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SJ agenda: transportation, alternative education

By Sharon Randall

ST. JOHNS—The St. Johns Board of Education is to meet in special session this evening at 8 p.m. to consider two items referred to committees at last week's regular meeting.

To be considered are parents' concern stemming from changes in transportation this year, including city walkers, and a proposal by the Community Education Advisory Committee to use Teresa Merrill Elementary School to establish an Alternative Education Program.

Audience participation was the theme of last week's meeting as both town and country parents expressed their concern over situations requiring their children to walk to school or bus stops up to a mile from their homes.

The busing changes which involve 175 families at an anticipated savings of 22,000 miles represents a \$5,000 budget cut. The changes follow state guidelines which allow an elementary student to walk up to one-half mile and secondary students, one mile.

Safety was the main concern of parents present. Worries centered around anticipated darkness during the early hours of winter months, children walking in the road because of snow banks, heavy traffic and gravel trucks, speeding traffic, the added danger of child molesters, and crossing busy highways.

The transportation committee is expected to recommend to the board that they stick by the new policy but look at individual cases in regard to safety.

The second consideration involves establishing an Alternative Education Program for dropouts at Teresa Merrill Elementary School. Teresa Merrill was closed this year as part of a plan to pare \$111,000 off the elementary budget. While most of the savings from the school closing comes in the elimination of four teachers and a half-time principal, the change involved 100 students who were sent to other schools in the district.

Jim Moore, member of the Community Education Advisory Committee told the board that the Alternative Education proposal would "make the school money." The program's basic idea is to provide a separate place for students who cannot or will not function in a regular school setting. Principal William Swears told the board that pupils would be students who would otherwise not attend school.

Moore proposed that the Community Education program would rent the building from the school district. He

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said at least 25 to 35 students would be interested in an alternative education program. "These are students who are

frustrated," Moore said. "These are kids who have been given up by the school and their parents."

The state would help fund the alternative program as it does K-12 programs, bringing school enrollment up, he said.

Also on tonight's agenda is the opening of loan bids from local banks for an \$800,000 district loan on anticipated State Aid.



Enrollment figures bleak

ST. JOHNS—School enrollment figures are down here more than school officials had anticipated. Superintendent Donald Burns said last week.

While the final count of students won't take place until next Friday,

Burns said that figures indicate that enrollment has dropped as much as 100 instead of the 50 anticipated. "Fifty students less will mean a \$75,000 loss in revenue from our original budget," he told the Board of Education.

Home Tour Festival sails through rain

By Jean Martin

ST. JOHNS—Never again do the members of the Clinton County Historical Society need to worry about what kind of weather they will have for their Home Tour Festival. Early Saturday morning the whole day looked like a wash-out.

Ticket chairman Mildred Brown hesitated to open the ticket booth on the courthouse green because of the downpour. "I waited a long time," she said. "I sat there and sat there. Finally, I opened the car door and it was just like a signal."

At that signal from Mrs. Brown the festivities began. Ticket sales throughout the day of the tour totaled at least 314. This was combined with the 364 sold before the day of the tour.

Many were on hand to view the parade which was finally able to get underway about an hour late. A special article about this year's Grand Marshall, Harry Bradley, can be found on page 5 of this issue.

Winners abounded Saturday in the Firemen's Road Race and from drawings sponsored by local civic organizations.

The Firemen's 10,000 meter run got off on time in spite of the rain. Randy Bates took first overall with 34.15 minutes and Ralph Shinerar, second with 34.45. The top women were Kathy Ott with 48.19 and Joann Rehmann with 53.03.

Lloyd Ernst of Taft Road, St. Johns took a surprise home from the Home

Tour for his seven grandchildren. He was the winner of the Lions Club's drawing for a miniature Model-T car. Ernst is a member of the Hub Antique Car Club. Profits from the drawing will help building bleachers at Lions Field, the St. Johns minor league baseball project taken on by the club.

The Farm Bureau Women earned a \$937 profit on their drawing for Hubert the Hog that is to go to the Clinton Care Center. Gladys Hetzel drew the winning ticket purchased for Father Dennis Spitzley of Fowler by Greg Martin.

The atmosphere at Rodney B. Wilson Junior High was festive as the Street Fair moved into the lower halls to escape the early rain. The cafeteria made an excellent place for the women from St. Joseph's Church and the Farm Bureau to serve food.

Lillian Hyler reported that the flea market had 27 set-ups. "We were real pleased," she said. "When you have a good turnout, you just have a good feeling."

Holding the quilt show in the auditorium this year proved to be a great success. Many of the more than 900 visitors commented that they liked having the quilts draped over the seats so that they could see the whole quilt.

Some of the art and crafts displays scheduled for the courthouse green were rained out. The bluegrass band, "Home Grown Grass," performed as planned on the courthouse steps. Mary Rappuhn, who had been scheduled to demonstrate her spinning for two hours, stayed throughout most of the day.

Darold Rice's Band Organ, sponsored by Clinton Bank and Trust, brought up the rear of the opening parade and was stationed throughout the day on Maple Avenue. The organ music provided a nostalgic background for visitors to the courthouse square and the museum grounds. The small steam engines and the asthmatic wheeze of Charles Hulse's 1902 Oldsmobile added to the atmosphere.

In the afternoon the sun appeared briefly as visitors from Detroit, Saginaw, Flint, and Bay City joined area residents in touring homes.

