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Leo makes Christmas brighter in Fowler

By Deborah LaParl  
County News Writer

**FOWLER** - Who is just about as jolly as Ole' St Nick? Anyone who knows Leo Motz of Maple St. Fowler, would agree that he has just about as much Christmas spirit as the little old elf himself.

For the past 4 years, Motz has delighted children and adults alike with his original Christmas displays. People come to his home in crowds to view the enormous assortment of hand made items he has created. Each visitor is given a candy cane, a small display of the great joy Motz feels about children and Christmas.

"The enjoyment I get out of this is seeing the children's faces when they look at my displays," Motz said.

**BEGAN 20 YEARS AGO**

Motz began creating his Christmas scenes about 20 years ago, and has been adding to them ever since. Each tiny item is made by hand from scrap material.

One of the main items in one display is a miniature town. Each house, about 4 or 5 inches high, is constructed from Styrofoam saved for Motz by some of the teachers at Holy Trinity School, where he has worked as a janitor since his retirement from the oil delivery business.

The chimneys of some of the houses are constructed from used flash cubes which Motz has stacked together.

His main asset is his imagination. Motz is able to transform pipe cleaners and card board into sleds carrying tiny packages, also made from scraps. Pop bottle caps become hats for elves and a teeter totter is constructed from film rollers because Motz is able to see them that way.

The figures in the displays are hand med from molding clay, putty, or hand carved from soft wood. They are dressed in old pieces of cloth Motz has kept from years back.

**TAILORED DOLL CLOTHES**

"This dress was made from some of the clothes my daughter wore as a child," Motz said displaying a figure in a soft red dress, tailored to fit the doll perfectly.

Motz created a tiny stuffed teddy bear from the one his son cast off years ago.

"Anything anyone throws away, I can use," he said. Motz said the finishing touch to all of the projects is paint. The town was painted with fluorescent paint and is placed under a black light. The effect is magic.

Houses, churches, santas, and an assortment of other things glow in colors of green, orange, yellow, red, blue and purple.

**BIG AND LITTLE DIPPER**

The sky over the town is illuminated with yellow stars. Motz, a star gazer, has constructed the big and little dipper over the town, the exact way you would see them if you looked into the night.

Not only does Motz show his Christmas spirit by inviting the entire area to his home, but he takes a bit of Christmas to others as well. The 4th through 6th grade class rooms receive a small Christmas display from Motz to show in their rooms, and each child in the school, about 500 students, receives a Christmas candy cane.

"Those kids and teachers make my day," Motz said. "I'm lost when I'm not with my kids."

Motz really enjoys his hobby, and said that sometimes he gets up in the middle of the night to create an item that he has been thinking about. He has occasionally stayed up all night to work on his projects.

"It's relaxing," Motz said. "Sometimes I work all night and am not a bit tired in the morning. I get just as much enjoyment from my hobby as some get from playing golf."

The school has been given a replica of the school and the Holy Trinity Church by Motz.

**DELIGHTS IN SHARING**

Sharing his Christmas spirit makes Motz as happy as he makes others. He delights in seeing the joy on the faces of the children as they view his Christmas scenes.

"I really enjoy those children," Motz said. "My son Mark in Detroit, and my daughter Mary Lee in Midland just don't get home too often."



...and Mommy scolds me when I do this at home

Three year-old Annette Beebe looks so grown up, probably imitating what she has seen her mother do numerous times. What she is doing, however, is a lesson in experiencing different things. Annette is 1 of about 16 little girls from The Ginger Bread House, a nursery school who had "a learning experience." Teacher Joan Valentine believes that these learning experiences are good for the children, and this one especially. The girls had their hair done at St. Johns High School cosmetology dept. by older students. "I think the schools need to work together as much as possible," the teacher said.



The beautiful figures in the Christmas scene were all made by the creative hands of Leo Motz. He uses scraps of this and that to create a Christmas wonderland.



Dazzling colored lights and tiny imaginative sleds, people, houses and numerous other items are the reason why so many people visit Leo Motz during Christmas to see the displays he created.

The Christmas story

ST. LUKE CHAPTER II, 1-21  
(From The Way, The Living Bible)

About this time Caesar Augustus, the Roman Emperor, decreed that a census should be taken throughout the nation. (This census was taken when Quirinius was governor of Syria.)

Everyone was required to return to his ancestral home for this registration. And because Joseph was a member of the royal line, he had to go to Bethlehem in Judea, King David's ancient home - journeying there from the Galilean village of Nazareth. He took with him Mary, his fiancée, who was obviously pregnant by this time.

And while they were there, the time came for her baby to be born, and she gave birth to her first child, a son. She wrapped him in a blanket and laid him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the village inn.

That night some shepherds were in the fields outside the village, guarding their flocks of sheep. Suddenly an angel appeared among them, and the landscape shone bright with the glory of the Lord. They were badly frightened, but the angel reassured them.

"Don't be afraid!" he said. "I bring you the most joyful news ever announced, and it is for everyone! The Saviour - yes, the Messiah, the Lord - has been born tonight in Bethlehem. How will you recognize him? You will find a baby wrapped in a blanket, lying in a manger!"

Suddenly, the angel was joined by a vast host of others - the armies of heaven - praising God.

"Glory to God in the highest heaven," they sang, "and peace on earth for all those pleasing him."

When this great army of angels had returned again to heaven, the shepherds said to each other, "Come on! Let's go to Bethlehem! Let's see this wonderful thing that has happened, which the Lord has told us about."

They ran to the village and found their way to Mary and Joseph. And there was the baby, lying in the manger. The shepherds told everyone what had happened and what the angel had said to them about this child. All who heard the shepherds' story expressed astonishment, but Mary quietly treasured these things in her heart and often thought about them.

Then the shepherds went back again to their field and flocks, praising God for the visit of the angels, and because they had seen the child, just as the angel had told them.

Public Service Commission orders crossing improvements

The Michigan Public Service Commission has ordered Penn Central Transportation Company to install flashing-light signal protection at the Penn Central grade crossing with the intersection of Cutler and Upton Roads.

The crossing is on the border of Bath and Victor Townships.

The crossing is now protected by advance-warning and crossbuck signs.

According to a letter to the County News from William R. Ralls, commissioner with the Public Service Commission, the Commission's staff, township representatives,

the Clinton County Road Commission and local police and school officials inspected the grade crossing.

Following their inspection, the staff recommended repair of the crossing and upgrading of the warning devices.

Penn Central was notified of the decision and ordered to take action with 1 year.

Ralls stated the "action by the Commission is illustrative of the general need in all parts of the state for improved grade crossing protection. Grade crossing safety is primary responsibility of the Public Service Commission and one which deserves increased emphasis by all governmental units."

Road Commission deals with tax revenue cut

ST. JOHNS - Clinton County is now among other counties who have been affected by the cut in state gasoline tax revenue.

Although 3 northern Michigan counties have had to cut road maintenance on secondary roads for the weekends, R. J. Hebrner, superintendent of the Clinton County Road Commission, does not see this in Clinton County's future.

Hebrner said the funds from the state had been cut, but said he would find other ways to deal with the problem.

"We will just have to watch our overtime work," Hebrner said. "That's where a lot of the money goes. We don't plan any cut-backs at this time."

However, when asked what would happen if a snow storm occurred after regular hours and men would have to be put on overtime, Hebrner commented:

"We would plow on main roads and emergency routes only."

For the first 10 months of 1974, highway users have consumed 3.4 billion gallons of gasoline as compared with 3.6 billion gallons during the same period in 1973, a decrease of 4.2 per cent. Hebrner doesn't predict things to get any better in the near future.

"I speculate in saying that our next allocation, which will be in February, will also be cut," he said.

Clinton Memorial nurses organize

ST. JOHNS - Registered nurses and licensed practical nurses at Clinton Memorial Hospital voted Thursday night 32-0 to designate the Clinton Memorial Hospital Nurses organization as their official collective bargaining agent.

The election was conducted by the National Labor Relations Board with Staff Services Consultants Inc representing the nurses.

A news release phoned to the Clinton County News by Staff Services Consultants said, "It is our hope that through a formal bargaining relationship with our employer we can correct some of the problems we have in order to provide the best possible care to the patients who require our services," said spokeswoman Nancy Barnes.

Paul McNamara, hospital administrator, said the hospital intends to negotiate with the bargaining agent in good faith.

SJHS Band brings the circus to town

ST. JOHNS - Voorheis Brothers Circus will be in St. Johns for 2 showings Jan. 31.

The circus will be held in the high school gymnasium with proceeds going toward the St. Johns Redwing Marching Band's trip to

Dallas, Tex.

The circus is just 1 of several events sponsored to enable the band to participate in the Lions International Convention in Dallas.

Friday area high school basketball results

Alma 77  
St. Johns 64

Leslie 73  
Bath 69

Fowler 64  
DeWitt 63

Fulton 80  
P-W 67

Ovid-Elsie 71  
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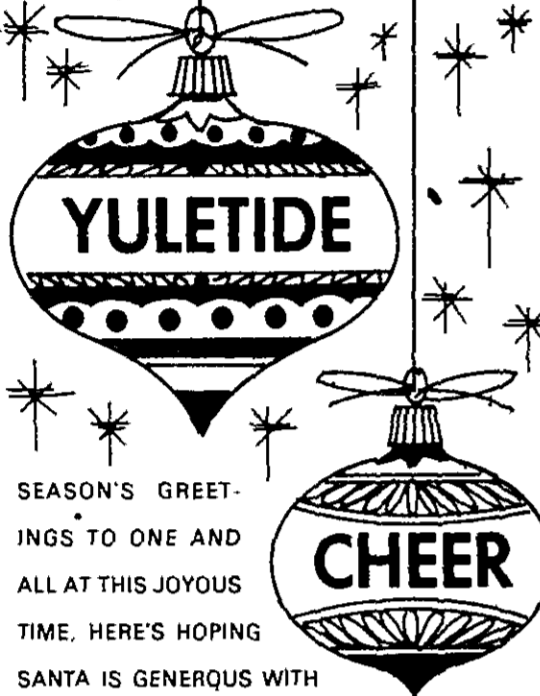


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**"Eat 'em mashed and you won't get smashed" says the Auto Club**

A taste-tempting array of food and a watchful eye on the bar are safeguards a holiday host can take to insure that party guests arrive home safely, according to Automobile Club of Michigan.

"Since Christmas and New Year's are mid-week holidays this year, and more motorists will be staying near home to enjoy private parties than usual, our annual advice to be 'First A Friend, Then A Host' (FAFTH) is especially important this year," said James G. Moffat, Auto Club general manager.

Moffat noted that an estimated 8 out of every 10 state motorists will drink sometime during the holidays and drive, adding that "Every party host should feel a moral obligation to get his guests home safely."

To aid the holiday party-giver, Auto Club is offering to the public a free recipe booklet filled with tips on how to prevent party-goers from drinking to the point of becoming unfit motorists. Titled "Your Party Guide to Good Eating and Safe Drinking," it is available at the 55 Auto Club offices throughout Michigan.

"By offering food at a party, and plenty of it, you can help draw the guests' attention away from the bar," the booklet stresses. A tangy cheese spread, a hearty beef stew and an easy-to-make non-alcoholic punch are among the menu suggestions the recipe booklet features.

