a Christmas.

"A lot wouldn't get done if we weren't around," Judy said about her 23-member strong group. "I'm doing things you couldn't make me believe I'd be doing three years ago."

The Jaycees and Jaycees are a group of young people who work hard and play hard. And to Lee J. anyone missing the opportunity to be a part of helping the community is robbing themselves of a chance to grow personally.

The VanCamps are the parents of four children: Debbie, eight; Mary, six; Dean, four; and Rickey, two. They reside on Clinton Avenue.

Lee J. and Judy VanCamp are a part of the silent few who know how to get things done for their community. They've come a long way in a few short years, and they're still not tired of giving even more.



Lee J and Judy VanCamp

## Looking ahead

**FALL HARVEST**—First United Methodist Church of St. Johns, 200 State St., will have its annual Fall Harvest Nov. 8 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Lunch served from 11:30-1:30 p.m.

**SQUARE DANCE**—The Maple Twirlers Square Dance Club will have a Turkey in the Straw Dance Friday, Nov. 9 at the middle school gym, Middleton. Guests are welcome to come.

**MARCH OF DIMES**—Mother's March on Birth Defects for the March of Dimes will be Nov. 8-15. If you can march in your neighborhood, please call 224-8549 anytime.

**OPEN HOUSE** An open house will be held Nov. 13 from 6:30-10 p.m. for band director David Kressler, Bath High School. A potluck dinner will start the evening which is to include entertainment by the stage band, a bake sale and bazaar. Bring a main dish and salad or dessert, table service. Bazaar and baked goods can be left at any school office during the day.

**CLINTON COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY** will have its November meeting, Thursday, the 15th at the municipal building in DeWitt at 7:30 p.m. The program will be on "The Road North" and also include slides of the DeWitt area. A board meeting will follow.

**ST. JUDES CHRISTMAS BAZAAR** will be held at 801 N. Bridge St., DeWitt, Saturday, Nov. 17 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. A salad luncheon will start at 10:30 a.m. Baked goods, white elephant sale, arts and crafts, a tasting table, plants, jewelry, dolls, and a drawing will be available.

**BOOK FAIR**—at Eureka Elementary School Nov. 13-15 from 9-3:30 p.m. sponsored by the PTO. The fair will feature children's books for Christmas. Everyone is welcome.

**BIG BOOK FAIR** at Perrin-Palmer Elementary School Gym, Nov. 13, 14 and 15 from 8:30-3:30 p.m. Public is welcome. Books, maps and Hallmark posters will be featured.

**HOLIDAY BAZAAR**—will be held at Hope Lutheran Church, 380 W. Herbison at N. US-27 in DeWitt on Saturday, Nov. 10 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. It will feature an all-day luncheon, crafts, plants, jewelry, gifts, cards, baked goods, candies, attic treasures and a drawing for an afghan.

**SQUARE DANCE**—The DeWitt Merry Mixers square dance club will be dancing Nov. 10 from 8-11 p.m. at the DeWitt Middle School on Herbison Road. Caller is Jim Park and there will also be a guest caller, \$3.50 a couple. All are welcome.

**ST. JOHNS JAYCEES**—Annual arts and crafts show on Nov. 10 from 10-5 at the VFW hall. Lunch will be available.

**ROCK-A-THON**—The Rivard Nursing Home Staff is Having a Rock-A-Thon on Nov. 9 and 10 to raise funds for the new Clinton Area Care Center. The Rock-A-Thon will have rockers going for 48 hours. You can call in your pledges at 224-2985 or 224-4112 or you can see a staff member for your pledges. All size pledges will be great.

**CONTEMPORARY CHRISTIAN CONCERT**—with the Watchmen from Pennsylvania at the St. Johns assembly of God Church located at the corner of Baldwin Street and US-27 on Wednesday, Nov. 14 at 7:30 p.m. Free will offering. The public is invited. For more information call Tom Fowler at 224-6711.

**FISH SUPPER**—A family style fish supper will be served Friday, Nov. 9 by Wacousta Masonic Lodge 359. Serving will be from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. Take out dinners are available at reduced prices. To find Wacousta, go 5 miles west of Airport Road on Grand River Avenue to Wacousta Road. Then, north 2½ miles. They are now in the process of adding off street parking to the west of the Lodge.

**HAPPY HOLIDAYS BAZAAR**—Nov. 9-10 at the Shepardsville Church. There will be food, baked goods, gifts and home decorations. Hours are from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. both days.

**CHRISTMAS BAZAAR**—The women of St. Jude's parish, DeWitt will hold their sixth annual bazaar Saturday, Nov. 17 at the parish hall. Many booths are planned, as well as a raffle for a handmade quilt, Christmas tree skirt, jeweled Christmas tree, and Raggedy Ann and Andy dolls.

**CARD PARTY-STYLE SHOW**—St. Joseph Altar Society Card Party and Style Show will be Nov. 15 at 8 p.m. in St. Joseph School gym. Admission is \$2. There will be door prizes, dessert smorgasbord and the Christo Rey Children's Choir. Theme is "Christmas Across the Border."

**FALL TRADING POST**—Nov. 7-12 at the Elsie American Legion Hall, sponsored by the Woman's Literary Club of Elsie. Proceeds are used in community projects. For sale will be dishes, drapes, bedspreads, toys, furniture, lamps and other miscellaneous items as well as winter clothing.

**LIONS CLUB PAPER DRIVE**—Saturday, Nov. 10. Please bring papers to Superior Insulation Warehouse on Steel Street across from the Stockyards or we will pick up at the curb. Papers must be at the curb by 10 a.m.

**TICKER CLUB**—will meet Tuesday, Nov. 13 at 7:30 p.m. in the Clinton Memorial Hospital conference room. The topic will be holiday recipes. The Ticker Club is an educational, social club for people who have had heart attacks. For more information, call 224-6881, Ext. 293 or 283.

**EXPECTANT PARENT CLASSES**—10 week series will begin Dec. 3. They will be held at Clinton Memorial Hospital from 7:30-9:30 p.m. Call 224-4373 or 224-7237. Enroll now.

**FOWLER JAYCEES**—15th annual celebration on Nov. 10 at 6:30 at Holy Trinity School hall. All past and present Jaycees are invited. Buffet type dinner. One drink furnished with meal. Music by Warren Kimball's band. Only \$15 a couple or \$8 per person. Make reservations before Nov. 1. Contact Tom Moore at 593-3375 or Dale Simon at 587-6973 or any board member.

## Seniors fighting to keep center

By Sharon Randall  
Staff Writer

### St. Johns

They'll do just about anything to raise money, this ambitious group of senior citizens who are fighting to keep the Drop-in Center, here.

While their grant from the Michigan Office of Service to the Aging helps staff the center, providing full-time director Fred Rewerts with a salary, the seniors themselves are responsible for all other costs. That means rent for their building on Clinton Avenue downtown, utilities, (which have them worried with encroaching cold weather) telephone, supplies and materials for their classes. Rewerts said rent on the building is \$400 a month and utilities may be as much as \$200 this winter.

"We've had a lot of good cooperation," senior Maurie Hoffman said. "Organizations have given us donations; people are helpful."

It's a struggle to keep going, however, and the center operates month to month. Their projects are varied but traditional, rummage sales, bake sales and raffles. Right now tickets are available for \$1 on a four-foot wooden windmill, that twirls in the breeze outside the center to attract attention. Other prizes include a re-conditioned radio and speaker and a crocheted doily, cloth.

Saturday, Nov. 10th they'll serve pancakes from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the center. The famous homemade buttermilk griddlecakes have become popular in town and are a popular money raiser for the group.

The center is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. everyday and seniors are invited to drop by for special programs or just to visit. Nutrition meals are served three days a week, hot, well-balanced meals for 50 cents. Hoffman said the nu-

trition meals have become very popular with six to 12 newcomers each week. The sit down dinner is served to as many as 80 seniors each time. "We worked for two years to get this (the center) and we intend to keep it," Hoffman said, indicating that it is for county seniors and not just those from the St. Johns area.

Rewerts said the center is well used. "We get bigger crowds all the time,"

he related, "people drop in for projects, meals, or just to visit and have coffee." This afternoon Christmas tree skirts and stockings were taught in art class.

Special speakers, clinics, counseling, exercise classes, bingo and euchre are all part of the week's schedule. The winter schedule is 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

The next big event will be the third annual Senior Citizen Christmas party.

Held at St. Johns high school in the cafeteria, the affair is slated for Dec. 7 and includes a popular talent show, square and round dancing.

Gail Foerch, in charge of the program, said the seniors are looking for new talent for the Christmas festivities. "We need people who really want to get in and do their thing," he said. "We are looking for some new acts and some new people to perform."



Help the  
Senior  
Center

This spinning windmill welcomes passers-by to the Senior Citizen Center, Clinton Ave., St. Johns and invites them in to buy a chance on a raffle ticket to benefit the center. The lawn ornament, made by Ernie Exelby, will be raffled off with a re-conditioned radio and a lace doily. Museum advocates are Bernice and Maurie Hoffman, Bertha Weber and director Fred Rewerts. (Photo by Sharon Randall)

# Life Styles



Mr and Mrs Donald LePard

## Henning, LePard repeat vows

The Holy Family Church in Ovid was the site of the marriage of Madonna Leona Henning and Donald L. LePard on August 25 during a 2 p.m. ceremony. Father Noeker officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride was escorted down the aisle by her mother and father to an altar decorated with glads and a single rose.

Music for the wedding was provided by Linda Behrens.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Henning, St. Johns and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kostoff and Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. LePard all of Owosso.

The bride's gown was of bridal satin featuring a full skirt, V-neckline with lace trim. Pearl buttons accented the back of the gown which fell into a long train.

She wore a shoulder length veil with matching lace. Her bouquet was made of silk white roses with a red rosary which her grandmother gave

her. Maid of honor was Sue Droste. Attendants was Deb Russell, Lori McGregor, and Ginger Rewerts. Flower girl was Jenny Elliot.

The attendants carried baskets of ivory and blue roses. They wore floor length gowns of ivory trimmed in lace.

The bride's mother wore a floor length gown of pink with a lace jacket. The

groom's mother wore a floor length blue sleeveless gown. They wore corsages of yellow roses with a white rose in the center.

Best man was Brian Good. Groomsmen were Ken Russell, Tony Hoeft and Scott Henning. Ringbearer was Bobby Aymor. Ushers were Randiee and Jerry Rewerts.

A reception for the couple was held at the VFW Hall in St. Johns with 250 guests

attending.

Host and Hostess was Mr. and Mrs. Vince Minarik.

Special guests at the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas LePard of California.

The bride is a 1976 graduate of St. Johns High School and the groom is a 1974 graduate of Ovid-Elsie High School.

They are making their new home in Plainwell.



Alan Cropsy Erika Rumminger

## Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rumminger of Greenville, South Carolina announce the engagement of their daughter, Erika Lynn to Alan Lee Cropsy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Cropsy of 5833 West Howe Road, DeWitt.

The couple graduated from Bob Jones University, Greenville, South Carolina. Erika Rumminger has

recently returned from France where she served for four years as a missionary under Baptist Mid-Missions. Alan Cropsy is a graduate of Cooley Law School and is currently serving his first term in the Michigan House of Representatives.

The South Carolina wedding is set for Nov. 24. A Michigan reception is planned for Dec. 6.

## Clinton marriage licenses

Mark William Heibeck, 18, 2200 E. Taft Rd., St. Johns; Ruthann Ilene Williams, 21, 4247 W. Parks Rd., St. Johns.

Donald Douglas Koenig, 28, 13547 Oak Street, Bath; Rhonda Sue Jensen, 20, 13547 Oak St., Bath. Steven Michael Mijulcik,

31, 264 East Oak Street, Elsie; Lorraine Jozz, 29, 7344 Rockdale, Detroit.

Edward Ray Kentfield, 19, 1357 W. Kinley Rd., St. Johns; Betty Ann Roll, 17, 302 W. Gibbs St., St. Johns.

Gerald Lester Abel, 42, 138 E. Oak, Elsie; Dorothy Gale Liss, 34, 1352 Grayton Rd., Grosse Pointe.

Harold David Smith, 44, Portland Country Club-Divine Hwy, Portland; Gladys Eleanor Klein, 44, 480 Jones Road, Pewamo.

Dale LaVerne Brighton, 25, 3730 N. East St., Lot 46, Lansing; Beverly June Schoonover, 27, 3730 N. East St. Lot 46, Lansing.

# Grittith, Love exchange double ring vows

Rev. Brian Sheen presided over the wedding vows of Katherine Lynn Griffith and John Robert Love on Sept. 22 during a 5 p.m. double ring ceremony at Pilgrim United Methodist Church.

The bride was escorted down the aisle by her parents to an altar decorated with white carnations, white and blue daisies and baby's breath.

Organist was Eleanor

Williams. Guitarist and soloist was Shirley Williams who sang the "Wedding Song" and "Today."

The couple graduated from St. Johns High School in 1976.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Griffith and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Love all of St. Johns.

For her wedding the bride chose a gown of nylon organza with a point-d'esprit

lace ruffle around the bodice and also at the bottom of the gown leading into a cathedral train. A wide satin ribbon was tied at the back of the waist and was accented in front with applique lace flowers. A point-d'esprit lace shawl was worn over the shoulders. A fingertip veil trimmed with venice lace completed the ensemble.

The bride carried a bouquet of white roses,

daisies, little blue accent flowers, and baby's breath trimmed in white ribbon.

Maid of honor was Janie Hinton. Bridesmaids were Cheryl (Stockenauer) Rees and Mary Kay Tuckfield.

Flowergirl was Caroline Bauer.

The maid of honor wore a royal blue full-length wrap-around gown with matching cape gathered at the left shoulder. The bridesmaids

wore identical gowns of baby blue. The attendants wore white wide-brimmed hats. They carried small bouquets of white daisies, baby's breath and blue accent flowers.

The mother of the bride wore a powder blue floor length dress trimmed in coarse lace at the neck with a long coarse lace coat. Her corsage of cream color roses and blue carnations were trimmed in baby's breath and satin ribbon.

The mother of the groom wore a gown of nylon, knit in a deep rose color. It was fashioned with a stand-up collar, U-neck and long sleeves. She wore a corsage of cream color roses and dusty rose colored carnations.