"It was just a steady stream all day," said Wade Cederquist, who helped Frances Conn show her home.

"All in all we did better than we thought we would," reported Betty Moore, co-chairman for the event. "We brought thousands of people to St. Johns and they left happy."

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It may have been raining on the Home Tour Festival Parade but that didn't keep Barbara Blink of 106 S. Emmons, and her daughters from the sidelines. While baby, Karen was more interested in her bottled lunch, four-year old Gretchen, cheered for the St. Johns Redwing band and Ronald McDonald and Big Boy. (Photo by Sharon Randall)

Alcoholic's family turns to Al-Anon therapy

Editor's note: This is the first article in a two-part series which explores the effects of alcohol abuse on the lives of those involved with the alcoholic. In keeping with Alcoholics Anonymous and Al-Anon tradition we will use only first names, but even these names have been changed to assure anonymity in this close-knit community.

By Jean Martin

It is easy to become alarmed over the rising incidence of drug abuse in our community, but sometimes it's hard to admit that our number-one substance abuse problem is still alcoholism.

Often those who are closest to the alcoholic are the ones who find it hardest to admit that alcohol has become a problem. In fact it has been said that it is often easier to

spot a drinking problem in the home by the behavior of the drinker's spouse or mother than by the actions of the drinker himself.

"He lived at home for years after he was a grown man. His mother waited on him and covered for him for years. After we were married, I took over her job," explained Jane, a local Al-Anon member in a recent interview.

Al-Anon, explained Jane, is a self-help type group for anyone who is involved with an alcoholic. This could apply to spouses, parents, brothers and sisters, lovers, and even close friends whose lives are adversely affected by the alcoholic's drinking.

Jane says that it is impossible to explore Al-Anon without looking at the problem of alcoholism.

"They still don't know what causes it," Jane said. She is

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Contracts settled

ST. JOHNS—Contracts have been settled at St. Johns Public School with teachers, bus drivers and cafeteria help.

The new master contract between the St. Johns Public Schools and the St. Johns Education Association (SJEA) calls for salary increases of 9 percent on the base for two years.

Negotiations with the district's bus drivers resulted in approximately a 10 percent pay increase, according to Administrative Assistant Gordon Vandemark. He said the driver's salary went from \$7.13 an hour to \$7.83.



Never again will the Home Tour Festival have to worry about the rain. Saturday proved just as successful and

fun producing as ever, despite morning downpours that dampened members of the Redwing Marching Band

and participants in the St. Johns Firemen's 10,000 meter run. The top woman runner was Kathy Ott with

48.19 minutes and the top man and over-all runner was Randy Bates with 34.15 minutes.

Saturday's festival involved thousands of community people and brought hundreds of out of town people into the county seat.



Homecoming parades set

The Grand State Homecoming Parade will be held on Sept. 21 at 3 p.m. and on Sept. 22 at 5 p.m.

The Homecoming game is set for Sept. 23 with Alma.



Senior

arrives

Bloodmobile is Sept 28

The American Red Cross will hold a blood drive at the First United Methodist Church on Sept. 28 from 12:45 to 4 p.m. The church is located at the corner of M-21 and Lincoln Ave.

Student services open

The Community Center will be open to the public Oct. 1 through Oct. 31. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

The Auto Shop will be open on the public Oct. 1 through Oct. 31. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Bike-a-thon extended

The St. Johns Bike-a-thon which is to benefit St. Johns Research Hospital will be held Sunday, Sept. 21 from 7 a.m. to 11 a.m. Registration is at South Hall.

The bike-a-thon was cancelled last week because of rain. According to chairman Chris Richards, but now participants have extra time to complete their ride.

The bike-a-thon fee is \$5. A drawing of \$1000 will be held at 11 a.m. All sponsors and donors will be notified.

Participants can be picked up at the St. Johns High School.



Employees at the Arnold Drugs Store in St. Johns joined others across the state in a strike of retail employees yesterday morning, Tuesday, Sept. 16. Twelve employees blocked the store with pickets requesting shoppers to not enter the store except for emergency prescriptions. Complaints center around

wages which local spokesmen say have been frozen for a year and a half while pharmacists and employees of the company's subsidiary stores, Farmer Jack Markets, have received raises. Local manager Tim Mitchell and the company president, Allen Abrams did not wish to comment. (Photo by Robert Dickman)

Ronald Thelen awaits trial

ST. JOHNS—Ronald Edmund Thelen, 28, of Westphalia is still awaiting the next step in his trial process, according to Jon Newman, prosecuting attorney.

Thelen is charged with

second degree murder for the alleged killing of his wife, Peggy Jane Elizabeth Thelen, 30, in their Center

Line home Aug. 20. He is presently being held in the Gratiot County Jail without bond on the murder charge

and on \$10,000 bond for a second charge of a felony firearms violation.

A preliminary examination was held in district court Aug. 27 and Aug. 29. He was then bound over to circuit court where he stood mute in

front of Judge Timothy M. Green on Sept. 2.

A motion is yet to be filed on the case or a trial date set, according to Newman. It is believed the trial will begin in November. There is still no judge picked to hear the case.

Families beckoned to nature day

BATH—Nature and art are being combined, Saturday, Sept. 20 in a special day at Rose Lake Wildlife Research Area on the southeastern edge of Clinton County near Bath.