Last year, 13 persons died on Michigan highways during the 102-hour Christmas holiday and 24 were killed during a similar period during New Year's. Auto Club notes that approximately 50 percent of these deaths involved motorists known or suspected of drinking.

Michigan motorists are expected to travel an estimated 340 million miles on state highways this year during both Christmas and New Year's—much less than usual because the holiday periods will last only 30 hours each.



*Eat 'em mashed*

"Eat 'em mashed and you won't get smashed." That's the advice of "chef" Arthur Gibson, Automobile Club of Michigan's Safety and Traffic Engineering manager. Before heading out to Christmas and New Year's parties, motorists should eat mashed potatoes or some other starchy dish, Auto Club notes. These foods help retain alcohol in the stomach and slow its absorption into the bloodstream. In urging all party-goers to be "First A Friend, Then A Host," Auto Club notes that last year approximately half of Michigan's 34 fatal traffic accidents involved motorists known or suspected of drinking. Auto Club estimates that 80 percent of Michigan motorists will drink sometime during the holidays and drive.

The Christmas holiday officially begins at 6 pm Tuesday (Dec 24) and ends at midnight Wednesday (Dec 25). New Year's begins at 6 pm Tuesday (Dec 31) and runs to midnight Wednesday (Jan 1).

Auto Club suggests this five-point plan for a safe, successful holiday party:


- 1 Plan an ample selection of hors d'oeuvres and party "nibblers." Alcohol has a quicker effect when consumed on an empty stomach.
- 2 Keep your party's liquor supply out of sight and coffee and other non-alcoholic beverages in plain view.
- 3 Never press a drunk on an unwilling guest. Hospitality means respecting his wishes if he says "no thanks" or "make it coffee."
- 4 An hour before the party ends, stop serving alcoholic beverages and provide your guests with a substantial meal.
- 5 If you feel a guest has had too much to drink, don't let him drive home. Arrange for someone else to give him a ride or call a taxi.

Moffat said that party guests can help prevent overindulgence in alcohol by following Auto Club's advice to "eat 'em mashed and you won't get smashed." Before heading to a party, they should eat a starchy dish such as mashed potatoes or baked beans—food that acts like a sponge by retaining alcohol in the stomach and slowing its rate of absorption into the bloodstream.

"Once at the party, guests should spend a good half hour 'sipping the first drink,'" Moffat said. "During the evening, they should drink at a moderate, even pace and nibble on food."

Auto Club's FAFTH recipe book suggests a party game called "Walk-a-Line" to help hosts determine if guests are sober enough to drive home safely. Have guests walk a 10-foot strip of tape or a party streamer after a few drinks. If they can do so easily without weaving, then they are still in relatively good shape.

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Legal News

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Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made on the 14th day of July, 1972, between ROYAL E ROSE and LUCILLE E ROSE, husband and wife, Mortgagees, and CAPITOL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION, Mortgagee, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan on July 17, 1972, in Liber 266 of Mortgages, page 441, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice for principal and interest, the sum of TWENTY ONE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED THIRTY AND 47/100 (\$21,430.47) DOLLARS and an attorney fee of SEVENTY FIVE (\$75.00) DOLLARS allowed by law, as provided in said Mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, on Friday, the 10th day of January, 1975, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the North entrance of the Clinton County Courthouse, in the City of St. Johns, County of Clinton, State of Michigan, that being one of the places where the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton is held, sell at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in the said Mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount as aforesaid due on said Mortgage, with seven (7%) percent interest, and all legal costs, together with said attorney fee, which said premises are described as follows in said Mortgage: Part of the South

west 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 26, T8N, R1W, Victor Township, Clinton County, Michigan, described as follows: Beginning in the center of Round Lake Road (formerly Grand River Road) at a point 429 feet Southeastly from the intersection of said road and the West line of said Section 26, continuing thence Southeastly along said road 264 feet, thence South 330 feet, thence Northwesterly parallel with said road, 284 feet, thence North 330 feet to the place of beginning. Subject to easements, restrictions and rights of way of record.

The length of the redemption period as provided by law is six (6) months from the time of sale. DATED December 11, 1974 CAPITOL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION Cummins, Butler & Thorburn 301 Capitol Savings & Loan Building Lansing, Michigan 48933 Attorneys for Mortgagee

State of Michigan, In the Circuit Court for the County of CLINTON CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK OF ST. JOHNS, Plaintiff, vs. CHARLES J. SHAWNEE, JR., and LINDA L. SHAWNEE, Defendants. NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE File No 74-CH

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Charles J. Shawnee, Jr., and Linda L. Shawnee, of the City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan, said Mortgage being dated the 11th day of May, A.D. 1973, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan, on the 15th day of May, A.D. 1973, in Liber 271 of Mortgages, Page 66, which Mortgage is claimed to be due at the date herein, in the amount of Twenty-Eight Thousand Six Hundred Thirty and 70/100 (\$28,630.70) Dollars, together with collection fees and interest thereon, and, no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and in pursuance of the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that on the 17th day of January, A.D. 1975, at 10:00 a.m., Eastern Standard Time, said Mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Clinton County Courthouse located in the City of St. Johns, Michigan, that being the place for holding Circuit Court in the County of Clinton, State of Michigan, and being the County in which the premises described in said Mortgage are located, and so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amounts due as aforesaid, on said mortgage, with interest thereon, at the rate of seven (7%) percent per annum, and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sums which may be paid by the undersigned to protect its interest in said premises, which

premises are legally described as follows:

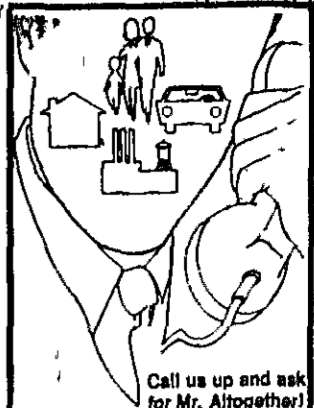
Lots 10, 11 and 12, except the East 55 feet thereof, Block 83, City of St. Johns.

There being more than two-thirds (2/3) of the original indebtedness still due and owing, the redemption period shall be six (6) months from the date of sale as aforesaid.

Dated at St. Johns, Michigan, this 13 day of December, A.D. 1974.

Maples & Wood Attorneys for Plaintiff Dated: December 12, 1974

By: Paul A. Maples (P 17063) 210 North Clinton Avenue St. Johns, Michigan 48979 34-5



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**Elsie**

The program closed with a reading by Mrs Rule entitled "Christmas Treasures" followed by singing of "Joy to the World".

Gifts were exchanged, each member brought something

that she had made for the exchange.

Refreshments were served by the committee of Mrs Myron Tethal, Mrs Charles Holcomb and Mrs Hess, who substituted

for Mrs Jean Cobb, who was ill with the flu

**Arrest 3 on charges of breaking and entering**

ST. JOHNS -- St Johns Sheriff's Dept officials have arrested 3 Lansing residents on charges of breaking and entering a garage at 9401 S. Airport Rd.

A fox hide was reported taken from the garage, owned by Jerry Terrell. Arrested were Timothy Jones, 18, his wife, Susan Jones, 18; and Maurice Daniel Powers,

18, all of 108 1/2 S. Butler, Lansing. They were charged with breaking and entering and released on \$1000 bond.

**Vacant house burns**

ST. JOHNS -- A 2.27 am fire Saturday, Dec 14, totally destroyed a home at 832 S Williams Rd, St Johns, owned

by Irving Eaton, 603 S. Clinton. The fire is under investigation by the Clinton County Sheriff's Dept.



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# 4-H Chatter

## 4-H youth promote consumer education

By JOHN AYLSWORTH

Adults are not the only ones concerned with today's inflated prices. Young people, too, are applying all those "dollar stretchers" they can muster. Four 4-H members from throughout the United States, who were selected as National Winners in Consumer Education project, emphasize their thoughts in this project area.

Vicki Wisecarver, 18, Whitesburg, Tenn., found in her

surveys that 9 out of 10 homemakers made grocery lists, but only 50% hold to the list.

She has conducted comparative buying exercises in her community. From these Miss Wisecarver determined that "We need to know how to spend money and how to get the most value from our dollar. We need to know when and where to buy and the time of year which is best for certain purchases."

Lisa Clapp, 19, South Windsor, Conn., agrees "Everyone who buys items in any type of store has need for consumer education." While taking a broader view of consumer education than buying weekly groceries and clothing, she does feel "Shoppers should never get grocery shopping with an empty stomach. A shopping list also helps cut impulse buying," she explains.

"Too many persons spend their money unwisely!" Karen Isakson, 18, of Fargo, ND observes. "A person's income is never able to cover all expenses if the person spends unwisely. It becomes extremely important to compare prices and quality before buying and to maintain a budget," the 4-H'er explains. Like most persons, Miss Isakson admits disliking recordkeeping. However, she says "I've discovered how really valuable spending records are to evaluate income and spending habits. Until I began writing it down, it seemed my money just came and went and I never really knew where. With the figures right in front of me, I can really begin to budget."

Kathi Coste, 19, of Lompoc, Calif., suggests that persons can save money by spending wisely and cautiously. "As consumers, we have the right to be concerned about rising prices, but we must also understand the facts behind rising costs." She suggests do-it-yourself ideas, including home gardening and sewing as ways to stretch dollars.

Clinton County 4-H members will be receiving the 4-H teward forms in early January to see if they would be interested in participating in the state and national 4-H award program. Maybe one of them will be a national winner in 1975.

**HOST FOREIGN STUDENTS**

Clinton County has six families serving as host families for the 1975 Adventure in World Understanding for foreign students attending colleges throughout the United States. These students are unable to be home with their own families for this Christmas holiday season. The 6 families are: Gerald Myers, Fowler, will host a woman from Ethiopia; James Pierson, St. Johns, will host a woman from Hong Kong; Dick Thelen, Fowler, will host a man from Indonesia; Charles Zigler, St. Johns, will host a man from Ethiopia. Gary Hayes and Duane Ingalls, St. Johns, have applied, but had not been assigned a foreign student yet as of this writing. The families will pick up their foreign student Tuesday, Dec. 24, at Kellogg Center in East Lansing and will return the student Thursday, Dec. 26. My congratulations go to these host families, who have opened up their homes during this holiday season to share Christmas with someone far away from home. It will be a great experience for each family to learn about these students and the country they come from.

**SNOW CAMP TRIP**

Letters will be going out to the 4-H Snow Camp trip award winners after Christmas for this annual trip to Traverse City area for a weekend of fun Saturday, Jan. 25, to Monday, Jan. 27. The cost for the weekend will be \$10 for trip winners and \$21.50 for all others. The fee includes 6 meals, 2 nights lodging, insurance and transportation. Anyone who has gone in the past knows about those delicious meals Mrs. Heim and staff prepare everyday. We generally take about 20 snowmobiles to provide a lot of exciting outdoor activity, along with toboggans and other snow activities. The capacity of the camp is 100 people, so anyone who is interested in attending 3 days of a fun-filled weekend should turn in their money with their registration as soon as possible at the County Extension Office in St. Johns.