Best man was Kevin Smith. Groomsmen were Keith Love, and Richard Williams. Ushers were Jim Griffith and Brian Williams. Ringbearer was Andy Love.

The reception for the couple was held at Smith Hall with about 250 guests attending.

Those serving at the reception were Brenda Bauer Teri Ososki, Cheri and Peggy Carroll and Nancy Thelen.

Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Griffith and Mrs. Wilma Clark grandparents of the couple.

The couple took a wedding trip to Canada and Niagara Falls and to New Berlin for the World Class Motocross races.

The newlyweds are making their home in St. Johns.

## Births

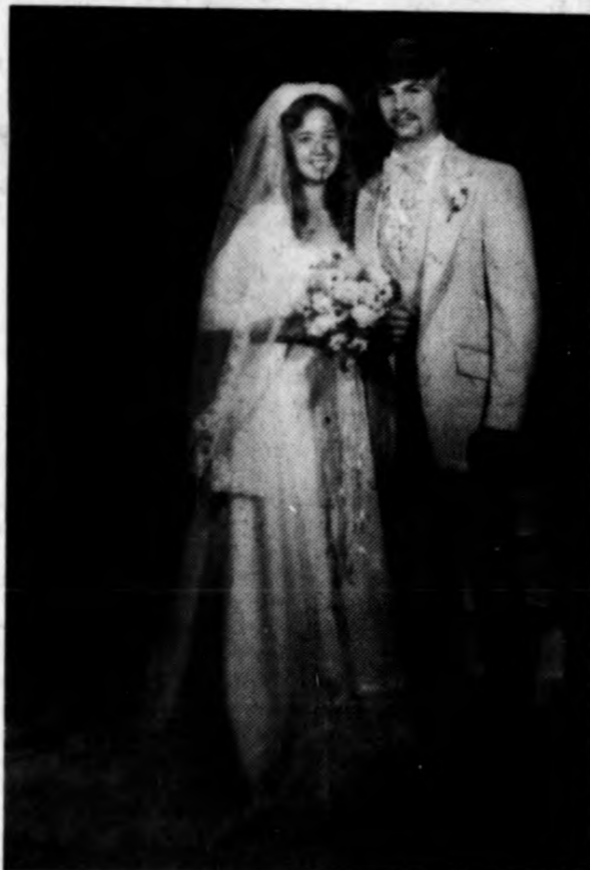
A boy, Todd Michael, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Dudash of 8044 N. Carland Rd., Elsie October 23, 1979 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7lbs. 4oz. The baby has one sister. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Dudash, Elsie, Duane Beeman of Ovid and Susan Hagy of St. Johns. The mother is the former Bonna Moseley.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean S. DeFeyer, Lansing, became the parents of a daughter Shuree Ann on Oct. 26 at Sparrow Hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. Daryl R. Melvin of Grand Rapids, are the proud parents of a baby boy, Ross Richard, born October 21 at Blodgett Hospital. The infant weighed 6 lbs. 7 oz. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lunsford Melvin of Elsie and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hall of Ovid.

Jean and Scott McIntyre, Haslett, became the parents of a son Joel Duncan on Oct. 23 at Sparrow Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne C. Brown, Portland, became the parents of a son Jason Wayne at Sparrow Hospital.



Mr and Mrs John Love

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# Double ring rite unites Divish, Fox



Mr and Mrs Linus Fox

Double ring vows united Sandra Marie Divish and Linus Paul Fox on Sept. 22 during a 1 p.m. ceremony at St. Joseph Catholic Church in St. Johns. The bride approached the altar decorated with glads and mums with her father. Father Louis Martin officiated at the wedding.

Organist was Jackie Schneider. Commentator was Pat Chapko. Guitarist and soloist was Buddie Throckmorton.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Divish, St. Johns and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fox, St. Johns.

For her wedding the bride

chose a princess style gown with a high lace neckline. The gown was made of nylon taffeta with appliques and seed pearls with a lace bodice and long train.

She wore a fingertip veil with a Juliet cap with seed pearls and lace. She carried a cascade bouquet of white roses and carnations trimmed in apricot.

Matron of honor was Carolyn Throckmorton. Attendants were Deb Telling, Laurie Drumheller, Janet Mitchell, and Janette Miller.

The matron of honor wore a floor length rust colored gown with a picture hat. The other attendants wore similar gowns in apricot.

The bride's mother wore an apricot floor length gown with long sleeves. The

groom's mother wore a floor length mint green jacket dress.

Best man was Pat Fox, brother of the groom. Groomsmen were Larry Eiseler, Dave Motz, Doug Thoma and Charlie Divish. Ushers were Louis Chapko and Mark Drumheller.

A reception for the couple were held at St. Joseph gym with 400 guests attending.

Those serving at the reception were Julie Fox, Paula and Kathy Casnovsky, April Divish and Kathy and Chriss Chapko.

Hosts and hostesses were Mr. and Mrs. Steve Chapko and Mr. and Mrs. James Fox.

The couple took a wedding trip to northern Michigan and are making their home in Ovid.



Brian McKean Kim Howe

## Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Richard P. Howe, 8160 US-27, DeWitt announce the engagement of their daughter Kim Lorraine to Brian P. McKean, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley McKean of Fowler.

Kim is a 1975 graduate of St. Johns High School and is

employed by Howe's Greenhouse.

The prospective bridegroom is a 1974 graduate of Fowler High School and is employed by Ken Grieb Builders, Inc.

An April 19 wedding is being planned.

## Couple wed

Marriage vows of Catherine Judith DeSmith and Robert Lee Duke, Jr. were repeated before an altar of yellow mums at St. Therese Church in Lansing on Oct. 26. The 6 p.m. double ring ceremony was performed by Father Dennis Spitzley.

Music was sung and played by Tony Brink.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Julian DeSmith, Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Duke, Sr., Plymouth.

The bride is a 1974 graduate of DeWitt High School and the Groom is a 1971 graduate of Englewood High School in Colorado.

The bride was escorted down the aisle by her father. She chose an ivory satin floor length gown with long sleeves, lace cuffs, standup collar, high waistline, shaped hemline train and ruffle.

She wore a waist length veil with a lace and pearl headpiece. She carried silk

flowers of tan mums, statice, and orange sweetheart roses trimmed in yellow ribbon.

Maid of honor was Collette DeSmith. Attendants were Monique DeSmith and Mary Jeannine Gomez.

The attendants wore satin faced crepe gowns in rust, melon and yellow colors.

They carried roses trimmed in ivory ribbon.

The bride's mother wore a dusty rose color dress with a printed jacket. The groom's mother wore an aqua dress. Both mothers wore corsages of white carnations and yellow, sweetheart roses.

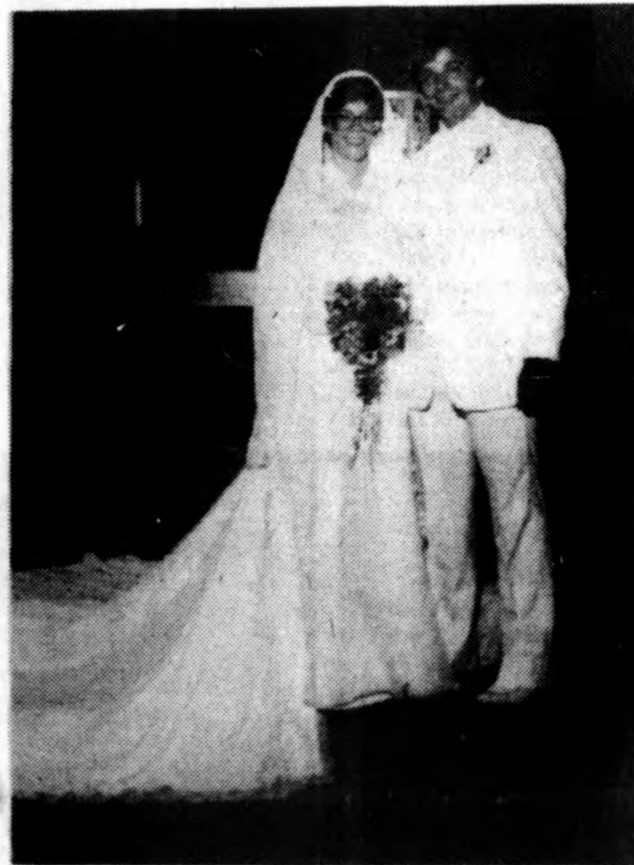
Best man was Steve Duke. Groomsmen were Paul DeSmith and Joe Duke. Ushers were Greg DeSmith and Dan Gomez.

A reception for the couple was held at St. Therese Hall.

Special guest of honor was Mrs. Pearl Hooper the groom's grandmother.

The couple is making their home in Lansing.

# VanBuren, Thelen wed



Mr and Mrs Steven Thelen

Beth Ann VanBuren became the bride of Steven Kenneth Thelen Sept. 1 at St. Joseph Catholic Church during a 1 p.m. double ring ceremony. Father Louis Martin officiated at the ceremony.

The bride was escorted down the aisle by her father. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. George VanBuren of DeWitt and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Thelen of St. Johns.

Dave Wiseman played the "Theme from Romeo and Juliet", "The Wedding Song" and "Ave Maria" for the wedding.

For her wedding the bride chose a floor length gown of chiffon over taffeta. The gown featured a high neck with a blouson top and cathedral length train. She wore a fingertip veil of chiffon with a lace headpiece.

She carried silk lilies and daisies in colors of mauve and lavender with eucalyptus and baby's breath.

Maid of honor was Terrie Dagget. Bridesmaids were Jennifer Harrison, Stephanie Alward, Ruth Kelley, and Deborah Thelen.

waist length white sleeveless jackets with a small ruffle. They wore daisies in their hair.

The bride's mother wore a floor length pale jade color dress of chiffon over taffeta. The groom's mother wore a floor length gown of baby blue of chiffon over taffeta. Both mothers wore corsages of silk roses to match the color of their dresses.

Best man was Kenneth Thelen. Groomsmen were David Daniel and Donald Thelen and Scot VanBuren. Ushers were Dennis Spitzley and Kurt and Mark VanBuren.

A reception for the couple was held at Highland Hills Country Club with 150 guests attending.

Serving at the reception were Carol and Lois Thelen. Special guests were Mrs. Elsie Brosn, Mrs. Theresa Thelen and Mr. and Mrs. George VanBuren.

The bride is a 1976 graduate of St. Johns High School and a 1978 graduate of Lansing Community College. The groom is a 1976 graduate of Fowler High School.

The couple took a wedding trip to New York and Canada.

The couple is making their new home in Grand Lodge.

## Birth

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Couling, Mason, became the parents of a son, Matthew Neil on Oct. 23 at Sparrow Hospital.

Leah Anne Derry became the bride of Terry Lee Horn on Oct. 6 during a 3 p.m. wedding ceremony at the

bride's parents home in Grand Lodge.

Attendants were Judy Bloomer and Loren Derry.

For her wedding the bride chose a beige gown with a satin camisole bodice and chiffon overblouse and skirt. She wore a double strand of pearls and carried a long stemmed red rose trimmed in baby's breath.

Ms. Bloomer sang and played the "Wedding Song" on the guitar.

The couple took a wedding trip to the Upper Peninsula and Canada.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Derry and Milton Horn and Jackie Marr.

Special guests attending the wedding and reception held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Derry were; Howard and Elizabeth Parrish, Merlin and Ruth Horn, Raymond and Helen DeBaun, Don and Ruth Dickinson and Teri DeMyers.

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# Derry, Horn exchange wedding vows



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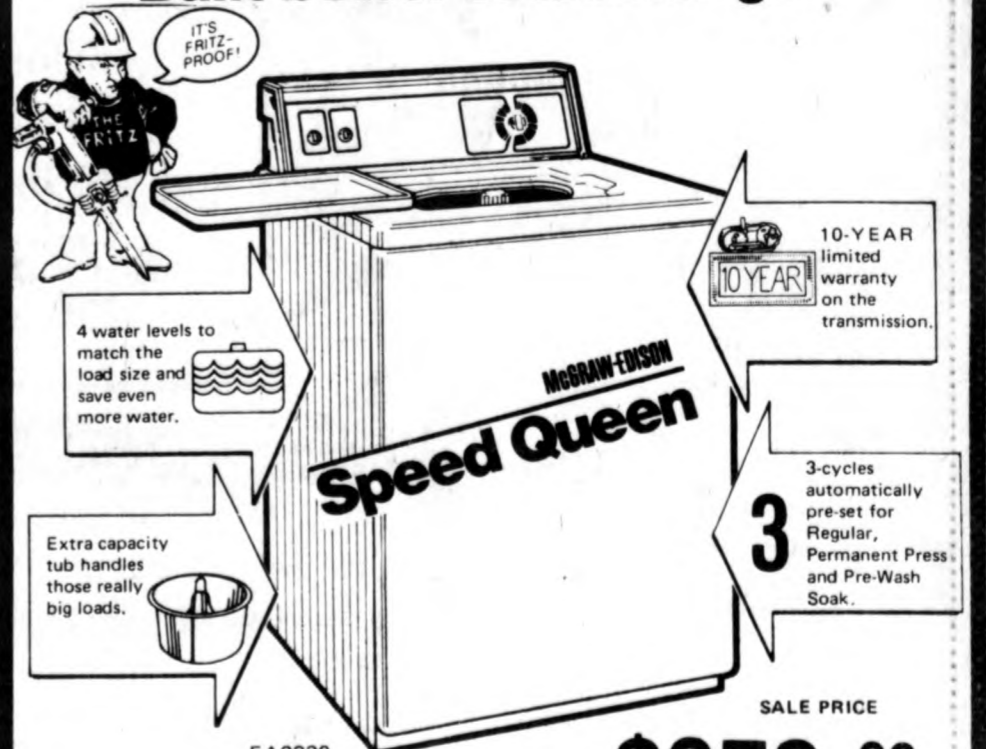
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# 4-H spotlight

By Diane Otton  
4-H Youth Program  
Assistant

## SUPER SECRETARIES BECOME SUPER 4-H LEADERS

In our office 4-H must really be catching or at least it was for two of our secretaries. Because recently (one month ago) Kathy Love, and Pam Zell decided to organize their own 4-H Club. Today, one month later, Pam and Kathy are co-organizational leaders of "K.P.'s DUTIES" (Maybe this will start a trend???)