Families and children are invited to come spend the day between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. in casually organized nature hikes, drawing, painting and print making activities. Participants can also choose seed mosaic, reed weaving and sandpainting projects. If you bring a jar you can make a dry terrarium.

Planned by the Arts for All Ages committee of Community Resource Volunteers, the Nature Art Day is for families and children nine and over. Children under nine can come if accompanied by a parent or responsible brother or sister.

Families may drive out to the research center on their own or take bus transportation from Parr's Drugstore in St. Johns and the Bath Elementary School in Bath for 50 cents.

The Nature Art Day area is located on Woodbury Road, one half mile south off Clark

Road (Bath Road) at the number three parking area. Instructions to the art site will also be posted at the Wildlife Station in the Rose Lake Wildlife Research Area.

Lunch and drinks are up to participants but the committee suggests a picnic or sack lunch.

Activities will be canceled if it rains.

Clinton promotes Roy Schneider

ST. JOHNS—Clinton Bank and Trust Company announces the promotion of Roy A. Schneider to manager and branch officer of the Fowler Office. As branch officer, Schneider will be responsible for branch lending and operation functions.



Roy Schneider

A 1973 graduate of Michigan State University in economics and an employee of Clinton Bank for three years, Schneider has served as manager of collections, a participant in CB&T's management trainee program and assistant branch manager.

Mobile homes act revised

CLINTON COUNTY—The Clinton County Planning Commission held a public hearing during their regular monthly meeting to consider the submission of revised standards of the Mobile Home Commission Act, Public Act 419 of 1976, to the State of Michigan for approval. The proposed standards would permit the County to enforce the standards as they relate to the construction of new mobile home parks.

Among the amendments being proposed are the mandatory installation of anchoring systems to help stabilize mobile homes in high winds, and increasing the minimum lot size currently permitted under the Act.

In other business the Commission moved by separate resolution to recommend to the Board of Commissioners the approval of all four of the requests for rezoning. The cases included:

A request by John Peck to rezone a 15+ acre parcel in Bath Township from R-1A, One-Family Residential to R-M1, Multiple-Family Residential.

Francis LeClear also petitioned the County to rezone approximately 18 acres of land in Bath Township from R-1A to R-M1.

Once the rezoning requests have been granted the parcels will be eligible to be developed for multiple-family housing in accordance with the Zoning Ordinance and other requirements.

The other two cases involved rezoning land parcels to A-1, Agricultural production.

Donald Maier, on behalf of Pearl Maier is seeking the rezoning of 60 acres of land in Watertown Township from M-1, Light Industry and Robert Gilroy has requested that approximately 79 acres in Bingham Township be rezoned for R-1A to A-1.

The cases are now referred to the County Board of Commissioners for action on Sept. 30.

Hog roast planned

The American Agriculture Movement is hosting its annual Hog Roast, Saturday, Sept. 20 at Smith Hall next to the St. Johns City Park. Serving starts at 4:30 p.m. and continues until 8:30. Everyone is welcome.



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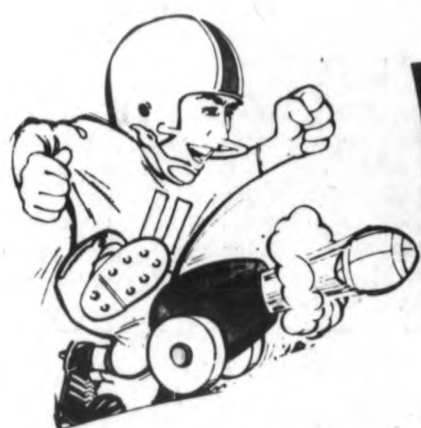
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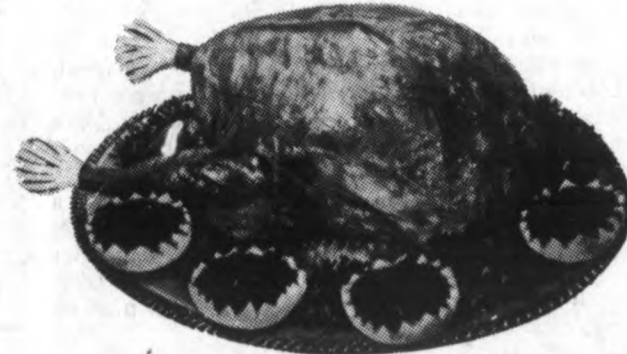
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Healthy lungs

That Martin, Jason and Aaron Woodbury are strong healthy children with good lungs is unquestionable but their mother, Diane, has empathy for children suffering from Cystic Fibrosis who can't blow up a balloon. Diane said that every day, five children are born with Cystic Fibrosis and that each year more

than 1,000 of them die from the disease. She has coordinated this year's Breath of Life Campaign in St. Johns and will have mothers collecting door to door from Sept. 22-25. Her captains are Ann Palmer, Kathy Pung, Linda Scranton, Mary Redman and Crystal Ley. (Photo by Sharon Randall)

Fowler man to be ordained

LANSING—Frederick L. Thelen of Holy Trinity Church, Fowler will be among three men of the Diocese of Lansing to be ordained to the Catholic

priesthood, Saturday, Sept. 20, by Bishop Kenneth J. Povish in ceremonies at St. Mary Cathedral in Lansing. The other two to be ordained are Michael W.