**SIGN UP STEERS**

BY JAN 1

Presently 56 4-H beef steers have been signed up for the 1975 Clinton County 4-H fair livestock show and sale Aug 11-13 by 40 different members. Sixteen members have signed up for 2 steers while 24 members have signed up for a single steer. The deadline for sign up is Jan 1. Anyone else planning to have a steer for 1975 should have it enrolled at the County Extension Office before Jan 1.

**CHRISTMAS ACTIVITIES**

Members of the Round Lake Stitches 4-H club answered roll call by stating an inexpensive Christmas gift. The members enjoyed roller skating Dec 19th at the Ranch Roller Rink in St. Johns and visited the Avon Nursing Home Dec 17th. Cindy Steavens and Connie Law demonstrated how to make Christmas ornaments and then all members made some mod podge Christmas ornaments for each patient in the nursing home. The girls enjoyed a Christmas party following the business meeting.

**NIMBLE FINGERS CHRISTMAS PARTY**

The Nimble Fingers 4-H Club members enjoyed a Christmas party for their December meeting with gift exchanging. Dorella Marten gave a talk on her trip to North Carolina as part of the 4-H exchange trip. She explained the difference between 4-H in Michigan and North Carolina. Demonstrations were given by Cheryl Bancroft, Becky Barnes, Carolyn Bast and Carolyn Buggs. The members enjoyed going roller skating Dec 19 at Ranch Roller Rink in St. Johns. Their next meeting will be Monday, Jan 13, at Smith Hall.

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**Jim's Column**  
 Jim Pelham  
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Last week we received word from resource development specialist, Bettie Mowery that salesmen working in several areas of the state are using unethical and in some cases illegal practices to sell smoke detection and alarm systems.

At least one firm is claiming that Michigan Law requires the mobile home owner to install these safety devices Public Act 133 does call for all mobile homes manufactured, sold within, or brought into the state to be equipped with smoke detection and multipurpose fire alarm systems.

The law does not, however, apply to mobile homes manufactured, sold or purchased prior to the effective date of the act which was Dec 5, 1974. This sales pitch is false and misleading.

Hucksters are also using scarce tactics to sell the alarm systems and charging exorbitant prices of up to \$299. Smoke detection and alarm systems are recommended to improve mobile home safety but owners should not be pressured into buying without investigating the market. The Michigan Mobile Home and Recreation Vehicle Institute says that devices which meet with approval of the State Construction Code Commission can be purchased for \$40-50.

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**Chloe's Column**  
*Poinsettia pointers*  
 Chloe Padgett  
 Clinton County Home Economist

You can keep your poinsettia for next Christmas. With proper care, this traditional holiday plant will flower again in 1975.

For now, place your poinsettia near a sunny window or other well-lighted area. Don't let any part of the plant touch the cold window panes. Poinsettias prefer 60-70 degree daytime temperatures and a cooler 55-60 degree environment at night. Examine the soil daily. Water only when the soil is dry to the touch.

New varieties have flowers that remain on the poinsettia for several months. During this time, side shoots grow up above the old flowering stem.

To have a well-shaped plant, it's necessary to do some trimming. This is usually done in February or early March. Cut back the original stem to 4 to 6 inches in height. This will cause the buds in the top leaf axils to grow and develop.

Continue to keep the plant in a sunny window. Water and fertilize as needed. Water and fertilize as needed.

In late spring, repot the plant if its grown too large for its original container. Plant the poinsettia outside in its pot after night temperatures exceed 50 degrees and all danger of frost is past. Place in a well-drained, slightly shaded area.

Between July 15 and Aug 1, cut off the end portion of all shoots. These can be rooted in a mixture of half peat moss and half sand.

Take all poinsettias, including the new ones, inside before the first frost. Place the poinsettias in a sunny window as before.

For your plans to flower, they must be kept in complete darkness between 5 pm and 8 am daily. This should be done from the end of September until color shows on the bracts - almost mid-December. Poinsettias are "photoperiod responders." The length of darkness from sunset to sunrise tells them when to bloom. To artificially shorten their days, place in a dark closet or cover with light-tight boxes. The temperatures again should remain between 60 and 70. Have a merry, colorful Christmas!

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**FOX - We wish to thank** our friends and relatives, Father Schmitt and The Osgood Funeral Home, Special thanks to Mr and Mrs Arnold Miller for their kindness. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fox. 35-1-p-30

**WIELAND - We wish to thank** Drs. and nurses at the Clinton Memorial Hospital, Rev. Carson, relatives, friends and neighbors for their flowers and donations during our recent bereavement. Also thanks to the ladies fellowship for serving luncheon. 35-1-p-30

**DOYLE - We wish to thank** our family and friends for their lovely cards and gifts to help celebrate our 25th wedding anniversary-Raymond and Josephine Doyle. It was greatly appreciated. 35-1-p-30

**KRAMER - The family of** Burton Keene Kramer wish to express their sincere thanks to Drs. Martens, Dr. Collier, Dr. Wiley, all of Lansing, Dr. Garapetian and the staff of Clinton Memorial Hospital. A special thanks to the nurses and aids on second floor for all the wonderful care given to him. Also to Mrs. Mary Ellen Buggs, Mrs. Mary Ewing and Miss Clara Lee, Father Hanked and Fr. Goehring and the sisters of St. Joseph for their many wonderful visits and consoling words. For all our family and friends for their welcomed visits and thoughtfulness during his many hospital stays and at home the past 13 months for all the beautiful flowers and mass cards and donations, food that was sent in by the neighbors and friends to all his friends in the Plumber Dept. at Motor Wheel for their many acts of kindness. To the guild for the dinner. To Osgoods for the beautiful funeral arrangements and consoling words on the loss of our wonderful husband and father. May God Bless you all. 35-1-p-30

**WOODHAMS - Words** cannot express the kindness and thoughtfulness shown us at the time of sickness and death of our father and husband. We wish to thank all the Drs., nurses at St. Lawrence Hospital, also Rev. Prange, friends and neighbors, the Ladies of Church and VFW adults for the fine lunch. Their kindness and thoughtfulness was very much appreciated. Family of Eugene Woodhams. 35-1-p-30

**STEVENS - We wish to** express our sincere and heartfelt thanks to our relatives, friends, neighbors, Oldsmobile Electric Dept., Local No. 652 UAW for the beautiful floral offerings, cards and food. Also St. Lawrence Hospital, Dr. Harold, Dr. Calkins, Clinton Memorial Hospital, Dr. Fritzpatrick, Clinton Area Ambulance Service, Osgood Funeral Home, the pallbearers and Rev. Paul Jones for their services and many acts of kindness during the illness and death of our husband and father. The family of Lyle B. Stevens. 35-1-p-30

**CAIN - The family of Norman** Cain wishes to thank Dr. Russell and Grost, all the nurses and aides of 2nd floor at Clinton Memorial Hospital for the wonderful care given to him, and also to Fr. Hanked and Fr. Goehring, and the sisters of St. Joseph for the visits and words of consolation. To all our family and friends and neighbors for food and help during our time of bereavement. Thank you to St. Helen's Guild for the dinner and to Osgood Funeral Home for their wonderful arrangements and for all the many mass cards and donations to the cancer society. Your thoughtfulness will never be forgotten. 35-1-p-30

**KRAMER - The family of** Burton Keene Kramer wish to express their sincere thanks to Dr. Martens, Dr. Collier, Dr. Wiley all of Lansing, Dr. Garapetian and the staff of Clinton Memorial Hospital for the special thanks to the nurses and aids on the second floor for the wonderful care given to him and also to Mrs. Mary Ellen Buggs, Mrs. Mary Ewing, and Miss Clara Lee, Father Hanked and Fr. Goehring, and the sisters of St. Joseph for their many wonderful visits and thought

"The noblest task that confronts us all today is to leave this country unspoiled in honor, and unexhausted in resources. I conceive this task to partake of the highest spirit of patriotism." - Gifford Pinchot

**O'LEARY - The family of John** O'Leary wishes to express their thanks and appreciation to Father Hanked for his kind words. To all neighbors, friends and relatives, Federal Mogul employees for the beautiful flowers, cards and mass cards. A special thanks to the employees of the Wheel Inn for their kindness and assistance and also to Osgood Funeral Home for their consoling words and kind assistance throughout our recent bereavement. Jaunita O'Leary & family 35-1-0-30

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In Memoriam  
In memory of our beloved son and brother Denny Smith who left us one year ago, December 15.

It broke our hearts to lose you,  
But you did not go alone.  
A part of us went with you.  
The day God called you home.  
You wished no one a last farewell,  
Nor even said goodbye.  
You were gone before we knew it,  
And only God knows why.  
They say time heals our sorrow  
And helps us to forget,  
But time so far has only proved  
How much we miss you yet.  
Mom, Dad, Sue & Keith, Gary & Sara, Vicki & Tom & Lexa  
35-1-31

**NOTICE**

REGULAR 1975 CLINTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MEETINGS

The Clinton County Board of Commissioners will hold regular meetings on the first Tuesday of each month, with the exception of April and October. These being set by State Statute.

January 2	July 1
February 4	August 5
March 4	September 2
April 15	October 14
May 6	November 4
June 3	December 2

At 9:00 a.m. in the courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan.  
Ernest E. Carter, County Clerk

**NOTICE**

REGULAR 1975 CLINTON COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION MEETINGS

The Clinton County Planning Commission will hold regular meetings on the second Wednesday of each month as follows:

January 8	July 9
February 13	August 13
March 12	September 10
April 9	October 8
May 14	November 12
June 11	December 10

At 7:30 p.m. in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan.  
Roman Koenigsnecht,  
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**Legal News**

**NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE**

DEFAULT having been made in the condition of a certain indenture of mortgage made on August 27, 1963, by WILLIAM F. JAYNES and JUDY ANN JAYNES, husband and wife, to AMERICAN ANNUITY LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, a Michigan corporation, of Lansing, Michigan, as mortgagee, and recorded on August 28, 1963, in Liber 238, at Page 88, at the Office of the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid as of the date of this Notice the principal sum of FOUR THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED EIGHTY-EIGHT and 74/100 (\$4,388.74) DOLLARS, with interest in the amount of FOUR HUNDRED NINETY-FIVE and 12/100 (\$495.12) DOLLARS, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt or any part thereof, secured by said indenture of mortgage, and the power of sale in said indenture of mortgage contained having become operative by reason of such default:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on January 7, 1974, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon at the north entrance to the Courthouse in the City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder or bidders at public auction or vendue, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid on said mortgage, together with all legal costs and charges of sale and includable attorney fees, the lands and premises in the said mortgage mentioned and described as follows:

Lots 16 and 17, Supervisor's Plat of Ballantines Wee Farms, Section 28, T5N, R2W, DeWitt Township, Clinton County, Michigan.

The period within which the above premises may be redeemed shall expire one year from date of sale.

Dated: December 4, 1974  
AMERICAN ANNUITY LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, a Michigan corporation of Lansing, Michigan, Mortgagee

FOSTER, LINDEMER, SWIFT & COLLINS  
Attorneys for Mortgagee  
900 American Bank and Trust Bldg.  
Lansing, Michigan 48933 32-5

State of Michigan, In the Circuit Court for the County of CLINTON.  
FLORENCE SCHOALS, Plaintiff vs THE DIRECTORS OF BATH COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION of Bath, Clinton County, Michigan, its assigns, successors and creditors, and THE COMMUNITY HALL ASSOCIATION of the Township of Bath, Clinton County, Michigan, its assigns, successors and creditors, Defendants.