At any rate, the object of Spotlight is to tell you about the 4-H leaders that we rely on so heavily, so here goes. Mrs. Kathy Love, who if you haven't been in our office recently was Kathy Griffith, married John Love a little over one month ago. The couple now reside on Grove Road.

Kathy has been a secretary and receptionist in the

Extension office for a year and a half. Since that time she has learned just about everything that she would need to know about 4-H. Her husband, John is employed at Bee's Chevrolet as a mechanic.

Kathy's hobbies are the projects she chose to lead in her club. She enjoys needlepoint, which she learned from her grandmother, crafts, and crocheting. In addition Kathy joins her husband in motocross races during the summer. She watches—he rides. They also go to Pilgrim Methodist Church.

The other organizational leader of K.P.'s Duties is Pam Zell. Pam, her husband, Mark and their two children, Angie 5, and Mike 8, live on M-21, east of St. Johns.

Pam, too is a secretary at the Extension office, and has been on staff since April. Pam says the reasons that they decided to have a club, was they thought it would be

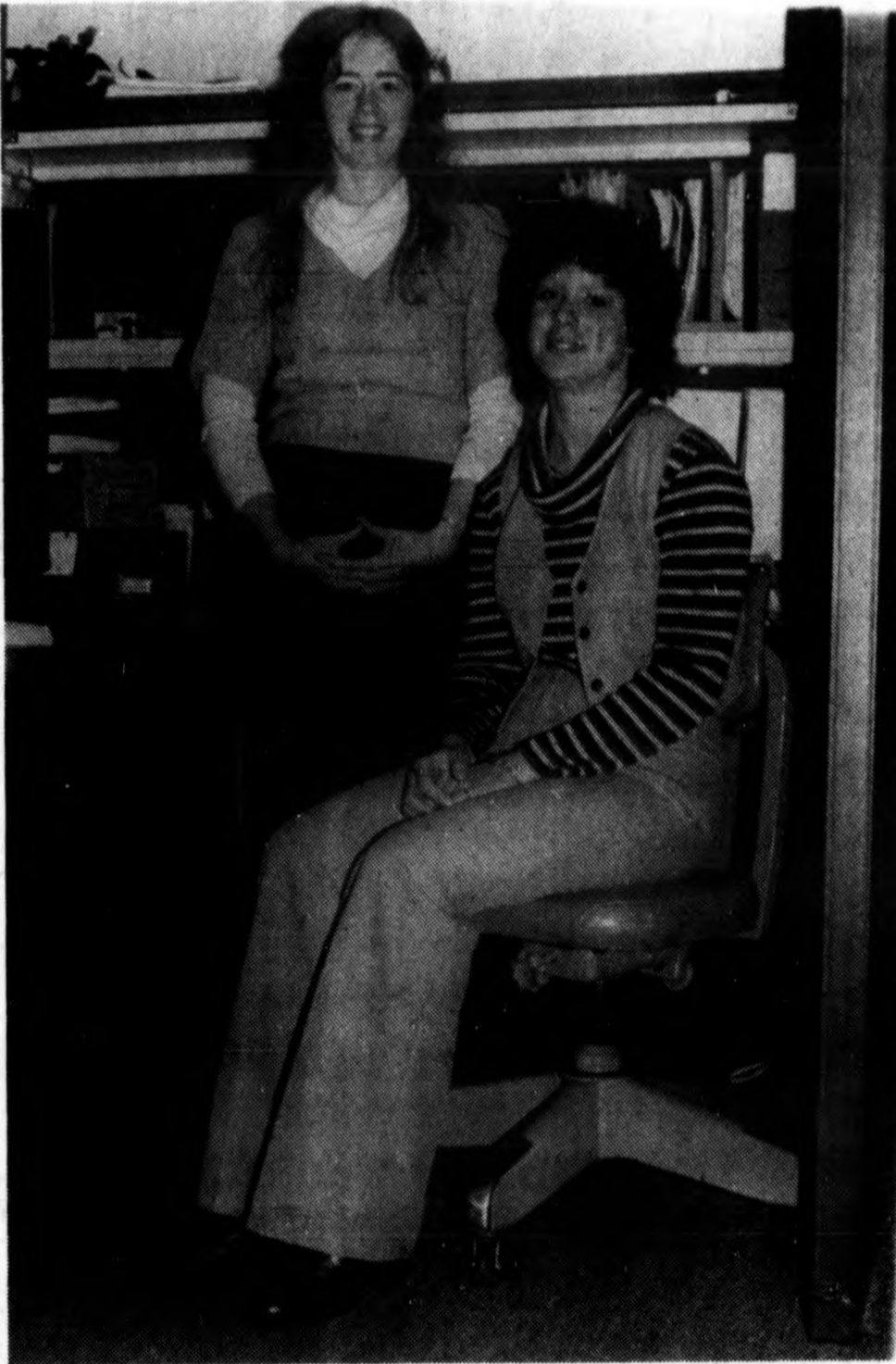
fun and they wanted to be more involved.

Pam and her family are involved in many other activities besides 4-H. Their family belongs to the Lutheran church. They also enjoy sports activities, playing softball in the summer and volleyball in the winter. Pam keeps herself active in the adult enrichment classes at the high school, too.

Pam says that Angie and Mike are looking forward to joining 4-H and already enjoy participating in the classes. Their mother expects to lead crafts, sewing, crocheting, quilting and sewing in their club.

K.P.'s Duties meet every other Wednesday during the month and work on their projects at the meeting. Right now they have five girls in the club, but would like a few more. Other plans for the club include roller skating and perhaps Bob-Lo.

Congratulations to both these new 4-H leaders and good luck in their new adventures in 4-H.



Familiar faces at the Clinton County Cooperative Extension office are Kathy (Griffith) Love and Pam Zell (seated). (Photo by Patrice Hornak)

# Program to look at retirement

## Clinton County

Clinton County Cooperative Extension Service is sponsoring a "Focus on Retirement" program Nov. 12. It will be held at the Clinton County Senior Citizen Drop-In-Center at 318 N. Clinton Ave., St. Johns from 10 a.m. through 2:30 p.m.

The public is cordially invited to participate and there is no admission charge. Packets of educational information will be available for all participants.

Ellen Sullivan, coordinator of the Lansing Community College Center for Aging Education will open the program with "Perspectives on Retirement."

Local services available to Clinton County senior citizens will be outlined by Brenda Hamilton from the Clinton County Senior Citizen office. Debra Brunger from the Eaton County Senior Citizen Office, will offer "Options in Retirement Housing" with a review of senior citizen housing alternatives in the tri-county area.

A highlight of the event will be a panel of senior citizens sharing their thoughts on retirement.

A potluck luncheon will be held at noon for those who wish to participate. Each person is asked to bring a dish to pass and his or her table service.

## Extension calendar

- Nov. 9 Enrollments deadline for 4-H
- Nov. 10 Youth Council Dance, 8:30-11:30, Smith Hall
- Nov. 9-10 Horse Leaders Conference-Kettunen Center
- Nov. 12 Fair Association meeting, 8 p.m., Smith Hall
- Nov. 12 Focus on Retirement 10-2:30 p.m. Clinton Senior Citizen Drop-In Center, St. Johns
- Nov. 13 Fall Leadership Seminar, Rodney B. Wilson Jr. High School 7:30 p.m.
- Nov. 15 Goat Developmental Committee, 7:30 p.m. Extension conference room
- Nov. 15 Roller skating
- Nov. 16 Exchange trip, Branch County
- Nov. 17 Horse Judging Workshop, MSU
- Nov. 15-18 Toronto trip
- Nov. 19 4-H Council meeting
- Nov. 20 Clowns, Smith Hall, 7 p.m.
- Nov. 26 New leader orientation, Extension conference room, 7:30 p.m.
- Nov. 28 Livestock Advisory Board, 7:30, Extension office
- Nov. 30 Crafts Workshop #2, Kettunen Center, Nov. 30-Dec. 2.

# MSU offers seminar on historical museums

The Michigan Historical Commission and the Michigan History Division of the Michigan Department of

State will host the "Second Annual Commission Day Seminar", Friday, Nov. 16 at Kellogg Center, Michigan State University.

This year's theme is "The Local Historical Museum in Michigan, Planning, Funding, and the Future." Sessions include topics on museums operations, home tours, grant writing. Catherine Rumbaugh has additional information if you are interested. The deadline to register is Nov. 9. The \$11 fee includes lunch.

To register call Kellogg Center at MSU or send \$11 and your name, address and phone number to: Continuing Education Service, The Kellogg Center, MSU, East Lansing.

# ASCS will provide aerial transparencies

For the first time ever, aerial transparencies are available to landowners and operators through their local county ASCS office for \$1.

These transparencies are 35 millimeter slides taken last summer over most of the lower peninsula, except for Wayne, Crawford, Roscommon and a portion of Monroe

county. Each transparency covers one square mile and by projecting a slide on a screen, each field and its present land use can be easily identified.

Slides were taken this past summer to establish wheat and feed grain acreages on farms participating in the 1979-Aside Program.

# Ticker Club to exchange special holiday recipes

Members of the Clinton Memorial Hospital Ticker Club are urged to bring to their November meeting any low-sodium, low-fat holiday recipes they could share with other members.

Joanne McNamara, certified dietetic assistant at

Clinton Memorial, will be on hand to discuss the "do's and don'ts" of holiday menus.

Ticker Club will meet in the hospital conference room Nov. 13 at 7:30 p.m.

The Ticker Club is an educational, social club for

people who have had heart attacks. Family members are invited to participate. There are no dues and membership is not limited to patients treated at Clinton Memorial Hospital. For more information, call 224-6881, Ext. 193 or 283.

# Immunizations clinic set

The St. Johns area community public clinic will be held at the Congregational Church basement on State Street (M-21)

across from the courthouse, on Thursday, Nov. 8.

Immunizations will be available from 9-11 a.m.

and blood pressure screening from 1-2 p.m. For more information call the Mid-Michigan Health Department at 224-7772.

# Club news

## Fowler Fireballs

The meeting was called to order by our President. The pledges were said the treasurers and the secretary reports were read. New business discuss, election were made. Pat Feldpausch is the new President, Peggy Thelen is the secretary, Steve Mosher was elected Vice President. Sindy Schnieder, treasurer; and news-reporter is Geraldine Thelen.

Dues will be a \$1.00 summer and winter. October

## Completes course

East Lansing Bernard Zeeb, D.V.M., of 13020 S. US-27, DeWitt, recently completed a continuing education course entitled "Small Animal Internal Medicine" at Michigan State University's College of Veterinary Medicine.

This endeavor earned 0.6 continuing education units for Zeeb, who works at Zeeb Animal Hospital DeWitt.

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events will be a hayride at Gerald Thelen's place. The club will have its own Spring Achievement around April.

Date of next meeting is Nov. 30, place is not settled as of yet. Time is 7:30. News reporter Geraldine Thelen.

## KP Duties

The first meeting of the K.P. Duties was Oct. 17 at 7 p.m. at the home of Pam

Zell, 2733 East M-21, St. Johns. Business taken care of was the naming of the club, election of officers, project decisions and filling out enrollment cards.

Elected officers were Becky Rogers, president; Wendy Brasington, vice president; Shelly Brasington, news reporter.

They decided to work with art foam for their first project and then on to sewing. It was also discussed to go roller

skating. Tentative date is Dec. 13. Other projects they are interested in is sand art, cooking, rug hooking, needlepoint and sewing. They also decided to memorize the pledges of 4-H.

## Dallas Dusters

Their first meeting of the school year was Oct. 21, with 20 members present. A

community service project was discussed, plus a field trip and Christmas party. Roller skating for the club is set for Nov. 15.

New officers for the 1979-80 year are: president, Kevin Thelen; vice president, Tammy Thelen; secretary, Jeff Koenigsnecht; and treasurer, Jill Plowman.

Everyone enjoyed the hayride, hot dog roast, and athletic activities which followed.



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# Clinton County Sports

## EAGLES DEFEAT PORTLAND

# Fowler makes Class D grid playoffs

By Mark Haney  
Sports Writer

### Portland

One champ was going to end up loser Friday when Central Michigan Athletic Conference winner Fowler met Tri-Central Athletic Association champion Portland at Portland.

Fowler gave and gave Friday, but took the win via a 24-22 game with the Class C school.

"Our kids just played super," Fowler Coach

Steve Spicer said, "especially when we got down 22-8 in the third quarter." The win extended the season for 9-0 Fowler, as the Eagles advance to the Class D playoffs Saturday at 1:30 p.m. at St. Johns High.

The Eagles will face an equally undefeated Gobles team that hasn't been scored on since the first game of the season.

"It has been one of my goals to make the playoffs," Spicer said, "now we have done it, we'll have to see what we can do."

The key may be defense. "I think the biggest thing for us is to see if we can play offense against such a good defense."

Fowler's defense will have to contend with an offense that has been racking up over 30 points per game, leading the Gobles attack is running back Jim Dietrick, who has scored 21 touchdowns and gained over 1,400 yards this year.

"They do a lot of different things on offense," Spicer said, "we will have to be

ready."

The Eagles were ready Friday as they forged their second come-from-behind victory.

The tide really didn't turn until the fourth quarter when Fowler stopped Portland with a Tom Weber interception at the Eagle five. Then the Fowler offense forged a 95-yard drive to set up the two-yard scoring run by junior halfback Weber, who gained 96 yards on the night.

Senior quarterback Neil

Hufnagel then hit senior halfback Doug Koenigs-knecht with the conversion pass for the winning points, the third time the two had clicked for the conversion in the game.

"It was quite a football game," Spicer said. And it wasn't over as the Eagles then had to hold off Portland again. The home team drove to the 35 of Fowler before the defense

stiffened and took over on downs.

Fowler, however, opened the scoring with a 71-yard drive capped by a one-yard sneak by Hufnagel and the first of the three conversion passes.

Portland took the kickoff for a score with halfback Scott Blandy going over from three yards out. And with 12 seconds left in the half senior quarterback Troy Click, who hit senior end

Scott Kissane with the first conversion, found sophomore back Bob Goodman open in the end zone for a 15-yard scoring pass. With Click's kick, the Red Raiders went up 15-8 at intermission.

Click engineered a drive off the second half kickoff, scored on a three-yard run and kicked the extra point as Portland assumed its 22-8 margin.

Fowler managed to come-back, taking the kickoff

79 yards for a three-yard run by Koenigs-knecht.