Kuchar of St. Joseph Church, Owosso, and Phillip D. Sessions of St. Casimir Church, Lansing.

Frederick Thelen was born in Fowler, the son of Mr and Mrs Gerald V. Thelen, members of Holy Trinity Church. Following grade school at Holy Trinity Elementary School and high school graduation from Fowler Public High School he entered Aquinas College in Grand Rapids. He completed his work toward a bachelor of arts degree in Psychology at the University of Waterloo in

Waterloo, Ontario, Canada.

Thelen received his theological training at St. John Provincial Seminary, Plymouth, and the University of Detroit. He earned a master of arts from the University of Detroit and a master of divinity from St. John. While in the seminary he attended the clinical pastoral education program offered by Good Samaritan Hospital, Puyallup, Wash. Since February he has served as a deacon intern at St. Casimir Church.

Father Thelen will offer a Mass of Thanksgiving at Most Holy Trinity in Fowler at 10:30 a.m., Sept. 21 and at St. Casimir at 12:45 p.m. on Sept. 28.



Frederick Thelen

LCC comes to St. Johns

ST. JOHNS—How can you improve yourself, save money and conserve gas all at the same time? Enroll in a Lansing Community College Adult and Continuing Education class in St. Johns.

LCC is bringing a variety of courses to you at a low cost in an extension center that is close to where you live. Tuition is only \$13 per credit hour for college-district students and \$19.50 per credit hour for non-district students.

This fall, LCC will offer 12 courses in St. Johns. You can choose from Principles of Accounting I, Principles of Bank Operations, Beginning Architectural Drawing,

Shorthand I, Basic Drafting, CPR Seminar, Basic EMT I, Physical World, Speed Reading, Real Estate License Exam, Elimination of Self-Defeating Behavior, and Composition I.

Classes will be held at St. Johns High School, 501 Sickles St. Fall term begins Sept. 25 and ends Dec. 14. Registration will be held Sept. 22, 23 and 24 from 9 a.m. to noon and from 1 p.m. to 9 p.m., plus the first night of classes on Sept. 25, 29, 30 and Oct. 1.

For more information on courses to be offered, contact Vicki Waggoner at 224-2394, ext. 54.

Jail still in limbo, awaits ruling

By Sue Kiley White

ST. JOHNS—The fate of the Clinton County Jail is still in limbo, following a request for postponement by the prosecutor's office it was revealed this week. A meeting was previously scheduled for Sept. 10 between the Clinton County Board of Commissioners and the state corrections commission. The new meeting date is set for Oct. 8.

According to Jon Newman, Clinton County Prosecutor, more time was needed to prepare the county's case.

Expected materials and reports from the corrections commission had not been received by the county as of Aug. 28. The county had wanted these materials to

know how to proceed on the jail matter.

At the June joint meeting of the corrections commission and count commissioners, Newman had presented a request for variances. The corrections commission in turn had said they wanted the requested review by staff members.

"That's why the decision on what would happen with jail was postponed at that time," said Newman.

At the June meeting the corrections commission indicated they wanted staff people to have time to review and react to the variance requests, which was the reason for the first delay.

At first Newman's request for a postponement was denied by Perry Johnson, director of the department of

corrections. However, the corrections commission later decided to extend the meeting time another month.

Recommendations and materials have since been received by the county and are in the process of being reviewed by the prosecutor's office.

Newman indicated bids are being let on a fire escape from the second floor of the jail and a security fence as voted on by the board of commissioners last month. Fred Witgen, the jail architect is in charge of preparing these proposals.

A meeting between the corrections commission staff

and county officials is being planned before the Oct. 8 meeting.

"Hopefully, we will be able to resolve the situation," said Newman. "If not we will probably go to court."

The county is trying to keep its jail open, if not as a fully operational jail, at least as a 72-hour lock-up. The county has been told in the past to either make corrections to the facility, construct a new jail or close down.

Clinton County residents have voted down additional tax money for a new jail twice in recent years.

County Republicans support Coleman

Three Clinton County residents have been named to head the re-election campaign locally for Chief Justice Mary Coleman of Battle Creek.

Marilyn Newman and Probate Judge Marvin Robertson of St. Johns, and Colleen Steinman of DeWitt were appointed to the campaign organization by Elizabeth Nobis of St. Johns, chairman of the 10th Congressional District effort for Justice Coleman.

In a joint statement issued from Justice Coleman's campaign headquarters in Battle Creek, Judge Robertson, Mrs. Newman and Mrs. Steinman said, Justice Coleman's "re-election to the Supreme Court would continue to give the high court balance and sensitivity."

Justice Coleman served as Calhoun County's Probate and Juvenile judge for 12 years before being elected to the Michigan Supreme Court in 1972.