ORDER TO ANSWER  
File No: 74

On this 29th day of Nov, 1974, an action was filed by Florence Schoals, Plaintiff against The Directors of Bath Community Association and The Community Hall Association, successors and creditors, Defendants, in this Court to quiet title to the following described piece of parcel of land situate and being in the Village of Bath, County of Clinton, and State of Michigan, as described and follows:

The South part of Lot 4, Block 7, the Village of Bath, Clinton County, Michigan, and Land commencing (44) forty-four feet North of the Southwest corner of Lot (4) four, Block 7, of the Village of Bath, Clinton Co., Mich. Running thence north along the east side of main street (22) twenty-two feet, thence easterly at right angles with main street (8) rods to a point intercepting the line of lots running between four and nine. Thence north on said line (22) twenty-two feet. Thence westerly (8) eight rods to place of beginning. The same being the north (22) twenty-two feet of lot four, block seven of the Village of Bath, Clinton Co., Michigan.

and that the title to all of Lot (4) Four, Block (7) seven, the Village of Bath by the premises herein described be ordered to be in the Plaintiff's name.

It further appearing that after diligent search and inquiry it cannot be ascertained, and it is not known whether or not said defendants are presently in existence, or where any of them may reside, whether it has personal representatives or assigns or where it or they or some of them may reside, and further that the present whereabouts of said defendants are unknown, and that the names of the persons who are included therein under the title of unknown successors, and creditors, cannot be ascertained after diligent search and inquiry.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that said defendants and their unknown assigns, successors and creditors, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 1st day of March, 1975. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgment by default against such defendants for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

Dated: Nov 29, 1974.  
LEO W. CORKIN  
Circuit Judge  
By: S/Conway Longson  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
2708 E. Michigan Avenue  
Lansing, Michigan 48912 33-4

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**PLANNING COMMISSION**

**1975 MEETING DATES**

January 9, 1975	July 10, 1975
February 6, 1975	August 7, 1975
March 6, 1975	September 4, 1975
April 3, 1975	October 2, 1975
May 1, 1975	November 6, 1975
June 5, 1975	December 4, 1975

## Heart saving resolutions for the New Year

The New Year is a time to start anew to take better care of your heart.

"Resolve first to get a complete medical checkup," urges Dr. Donald Albert, Royal Oak cardiologist and president of the Michigan Heart Association. "Only your doctor can tell whether you are building toward a heart attack or stroke. Only he can prescribe the proper health measures to help prevent cardiovascular diseases."

Dr. Albert cites these grim statistics: an estimated 3,940,000 have coronary heart disease and 1,680,000 in the United States have been crippled by stroke. And he adds:

"The importance of keeping your heart-saving resolution takes on added significance when you realize that most heart attack deaths occur outside a hospital, before the victim receives medical treatment. In 1972, heart attack

killed nearly 700,000 Americans—half of them before they reached the hospital. Many thousands of these might have been saved if they had heeded the warning signs.

"In addition, more than 210,050 suffered a fatal stroke the same year. Many of these might have been saved if they had been diagnosed and treated for high blood pressure, a leading cause of stroke."

The Heart Association president urged every resident to learn the warning signs of heart attack and stroke. He said, "This knowledge could easily mean the difference between life and death for you, a friend or neighbor."

Following are the warning signs of heart attack:

- \*Prolonged, heavy pressure or squeezing pain in the center of the chest, behind the breastbone
- \*Pain may spread to the shoulders, arm, neck or jaw.
- \*Pain or discomfort is often accompanied by sweating.
- \*Nausea, vomiting and shortness of breath may also occur

These are the warning signs of stroke:

- \*Sudden, temporary weakness or numbness of the face, arm or leg.
- \*Temporary difficulty or loss of speech, or trouble understanding speech.
- \*Temporary dimness or loss of vision, particularly in one eye.
- \*An episode of double vision.
- \*Unexplained dizziness or unsteadiness
- \*Change in personality, mental ability, or in the pattern of your headaches may also occur

You can help prevent heart attack and stroke. Resolve now to get that medical checkup. And reduce your risk by keeping the following heart-saving resolutions:

- \*Don't smoke cigarettes.
- \*Control high blood pressure.
- \*Eat foods low in saturated fats and cholesterol.
- \*Exercise moderately and regularly.
- \*Maintain normal weight.

Michigan Heart Association is a United Way of Michigan agency.



### Pewamo

Mrs Estella Schafer and the family had their Christmas party at the home of Mr and Mrs Thomas House at Kalamazoo 39 were present for the pot luck dinner and supper followed by a gift exchange. The party was Saturday December 14.

Christmas day Mr and Mrs Carl Fox will have their Christmas gathering at their home with a Christmas dinner besides those at home were Mr and Mrs Dennis Pung and Gary Martin

Mrs Amelia Fox attended the funeral of Mr Lyle Stevens at St Johns.

Mr and Mrs Oscar Cook will have the Cook families at their home for their Christmas party Dec 22

Mrs Laurine Schafer will have their family home for Christmas dinner Dec 21 Saturday

Mr and Mrs Joseph L. Fox expect to have 65 present at their Christmas party at their home Sunday Dec 23. A pot luck will be served

Wednesday evening at 6:30 pm the Blue Star Mothers Club will have their Christmas party starting with a pot luck followed by Pedro and a gift exchange December 18 at the Elementary school

Mrs Estella spent Saturday night and Sunday visiting at the home of Mr and Mrs Donald Schmitz at Westphalia

Mr and Mrs Ray Pease and sons Tom and Tim of Grayling will have Christmas dinner with their mother Irene Fox Sunday Dec 22

Peace...  
Joy

May the true, deep meaning of Christmas fill the season with love and joy for you and yours

ED, BEVERLY, ARNOLD,  
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**Greetings**

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**Save Up To 22¢**

KROGER MINI-MIZER COUPON

Kroger Grade A Limit 1

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**Save Up To 47¢**

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A Holiday Favorite

**Fresh Broccoli** Large Bunches **\$1.39** Limit 3

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# Snowmobilers "rev-up" January in Michigan

The Michigan Tourist Council's January Calendar of Events verifies that 'snow time ain't no time to stay indoors' in Michigan. The month's 31 days offer lightening action, frosty fun and exciting events for good sports of all ages.

The center of action will be focused on the snowmobile tracks and trails highlighted by the Thunder Bay 250 at Alpena and the TC-250 at Traverse City. Time trials for the USSA sanctioned Thunder Bay 250 will be held January 2-6 with the fastest 35 qualifiers going into the big race on January 11. This is the first "gem" in Michigan's Triple Crown series of snowmobile racing.

The second "sparkler" of the

Triple Crown comes January 25 with the running of the TC-250 at Traverse City. Time trials are set for January 12-19 with the top 50 qualifiers going 250 gruelling miles for the prize money on January 25, around the specially constructed, three-quarter mile, banked course. The final "Jewel" will be the I-500, February 8, at Sault Ste Marie.

The Class "A" MISA Snowmobile Races, January 4-5; Oceana County Super Sprint Races January 5; and Mason County 100 Enduro Races January 11-12, will all be held at

Whiskey Creek, Hart, Honor, Michigan will host a Snowmobile Family Fun Weekend January 11. Snowmobile Safari and Cookout January 18 and a Snowmobile Treasure Hunt January 25. Other snowmobile action includes: the Motor State Classic, Imlay City, January 10-12; The Moose Jaw Snowmobile Safari, Harbor Springs, January 11; Races at Marion, January 18; "Big Mac" Twin 50's Races, Mackinaw City, January 19; Grand Prix Snowmobile Races at Houghton Lake, January 23-26; Races at Muskegon January

26 and a Snowmobile Ride-In at Manistique, January 31-February 2.

"Dog power" debuts this month with the first "mushers" lining-up for Sled Dog Races at Ranch Rudolf, near Traverse City, January 4-5. Two days of races and special events are scheduled for January 11-12 at Richmond. Canine teams from Michigan and out-of-state will compete in Junior, five and seven dog and unlimited classes over three to twenty mile cross country courses. The races for "top dog" distinction comes January 25-26 with the running

of the Midwest International Sled Dog Race at Kalkaska.

Tip-Up Town USA at Houghton Lake celebrates its 25th Anniversary January 18-19. In addition to the traditional ice fishing contests, this year's activities will include a large float parade, sky divers, free games for prizes, banquets and a wide variety of things to do for all ages. The understanding is that TUT '75 will be governed by Section 3 of the By-Laws of the Village of Tip-Up-Town which states: "The purpose of the Village shall be to promote

hilarity, bigger lies, Tom foolery and good will."

Fun 'n games 'n good times will be the order of the days of Royal Valley Ski Resort's first annual Snow Carnival January 11-12. The agenda lists inner tube racing, a skiing exhibition, crazy and serious stoom racing, dancing and a "Royal" German dinner among the highlights. Royal Valley is located near Buchanan, in Michigan's southwest corner.

Some of the month's indoor activities include the Rod and Custom Car Show in the Civic Auditorium, Grand Rapids

January 10-12; the annual Photo Show, for amateur and master photographers, January 18-19 at the East 8-Mile Armory, Detroit; the Auto Show January 24-26 in the IMA Auditorium, Flint which will include dream cars, sports cars, classic and antique cars and just about everything on wheels; and for all ages, the Shrine Circus, January 31-February 16 at the State Fairgrounds, Detroit.

Artisans of the silver blades will be striking for honors throughout the month beginning with the Diamond Derby Speed Skating Championships, January 4 at Saginaw followed by the Central Michigan Speed Skating Championships at Midland, January 5. Speed Skating Championships will be

held at Midland January 11-12; at Farwell Field, Detroit January 18-19; and at Gaylord, January 25-26.

Anyway you look at it, the "snowing's" great in Michigan! Ski it, snowmobile it, Tip-Up-Town it for yourself. And, for a complete listing of January and other snow-season events - Write the Michigan Tourist Council, Lansing 48913 for a free copy of the winter Calendar of Events.

For ski, snowmobile and winter vacation information, Michigan residents can dial - TOLL FREE - 1-800-292-2520. Residents of Wisconsin, Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Ohio, West Virginia and Pennsylvania dial - TOLL FREE - 1-800-248-9610.



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## Are we descendants of Englishman's nagging wife?

Bicentennial minded Americans, proud of their "first families of Virginia" heritage, might be shocked to learn they're descended from some Englishman's nagging wife.

"Such facts aren't in the history books," says Michigan State University Professor Robert Wright who's been gathering little-known information on the American immigration experience since 1957.

Dr. Wright, who teaches American Thought and Language, says there's no way to get a really personal view of the people who pulled up their European roots to come to the New World without taking a look at broadside ballads.

According to the MSU professor, author of a new book "Irish Emigrant Ballads and Songs," broadsides were for four centuries the newspapers, pop music, hit songs and protest literature of the poor people.

Printed on sheets of rough paper, a broadside featured hot news on murders, executions, shipwrecks, fires, politics - in rhyme, to be sung to an old familiar or "an excellent new tune."

Hawkers of the broadsides sold them cheap in the streets of Europe as early as the 14th century, and the sheets enjoyed a hey-day in 19th century America in spite of the rise of cheap newspapers.