"The kids showed a lot of heart," Spicer said.

Senior fullback Dave Wieber led the Eagles, gaining 150 yards in 16 rushes and making 18 tackles from his linebacker spot. Senior safety Terry Thelen made 11 tackles while defensive backs Lloyd Feldpausch and Koenigs-knecht made 10.



### Defense

Fowler High defensive back Doug Koenigs-knecht (10) chases after Portland High's Ernie Rodriguez (34) during Friday's game at Portland. Fowler managed a 24-22 win and gained a berth in Saturday's Class D playoffs in St. Johns. (Photo by Joe Wieber)

# Final quarter rally gets Fulton final triumph

By Mark Haney  
Sports Writer

### Charlotte

It really is hard to bounce back when you are down, but the Fulton High football team has been doing it all season.

Friday was no exception as Fulton, with a last-minute drive, toppled class B host Charlotte, 26-20 in a battle between the Central Michigan Athletic Conference and Capitol Circuit runners-up.

"I think it is our biggest win of the season," Fulton Coach John Wachsmuth said, "because I think the odds were against us. We were decided underdogs going in, but no one told my kids that."

And if someone had, it wouldn't have mattered because Fulton, after a 1-3 start and the loss of 10 players, took a 16-man team and forged a five-game winning streak including a school-record

four-game shutout streak to finish 6-3.

"I'll tell you these kids I have now really had to suck it up all year," Wachsmuth said.

"I'll tell what is really satisfying for me and that is the kids," he added. "That team that played out there Friday really is undefeated."

And they would have been unscored on until Charlotte marched 53 yards on its first possession, setting up a 14-yard run by halfback Steve Barnett.

Except for Rod Betts' conversion kick, Fulton matched Charlotte's core with the 13-yard run by sophomore fullback Wayne Bond, who amassed 195 yards in 36 carries. His run capped a 55-yard Pirate drive.

The Pirates took the lead early in the second quarter when senior halfback Jeff McVannel scored on a one yard plunge, but Charlotte countered with a one-yard run by Barnett and Betts' kick for a 14-12 edge at

intermission.

McVannel scored again on a one-yard run in the third quarter, part of a 37-yard game for him, but Charlotte matched it with a 27-yard scoring run by Barnett, who gained 191 yards in 32 carries.

"I expected it would be a close game," Wachsmuth said. "I really didn't expect we'd blow them out, not at all. They had a good size and speed and defensively this Barnett was very hard to stop."

Fulton's final drive started auspiciously, with a five-yard penalty on first down at the 20. But the Pirates made their way the 85 yards towards the score, thanks to three fourth down conversions. Bond took the ball on the 85th yard. Then junior quarterback Scott Winsor, who hit on six of 14 passes for 79 yards, hit senior end Pat Bird for the

conversion.

Though the offense racked up 242 yards rushing to Charlotte's 212, Fulton's defense strutted its stuff too, with linebacker McVannel making 13 tackles, sending him into the Fulton record book via a 108 tackle season. Lineman Steve Beals and linebacker Bond each made 10 tackles while defensive backs Mark LaLone and Don Ruff grabbed interceptions.

Wachsmuth said he knew this season was possible.

"I guess if I had to recap in the first half of the season was frustrating and the second half was satisfying," he said.

"You'd probably say it is easy to say it now, but I knew this team could do it," he said. "I really did. I thought that once we got our footing we could do it. I knew it was there, it just needed time."

# St. Johns rolls past Comets

By Mark Haney  
Sports Writer

### Grandledge

It was a season of almost for St. Johns.

With its 17-7 win over Grand Ledge Friday, the Redwings of Joe Gonzales finished with an almost perfect 8-1 season, nearly made the playoffs with 87

points and just missed a Mid-Michigan B Conference title.

But the 8-1 finish tied Gonzales' best record ever in six years.

"That is pretty good," Gonzales said, "especially when you look at who we played this year. It has been a good season."

The victory over Class A Grand Ledge also put the Redwings in seventh

place in Class B's regional three, behind Lumen Christi's 101.3 points and Holt's 97.7 points.

The win over Grand Ledge was especially satisfying because the Redwings won last year 20-7 over the Class A school.

"It is a really big victory for St. Johns," Gonzales said, "and any time we beat Grand Ledge twice in a row, it is special."

The Redwings managed 340 yards of total offense in Friday's game, double Grand Ledge's 165. The Redwings also capitalized on eight Grand Ledge miscues five interceptions and three fumbles.

The Redwings opened the scoring early in the first quarter after Gary Campbell intercepted a Grand Ledge pass on the

game's first play. St. Johns then marched 51 yards in seven plays with senior quarterback Todd Bakita slipping over from a yard; out.

The other 50 yards of the drive, however, came on the legs of senior swingback Bob Sutherland, who capped a four-year career with a 149-yard rushing performance Friday, giving him 809 yards rushing, nine touch-

downs and 122 yards in pass reception.

"He had a tremendous game," Gonzales said, "and has had a good season. He has been one of the better backs we have had here. I'll tell you that."

Bakita, however, took care of most of the scoring Friday as he engineered a 21-yard drive in the second quarter, following a Bruce Fedewa pass interception, to put St. Johns ahead 14-0. The score came on a 25-yard pass from Bakita to junior end Doug Sleep.

The shutout, however, eluded St. Johns grasp when Grand Ledge took four plays after the kickoff to go 64 yards, the score coming on a 34-yard run by halfback Eric Jackson, who replaced, injured star Kirk Catey.

The Redwings iced the win in the final stanza when senior tackle Calvin Rice scooped up a Comet fumble and set up his own 34-yard field goal. Earlier he had missed on a 41-yard attempt.

As on offense, Sutherland led the defense with eight tackles plus one assist, while Fedewa made five with three assists from his safety spot.

"The defense has gotten progressively better each game," Gonzales said. "And that is a credit to Coach Bob Tissot. He takes care of the defense."

"The offense," he added, "if you stop and look at it, really hasn't been stopped this season, although Chesaning did stop us."

And only Chesaning stopped the Redwings from the perfect season, though St. Johns did mark its fourth winning year under Gonzales.

## On The Mark

by Mark Haney



It has a lot of names—desire, spunk, guts, heart, tough, among others—but it shows itself only now and again during any season.

This football season, for the most part concluded, has given the Clinton County football fan more than the usual number of glimpses of "it."

Fowler, for one, showed a lot of "it" Friday in coming back against tough Portland. The Eagles of Steve Spicer were and are hurting, but somewhere they came up with enough of "it" to overcome the pain and defeat Portland.

Fulton too has shown a lion's share of "it." The Pirates have suffered numerous losses. They lost their first two games. They lost players, stars and otherwise, yet Fulton still came away with a 6-3 season and second place in the Central Michigan Athletic Conference, the league won by Fowler.

Early on Bath showed some too, taking on much larger schools with much larger teams and giving them a licking. But "it" couldn't save the Bees from some of the Ingham County League's tougher teams.

Ovid-Elsie showed some of "it" too. The Marauders were outmanned in nearly every game and outgunned in others, but they always battled back. And Friday they got their reward, the first winning season since 1972.

The Marauders were especially unique in how they took Friday's win over Ithaca.

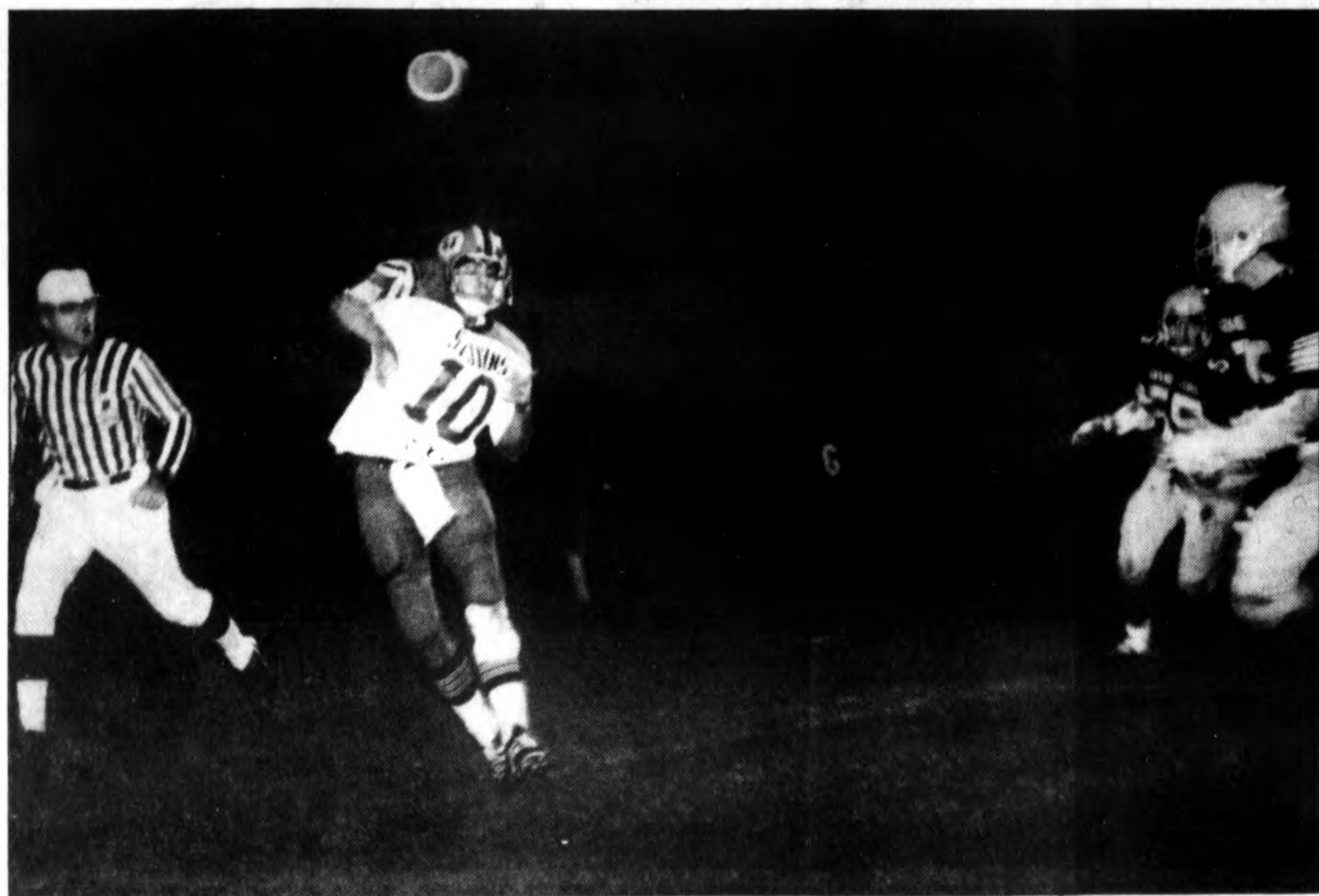
They rejoiced, they openly hugged each other, they thanked each other, congratulated each other and generally had what would be considered a party on the sidelines. I have never seen such an outpouring of joy at any athletic event in the last 10 years.

Yet it took a lot of "it" for the Marauders to get by. All of the teams suffered hardships or were cast as decided underdogs throughout the past season.

Each needed that something extra "it" brings. For most, however, that extra effort, the extra work also was connected with a nearly instant reward. Each team came up with winning seasons that wouldn't have been possible without "it."

And now they all can sit back and enjoy the accolades that are the just desserts for such accomplishments.

P.S. As a postscript, however, I would like to note that I had intended to write about girls' basketball this week since that season, too, is progressing towards its finish. But after Friday's football games, the efforts involved were too outstanding to ignore. Sorry girls, we'll get back to you next week, unless...



### Let it fly

Ducking the oncoming rush, St. Johns quarterback Todd Bakita (10) lets a pass fly during Friday's season finale at Grand Ledge. The Redwings topped the host team, 17-7. (Photo by Tony Archambeau)

# Ovid-Elsie gets final football victory

By Mark Haney  
Sports Writer

## Ovid

It's first winning season since 1972 wasn't going to elude Ovid-Elsie High's football team Friday, as the Marauders mauled hapless Ithaca for a 34-0 shutout in the season finale.

The host Marauders limited Ithaca to just 27 yards rushing and only 19 passing.

"You really hate to see the end of the season come," Marauder Coach Russ Pope said, "especially since we came on during the year."

Ovid-Elsie's fifth win in the nine-game season could have been more lopsided since a touchdown run by senior fullback Jeff Winans and a touchdown pass from junior quarterback Rick Winkler to senior halfback Kurt Tullar both were cancelled by first quarter penalties.

When the Marauders finally did get on the scoreboard it was without starting field leader Winkler. Injured on third down, he was

replaced by junior Doug Thering, who carried the ball not just the six yards for a first down but, also the 18 yards for Ovid-Elsie's score.

"While I was out on the field helping Winkler off, I had some words for my offensive linemen" Pope said, "and it must have worked because we counted six Ithaca players knocked down on the play. Thering could almost have walked into the end zone."

Thering helped the Marauders take a 14-0 lead at halftime when he hit senior fullback Chris Canfield with a 41-yard pass to cap a 64-yard drive.

The defense, which was led by junior Dean Bendt and Ryan Ackles with 17 tackles each, nearly scored the third Marauder touchdown, when Ackles intercepted a Donn Droste pass and carried it 35 yards to the one. From there Tullar crashed over for the score.