Second Annual Grand River City Delta Mills Fall Festival

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ST. JOHNS CITY COMMISSION MINUTES AUGUST 25, 1980

The Reg. Mtg. was called to order by Mayor Arehart at 7:30 p.m.
COMM. PRESENT: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre
COMM. ABSENT: None
STAFF PRESENT: R.L. Humphrey, City Mgr.; R.L. Coletta, City Clerk; P.A. Maples, City Atty.; D.M. Edwards, City Assessor.
Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Starck that the Mins. of the Aug. 11, 1980 Reg. Mtg. of the St. Johns City Comm. be approved as presented.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.
Motion by Comm. Brockmyre supported by Comm. Starck that the Warrants be approved in the amt. of \$1,488,759.27 as amended.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.
Mayor Arehart asked for any additions or deletions to the Agenda. There was one addition.
Motion by Comm. Hannah supported by Comm. Roesner that the Agenda be approved as amended.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.
Motion by Comm. Hannah supported by Comm. Brockmyre that the City Comm. grant permission to the St. Johns Jaycees to use the old Shell Station for their annual sale of Christmas Trees from Nov. 27 to Dec. 25, 1980, with the provision that if the City needed the building for its Public Safety Building, the Jaycees would move their sale to another location.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.
Motion by Comm. Hannah supported by Comm. Brockmyre that the City Comm. grant the Jaycees request to hold the Third Annual Labor Day Festival and Softball Tourny and further that the Jaycees be allowed to borrow six picnic tables from the City Park provided they sign the tables out and sign them in.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.
Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Roesner that the City Comm. authorize the City Mgr. to proceed with the test well drilling on the County Jail property and that he hire Walter Meinert to supervise and hire a test well driller.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.
Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Brockmyre that the City Comm. endorse the solid waste recycling center project and to assist the St. Johns Lions Club in establishing a recycling center with the expenditure of up to \$3,700 along the lines outlined in the City Clerk's memo.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.
Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Hannah that the City Comm. approve Change Order #5 in the amt. of \$10,365.65.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.
Motion by Comm. Hannah supported by Comm. Brockmyre that the City Comm. approve pmt. of \$2,072.94 to H.R.C. subject to the receipt of EPA funds.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.
Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Brockmyre that the City Comm. authorize the City Mgr. to proceed with the \$35,000 street paving program and the additional \$6,560 paving projects as outlined by the City Mgr.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.
Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Hannah that the City Comm. remove the Oxford Request from the Table.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.
Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Hannah that the City Comm. invite the Director of MSHDA to meet with the City Comm. at a Reg. or Special Mtg.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.
Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Brockmyre that the City Comm. accept the concept of the curb and sidewalk project at Clinton Memorial Hospital on S. Oakland St. as outlined by the City Mgr.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.
Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Roesner that the City Comm. adopt the recommendation of the St. Johns Park Board regarding flag football programs, subject to the City Atty's review and approval of insurance and liabilities.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.
Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Brockmyre that the City Comm. accept the bid of Sealles Const. Inc. for \$4.35 per yard for 23a gravel and \$3.00 per yard for class 2 sand.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.
Motion by Comm. Hannah supported by Comm. Brockmyre that the City Comm. authorize the City Mgr. to purchase 150 tons of Dura Patch for \$5,250.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.
Motion by Comm. Brockmyre supported by Comm. Starck that the City Comm. accept the Treasurer's recommendation on an accounts payable checking acct. and authorize the City Staff to draft a proposal to submit to banks for services and quotations to be provided.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.
Motion by Comm. Hannah supported by Comm. Roesner that the mtg. be adjourned.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

The mtg. was adjourned at 9:32 p.m.
ST. JOHNS CITY COMMISSION MINUTES - SPECIAL MEETING - SEPTEMBER 2, 1980
The Special Mtg. of the St. Johns City Comm. was called to order by Mayor Arehart at 4:30 p.m.
COMM. PRESENT: Arehart, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre; Comm. Roesner arrived at 4:40 p.m.
COMM. ABSENT: None
STAFF PRESENT: R.L. Humphrey, City Mgr.; R.L. Coletta, City Clerk; P.A. Maples, City Atty.; D.M. Edwards, City Assessor.
The City Comm. met with Larry Wight of Layne Northern Co. to discuss the outstanding invoices on unsuccessful Well #9.
Motion by Comm. Hannah supported by Comm. Brockmyre that the Special Mtg. of the St. Johns City Comm. be adjourned.
YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.
The Special Mtg. was adjourned at 6:17 p.m.

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Registration: September 17, 18, 19, 22 & 23
Information: Call Aviation Technology Dept., 373-7410

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Editorial Page

THROUGH THE LENS OPENING



Summerscene

This special summer photo by Jim Parr won third place in the St. Johns Camera Club's first competition event. Parr caught these young boys in this lasting pose of summer at Leland while on a family vacation. He was using Tri-X film in a Mamiya-ZE.

Parr started taking pictures in high school for the newspaper and year book. Today he mostly shoots family pictures and prefers color to black and white.

The Clinton County News invites you to submit your creative photos for this special new column that will run each week on the Editorial page.

Pictures will be chosen for publication by the editorial and photo staff. Bring your pictures in or send them by mail including information on how you shot the picture, your film type and camera setting.

VIEWPOINT By Sharon Randall

Celebrate September at Rose Lake

Speak of the woods and I think of my mother and the lines of an obscure poem, "Come away, oh, human child. To the woods and waters wild. Take a fairy hand in hand, for the world is full of weeping, more than you can understand."

My mother made time for the woods. She regarded the woods as many do nursery school, summer camp or a trip to the analyst. She would doze on a brown plaid blanket while we romped about her under the whispering trees. When she awoke, she would hold court upon the blanket and share what she knew about the flowers, bugs and wood creatures we found. Many a small turtle, newt and giant pinching bug went home with us to live in boxes and jars until she sent us back to set them free. Terrariums graced our windowsills, filled with soft moss and wintergreen.