Referring to an early 17th century English broadside entitled "The Woman Outwitted," Dr. Wright says many Englishmen of the period simply shipped their nagging wives to "Virginny" when they got tired of them.

"In 1621, the Virginia Company would give 150 pounds of tobacco for a young woman," the professor noted. "Getting wives for men settling Virginia was at one time the biggest money-making venture in the colony."

Swedish broadsides of a later date reveal that Swedes were amazed that in America people called them "Mister," but another party of them warned of sickness and disasters at sea.

"If Providence had wanted us to be in America, we would have been born there in the first place," they groaned.

Homesickness for the Old Country was a prevalent broadside theme, but still the sheets tell of Danes who

couldn't resist the California gold rush, Swedes seeking religious freedom, English weavers driven out of work by the steam loom - and English criminals.

"English criminals guilty of rape or murder weren't shipped to America, but thieves were," Dr. Wright said.

One broadside tells of a thief who got 14 years of exile for merely "taking a bloke down an alley and taking his tucker (watch) away."

Dr. Wright, who combed 50 libraries here and abroad researching his book on Irish broadsides, said that love problems brought many Irish to America.

"Married couples came here to get away from parents. Irish men and women alike came to forget the pain of unrequited love, and one broadside deals with a man who murdered a girl to marry her maid," he said.

The Battle of Bunker Hill and the Boston Massacre were popular broadside topics, with the English versions telling of the "defeat of the American rebels" and the American ones boasting that "the British were taught a lesson."

More American pride shows up in a Battle of New Orleans broadside about "we Kentucky boys" who routed the British who "said they'd have our New Orleans beauties in rags," and Irish pride is the theme of a ballad about a Civil War Union officer.

"The officer had been banished from Ireland," Dr. Wright explained. "But when the Civil War was over and the Prince of Wales was invited to appear in a parade in New York, the officer said he wouldn't march his brigade for any English king."

Less noble-minded American broadsides make fun of bloomers, Dutch accents, Irish stew - and of a certain Irishman who fell overboard with his "lifesaver," a bottle of whiskey.

Disasters were so ho-hum to one Lawrence, Mass. broadside producer that in 1860, as he waited for a train, he wrote a long rhyming ballad about a terrible fire in only eight minutes.

Dr. Wright, who wants to teach a course in broadsides, said that even though the sheets were especially popular in Philadelphia, Boston, New York and San Francisco, they died

out about 1900 and few people today know they existed.

"But we still know some of the tunes to which they were sung," he said. These include "The Wearing of the Green," "My Grandfather's Clock," "Bow Wow Wow" (the Rutgers University song), and "Lillabulero."

The professor has published

books on Swedish and Irish immigrant ballads, and is working on books of English, Scottish, Danish and German songs.

He knows of only one nostalgic spot to buy current broadsides today. "There's an old man on Oxford Street in London who still sells them," he said.



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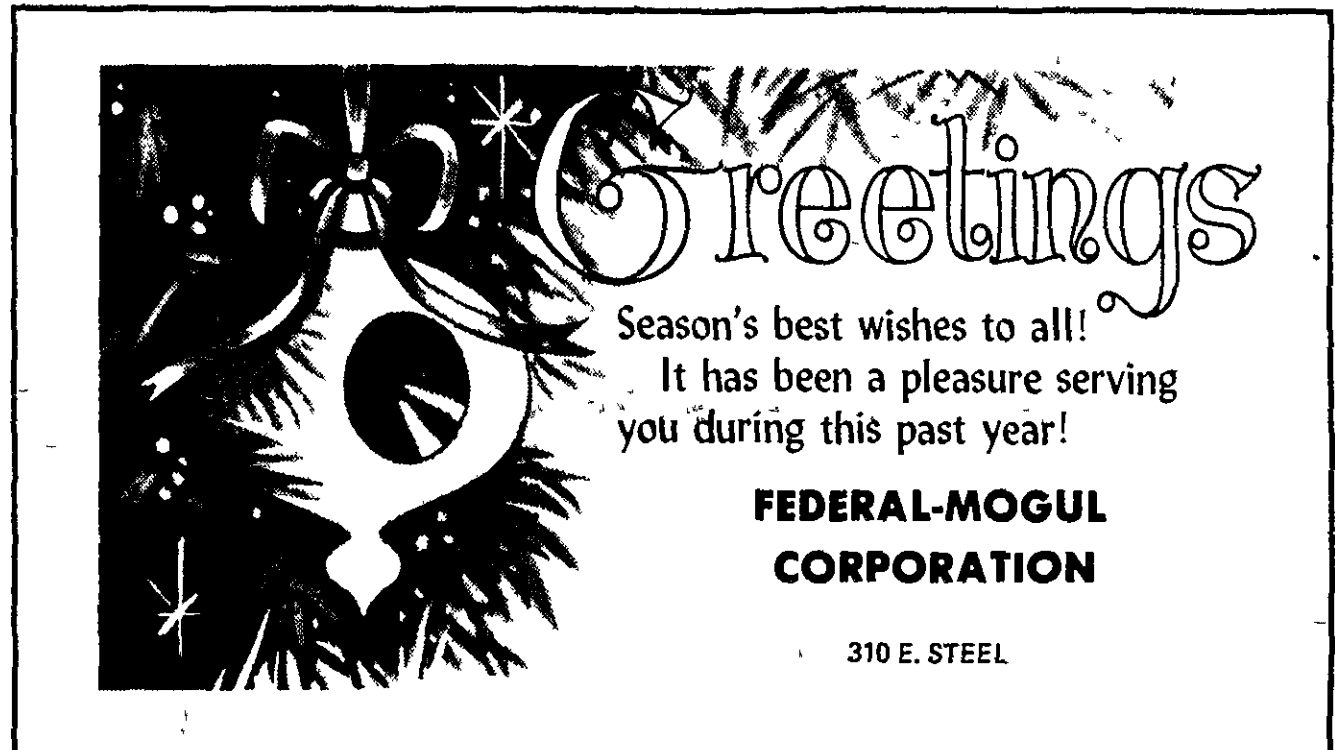
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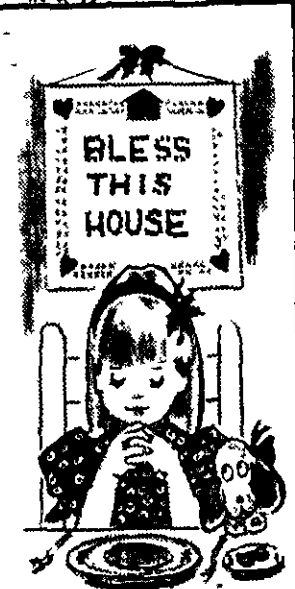
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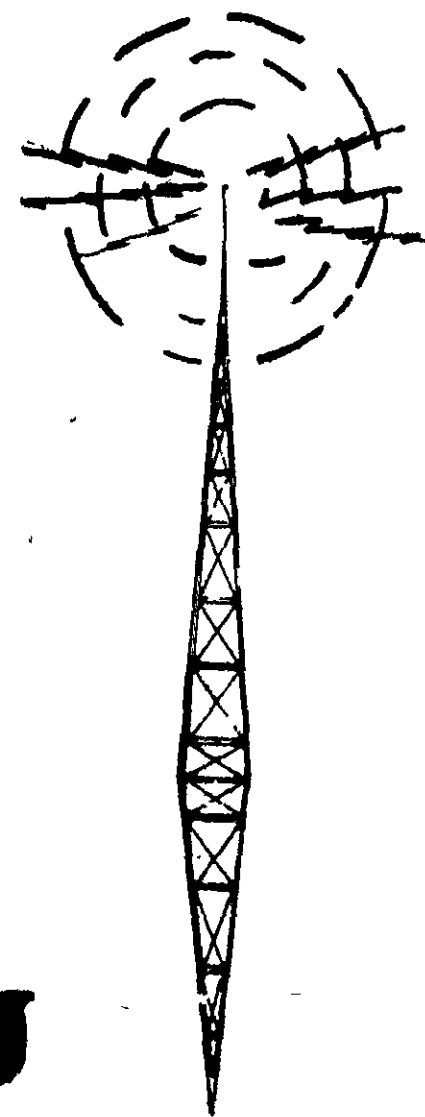


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## Kincaid District

Mr and Mrs Eldoris Hahn were Thanksgiving guests of Mr and Mrs Lewis Flegler and family of Lansing.

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Community College to hear the Christmas story.

Sunday, Mr and Mrs Otto Dickinson attended the Christmas dinner at the

Monday, Mr and Mrs Otto Dickinson went with the senior citizens group to Lansing

Grayling Pyle is still in the intensive care unit at Sparrow Hospital after surgery.



# Christmas

As the glory of this Holiday Season unfolds, let us share a prayer for peace. May your holiday be a joyous one.

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Ovid-Elsie High School class presidents sort food to be distributed to the needy following the drive by the 4 high school classes. Shown are (from left) Gwen Hehrer, freshman class; Leann Martin, sophomore; Darel Hebler, senior, and Ron Nethaway, junior.

### Ovid-Elsie students contribute food for needy area residents

Ovid-Elsie High School students have contributed over \$350 in groceries to the program benefiting needy citizens.

The food will be distributed just before Christmas to needy families in Clinton County.

The Ovid-Elsie Student Council and class presidents organized the drive for food items, sponsoring a class contest with the seniors coming out on top.

They brought in \$100 worth of items, finishing just ahead of the sophomores who brought in \$96 worth of food.

### DeWitt Twp Police arrest Lansing man on larceny charge

DEWITT TWP -- DeWitt Twp Police report that they have made 1 arrest in connection with a larceny which occurred at Height's Auto Parts, 3939 Northeast St, at about 2 pm, Dec 11.

Merrill L. Sanders, 24, 3407 W. Mt Hope, Lansing, has been arrested. Sargent William

Swartz and patrolman Dennis Bonjour apprehended the subject as he was taking car radiators from the building, according to police reports.

Sanders was arraigned Thursday, Dec 12, on charges of larceny from a building. The bond is set for \$3000. Sanders had demanded a preliminary examination.

The DeWitt Twp Police report that Sanders is also wanted by the Lansing Police Dept for possession of a stolen car. DeWitt Twp police are checking to determine if the car Sanders had in his possession at the time of arrest was stolen.

### Nursing home administrators honor outstanding member

At the annual Installation Banquet of the Michigan Chapter, American College of Nursing Home Administrators Dec 6, in Ann Arbor, F. Harold Creal, newly elected president, was honored by the profession as the Distinguished Administrator of the Year in the state of Michigan. Mrs Gladys Hetzel, administrator of Rivard Nursing Home, 313 E. Higham,

St Johns, served as chairperson of the committee handling the selection.

The award was presented by Joseph Mash of Farmington, Region Seven governor of the ACNHA.

The criteria used for this high award included outstanding contributions in the following areas:

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  2. Education
  3. Research
  4. Community health care activities
  5. Civic activities
- The American College of Nursing Home Administrators is a professional society for men and women who administer facilities for long term health care, and facilities designed to promote, preserve, and sustain the well being of the aged.