Then the reserves took over with junior halfback Brad Brynes scoring on a 12-yard run at the start of the period and junior Kip Coleman getting the last touchdown on a 35-yard

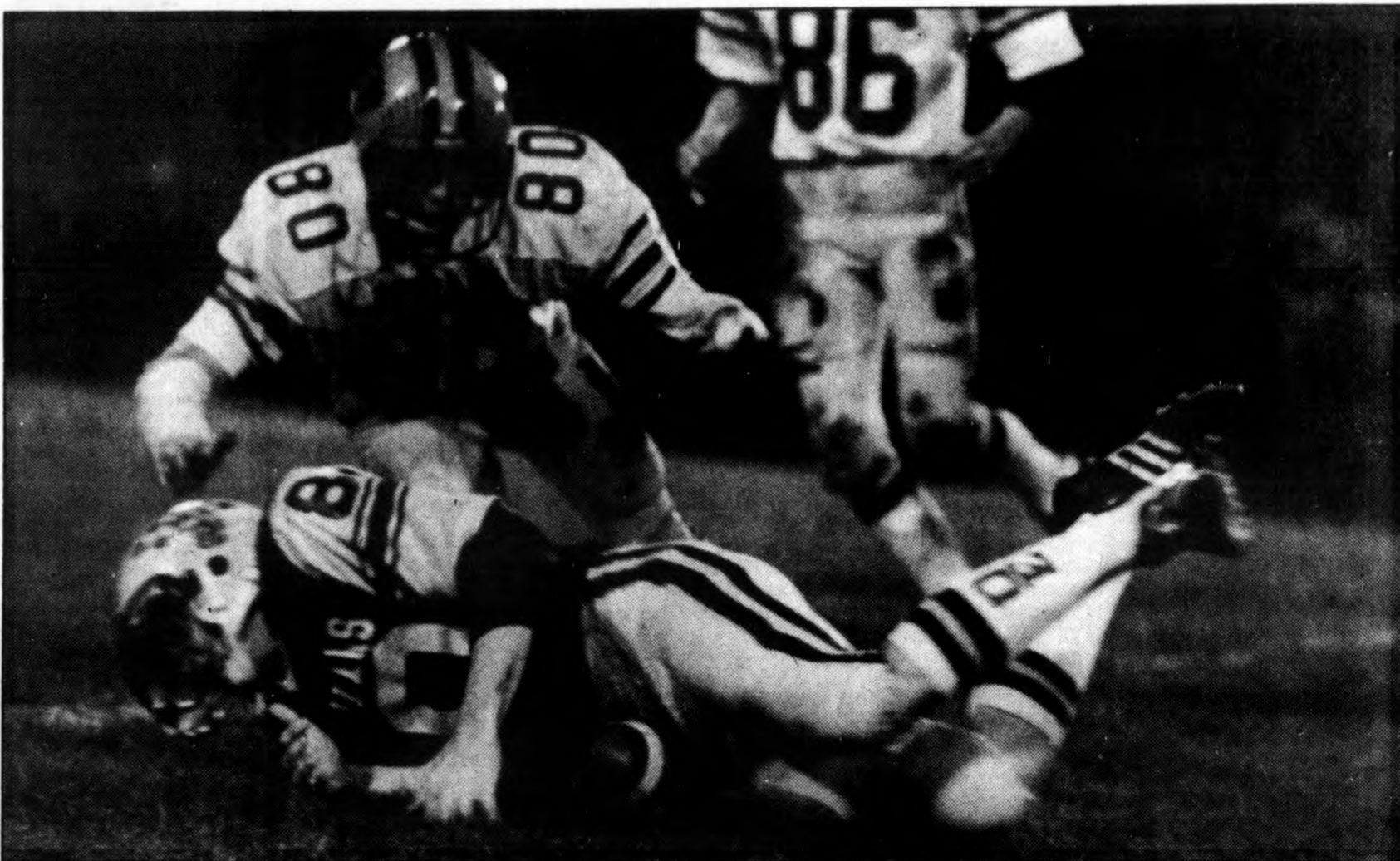
burst. While Tullar accounted for 82 yards of Ovid-Elsie's 408 yards of total offense, sophomore Scott Miller showed his stuff with 82 yards in just four carries. The performance capped a season where Miller rushed for 750 yards with the junior varsity.

That could bode well for the Marauders, which will lose people like Tullar and Canfield, the team's leading rushers with 531 yards, to graduation.

"We have a lot of good juniors coming back," Pope said, "but so have some of the other teams, so we will just set a goal of improving over this year's record."

Despite the winning season, Pope said things could have been better.

"If I had one game to play over," he said, "it would be the Ionia game. We gave them their only victory in the Mid-Michigan B (Conference) by a 20-14 score. The St. Johns game (a 7-6 loss) was tough but they had a darn good team and I felt we played one of our better games to scare the heck out of them."



Diving miss

Ovid-Elsie end Rick Rexin (86) makes a dive in vain to catch a pass while Ithaca High's John Town (80) makes sure Rexin doesn't advance if he does. Ovid-Elsie wound up the season with a 34-0 win to gain its first winning season in seven years. (Photo by Mark Haney)



Happiness is the first winning season in seven years, and when Ovid-Elsie managed that with a 34-0 win over Ithaca Friday, there was some rejoicing and congratulations on the bench. (Photo by Mark Haney)

## 'Wing runners finish ninth

### Spring Lake

St. Johns cross country coach Bob Spencer found it difficult to keep his team riding the peak of a wave Saturday as the Redwings finished ninth at the Class B state finals.

St. Johns' 296 points placed the Redwings well behind winner Jackson Lumen Christi which scored 53 points. Holt was second with 95, Charlotte third with 150, Fremont fourth with 179 and Gull Lake fifth with 239.

"The kids didn't run as well as they had in the past few weeks," Spencer said. "Maybe we just peaked the week of the regional."

Spencer, however, said he wasn't disappointed. "I am quite satisfied that we finished in the top 10," he said.

Senior Todd Scott led the Redwings, taking 23rd overall. Jerry Peters was 31st, Paul Pioszak was 38th

despite losing his shoe three-quarters of the way through the race. Eric Root was 76th and Dave Miller 128th. Bob Fonger and Dan Matson finished 130th and 165th, respectively, in the 180 runner race.

St. Johns, winner of the

Class B regional at Linden, the Mid-Michigan B Conference champion and Clinton County News Invitational titleist, wasn't the only squad represented at the finals.

Ovid-Elsie also sent Jack Miller to the boys' individual

race, where he was 63rd among 80 runners.

However, St. Johns did finish higher than the other five team qualifiers from its regional.

## Sports — This Week —

- WEDNESDAY, Nov. 7**  
BASKETBALL  
Flushing at Ovid-Elsie, 6 p.m.
- TUESDAY, Nov. 13**  
GIRLS' BASKETBALL  
Bellevue at Pewamo-Westphalia, 6:30 p.m.  
DeWitt at Lansing Catholic Central, 6 p.m.  
Fowlerville at Bath, 7 p.m.  
Fulton at Potterville, 6:30 p.m.  
Lansing at Fowler, 6:30 p.m.  
Ovid-Elsie at Coruna, 6 p.m.  
St. Johns at Ionia, 6 p.m.
- THURSDAY, Nov. 8**  
GIRLS' BASKETBALL  
Mason at DeWitt, 6 p.m.
- FRIDAY, Nov. 9**  
GIRLS' BASKETBALL  
Pewamo-Westphalia at Fulton, 6:30 p.m.  
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# Prep Football Final Standings

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League Overall		League Overall	
W-L	W-L	W-L	W-L
Fulton	7-0	St. Johns	6-0
Pewamo-Westphalia	5-2	St. Louis	4-2
Olivet	4-3	Freeland	4-2
Bellvue	4-3	Clare	4-2
Portland St. Pats	2-5	Springport	3-3
Laingsburg	1-6	Mattawan	2-4
Potterville	1-6	Fulton	1-5

MIDMICHIGAN CONFERENCE      CAPITOL CIRCUIT

League Overall		League Overall	
W-L	W-L	W-L	W-L
Chesaning	5-0	Okemos	6-0
St. Johns	4-1	Charlotte	4-2
Corunna	2-3	Mason	4-2
Ionis	2-3	LCC	3-3
Ovid-Elsie	2-3	Eaton Rapids	3-3
Alma	1-4	DeWitt	1-6

# Fulton's runners finish sixth in 'C'

Clare  
Fulton High's cross country team grabbed sixth place in the Class C state finals Saturday and landed Jim Slavik on the all-state team.

The Pirates of Ron Merritt scored 274 points, behind St. Louis' winning 86, Freeland's 88, Clare's 151, Springport's 162 and Mattawan's 200.

Slavik led Fulton with a ninth-place finish while Chris Price, who led Fulton

to the Class C regional title, wound up 17th.

Fulton also placed Dave Drake 57th, Matt Baker 80th and Bob Hanson 111th. DeWitt's girls' cross country team missed out on the Class C state title Saturday when Mount Clemens Lutheran North and host Clare got in the way.

So the Panthers of Barry Kloenhamer took third, just ahead of a strong Royal Oak Shrine squad. DeWitt had 115 points, Shrine had 129,

Lutheran North won with 64 while Clare had 97.

Senior Lis Jensen led the Panthers with a sixth-place finish in 19:20.

Monique DeSmith was 16th, Lori Grendys was 27th, Cheryl Leach 30th, Jill Stauffer 36th, Missy Simon 40th while Chris Boemke finished out of the scoring.

It was Clare that surprised Kloenhamer.

"We were looking for Mount Clemens Lutheran

North and for Royal Oak Shrine," Kloenhamer said, "and we knew Clare had a good team but we weren't worried about them. And they slipped in there by us."

The DeWitt girls' weren't the only runners to compete.

The DeWitt boys' team sent a representative too, with Dennis Wissner finishing 43rd in the boys' individual race. Bath's Doug Konen finished 47th in the same race.

"It was not what we hoped," Bath Coach Howard Roberson said, "it was not as good as he can do. But it was 33 places better than he did last year."

Konen did pass 11 runners in the last 300 yards to finish in 16:38, which was one of his slower times of the season, Roberson said.

"He was ready physically," Roberson said. "I think he just wanted it too badly and I think the

pressure just did him in." Pewamo-Westphalia's Joe Weber also took 52nd in the individual race.

**TEAM FINISH:** St. Louis 86; Freeland 88; Clare 151; Springport 162; Mattawan 200; Fulton 214; Keese 282; Scottville Mason County Central 295; East Jackson 297; Three Oaks River Valley 306; Mancelona 319; Charlevoix 324; Haslett 341; Olivet 341; Stockbridge 371; Leslie 374; Bangor 375; Marlette 380; Wyoming Lee 389; Muskegon Oakridge 422; Buchanan 424; Allen Park Cabrini 437; Kent City 498; Detroit Holy Redeemer 574.

# Pirate cagers lead CMAC race

Fulton

When they were in the process of winning 78-33 over Central Michigan Athletic Conference foe Laingsburg, Fulton High's girls' basketball team had little inclination that they would be on top of the CMAC when they left the floor.

But the win, coupled with Pewamo-Westphalia's 42-41 upset of Olivet,

put Fulton alone at the top of the league with a 8-1 mark.

But the win, coupled with "Well I am happy and the girls are happy," Fulton Coach Bill Parler said.

The Pirates grabbed a 38-20 lead at halftime but really put the game away in the third quarter when they got 12 points from senior forward Sandy Price and outscored Laings-

burg 16-6.

"Every game somebody new does it," Parker said. "As I said before, we don't have to go to Sandy all the time. If they want to double team her, then we will go somewhere else."

Besides Price's 24 points, the Pirate also got 12 points from senior guard Jill Moore and senior forward Nancy Kresge accounted for 18.

But Parker said he doesn't envision an easy ride to the title, not with Olivet on top for Tuesday and Pewamo-Westphalia set for Friday.

"I thought the league, that the league would be like it is," Parker said. There are five teams that you should always be ready for...

The Pirates also upped

their overall record to 12-3 last week with a 53-47 win over Ovid-Elsie, when Price and Moore each scored 14 points.

The Fulton junior varsity, led by forward Beth Zamarron, topped Laingsburg 41-37.

**FULTON:** 1820 16 14 68  
**LAINGSBURG:** 10 10 6 7 33  
**FULTON:** Sandy Price 12, 0/0, 24; Nancy Kresge 8, 2/5, 18;

Laurie Fricke 1, 0/0, 2; Jill Moore 6, 0/0, 12; Marti McVannel 1, 0/0, 12; Brenda Ondrus 2, 1/2, 5; Michelle Floate 1, 1/2, 3; Renee Sorrell 1, 0/0, 2. **TOTALS:** 32, 4/10, 68.

**LAINGSBURG:** Tasinda Fosnight 2, 0/0, 4; Kelli Toomey 1, 0/0, 2; Lavonne Wurm 1, 0/0, 2; Barb Britten 4, 0/0, 8; Kay Wilchell 0, 1/2, 1; Margaret Grottenberger 1, 0/0, 2; Beth Donley 2, 0/0, 4; Kathy Sparkes 3, 0/2, 6; Connie Stewart 2, 0/0, 4. **TOTALS:** 16, 1/6, 33.



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# JVs, frosh finish year

## St. Johns

When St. Johns Head Coach Joe Gonzales talks about his team's 7-1 record this season he often gives a lot of credit to freshmen coaches Al Werbish and Dick Vitek and junior varsity coaches Roger DePaepe and John Wilcox.

"I give a lot of credit for the success we've had in the past years to the coaches we had at the lower levels during that time," Gonzales said.

Gonzales won't be too disappointed by what lies ahead either, if this year's freshman and junior varsity teams are any indication. The Redwing junior varsity finished with a shining 7-0-1 record while the freshman wound up 6-2.

The only blemish on the junior varsity's record was the 14-14 tie with Corunna. The reserves started with a 34-8 romp over Charlotte added a 33-12 win over Lansing Waverly before topping Chesaning 30-12. After the tie with Corunna the Redwings defeated Alma 48-0, Ionia 34-0, Ovid-Elsie 45-6 and finished up with a 35-7 win over Mount Pleasant.

Three names cropped up a lot in the Redwings scoring. One was quarterback Scott Palmer, who accounted for 10 St. Johns' touchdowns with his passing and scored five more this past season rushing.

Halfback Jeff Casler caught seven of Palmer's scoring aeriels and rushed for nine more touchdowns. Dean Sharick, another Redwing back, accounted for 14 touchdowns, all on the ground.

The St. Johns freshmen, meanwhile, lost only to Alma, 14-8, and Corunna, 6-0.

Defense led the freshmen Redwings, with the first squad allowing only 14 points all season. People like Bruce Riley, Steve Gonzales, Eric

Smith, Scott Furry, Jamie Werbish, Matt Downing, Tim Moore and Gary Keilen led the freshmen defensively.

Gonzales, son of the Redwing head coach, led the freshmen offensively by tossing five touchdown passes along with 11 scored on the run.

## Pewamo

If this year's record is any indication, Pewamo-Westphalia football isn't going to be dull next year.

For not only will varsity coach Mike Folk have many players back from this year's 6-3 team, he also will gain a lot of players from a junior varsity squad that finished 8-0-1.