We picked berries, wild grapes and mushrooms. We produced beautiful scrapbooks of pressed wildflowers in the spring, coupled with labored drawings to match. Fall's colored leaves turned into giant bouquets, gay collages and wax paper placemats.

Today when I look back at those days in the woods with my mother, I am older than she was then, but I don't know for sure if she realized what fairies she was putting into the hands and heads of her children.

It's why Krys O'Brien's Nature/Art Day at Rose Lake Wildlife Research Area looks so special to me. Krys, of community Resource Volunteers, and her Arts for All Ages committee have put together a special day in the woods that offers area families a chance to see and explore one of the beautiful wild places right here at our own back door.

Rose Lake is nature left nearly to herself, unhampered by paved paths and mowed lawns. There are wildflowers, tree frogs, bugs and wood creatures. Wild grapes tangle down and crayfish dart in shallow streams.

Take your plaid blanket and your children by the hand and join this creative bunch for a day of casually organized activities. You can doze under a tree or try your hand at sandpainting or sketching. Your children can find newts and crayfish and gather moss for a terrarium.

Join them, Saturday. Celebrate September.



★ School employee contracts

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Cafeteria employees receive a pay increase of about 8.2 percent. Head cooks moved from \$4.32 an hour to \$4.70 and assistants went from \$4.17 to \$4.55. Part time employees in the cafeteria and substitutes will receive \$3.50 an hour.

The SJEA agreement increases the starting pay of a teacher with a bachelor's degree from \$11,023 to \$12,015. In the second year of the agreement, the starting salary of a bachelor's degree teacher will be \$13,185.

The starting pay of a teacher with a master's degree will be increased from \$12,561 to \$13,691 the first year and to \$14,326 the second year of the agreement.

The top pay for a teacher with a bachelor's degree in the first year of the contract will be \$21,678. This is for a teacher with 14 years of experience and an additional 20 university credit hours. Last year a teacher with these qualifications received \$19,888.

In the first year of the new agreement, the highest pay for a

teacher with a master's degree and 14 years experience will be \$23,200. This teacher received \$21,284 with last year's schedule.

Teachers with a master's degree plus 15 semester hours of graduate credit beyond the MA will receive an additional five percent of the MA salary base. Controller Thomas McGrain said that approximately 69 St. Johns teachers have earned a master's degree. About 110 have bachelor's degrees.

The 1980-81 school calendar incorporated in the agreement between the school district and the St. Johns teachers has Nov. 7 as the end of the first marking period. October 15 will be a teacher released time meeting with students dismissed one and a half hours earlier than normal.

Parent teacher conferences for the elementary students are scheduled for Nov. 11, 12 and 13 with elementary children dismissed at 11:30 a.m.

November 12 will be a secondary release time day with junior high and high school students dismissed at 11:30

and 11:40 a.m. Thanksgiving recess is Nov. 27 and 29 and Christmas vacation begins at the end of the Dec. 19 school day. Classes resume, Jan. 5 and Jan. 22 ends the first semester.

A records day will be held Jan. 23; there will be no school for students. March 4 is the second released time meeting; school starts two hours later than normal.

Spring recess begins at the end of the March 20 school day and ends when classes resume March 30. April 3 ends the third marking period.

Elementary parent-teacher conferences will be held again April 7 and 8. Children go home at 11:30 a.m.

Easter recess begins at the end of the April 16 school day and school resumes April 21.

May 13 is slated for another released time meeting with school starting two hours later than normal.

There is no school, May 25, Memorial Day. The last day of school for students will be June 10; for teachers, June 12.

SENIOR CITIZEN UPDATE

Trouble in the kitchen? Read Ruth's tips

By Ruth Delo



MANAGER WRITES

What is a Chamber of Commerce?

The St. Johns Area Chamber of Commerce has reorganized and hired a manager, Jody Smith who will be writing a weekly column to keep the community up to date on chamber affairs and what is happening in the business community. If you have any questions write or call her at the Chamber offices.

By Jody Smith

As the manager of the New Chamber I am faced with an important challenge and am confident that as a Chamber we will succeed in our endeavors. With renewed energy and interest we are trying to become a more viable force in the community.

What is the St. Johns Area Chamber of Commerce? As a

matter of fact, what is any Chamber of Commerce? This is a question I get asked often these days, so today I'll try and provide you with an answer.

The Chamber of Commerce of the United States was begun in 1912 by President William Howard Taft. The main function at that time was to provide business with a voice in Washington and to act as an information center for business regarding federal regu-

lations. The National Chamber routinely opposed government encroachment on business.

Local Chambers of Commerce are more diversified in purpose than the National Chamber. While the general aim of a local Chamber is to promote civic, commercial and industrial interests in the

community, each community has a different idea of what they want to accomplish. The personality of the Chamber is a reflection of its Board of Directors, membership and the community it serves.

Specific areas of each sector of the community need to be addressed and the Chamber will serve as a vehicle to promote and advance each sector to provide a cohesive working community.

This seems impossible-how can the schools, hospitals, retail stores, industry and other businesses all be dependent upon one another?

Upon closer inspection it is recognized that if people are attracted to the area because of the reputation of the schools they may buy a home through a local realtor; with financing through a local

bank; establish credit through a local credit bureau; the list goes on and on.