### Juvenile fiction to be held in home of LCC teacher

LANSING -- Lansing Community College will offer a course on children's literature with an unusual twist this winter. "Juvenile Fiction Since 1963," will be presented in a warm, informal atmosphere. Class size is limited to 25 and the instructor, Nancy Berkowitz, will be teaching in her own living room.

Ms Berkowitz, a lively conversationalist, is well acquainted with the publishing world and writes book reviews. One of her articles recently appeared in the New York Times. She is now in charge of book selection sessions for the Lansing School Libraries. Each week, her students will read at least two selections

from children's literature, and discuss new, changing and controversial material, comparing children's reading styles and patterns.

This course is primarily slanted toward parents, teachers and library technologists, but all interested persons are welcome to attend.

The two-credit class will meet Monday evenings from 7-9 pm, beginning Jan 20.

LCC registration will be Jan 2 and 3. Late registration runs Jan 7, 8, 9, 10 and 13. To register for "Juvenile Fiction," sign up for Course Code LT 250, Section 510025. For more information, call the Learning Resource Center at 373-7016.



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John W. Warner, administrator of the American Revolution Bicentennial Administration (ARBA), who has said the success of the Bicentennial will be judged by the number of participants, not spectators, suggests this is one way an individual or community can become involved in the commemoration of the nation's 200th anniversary with lasting effect.

The ARBA is encouraging support for the "Green Survival for the Third Century" program of the American Association of Nurserymen (AAN) and has designated the project a national Bicentennial program.

Warner presented a certificate of recognition and a Bicentennial flag to Louis Hillenmeyer, president of the AAN, on Dec 3.

In addition to focusing attention on the project, official recognition provides for the use of the national Bicentennial symbol in connection with the program's activities.

The program is designed to encourage "individuals and groups to plant trees, shrubs, grass and other plants in a nationwide effort to help purify the air, stabilize the soil, clarify the water, beautify our surroundings and abate noise."

The Association is working with State departments of agriculture in the promotion of "Green Survival for the Third Century," and ten States are currently using or considering the program.

For 20 years the association has conducted an Annual Landscape Award Program and will give a special series of awards to those communities which have shown outstanding interest and success on community beautification during the nation's Bicentennial.

Warner noted that many of the more than 2,000 communities around the country which have received national Bicentennial recognition to date, have included such beautification programs in their Bicentennial planning and expressed hope that many others will join.

**Beautify for the Bi-centennial**

**MSU film series offer prime-time entertainment**

**EAST LANSING** - Two spectacularly beautiful and exciting film series will offer prime-time entertainment and education simultaneously on WKAR-TV, Channel 23, beginning early in 1975.

While family entertainment, Jacob Bronowski's much-cited "Ascent of Man" and an adaptation of Sir Kenneth Clark's award-winning BBC series, "Civilisation," will serve as the basis of Michigan State University credit courses. Students registering for credit will have study assignments and examinations.

"Ascent of Man" - designed to appeal to younger and older family members alike - will be broadcast 8:30-9:30 pm Tuesdays, beginning Jan 7, and repeated 8-9 pm Saturdays.

"Civilization: A Western Perspective," supplements the series narrated by Sir Kenneth Clark with WKAR-produced segments featuring members of the MSU humanities faculty. It will be broadcast 7:30-9 pm Thursdays, beginning Jan 30, and repeated 4-5:30 pm Saturdays, beginning Feb 9.

The resumption of credit courses on WKAR-TV follows the return of the University's station to full-time UHF

telecasting after sharing a VHF channel for a decade. The University gave up its UHF channel in 1959 because too few sets could receive its signal.

(Today sets within approximately 70 miles of the MSU campus can receive Channel 23, most getting clear reception with only a very inexpensive UHF antenna.)

For additional information on the courses, or to register for credit work, contact the University of the Air, 12 Kellogg Center for Continuing Education, MSU, East Lansing, MI 48824.

**Kincaid District**

Mr and Mrs Charles Fisher and Kevin went the Sunday after Thanksgiving to her sister's at Clare. They enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner there with Mr and Mrs Franklin Metz and Frankie.

Mr and Mrs Harold Hoerner entertained relatives for Thanksgiving at their home. Mr and Mrs Harvey Hoerner, the girls, Mr and Mrs Don Potts and Mike. Mr and Mrs Elmer Hardenburg, Stuart Hardenburg, Mr and Mrs Roger Hardenburg and baby daughter.

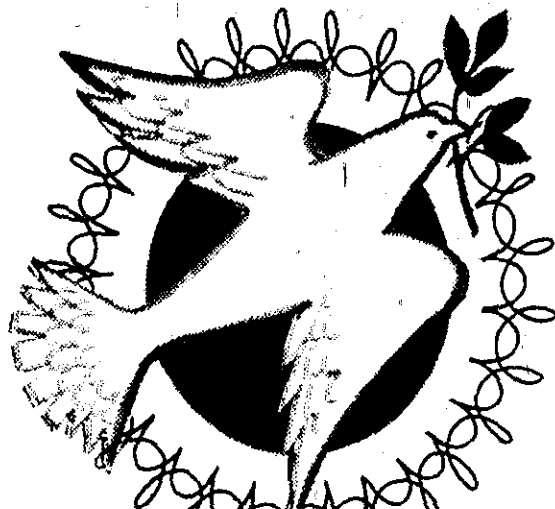
Mr and Mrs Donald Potts attended the Policemen's Ball at the Civic Center Nov 30.

Saturday, Mr and Mrs Donald Potts and Mike visited the former's grandmother, Mrs Rose Potts of Lansing.

Mrs Grace Sullivan attended a miscellaneous shower in honor of Debra Sargent, Saturday evening at the home of Mrs Linda Lange.

Mrs Grace Sullivan spent Thursday with Mrs Darlene Sherman and children of Mulliken to help celebrate Travis Sherman's first birthday.

Sunday, Mr. Raymond Sherman and boys of Mulliken and Gary Sullivan of Grand Ledge were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Donald Sullivan and Dan.



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**Merry Christmas**

May the joys of home and hearthside fill your holidays . . . and your hearts . . . with gladness. To know you and serve you is our sincere pleasure. Thanks, friends, for your generous, loyal support.

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Wishing you a holiday season gleaming with goodness.

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*Joyous Christmas*

... and may this season bring much cheer to your home and heart in every way. Very sincere thanks, too.

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ST. JOHNS



We wish you a



Merry



Christmas

In the joyful Yuletide spirit, we sing out fondest greetings to our wonderful friends and neighbors.

**VINCE ACKLES**

ELSIE

**Rivard Tattler**

Hello! We hope everyone had a very happy Thanksgiving. Here at the nursing home we had a very happy Thanksgiving. There were eleven residents who went out to dinner with their families and spent the day with them. We are thankful that our residents have this opportunity to do so. We wish to welcome Mrs. Lucille Chant our new member and her family to our home. One of our staff members, Ida Bradley, has left our home and moved to the southwest to Arizona. We had a card from her and she arrived safe and sound. Mrs. Gladys Hetzel, our administrator, just came back from a vacation to San Francisco, where she spent a few days before going on to Hawaii. Mrs. Hetzel brought back some momentos from both places and some slides for everyone to see.

The residents of Rivard's Nursing Home wishes to thank the Holy Trinity Church of Fowler for the box of fruit donated to the home for Thanksgiving. We would like to introduce you to Mrs. Pam Daniels, RN our newest member of our staff. The residents wish to thank Mrs. Hankey and her church for the tray favors they gave to us. They enjoyed these very much. The Rivard Nursing Home had their annual Christmas party for the residents, with Santa and the staff, Dec 22. Our guest speaker was Rev Bently. These are the ones who were in to visit at the number one house: Ervin Steller to visit Mary Marton Lois Woodbury, Lawrence Hyke, Lena Hyke, Geraldine Young, to visit Leroy Hyke Edna Doyle to visit Elizabeth Uterbrink Ruth

Barrett, Margerat and Walter Rossow, Doris Rademacher, Ethelyn Martin to visit Velma Ugham Ruth Barrett, Elsie Bottom to visit Ethel Cove Lewis and Dorothy Husted, Lois Woodbury to visit Mary Kriebel Elsie Bottom to visit Belle Love Kim and Sean Cooper to visit Josephine Fraker, Jerry Wiedenbender to visit Blanche Parr Mrs Hazel Beebe to visit Effa Grubaugh Jerry Wiedenbender to visit Maude Davis Esther Ernst, Marlene Burns, Lloyd Ernst, Mrs Carl Powell to visit Rose Ernst Mrs Carl Powell to visit Clara Hertzberg Doris Rademacher, Gladys Chant to visit Lucille Chant Doris Rademacher, Helen Fitzpatrick to visit Mary Houseman Helen Fitzpatrick to visit Estella Rhans Mrs Carl Powell to visit Eva Doyle Doris Rademacher to visit Bonna Lafler Mr and Mrs Ray

Rademacher to visit Tony Rademacher. Visitors to the number two house Mr and Mrs Harold Nunn to visit Lucy Decker Dorothy Speerbecker, Irene Witt, to visit Alvina Witt Mr and Mrs K Murray, Myrtle Mort, Mrs Josephine Bartk, Mr and Mrs Charles Crell to visit Verna Wicke Merry Beard, Larry Beard, Terry Beard, Mrs Gordon Beard to visit Ethel Beard Mr and Mrs Ken Stuckrod, Helen Fitzpatrick to visit Pearl Tatroe. These are the birthdays for this month Mary Marton December 8, Clara Hertzberg December 2 and Blanche Parr December 18. This is all the news for now. The residents and the staff want to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. We will see you next year.

**Paul Automotive donates televisions to hospitals**

Santa came early this year to area hospitals when he dropped off special gifts to the Pediatric Wards. The surprises were televisions sets, gifts of Paul Automotive, Inc. Central Michigan's largest automotive jobber. Presentation of the gifts, a long standing tradition with the firm, was made by Don F Phillips, president to hospital representatives at a luncheon Wednesday Dec 18 at Walnut Hills Country Club, Lansing.

Phillips, in the presentation, explained that the gifts are always recreational equipment because the hospitals all have varying equipment needs. "In answering a community need, said Phillips, this is our way of wishing our many business associates 'Merry Christmas'." Hospitals receiving the gifts were Clinton Memorial Hospital in St. Johns, St. Lawrence, Sparrow, Lansing General and Ingham Medical, Lansing.

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The joyous Christmas Season is here, filling our hearts with its spirit of happiness and good cheer. May you enjoy an abundance of pleasures among family and friends. And please add our sincere greeting for a very, Merry Christmas.