Junior Varsity Coach Ron Kramer, in his first year at Pewamo-Westphalia, won the fictional Central Michigan Athletic Conference junior varsity title by beating everyone but Portland St. Patrick, the team he coached last year.

"The whole team played well," Kramer said. "I'd have to give a lot of credit to the teamwork we had because we have a lot of average players who work very hard together all year."

Some of those "average" players include fullback John Nurenborg, halfback Dale Schmitt and halfback Paul Simon.

Before being called up to the varsity four games into the season, Nurenborg rushed for 327 yards in 37 carries and scored five touchdowns. Schmitt, meanwhile, picked up some of the slack to account for 956 yards.

The freshman squad finished 3-4 this season with a 12-0 win over Ovid-Elsie, a 14-0 win over Grand Ledge and a forfeit win over Carson City.

The freshmen lost 6-0 to St. Louis, 14-8 to Ithaca, 18-13 to Portland and 31-0 to Charlotte.

"Basically we have been

trying to teach them things," first-year Coach Richard Cooper said. "They have been learning things so they will be ready for junior varsity ball."

## Fowler

It would be hard for Fowler High's football team to match this year's perfect 9-0 season, but with help from a junior varsity team that went 7-2 perfection may be possible again. The Fowler reserves squad shutout five teams, losing 14-8 to Pewamo-Westphalia and to Portland High.

But the Eagles of Denny Smith shutout Mount Pleasant Sacred Heart, Fulton, Portland St. Patrick, Pottsville, (33-0) and Lainsburg.

The two season-ending losses may have been caused by some key injuries, like the loss of starting quarterback Darryl Thelen, who was 38-for-65 for 479 yards in the air and 10 touchdowns before breaking his arm in practice.

Or the loss of running back Larry Luttig could have been a reason, since Luttig amassed 467 yards rushing before a knee injury sidelined him with two games left.

Linebacker Roy Feldprausch also missed the last game with knee injury, taking away Fowler's leading tackler and captain.

## Ovid

It was not a good season, record-wise, for the Ovid-Elsie freshman football team.

The Marauders won just one game, a forfeit victory over Chesaning and was shutout in four of their; remaining seven games.

The Marauders lost to Pewamo-Westphalia 12-0, to Bridgeport 27-8, to Ionia 8-0, to Alma 14-0, to Corunna 14-6, to St. Johns 20-0 and to Bay City All Saints 40-6.

# P-W upsets Olivet 42-41

## Pewamo

Pewamo-Westphalia's girls' basketball team reached the light at the end of the tunnel last week.

After some gloomy performances, the Pirates of Bonnie Somero broke out of the doldrums and upset Central Michigan Athletic Conference co-leader Olivet 42-41 then handed Vermontville Maple Valley a 50-37 defeat Thursday.

"At least I think we gained a little respect with that," Somero said after the upset of Olivet, which put Fulton on top of the CMAC heap.

"I think our rebounding helped us a lot," she added "but I also think we wanted the game a bit more than they did."

Pewamo-Westphalia had Olivet down 25-20 at the half only to have Olivet take the lead 34-33 at the

end of the third quarter. by outscoring Olivet 9-8 in the final stanza, the Pirates bagged the win.

"We played a disciplined defense and a disciplined ballgame," Somero said. Thursday, however, Maple Valley nearly caught the Pirates napping when they trailed just 23-21 at halftime.

"They really were out to get us," Somero said.

The Pirates visit league leader Fulton Friday.

## PEWAMO-WESTPHALIA

11 14 89-42  
10 10 147-41  
OLIVET-  
PEWAMO-WESTPHALIA: Judy Spitzley 2, 2/ 8, 6; Gina Pline 5, 1/ 5, 11; Therese Simon 4, 4/ 5, 12; Marsha Smith 1, 0/ 0, 2; Jane Cotter 3, 0/ 0, 6; Lynn Klein 1, 3/ 4, 5. TOTALS-16/ 10/ 25, 42.  
OLIVET: Fuller 3, 1/ 3, 7; Davidson 5, 1/ 2, 11; King 0, 4/ 4, 4; Pritchard 3, 1/ 2, 7; Vetter 5, 0/ 0, 10; Parrott 1, 0/ 0, 2. TOTALS-17, 9/ 17, 41.

PEWAMO-WESTPHALIA- 15 8 12 15-50  
MAPLE VALLEY- 9 12 6 10-37  
PEWAMO-WESTPHALIA: Judy Spitzley 11, 0/ 0, 22; Gina Pline 6, 1/ 3, 13; Therese Simon 1, 2/ 2, 4; Jane Cotter 2, 0/ 0, 4; Donna Heckman 0, 1/ 2, 1; Lynn Klein 3, 0/ 0, 6. TOTALS-23, 4/ 9, 50.  
MAPLE VALLEY: Tuesday Aspinall 6, 1/ 2, 13; Julie Barlow 4, 0/ 0, 8; Kathy Christopher 1, 0/ 0, 2; Melissa Coffman 1, 0/ 0, 2; Diane Cook 1, 0/ 0, 2; Lori Decker 4, 0/ 0, 8; Melanie Rogers 1, 0/ 0, 2. TOTALS-18, 1/ 2, 37.

# SJ girls coast to 10th straight win

## Corunna

The 10th win in a row came rather easily this past week for the St. Johns High girls' basketball teams as the Redwings popped Corunna 74-46.

The Redwings of Beth Swears, 11-1 overall and in first in the Mid-Michigan

B Conference with a 6-1 record, are a game ahead of Ionia in the league race thanks to Tuesday's win.

The Redwings used a 57-30 rebounding edge plus 33 percent shooting to gain the win.

Corunna fell behind 25-15 at the end of the

opening then was outscored 14-13 by St. Johns in the second period. A 29-point third period, however, secured the victory for the Redwings.

The Redwing reserves, now 8-4 overall, also notched a win, taking the Corunna junior varsity 24-19 on the

11-point effort of Sue Pearsall. Pearsall also grabbed 10 rebounds.

## ST. JOHNS-25 14 29 6-74 CORUNNA-15 13 10 8-46

ST. JOHNS: Denise Thelen 3, 4/ 4, 10; Kim Kloecker 6, 0/ 2, 12; Lori Kus 2, 2/ 7, 6; Denise Henning 4, 4/ 10, 12; Yvonne

Makara 9, 4/ 7, 22; 0; Carrie Buggs 1, 0/ 3, 2; Ann Stafford 1, 0/ 3, 2; Jeanne Ammons 0, 2/ 2, 2; Ann Purtil 2, 2/ 2, 6; Renee Thum 0, 0/ 1, 0. TOTALS-28, 18-29, 74.  
CORUNNA: Rarrie Elkins 2, 10, 4; Jenny McCoy 2, 2/ 3, 6; Nancy Snyder 3, 0/ 3, 6; Marsha Honke 2, 3/ 2, 7; Cathy Ash 3, 3/ 4, 9; Helen Toma 2, 4/ 4, 8; Robin Dassance 0, 0/ 2, 0; Connie Nourse, 5, 0/ 1, 10. TOTALS-16, 12/ 18, 46.

# Eagles chalk up double victory

The Fowler High girls' basketball team handled both the big and the small lead with aplomb this past week in chalking up a pair of wins.

First the Eagles of Melody Sowers blasted Central Michigan Athletic Conference rival Bellevue 67-34 then they edged Mount Pleasant Sacred Heart

40-28 Thursday. The Eagles upped their record to 9-3 overall with Thursday's win, which came via a 10-for-14 performance at the free throw

line. The free throws especially aided the Eagles in the 1st quarter. "But it could have gone either way if we hadn't made our free throws," Sowers said.

The win also helped Fowler avenge a 51-50 double overtime loss to Sacred Heart Sept. 17.

Bellevue, however, was another story. In that game Fowler soared to a 40-15 lead at halftime and kept rolling to its sixth league win in nine games.

Fowler's junior varsity topped Bellevue 27-19 on a 14-point effort by forward-guard Kim Schafer but lost an overtime decision to the Sacred Heart reserves, 26-22, despite Schafer's six points.

20 20 62 1-40  
BELLEVUE- 9 6 9 10-34  
FOWLER: Kelly Halfmann 4, 1/ 3, 9; Kat Schmitt 10, 1/ 2, 21; Sandy Thelen 2, 0/ 0, 4; Jane Armbrustmacher 5, 1/ 4, 11; Connie Feldpausch 2, 0/ 0, 4; Jane George 6, 0/ 0, 12; Kay Snyder 3, 0/ 3, 6; Michelle Braun 0, 0/ 2, 0. TOTALS-32, 3/ 14, 63.  
BELLEVUE: J. Hart 7, 3/ 7, 17; C. Robertson 1, 0/ 2, 2; L. Critchlow 2, 2/ 4, 6; Burkeh 1, 0/ 0, 2; Volstromer 3, 1/ 3, 7. TOTALS-14, 6/ 16, 34.

5 8 17 11-40  
MP SACRED HEART-51 16 16-38  
FOWLER: Kelly Halfmann 1, 2/ 2, 4; Kat Schmitt 3, 3/ 4, 7; Sandy Thelen 3, 1/ 2, 7; Jane Armbrustmacher 5, 2/ 2, 12; Connie Feldpausch 1, 0/ 0, 2; Jane George 3, 1/ 2, 7; Kay Snyder 0, 1/ 2, 1. TOTALS-15, 10/ 14, 40.  
SACRED HEART: Kelly Grizinger 0, 4/ 5, 4; Kelly Epple 6, 2/ 7, 14; Melinda Ingrahm 7, 3/ 4, 17; Carol Brandel 0, 3/ 3, 3. TOTALS-13, 12/ 20, 38.

# O-E delights parents with MMB victory over Alma

## Ovid

Centers, at least in the game of basketball, are meant to rebound and shoot layups with occasional duty as a passer. But almost never are centers to be mistaken for guards.

So it usually is risky to put a center out where the guards roam, yet the move worked like a charm for the Ovid-Elsie High girls' team Tuesday as the Marauders scored a 60-52 Mid-Michigan B Conference victory over visiting Alma.

"I thought I would confuse them by bringing her (6-foot-1, junior center Jennifer

Litomisky) up to a high post," Marauder Coach Mary Hudecek said. "And we still out rebounded them (41-38). I was a little surprised and proud of my little people."

Yet Litomisky managed to hit for 34 points with just 14 rebounds to her credit.

"Our goal was to try and rebound with them even without Jennifer in there," Hudecek said. "That may have seemed unrealistic but it worked."

"We are just a typical young team," Hudecek said. "We play sporadically, we looked just terrific in the first

half and were just terrible in the third quarter. We are just sporadic."

Alma was led by forward Mary Lueth, with 17 points.

Ovid-Elsie hosts Chesaning today with Corunna on tap for next Tuesday.

16 18 11 16-60  
ALMA- 7 13 17 15-52  
OVID-ELSIE: Litomisky 17, 4/ 5, 38; Hughes 2, 3/ 4, 7; Sehke 1, 0/ 0, 2; Wartle 1, 1/ 3, 3; Elder 1, 0/ 0, 2; Len 2, 2/ 3, 6; Woodbury 0, 2/ 4, 2. TOTALS-24, 12/ 19, 60.  
ALMA: M. Lueth 7, 3/ 5, 17; A. Lueth 2, 0/ 0, 4; K. Cheek 0, 3/ 5, 3; A. Cheek 0, 1/ 2, 1; Marda 4, 1/ 2, 9; Kennett 3, 0/ 1, 6; Flater 3, 2/ 3, 8. TOTALS-21, 10/ 17, 52.

# Swimmers score two more

## St. Johns

Tired or not here the St. Johns swimmers won as the Redwings of Jim Makaruskas rolled right past Lansing Sexton 107-61 Tuesday and edged Swartz Creek Thursday 92-79.

"Neither meet was filled with a lot of great performances," Makaruskas said. Though the two wins did give St. Johns an 11-1 record and started the Redwings on their way back from a loss last Tuesday to Class B powerhouse Okemos.

Senior Sharon Law stood out in each meet winning the diving for the 10th and 11th times in 12 meets. She won

with 200.70 points against Sexton and won with 206.15 points against Swartz Creek. "She is getting up there pretty well," Makaruskas said. "Those scores are very good scores."

The Redwings, however, were tired Thursday since Makaruskas worked the swimmers through morning and afternoon practice sessions prior to the meet. "Swartz Creek had some good first swimmers," the Redwing coach said of the close finish. "But we were pretty tired. So we took a lot of seconds and thirds."

Barb Vecasey, however, turned in a state-meet qualifying time of 1:09.9 in the 100-yard backstroke in the meet while Gloria Stratton won the 200-yard individual medley and the 100-yard butterfly. Shawn Meyer, a winner in the 200-yard individual medley race Tuesday, topped the 100-yard breaststroke against Swartz Creek. Vecasey joined Ruth Fedewa, Judy Fedewa and Linda Luttig on the triumphant 200-yard individual medley relay team.

Besides Meyer's and Law's wins Tuesday, Luttig managed a first in the

200-yard freestyle. Vecasey won the backstroke, Barb Vecasey won the 100-yard butterfly, Judy Fedewa topped the 100-yard freestyle field, Lori Hufnagel won the breaststroke and Beth Gavenda won the 50-yard freestyle.

The Redwings visit Owosso next Tuesday.

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Synopsis of Annual Public Budget-Hearing meeting held on October 24, 1979.

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Minutes of 1978 Annual meeting accepted.

Supervisor explained proposed 1980 budget and costs that will be required to do "Class Carding" in Assessor's department.

Supervisor explained roll back required by Headley Amendment from 3.75 to 3.42 mills.

Motion made and supported that the proposed 1980 budget in the amount of \$272,777 be adopted.

Motion made and supported that anticipated Federal Revenue monies in the amount of \$15,000 be applied towards maintenance and construction of roads for 1980.

Meeting adjourned.

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## Bath forms business association

**Bath**  
In what Bath township clerk, June Burnette calls "positive action," business leaders here have joined hands in forming an association that will promote community activities.

The newly formed Bath Area Business Association is soliciting members from among the business community and intends to open up communications in the populus.

Bobbie Losey who runs a hair care business in her home on Webster Road is part of a membership committee and said that the new association can provide the leadership for community action. "Anyone can belong," she said, "the fee is not expensive so all businesses can participate."