The local Chamber of Commerce office can serve as an information center for newcomers to the community as well as help the local businesses to promote themselves.

The Chamber in St. Johns needs your help, without community support we are just an idea, with your support we can make things happen. The new Chamber office is located at 201 1/2 N. Clinton, above Parr's Pharmacy. This office space was generously donated by Raymond Parr. Please feel free to stop and talk or give me a call at 224-7248.

mostly spiritual. "Al-Anon teaches you that you are somebody, that you have to learn to rely on a higher power than yourself, Jane said. "You learn that you were made for a reason, and you have to set out every day to rediscover what that reason may be."

If the results are spiritual, some of the advice Al-anon members receive is eminently practical. The essence of the problem for the alcoholic often becomes an issue of control.

"Oh, he thinks he can stop drinking if he really wanted to, Jane laughed bitterly.

"I guess that's a part of the problem", she mused. "He wants to control everyone and everything."

"The one thing that I have learned from Al-Anon," Jane declared, "is that you can't change another person. You can only work on yourself."

★ Al - Anon helps

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reaction to the drug alcohol. "Why else would some people be able to drink for years and never become alcoholic while others seem to be in trouble from their first drink?" she asked.

Al-Anon members learn that alcoholism is a three-fold problem; it affects the drinker physically, emotionally, and spiritually. Typically, Jane said, the alcoholic is a very insecure person who doesn't like himself very well. "Low self-esteem, I guess they call it," she added shyly.

The alcoholic is very unhappy and lashes out at the person closest to him.

"That's when it starts to affect the family," she said. "Pretty soon you begin to take on the guilt. Before you know it the whole family takes on the idea that they can't do anything right."

The benefits of the program for our subject have been

TO THE EDITOR

Chairmen offer congratulations to the community

To the Clinton County Community,

Congratulations to our community for a successful Home our Festival.

To the hundreds who volunteered as hosts and hostesses

in the homes, to those who manned the various booths maintained by the Historical Society, or worked behind the scenes, a grateful thank you.

To the organizations which ignored the morning downpour and went on with planned activities, a tip of our hat.

Special credit must be given to the St. Johns High School Band and Walter Cole and Robert Koger for their splendid music in the rain and all the parade units who participated.

To those who toured the homes, a special thank you. Your support for our society is highly valued.

In the afternoon sun, with thousands of people on the courthouse green and walking our streets, viewing the merchants' windows, all the efforts seemed very worthwhile.

Betty Moore, Sharon Randall
1980 Home Tour Co-chairmen
Clinton County Historical Society

Citizens show concern

Dear Editor,

The community of St. Johns owes a great deal of respect to several of your citizens and the local life saving squad driver. They showed their love and concern when it was greatly needed.

Our son was injured in the Waverly-St. Johns games Friday evening and needed care at your local hospital. Several citizens were very helpful to me and my family during this ordeal and we want you to know our appreciation.

Acts of kindness are remembered and we offer our appreciation to your community.

With all the excitement our eight year old son left his new warm-up jacket somewhere. If anyone finds it, please let me know and I'll gladly drive to your community to retrieve it.

Thank you for your help. Carolyn Hendeim
Lansing, 323-7583

Thank you and good-bye

To the Editor:

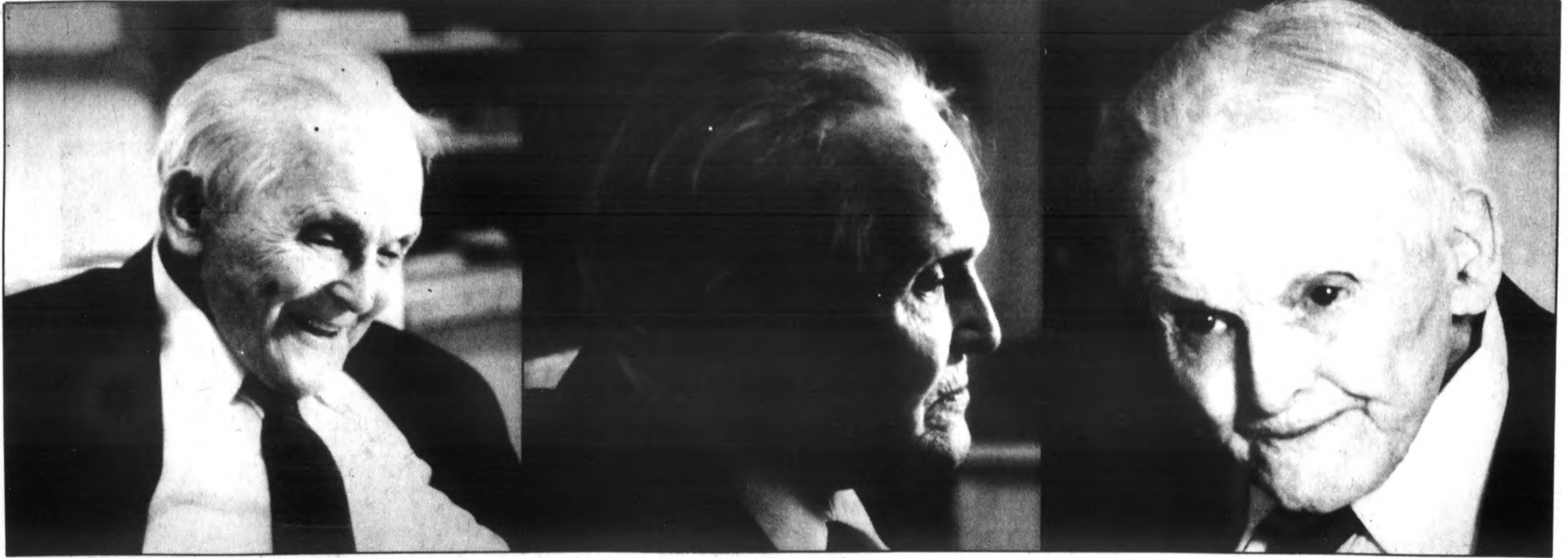
I am sure nearly everyone knows by now that I have sold my share of Portland Veterinary Service P.C. to Dr. Dennis Opperman and have taken a job with Upjohn as a technical service veterinarian. The territory that I will be responsible for is the Northeast section of the United States.