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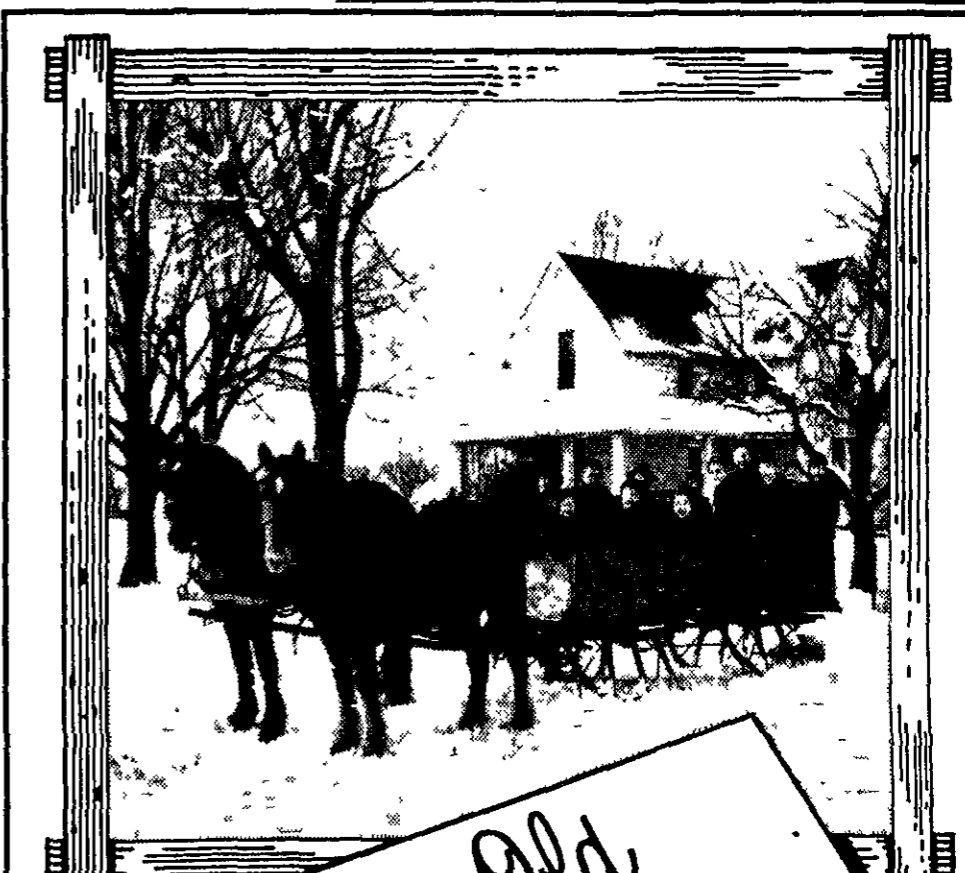
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# Next Week in Clinton County churches

All Churches in Clinton County are invited to send their weekly announcements to The Clinton County News. They must reach us by 10 a.m. Monday to insure publication in the current week's issue.



**FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**  
Maple Ave at State St  
Averill M. Carson, Minister

Sunday, December 20  
9:45 am - Church School  
11:00 am - Morning Worship

Church Office Hours  
Monday thru Friday  
8:30 am to noon  
Tel. 224-2636

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
200 East State Street Box 128  
St. Johns, MI 48770  
Francis Carl Johannides, Minister

Church School 9:30 am  
Worship Service 11 am  
Friday, December 20  
Girl Scouts Caroling on Courthouse Lawn 7:30 pm  
December 22  
Senior H. OMYF Caroling Party  
December 24  
Christmas Eve Service 7:30 pm  
Each Wednesday  
Prayer and Share Osenloakis  
Thursday  
Girl Scouts 3:15 pm  
Carol Choir 4:00 pm  
Chapel Choir 6:30 pm  
Chancel Choir 7:30 pm  
Prayer Group 9:00 pm

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
St. Johns

9:45 am Bible School  
11 am Worship Service  
11 am Children's Churches  
6 pm Youth Hour  
7 pm Evening Worship  
Each Wed 7 pm Bible Study and prayer  
8 pm - Choir practice - J. Bradford  
Nursery for babies and small children for all services.  
Church office hours  
9:12 & 13 Mon thru Fri

**ST. JOHNS EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Corner of Mead and Walker  
Rectory 406 E. Walker  
Phone 224-2890  
Office 224-2885

1973 schedule  
Every Sunday 9 am Holy Communion  
2d & 4th Sunday 10 am Holy Communion  
and Sermon  
Other Sundays 10 am Morning Prayer  
and Sermon  
Nursery & church school 10 am for  
nursery through 1st  
Every Monday eve 7 pm Spiritual  
Healing Service  
1st - 3d (Mondays) 7 pm Senior Citizens  
2d & 4th Tuesdays Noon Senior  
Citizens  
Every Tuesday morning and evening  
Light waltzers  
Wednesday 1:15 pm Family Planning  
Meeting  
& 3rd Wed morning OED Nutrition  
Class  
Every other Wed evening 7:30 Cadet Girl  
Scouts  
Every 4th Thursday Jayvee 8 pm  
Every Thursday 8 pm AA Al Anon  
Every Friday 1:15 pm Brownies

**CHURCH OF CHRIST OF ST. JOHNS**  
109 E. State  
John Phipps, Minister

9:30 am Sunday School  
10:30 am Morning Worship  
5:30 pm Youth Fellowship  
7:00 pm Evening Service  
Wed 7:00 pm Prayer Meeting  
Call 224-6421 for more information

**ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Rev. William G. Hankard, Pastor  
Rev. Raymond Goehring, Associate Pastor

Rectory - 109 Linden St - Ph 224-3312  
Convent - 110 S. Oakland - Ph 224-3789  
School - 201 E. Cass - Ph 224-2421

Saturday Evening - 7 pm  
Sunday - 7:30, 9:30 and 12  
Holy Days - See bulletin  
Weekdays - 8:30 am and 7 pm  
Sacrament of Penance - Saturdays 3:30  
to 5 pm after 7 pm Mass until 8:30 pm  
Weekday evenings a few minutes before  
evening Mass  
First Fridays - Sacrament of Penance  
Thursday from 4 to 7 pm and after the  
evening Mass until after midnight. Mass and  
prayers of Adoration at 7 pm - Holy  
Communion on Friday at 7 and 7:15 am  
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament,  
Thursday 7 am on First Friday after  
evening Mass  
Devotions - Our Mother of Perpetual  
Help Novena after 7:15 pm Mass each  
Tuesday

Religious Instruction Classes - Adult  
Inquiry Class, Tuesday at 8 pm  
High School CCD Wednesday at 7:30 pm  
Grade School CCD Tuesdays from 4 until 7  
pm  
Baptisms - Each Sunday at 1:30 by  
appointment. Other arrangements by  
appointment

**ST. JOHNS LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Missouri Synod

Christmas Worship Schedule  
December 18, 1974 - 7:30 pm - First  
Advent Service, Guest speaker will be  
the Rev. J. William Sippola, Circuit  
Counselor and Pastor of Trinity  
Lutheran Church, Lansing

December 22, 1974 - 10:15 am - Regular  
Worship Service and dedication of new  
chancel items, provided by both  
members and non members with the  
help of Ladies Guild. These items  
include the processional cross, flower  
stands and vases, and a sanctuary  
lamp.

December 24, 1974 - 7:00 pm - Sunday  
School Christmas program,  
10:30 pm - Candlelight Service -  
including the customary practice of  
candlelighting by members of the  
congregation. Holy Communion will be  
celebrated at this service.

December 28, 1974 - 9:00 am - Christmas  
Day Worship Service

December 29, 1974 - 10:15 am - Regular  
Worship Service. There will be a coffee  
hour following the service in the church  
basement.

December 31, 1974 - 7:30 pm - New Year's  
Eve Service with the celebration of  
Holy Communion

**REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST LATTER DAY SAINTS**  
407 E. Gibbs

Church School 10 o'clock  
Worship Service 11 o'clock

**BANNER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Pastor: Rev. Miriam DeMint

Sunday Worship Service 9:30 am  
Church School 10:30 am

**WESLEYAN HOLINESS CHURCH**  
127 W. William St. Ovid  
Rev. Loyd Reely

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**ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
SUS 27 & E. Baldwin  
Joseph F. Eger, Jr. Pastor

10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
6:30 am Youth Service  
7:30 pm Sunday Evening  
7:00 pm Wednesday, second and fourth  
WK  
7:30 pm Wednesday evening service

**PHILIPPIAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. David B. Boyd

9:45 am Church School  
11:00 am - Morning Worship  
Women's Society meets the last Wednes-  
day of each month. Dinner at 12:30  
Meeting at 1:30  
Youth Fellowship meets the first and  
third Monday of each month at 7:30 pm  
Council of Church Ministries and Ad-  
ministrative Board meets the first Sunday  
of each month following a potluck dinner  
at noon  
Youth choir meets each Wednesday at 7  
pm  
Senior choir meets each Wednesday at  
7:30 pm

**JEROME WITNESSES**  
Kinadon Hall  
1993 North Lansing St

Tuesday, 7:40 pm - Congregation Book  
Studies Text studies - "The Nations Shall  
Know Thee" - "The Nations Shall Know  
Thee" - "The Nations Shall Know Thee"  
Thursday, 7:30 pm - Theatrical Ministry  
School - Texts Used "Bible" and "Aid to  
Bible Understanding" 8:30 pm Service  
Meeting

**FIRST CHURCH OF GOD**  
St. Johns  
Corner of 11 and DeWitt Rd  
Phone 224-7189

9:45 am Church School 11:00 am  
Worship Service 7:00 am Evening War-  
ship 9:00 pm Youth Fellowship 1st and 3rd  
Sunday of the month  
Wednesday 7:45 pm Family Bible  
Study

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
115 North Lansing Street  
Rev. Kenneth Anderson  
Phone 224-7350

10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
8:15 pm Young People's Service  
7:00 pm - Evening Worship  
Wednesday 7:30 pm Bible Study and  
prayer hour

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
365 Church Street  
Phone 224-3349  
Robert Bentley, Minister

10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
8:00 pm Evening Worship  
Prayer service as announced

**SALVATION ARMY**  
1011 HURON ST. ST. J.  
US 27 and County Line Rd  
Pastor Paul R. Jones  
Phone 224-7269

Parsonage & Office 2629 E. Maple Roads  
1st Eureka

**WEST PHILIPPIAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Corner of Parks and Grosvenor Rd  
Rev. Brian K. Sheen, Minister

9:30 am Worship Service  
10:45 am Church School

**WESLEYAN BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Pastor Rev. Roy Green  
The Corner of N US 27 and Roosevelt Rds

Sunday School 10:00 am  
Morning Worship 11:00 am  
Sunday evening 8:00 pm  
Wednesday evening service 7:00 pm  
A church where everyone is welcome

**FIRST CHURCH OF GOD**  
18 1/2 DeWitt Rd  
Rev. W. Jeff Webb, Pastor  
Phone Church 224-7190  
Parsonage 224-2448

9:30 am Sunday Morning Coffee &  
Fellowship Time  
9:45 am Pre Sunday School Quiet Time  
10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
6:00 pm Sr. Choir Practice  
7:00 pm Evening Worship Discussion &  
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**COMMUNITY OF ST. JUDE**  
Catholic Church  
Father Jerome Schmitt, Pastor  
408 Wilson, DeWitt

Daily Mass Mon and Thurs 7:30 pm  
Tues, Wed, and Fri 7:30 am  
Sunday Mass 9:00 and 11:15 am  
Services at Middle School, DeWitt

**EAST DEWITT BIBLE CHURCH**  
(Non Denominational)  
Round Lake Road, 1/2 mile East of US 27  
Glenn J. Farnham, Pastor

Sunday  
10 am Sunday School Classes for all  
ages  
11 am Morning Worship  
5:45 pm Youth Fellowship, Senior, 14  
and 1st Cadets, 10:15  
7 pm Evening Service  
Wednesday  
7:30 pm Bible Study and Prayer  
supervised nursery for babies and small  
children in all services  
"An open door to an open book" A  
Bible preaching church with a message for  
all