Jim Spagnuolo is president of the group, John Cutter serves as vice president, Doris Strause is treasurer and Sandy Cutter, secretary.

Mrs. Burnette said the group is meeting the fourth Tuesday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in the township hall. "The whole community will

benefit from this," she said, indicating that "bit by bit" the area is seeing positive action.

## Spooky happenings

Kenneth Griffith (in the picture) loves to see the faces of youngsters who come trick-or-treating to his house at 507 S. Traver St., St. Johns. He decorates his garage with a black backdrop and then hangs pictures of skeletons, cats, witches and other Halloween characters on the walls. To top it all off, he turns on a black light and he dons a Frankenstein mask and white ghost-like sheet. Kids from all over St. Johns delight in going to Griffith's garage to get their treat. Last Wednesday made the sixth consecutive year he was celebrated Halloween in this manner. (Photo by Patrice Hornak)



## Eureka Church holds potluck

**Eureka**  
This Sunday evening, Nov. 11th, the Women's Fellowship of the Eureka Congregational Christian Church will be serving their annual Thank-Offering potluck supper at 6 p.m. in the fellowship hall.

This year they are sponsoring a special mission project, "Youth Haven Ranch", located at Rives Junction. It is a Christian camp outreach to young, needy children. In addition to various items being

brought in for the ranch, a special family thank-offering will be taken for the Women's Fellowship, to be used for missions and church projects.

Following the potluck supper, at 7:30, the "Faith Believers," a singing group from Petoskey, will be presenting a gospel concert in the sanctuary. All are invited to share in this evening of thanksgiving, fellowship, and inspiration. A freewill offering will be taken for the concert.

## Kiwanians host Farm-City Week

The newly formed St. Johns Kiwanis Club will celebrate Farm/City Week by inviting Clinton County Extension Director George McQueen and a number of area farmers to their meeting Thursday morning, Nov. 8.

Kiwanis Clubs nationwide will celebrate the silver

anniversary of Farm/City Week. The theme is "Partners in Economic Progress—Pride in the Past and Faith in the Future."

The yearly observance of Farm/City Week helps to bring about better understanding and closer cooperation between the rural and urban segments of society.

## Young women 1979 honorees

Kay Sparks and Robin Stine Whitmore have been chosen two of 15,000 Outstanding Young Women of America.

Ms. Sparks, a former Clinton County resident, resides at 7241 W. St. Johns, Peoria, Ariz. and Ms. Whitmore resides at 16 Evergreen Dr., St. Louis.

The Outstanding Young Women of America program is designed to honor and encourage exceptional young women between the ages of 21 and 36 who have distinguished themselves in their homes, their professions and their communities.

The 15,000 young women chosen for the honor were

nominated by women's organizations, college alumni associations and public officials.

They will be included in the 1979 edition of "Outstanding Young Women of America." In addition, the 15,000 young women will be considered for one of 51 state awards to be presented to those women who have made the most noteworthy contributions in their individual states.

From these 51 winners, the 10 Outstanding Young Women of America will be chosen. The 10 national winners will be honored at the annual awards luncheon in Washington, D.C.

## 2 complete trucking course

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A St. Johns man and a Fowler man were among the graduates of the Truck Driver Program at Lansing Community College.

Completing the complex, four-week course of instruction were Robert Bennett of 7979 N. Williams Rd., St. Johns and William Smith

of Centerline Road, Fowler. They passed an extensive road trip in excess of 1,000 miles in addition to 40 hours of classroom instruction.

A certificate of completion was awarded each in addition to the D.O.T. certification at ceremonies Oct. 26 at the Fort Custer facility near Battle Creek.

## Finish General Tel training

Edwin A. Goodrich and Roy Witgen, installer-repairpersons for General Telephone in the St. Johns area, have recently completed a company school on blue-print reading. Completion of the five-day course will enable the participant to interpret and trace schematic representations of circuits normally encountered in the electromechanical station and switching

equipment used by the telephone company.

Goodrich is a graduate of Ovid-Elsie High School and he and his wife Stella reside at 505 W. Gibbs St., St. Johns with their three children, Diana, Daniel and Andrew.

Witgen is a graduate of Fowler High School and resides with wife Eileen and their two children Brendan and Alby, in the Fowler area.

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30 Card of Thanks

THE FAMILY of Roger Balmer would like to say thank you to all relatives, friends and neighbors for the kindness shown during Roger's long illness and death and also for the many flowers, food and gifts. To Rev. Willard Farrier and Rev. Bruce Jenkins, The Estes Leadley Funeral Home and Clinton Memorial Hospital Staff and physician. The ladies of S. Riley Bible Church for the lovely meal afterwards.

Signed Mrs. Mary Balmer Mr. & Mrs. Virgil (Joann) Cole Mr. & Mrs. Fred (Donna) Waters Mr. & Mrs. Del (Kay) Schmidtman Mr. & Mrs. George Balmer 45-1-p-30

MANY THANKS to all of our friends, relatives who helped to make our 25th Anniversary so memorable by their presence at our Open House, for the many beautiful cards, gifts and money. A special thanks to our children and grandchildren who worked so hard to make a joyous occasion in our lives. May God Bless You All.

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31 Memoriam

IN MEMORY of Our beloved father, Lloyd E. Meyers who entered into eternal rest Oct. 29, 1970

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35 Lost & Found

LOST WHITE Persian cat 2 years old, female. Last seen near Turner & Herbison Rd. Reward, Phone 669-5640. 43-3-p-35

Legal Notices

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Clinton County Planning Commission will conduct a public hearing on November 14, 1979 in the Clinton County Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan, Commissioners Room.

The subject of the public hearing will be the consideration of the following amendments to OR-1-78, the Clinton County Zoning Ordinance, as amended and the acquisition of a Special Use Permit.

CASE ZC-25-79 Dr. Richard Mariens - Bath Township - Rezoning and a Special Use Permit.

At this hearing, the following described property which generally lies at 1648 Towar Avenue, approximately 907.5 feet north of County Line Road will be considered for rezoning from M-1, Limited Industrial to A-1, Agricultural in like manner, the property will be considered as the site for the issuance of a Special Use Permit for the operation of a horseback riding school and boarding facility. ba 436-300-045-00 Part of the S 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 31, T5N-R1W, Bath Township, Clinton County, MI described as follows: Beg. at a point 746.5 feet West and 880 feet N. of the S 1/4 post of sd Sec. 31, running th. W 760 ft, th. N. 440 ft, th. E. 760 ft, th. S. 440 ft, to POB, exc. the East 25 feet thereof, to be kept open and reserved for road purposes.

CASE ZC-25A-79 Clinton County Planning Commission - Bath Township - Rezoning

Rezoning from M-1, Limited Industrial District to A-1, Agricultural District the following described property which generally lies on both sides of Towar Avenue extending from County Line Road north approximately 1347 feet.

ba 445-300-085-00 N. 6.3 acres of the W. 12.6 Ac. of the E 1/2 of SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 31, T5N-R1W

ba 442-300-090-00 The N. 7.92 Ac of E. 10. Ac. of E 1/2 of SE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 31, T5N-R1W

ba 441-300-095-00 Com. at S 1/4 post of Sec. 31, T5N-R1W, th. N. 238 feet, th. W. 240 ft, th. S. 238 ft, th. E. 240 ft, to beg.

ba 441A-300-100-00 Com. 240 feet W. of S 1/4 post of Sec. 31, T5N-R1W, th. N. 238 ft, th. W. 140 ft, th. S. 238 ft, th. E. alg. Clinton, Ingham County Line 140 feet to pl. of Beg.

ba 444-300-075-00 The N. 3.3 Ac. of S. 5.3 A. of W. 12.6 Ac. of E 1/2 of SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 31, T5N-R1W, exc. th. S. 132 ft.

ba 437-300-050-00 Beg. 746.5 ft. W. of S 1/4 post of Sec. 31, T5N-R1W, th. S. 388.5 ft, th. S. 146.3 ft, W. 246 ft, N. 442.75 ft, th. E. 735.5 ft, S. 293 1/3 ft, to beg.

ba 438-300-055-00 A piece of land off the SE cor. of S. 7.7 Ac. of the N. 15.4 Ac. of W 1/2 of SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 146.67 ft N&S by 410 feet E&W, Sec. 31, T5N-R1W

ba 439-300-060-00 N. 3 Ac of S 7.7 Ac of W 1/2 of SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 31, T5N-R1W

ba 440-300-065-00 S. 4.7 Ac of W 1/2 of SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 31, T5N-R1W

ba 443-300-070-00 S. 2 Ac of W 12.6 Ac of E 1/2 of SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 31, T5N-R1W

ba 444A-300-075-00 Beg. 746.5 Ft. W & 238 ft. N. of S. 1/4 post of Sec. 31, T5N-R1W, th. N. 132 ft, E. 366.5 ft, S 132 ft, W 366.5 ft to beg. The W 25 used for road purposes

The Amendment applications and the Clinton County Zoning Ordinance Map are available for public inspection in the office of the Zoning Administrator located in the Clinton County Service Center, 306 E. Elm Street, St. Johns, Michigan during the hours of 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. Monday through Friday. Please contact Jack A. Nelson at 224-6761 Ext. 221 for further information.

Jack A. Nelson, Director Department of Development Control 43-1 45-1

STATE OF MICHIGAN CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CLINTON.

ORDER TO ANSWER. File No. 79-2246734

BRENDA K. PRATT, Plaintiff vs. DAVID L. PRATT, Defendant.

On the 31st day of Sept. 1979, an action was filed by Brenda K. Pratt, Plaintiff, against David L. Pratt, Defendant, in this court to seek a divorce from the bonds of matrimony.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Defendant, David L. Pratt, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 8th day of November 1979. Failure to comply with this order will result in a judgment by default against such defendant for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this court.

Date of Order: Sept. 24, 1979 TIMOTHY M. GREEN Circuit Judge 42-4

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

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Johns, in said County, on the 26th day of November, A.D. 1979.

PRESENT: Hon. MARVIN E. ROBERTSON, Judge of Probate. IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF Bart Herman Norton to have his name changed to Bart Herman Acino. Bart Herman Norton having filed his application in said Court praying that the name of Bart Herman Norton be changed to Bart Herman Acino.

IT IS ORDERED, That the 26th day of November, 1979 at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon at said Probate Court be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this Order for one week previous to said day of hearing in the Clinton County News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Marvin E. Robertson Judge of Probate 45-1

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage made by CLARE V. NELSON and PEGGY D. NELSON, husband and wife of 505 E. Walker Street, St. Johns, Michigan 48779, to Homebuilders Mortgage Corp., a Washington corporation, now Evans Financial Corp., a Washington corporation, as successor corporation to Homebuilders Mortgage Corp. by virtue of a name change, of P.O. Box 4197, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55406 dated April 26, 1978, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Clinton and State of Michigan, on June 5, 1978 in Liber 298 of Mortgages on pages 957, 958 and 959 on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of Fifty-seven Thousand Four Hundred Fifty-six and 22/100 (\$57,456.22) Dollars, and no proceedings have been instituted to recover the debt now remaining secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said Mortgage may be necessary, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front steps of the Courthouse in the City of St. Johns, and County of Clinton, Michigan, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court in and for said County, on December 5, 1979, at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon, said debt, and said premises will be sold to pay the amount so as aforesaid then due on said Mortgage together with 10 1/2 per cent interest, legal costs, Attorney's fees and also any taxes and insurance that said Mortgagee does pay on or prior to the date of said sale; which said premises are described in said Mortgage as follows, to-wit: Certain parcels of land located in the City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan, described as: PARCEL I: Commencing at a point 155 rods South of the NW corner of Outlot "K" on the East side of Oakland Street and 220 feet East, thence S 46.5 feet North on a line parallel with said Oakland Street, thence East 110 feet, thence South 346.5 feet on a line parallel with Oakland Street, thence West 110 feet to the place of beginning, all in Outlot "K" City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan.

PARCEL II: Commencing at a point 24 rods North of the SE corner of Outlot "K" in said City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan, thence North 19 rods, thence East 8 rods, thence South 19 rods, thence West 8 rods to the place of beginning.

The above described premises may be redeemed during the six months immediately following the sale. Dated: October 19, 1979 William G. Jackson Attorney for Evans Financial Corp. 1515 N. U.S. 27, P.O. Box 246 St. Johns, Michigan 48779

MORTGAGE SALE—Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Michael Lynn and to Jean E. Lynn, husband and wife. Graham Mortgage Corporation, a Michigan Corporation Mortgage, dated August 22, 1975, and recorded on August 27, 1975, in Liber 282 on page 848, Clinton County Records, Michigan, and assigned by said Mortgagee to Equitable Federal Savings and Loan Association of New York, a New York Corporation by an assignment dated October 6, 1975 and recorded on October 16, 1975, in Liber 282, on page 423, Clinton County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Thirty six thousand nine hundred ninety one and 77/100 Dollars (\$36,991.77), including interest at 8 1/2 percent per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgage premises, or some part thereof, at public vendue, at the North door of the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan, at 11:00 o'clock A.M., on December 14, 1979.

Said premises are situated in City of DeWitt, Clinton County, Michigan, and are described as Lot 64, Plat of Riverwood Subdivision, in the City of DeWitt, Clinton County, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof, as recorded in plat book 3, page 31 through 33, Clinton County records.

The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale. Dated: November 7, 1979 Robert A. Tremain, P.C. Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage 3000 Town Center Suite 1945 Southfield, Michigan 48075 Equitable Federal Savings & Loan Association Assignee of Mortgage 45-4

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of CLINTON Estate of Lucile I. Nusbaum, Deceased File No. 20146

TAKE NOTICE: On November 21, 1979, at 11:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan, before the Judge Marvin E. Robertson, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Janet Mae Lowell for probate of a purported will of the deceased dated December 16, 1971, for granting of administration to Michigan National Bank, personal representative named or some other suitable person or determination of bond, and for a determination of heirs. Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented said Michigan National Bank at Michigan National Tower, Lansing, Michigan, and proof thereof, with copies of the claims filed with the court on or before January 22, 1980 at 10:00 A.M. Notice is further given that the estate will be thereupon assigned to persons appearing of record entitled thereto.

Dated November 1, 1979 Attorney for Petitioner: Delmar R. Smith 111 S. Waverly Rd. Lansing, Mich. 48917 Phone 321-1976 Janet Mae Lowell Petitioner 7025 W. Jason Rd. St. Johns, Michigan 45-1

NOTICE OF HEARING

ESTATE OF BERNICE G. THADEN, deceased Take Notice: On November 14, 1979 at 11:00 a.m. in the probate courtroom, City of St. Johns, Michigan, before Hon. Marvin E. Robertson Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Robert G. Gesler praying for probate of a purported Last Will and Testament of the deceased, dated February 7, 1969, for a determination of heirs, and for the granting of administration of the estate to Robert G. Gesler, the named personal representative.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented to Robert G. Gesler, 864 Twinbrook Drive, DeWitt, Michigan 48820, and proof thereof with copies of claims filed with the court on or before January 16, 1980.

Notice is further given that the estate will thereupon be assigned to the persons of record entitled thereto.

Raymond R. Behan 702 American Bank & Trust Bldg. Lansing, Michigan 48933 Oct. 30, 1979 ROBERT G. GESLER 864 Twinbrook Drive DeWitt, Michigan 48820 45-1

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Clinton Estate of JENNIE SMITH, Deceased File No. 20142

TAKE NOTICE: On Wednesday January 16th, 1980, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon. MARVIN E. ROBERTSON, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on the Co-Personal Representatives, Alan Smith, 309 E. Baldwin, St. Johns, Michigan and Richard Smith, R.F.D. No. 6, St. Johns, Michigan prior to said hearing.

Dated: November 1st, 1979 Attorney for Petitioner: Robert H. Wood, Maples & Wood P. 2531 306 N. Clinton St. Johns, Mich. 48879 Phone 224-3238 ALAN SMITH & RICHARD SMITH 309 E. Baldwin Petitioner St. Johns, Mich R.F.D. No. 6 St. Johns, Michigan 45-1

Fowler News

Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Goerge were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Goerge and family of Lansing. The occasion was the birthday of their son Jonathon.

Mrs. Emma Vance spent the weekend with her son, Kenneth Vance in Ann Arbor. Mrs. Lula Boak accompanied Mrs. Carl Boak on a Senior Citizen bus tour to the AuSable River.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Benjamin spent Sunday afternoon with their daughter Laurie in Grand Rapids, where she received her white cap in nurses' training.

Marks 89th birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Benjamin entertained Saturday evening at a birthday dinner in honor of their mother Lula B. Boak's 89th birthday. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Boak, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Boak, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Boak and Mrs. Charlie Boak.



The Watchmen

The Watchmen from Pennsylvania, a contemporary Christian singing group, sponsored in this area by Tom Fowler, will be appearing at the Assembly of God Church located at US-27 and Baldwin Street in St. Johns, Wednesday, Nov. 14 at 7:30 p.m. The

Watchmen are an on-fire group of Christians witnessing their love for Jesus Christ in a contemporary style. "Make sure you don't miss this concert. You are in for a real blessing! Come hear and experience," said Fowler. A free will offering will be taken.

George's column

By George McQueen Extension Director

LIVESTOCK OUTLOOK

The basic position of the cattle market remains strong, but will be under pressure this fall. First, fed cattle marketings will likely increase from third quarter levels but will remain below last year by 5 to 10 percent. Secondly, poultry meat supplies will be at record levels and pork supplies will be the largest in eight years.

There have been some fundamental reasons for strength in cattle prices. Slaughter has been running about 20 percent below a year ago since the first of September. This either means cattle numbers have been overestimated or that there is some holding back of cattle at this time. Producers will want to watch average slaughter weight trends.

Some cattle feeders may be holding for higher prices since the early October prices will hardly pay feed costs of feeders purchased last fall. A standard Corn Belt feeding program indicates that feeders brought last spring, require \$67 to \$68 just to feed them to finished steers, and \$75 to cover all production costs.

It will be difficult for cattle prices to make much headway until after the first of the year. Placements of cattle on feed on the seven leading states for July and August were down sharply (22 and 24 percent respectively from a year ago). If the 23 states quarterly report shows a continuation of that trend; the outlook for early 1980 will improve.

Range and pasture condition have enabled feeder producers to delay marketings. Some recent concern has been expressed about continued dryness in the Texas Panhandle, and high plains areas. At this time of year, cattlemen in those areas are in the market for calves to put on wheat pastures. Timely rain could still change that situation.

For the week ending September 22, feeder steers at Kansas City averaged 750 pounds in weight and \$78 in price. Steer calves were \$97 and heifer calves were \$10 and \$11 lower. Considering that futures on finished cattle have been in the low \$70s and that corn prices have stabilized a little below \$2.50 per bushel, these prices are not out of line with past relationships. However, finished cattle prices would have to move up into the high \$70s to allow cattle producers to cover all costs.

The USDA announced new grading standards on feeder cattle in early September. Rather than Choice, Good and Standard, they will be classified into large, medium and small frame sizes and

thickness categories of No. 1, No. 2, and No. 3. Frame size will identify the weight at which feeder cattle are expected to produce carcasses of a given grade such as U.S. Choice. Thickness will identify a feeder for the effect that muscle thickness has on the ultimate U.S. yield grade of its carcass.

HOGS-Hog prices came under seasonal pressure in late September and early October as slaughter increased nearly 20 percent over last year. USDA's Hogs and Pigs Report released in late September was regarded as bearish for the longer run and distant futures were limit down for a couple of days. There are differences of opinion on whether or not hog producers will follow through on their intentions to expand December to February farrowings by 10 percent and continue to increase farrowings in the spring. If hog prices average no higher than the mid-\$30s this fall, hog producers will probably reduce intended expansion.

As a guideline, hog producers can expect their prices to decline by about 1.6 percent for every percent they increase production. The price of hogs is also affected by many other factors. In a statistical analysis, we found that 95 percent of the variation of hog prices could be "explained" by five variables: (1) per capita consumption of pork; (2) and other red meat; (3) poultry meat; plus (4) "real" consumer disposable income per capita; and (5) general inflation as measured by the Consumer Price Index. Since consumption of pork, other red meat and poultry meat is nearly identical to production in any given year, the relationship indicated is analogous to the effect of production on price.

For every one percent increase in the per capita production of other red meat (mostly beef), hog prices tend to decline by 1.6 percent. A one percent increase in poultry production drops hog prices by 1.3 percent. A one percent increase in "real" disposable income (inflation removed) tends to increase hog prices by 1.25 percent. We assume a one-to-one relationship between the Consumer Price Index and hog prices. If the Consumer Price Index increases by one percent, hog prices are affected similarly.

But, in this period of record poultry meat supplies, sharply lower beef supplies and double digit inflation, these relationships may not be quite the same as in the past. While they warrant continued checking, they provide a good base for interpreting how new developments will affect hog prices.

The next few weeks is the time to do some serious year-end tax planning. In this day of high interest

rates, every dollar saved for use in the business, instead of borrowed, can be very profitable. The first step in tax planning is to bring your books up to date by adding up your income and expenses so far this year. Then try to predict what you'll have for income and expenses for the rest of the year.

Use last year's tax return Schedule F as a guide.

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NOTICE CITY OF ST. JOHNS ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS November 21, 1979

To be held in the City Commission Chambers at 121 E. Walker Street St. Johns at 7:30 p.m. (enter through Police Department entrance on Spring Street).

PURPOSE: An appeal from Juanita O'Leary of the Wheel Inn Mall, 1825 South US-27, to allow a variance for a free standing sign to be 200 square feet in area. The zoning ordinance does not allow a free standing sign to exceed 50 square feet in area.

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 1825 S. US-27 TAX ROLL NO: 300-410-000-020-00

Diane M. Edwards Zoning Administrator

CITY OF ST. JOHNS NOTICE OF BIDS

Sealed bids for a 12 month supply of gasoline and oil, will be received until 3:00 p.m., Thursday, December 6, 1979, in the office of the City Clerk, 121 E. Walker Street, St. Johns, Michigan.

The bids must be sealed and bear the name of the bidder on the outside of the envelope and be plainly marked "Gas and Oil Bids". The Bids will be publicly opened and read at this time and referred to the City Commission for awarding, study or rejection, at their regular meeting on December 10, 1979 at 7:30 p.m., in the City Commission Chambers, 121 E. Walker Street.

Specifications may be picked up at the City Offices, 121 E. Walker Street, between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. from November 7, 1979 until December 6, 1979.

The City of St. Johns reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any defects in the bids or bidding in the best interest of the City of St. Johns and accept the proposal, which in the opinion of the City Commission, best serves the interest and needs of the City of St. Johns.

Richard L. Coletta City Clerk

Legal notices

Notice of Availability of Charity Care Services

Clinton Memorial Hospital of St. Johns will make available from January 1, 1980 to December 31, 1980, \$53,000.00 of Hill-Burton charity care. Charity care will be available on a first request basis, to eligible persons needing care who are unable to pay, for inpatient hospital services, until the facility's annual compliance level is met. Eligibility for Charity care will be limited to persons whose family income is not more than twice the current poverty income guidelines established by the Community Services Administration.

Poverty guidelines

Table with 2 columns: Category A, Category B. Rows include Non-farm family, Farm Family, and \*size of family unit.

This notice is published in accordance with 42 C.F.R. 124.505 Notice of Availability of Uncompensated Services (as required by Federal Regulation).

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# The Back Page

## Parties are a rule for Mrs Pagel's ladies

By Patrice Hornak  
Editor  
St. Johns

She calls them "My ladies." They're not patients or clients or residents or roomers. They are "My ladies."

Mrs. Ethel Pagel's "ladies" live in her big and beautiful house at 505 E. Walker. The proper name for the house is Pagel's Home for the Aged. It's a licensed home for up to eight elderly women, though there are only five residing there now.

The women who live at Mrs. Pagel's are there because they "want somebody else to take care of them," says Mrs. Pagel. "I'm a maid," she chuckled.

But, she is more than a maid. She is a housemother, an activities director, a counselor and a confidant. She ensures that each of her ladies is taken care of "with care" she stipulates.

"It's not like that—all cooking and washing,"

she said. "There's an awful lot of love that goes into it. I think I spend 98 percent of my time with my ladies," she said.

Mrs. Pagel is concerned that many aged people look upon a home for the elderly as a final stop before the grave. "I want the ladies to think this is not the end of the world—it's a start of another part of their life," she stressed.

To accomplish this, she makes the home a homey home. Just last week she gave a Halloween party for her ladies and her ladies' friends. There were just under 30 women who enjoyed an afternoon of lunch, bridge and much laughter.

Each resident at Pagel's was urged to invite some of her friends to the party. The friends were encouraged to wear costumes and many of them did. Friends came from as far as Mason and Pewamo.

Parties are a rule at Pagel's. Every holiday is marked with a party. Christ-

mas last year was unbelievably festive, with over 300 presents under the tree Christmas Eve for the eight women who resided at Pagel's at that time.

"We have more fun," Mrs. Pael smiled. Her husband, Lyle bought her a nine-passenger Buick to transport her ladies from their St. Johns home to such destinations as Crystal Lake and the Upper Peninsula.

The five women now at Pagel's come from five different communities: Grand Rapids, Pewamo, Shepardsville, Mason and DeWitt. Only one requires the use of a walker to get around, the rest being healthy.

When asked what effect the proposed Clinton Area Care Center will have upon her business, Mrs. Pagel said, "A real good nursing home would be a God's blessing."

"They say we have beds enough but we don't have the beds for those in bed and in need of care," she said.

She also said that in one of her ladies gets sick, it's up to the family to find a place to take th elderly woman and those places are few and far between.

"They have to go out of the county and then their children can't get to them," said Mrs. Pagel.

Mrs Pagel got a taste of the home for the aged business between the ages of 16 and 24. She worked in a big convalescent home in Lakview at that time.

After working at Federal-Mogul for 19 years, she started her own business. It was a business she could keep while raising her family: Sandy, Peggy, and twins Sharon and Karen, the youngest who will turn 21 in January.

Her husband is away from home except on weekends. He helps her with the grocery shopping and the bookkeeping. But, it's Mrs. Pagel who makes Pagel's Home for the Aged a real home for "My ladies."



**Halloween spirit**

Getting with the Halloween spirit are Eva Koenigsnecht is employed by Pagel's Home Baker (left) and Donna Koenigsnecht, Ms. for the Aged. (Photo by Patrice Hornak)

## It's Trading Post time again in Elsie

By Patrice Hornak  
Editor  
Elsie

Every spring and every fall there's a Trading Post in Elsie. People come from

miles around to sell their goods, or buy someone else's goods. It's become a tradition in Elsie.

For over 30 years the Elsie Literary Club has sponsored this swap shop. This year's event is open today, Nov. 7 and runs

through Monday, Nov. 12 at the American Legion Post just south of the traffic light in Elsie.

In the fall, one can find clothing and winter wear, as well as appliances, toys, furniture, etc. It's like a big

garage sale, only all the merchandise must be good, clean and seasonal stresses Mrs. Jennie Loznak. She and Mrs. Stephanie Marton and Mrs. Elisabeth Levy are running the show this year.

Each piece of clothing or other merchandise is logged and tagged with a price set by the seller. When that coat, for instance is purchased it is scratched off the log sheet and one-fourth of the purchase price is donated to the Elsie Literary Club—25 cents on the dollar is commission.

Each day the Fall Trading Post probably will have a \$1,000 sales volume. net profit will also be around \$1,000.

Persons do not have to be members to either bring articles to be sold or to purchase items at the Fall trading Post.

There are presently 54 members in the organization. During the Fall Trading Post each will be donating eight hours of her time, working two half days. The Trading Post will be open from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. except on Saturday when hours will be 9-5.

With the money the club raises through the Trading Post, the women have sent representatives to Girl's State, helped with the summer recreational program, sent candidates for Ovid and Elsie to the Special Olympics, and given scholarships to Ovid-Elsie High School students.

The club has also led the cancer drive in their community, given a lot of money to the park fund, put cement benches in front of the library and post office, delivered Christmas baskets and they help those who have lost their home to fire. "Everything we get we give back to the community," said Mrs. Loznak.

Besides the community betterment work they do, they also take time to go to the Fisher Theatre, the Renaissance Center, Meadowbrook Hall or other Michigan attractions.



**Getting ready**

Demonstrating how items are checked into the Elsie Trading Post are (from left) Mrs. Elisabeth Levy, Mrs. Jennie Loznak and Mrs. Stephanie Marton. (Photo by Patrice Hornak)

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