**SOUTH HILLS BIBLE CHURCH**  
Willard Farmer, Pastor  
Located 1/2 mile east of Francis Road  
on Chadwick Road

10 am Sunday School  
11 am Worship Service

**HOPKINSON LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
108 W. Harrison Rd  
DeWitt

Sunday School 9 am  
Worship 10:30 am

**ST. VINCE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Corner of US 27 and  
Huron Road  
Rev. Glenn V. Cathey, Jr. Vicar  
Residence 669-3667  
Church 669-3667

First & Third Sundays  
Morning Prayer 9 am  
Second & Fourth Sundays  
Holy Communion 9 am

**VALLEY FARM BAPTIST CHURCH**  
214 E. State Rd  
Lansing

9:45 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship Service  
5:30 pm Youth Groups Beginning with  
the 4th Grade  
7:00 pm Evening Service WEDNESDAY  
7:40 pm Prayer Service

**SOUTH DEWITT CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
2811 Herbison inside DeWitt High School  
Minister Dr. James Girwood  
Tel 669-5000 or 626-6006

9:20 am Bible School  
10:30 am Morning Worship  
Communion Weekly  
6:30 pm Youth Groups  
7:30 pm Evening Worship  
Wednesday  
7:30 pm Hour of Power Prayer and  
Bible Study  
Thursday  
7:30 pm Calling Program

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
OF DEWITT  
Rev. Jerry Cole, Pastor  
1108 DeWitt Rd

Sunday School 9:45 am  
Morning Worship 11:00 am  
6 o'clock Church Training  
7 o'clock Evening Worship  
Midweek Prayer Service 7:30 Youth  
fellowship 2nd & 4th Sunday at 8 o'clock.  
Join us in worship where "everybody is  
somedbody" and Christ is Lord  
For more information call 669-9752 or  
write Box 306, DeWitt

**VALLEY FARM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Neil Bultinger, pastor  
155 E. State Rd  
Phone 489-1295

9:30 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
7:30 pm Sunday evening Evangelistic  
Wednesday 7:30 pm Youth Service  
Thursday 7:30 pm Bible Study  
7 o'clock Evening Worship  
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MISSOURI SYNOD  
5 miles west of St. Johns on M 21  
7 1/2 miles south on Francis Road  
2 miles west on Church Road  
Roger V. Hemtz, Pastor

8:00 am Worship  
10:30 am Worship  
9:15 am - Sunday School and bible  
Classes  
Holy Communion first Sunday of the  
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at 10:30 pm

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7:30 pm Evening Worship  
9:30 am Ladies Bible Study every  
Tuesday  
7:30 pm Wednesday evening Prayer  
Service  
8:00 pm Teen's Softball every Friday

**HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
510 Mubill Road, Ovid  
Father Joseph Rubin

10:30 am Mass on Sunday  
7:00 pm Evening Mass on Wednesday  
Confessions 10 to 10:30 on Sunday  
morning

**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Wayne Glassman  
M 21 at Elsie Rd

9:45 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
7:00 pm Evening Worship  
7:00 pm Wednesday Prayer meeting

**ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Fowler  
H.E. Housow, Pastor

9:00 am Sunday School  
10:00 am Sunday School and Bible Class

**MOST HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**  
Rev. Fr. Albert J. Schmitt, Pastor

Saturday Evening Mass - 4:30, 7:00  
o'clock pm  
Sunday Masses 6:30, 8:30, 10:30 am  
Holy Days - Holy Day Eve, 4:30 pm, 7:00  
o'clock pm Holy Day - 6:30 & 8:30 am  
Sorrowful Mother Novena - During school  
year 7:30 pm, summer months 8:00  
o'clock pm  
Sacrament of Penance - Saturdays 3:30 to  
4:00 o'clock pm and after 7:00 o'clock  
pm mass  
1st Fridays - Thursday from 11:00 am to  
12:00 pm, 3:30 to 4:30 pm & 7:30 pm until  
all are heard  
Baptism - Sundays at 12:30 pm by ap-  
pointment. Other arrangements by  
appointment

**ELSIE AREA**  
**ELM METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. David Litchfield, M. J. Lister

9:30 am Morning Worship  
10:30 am Sunday School, Supt. Merle  
Bauer

**DEWITT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. David Litchfield, Minister

10 am Sunday School, Supt. Kenneth  
Kiger  
11 am Worship Service

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
10 am Sunday School Rev. Cowley, Supt  
11 am Worship Service  
6:30 pm Junior & Senior B Y F  
7:00 pm Evening Service  
7:00 pm Wednesday, Junior and Senior  
Choir Practice

**DUPAIN CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Trinity west of Elsie High School  
1565 E. Colony Road  
Justin Shepard, Minister  
Bill Nicholson, Youth Minister

9:45 am Sunday School  
11 am Church  
6 pm Youth Fellowship and adult Bible  
Study  
7 pm Evening Service  
7 pm Wednesday Prayer Meeting

**ST. CYRIL CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Rev. Thomas M. Kowalezyk, Pastor  
PO Box 517 E. Main St  
Bannister 48907

10:00 am - Sunday School  
11:15 am - Morning Worship  
7:30 pm - Evening Service  
7:30 pm Wednesday Prayer meeting

**EAGLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Roy McBratley, Pastor  
Telephone 627-6533 or 489-3897

9:30 am - Morning Worship  
10:30 am - Church School  
7:30 pm - Wednesday, Bible Study and  
prayer meeting

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7:30 pm - Wednesday, Bible Study and  
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**GUNNISONVILLE AREA**  
**GUNNISONVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Clark and Wood Roads  
Rev. Paul Scheibner, Minister

9:30 am Church Service  
10:45 am Sunday School

**WESTPHALIA AREA**  
**ST. MARY'S CHURCH**  
Westphalia  
Rev. Father James Schmitt  
Rev. James J. Schmitt, Administrator  
Phone 587-4201

Saturday Night Masses - 4:30 & 7:00 pm  
Sunday Morning 6:00, 8:00, 10:00  
Weekdays Monday & Friday 7:15 & 11:20  
am  
Tues & Thurs 7:15 & 8:30 am  
Wednesday 7:15 & 8:30 pm  
Holy Days 5:30, 7:15 & 11:20 am, 7:30 pm  
Wednesday Evening Mass 7:30 pm

**MAPLE RAPIDS AREA**  
**THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Maple Rapids  
Pastor Rev. J. Thomas Churn  
Parsonage 481-2224  
Phone 236-7742

Sunday  
9:30 am Church School  
10:30 am Church Services  
WCS 3rd Wednesday at 8 pm

**GRIFIN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Scott and Marshall Roads  
Pastor Norman Wood

Sunday  
10:30 am Church School  
11:30 am Church Services  
WCS 3rd Wednesday at 8 pm

**LOWE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Lowe and North Lowe Road  
Minister Rev. Harold McGuire

Sunday School 9-10 am  
Church Worship 10:15-11:15  
Choir 8:30 pm Thursday  
UW 7:30 2nd Wednesday of every  
month  
Prayer Study Group 10-11

**CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
4105 Maple Ave, Maple Rapids  
Rev. Hector Goodall, Pastor  
Phone 682-1165

10 am Worship Service  
11 am Church School  
7 pm Song Festival (Everyone welcome)  
Thurs Night 6:30 & 7:30 choir practices  
Thurs Night 8 pm Fellowship Service

**EUREKA AREA**  
**CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
4015 E. Maple Road, Ovid  
Rev. Paul H. Jones, Pastor  
Phone 224-7209

10 am Bible School for everyone  
11 am Morning Worship  
7:30 pm Adult Bible discussions  
Nursery provided during services  
6:30 pm Youth Meetings  
6:45 pm Wednesday Jr. Choir (Chancel  
hour, 7:30 pm)

**MATHERTON AREA**  
**WYTHE-RIVINGTON COMMUNITY CHURCH**

2:00 pm - Sunday Service  
4:00 pm - Worship Service

**WACOSTA AREA**  
**WACOSTA COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Edward F. Olio, pastor  
Phone 626-6225

Morning Worship 10 am  
Church School Classes 11:15 am  
Jr. and Sr. H. Y. P. 6:00 pm  
Youth Choir, Wednesday 4:45 pm  
Youth Choir, Thursday 6:45 pm  
Chancel Choir, Thursday 7:30 pm  
WCS Noon Meetings every 2nd Wed-  
nesday  
WXYZ Noon Meeting every 1st Wednes-  
day at 12:30  
Council on Ministries every 2nd Wednes-  
day at 7:30  
Administrative Board, 4th Monday of  
every 3rd month

**VICTOR TOWNSHIP**  
**TRINITY BIBLE CHURCH**  
Rev. Robert Prange, Pastor  
Price and Shepardsville Roads

10:00 am Sunday School, Classes for  
all ages  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
6:30 pm Young People  
7:30 pm - Evening Service  
7:30 pm - Wednesday, prayer meeting  
Ladies Missionary Circle meets 4th  
Thursday  
Couples Club meets 4th Saturday in  
month

**FULTON AREA**  
**FULTON FULL GOSPEL CHURCH**  
1/2 mile east of Pershing on M 57,  
1/2 mile south  
Rev. Lynn Shunk, Pastor

9:45 am - Sunday School  
11:00 am - Morning Worship  
7:00 pm - Youth Service  
7:45 pm - Evening Service  
7:45 pm - Thursday, Prayer and praise  
service

**BRIDGEVILLE AREA**  
**BRIDGEVILLE GOSPEL MINISTION**  
4 miles south of Pompeii  
Dr. Lloyd Walker  
Pastor J.S. Dingman

Sunday 3 pm Bible School  
3:45 pm Worship Service  
Thursday 7:30 pm Cottage Prayer  
Meeting  
(Announced from pulpit)



DEWITT COMMUNITY CHURCH  
DEWITT, MICHIGAN

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<b>S &amp; H Farm Sales &amp; Service</b> New Holland Machinery Our Specialty 4 Mi N on US-27 to French Rd Phone 224-4661	<b>Phillips Implement Company</b> 313 N Lansing St Phone 224-2777	<b>Allaby-Brewbaker, Inc.</b> 108 1/2 N Clinton St St Johns, Michigan
<b>Egan Ford Sales, Inc.</b> 200 W. Higham Phone 224-2285	SPACE FOR RENT	<b>Federal-Mogul CORPORATION</b> St Johns Plant
<b>D &amp; B Party Shoppe</b> Open Monday thru Saturday Complete Party Supplies 224 N Clinton Phone 224-3535	Free Pick-up & Delivery S US-27 Phone 224-2212	<b>FOWLER Mathews Elevator</b> Grain-Feed-Beans Phone 593-2111
<b>Antes Cleaners</b> Pickup and Delivery 108 W Walker Phone 224-4529	<b>Capitol Savings AND LOAN ASSN.</b> 222 N Clinton Phone 224-2304	<b>WESTPHALIA</b>
<b>Parr's Rexall Store</b> The Corner Drug Store Phone 224-2887	SPACE FOR RENT	<b>Maynard-Allen STATE BANK</b> Portland-Sunfield-Westphalia Member FDIC Phone 587-3111