My wife, Diane, and our three boys, Kurt, Kris and Kyle, and our animals are all moving to 3651 Slate Hill Rd., Marcellus, New York, 13108. We want to take this opportunity to thank everyone for making our thirteen years in Portland and the surrounding communities we have served a pleasant and gratifying experience. You people have been just wonderful to us. We will never forget you.

Dr. and Mrs. Bruce Beachnau
and family

If you weren't at the bowling alley Thursday, you missed a lot of fun. There were 20 Seniors there. Florence Pope and R.G. Becher bowled the most pins over their average, for the men and women and each received an ice cream sundae from Mister D's and free bowling, for next time, from the Red-Wing Lanes. See you at 1:30 p.m. Thursday for a bowling good time. Everyone 55 years old or older. So.....until text time.

Personality Profile



Harry Bradley

Photos by Velma Sheap

ON 101st BIRTHDAY

'Be happy' 'Don't worry,' Harry advises

By Jean Martin

On Saturday, Harry Bradley celebrated his 101st birthday by being the grand marshal of the Home Tour Festival Parade. By 8 a.m. Harry was dressed in his good suit and waiting on his front porch for the rain to let.

The rain finally subsided, and Harry slowly made his way up Clinton Avenue in an antique car driven by Milo Rowell.

"Be happy," Harry urged the crowds. "Be happy."

Harry was born Sept. 13, 1879 and lived with a neighbor, Grandma Hudson, until his mother married William James Bradley in 1885.

Harry dates the beginning of his long career in business back to 1892 when he went into the popcorn business in his hometown of Au Gres.

After school was out, he went to work for the owner of the local department store. He worked for no pay running the store and driving the man out to his three mills and two logging camps.

Harry and his employer used to go to Pinconning to trade with the Indians for huckleberries. Once young Harry was so frightened that he hid in the back of the wagon under a blanket until the old chief pulled him out by the scruff of the neck and assured him, "Man not hurt boy."

In the second year, Harry worked for his employer, he earned \$2 per week, but he says that the training was better than a college education. "I learned to do business with the banks, how to buy, how to treat people, and how to look them in the eye," Harry declares.

A few years later Harry went to Bay City after being recommended by another employer. Here he learned to mix tea and grind coffee. He developed his own blend of coffee using a special Mexican bean. "You could smell it from here to town," he laughs.

He arrived in St. Johns in 1901 and spent his first night in the Steel Hotel. He had been sent "to the country" suffering from some form of poisoning he had picked up on an outing. "They really sent me out here, thinking I would die," he remembers.

He moved on to the hotel in Pewamo, run by the Vance family but his health didn't improve until an old woman, "a dirty old witch," according to Harry, began bringing him her special remedy. He had to keep it from the doctor that he was taking the nasty tasting stuff because the doctor didn't particularly approve of the woman's brand of medicine. It was this concoction, however, that Harry credits with saving his life.

In 1902 Harry Snyder put him to work on the egg wagon. It was his job to try to collect eggs from the surrounding farm women. He didn't get any eggs for his boss until he

hit upon the idea of giving out free candy to all of the children at each farmstead. Soon he was collecting so many eggs that Snyder would have to bring extra egg crates out to him.

Early in 1904, Harry moved to Durand where he managed a grocery and bakery. Here he became very friendly with the local Justice of the Peace.

"Durand in those days used to be the scene of card games that were run for pretty high stakes," Harry said. During one of these games a Mr. Smith from St. Johns wagered and lost his St. Johns grocery with an inventory of \$3200. The fellow who won the store asked the Justice of the Peace to sell it at auction, and the judge made sure that Harry got the business with a bid of \$1500.

This store was at the foot of Clinton Avenue at Railroad Street where the O.P. DeWitt store stood for so many years. Paul Automotive occupies the building now.

Over the years Harry has run three groceries, a restaurant, a pool hall, and insurance and real estate businesses. "I made my money on the farm mortgage loans," says Harry.

Harry was always active in civic affairs. He was a Charter member of the Rotary Club and served two years as secretary of the local Chamber of Commerce. As a Mason, Harry joined the Blue Lodge in 1915 and became a member of the Chapter and Commandery in 1921.

Over the years Harry has served St. Johns as Mayor,

Vice-Mayor and City Treasurer. He was once elected Justice of the Peace but refused the office.

As a young boy Harry told his mother that he would never marry because the girls all seemed so jealous. This lasted until the day a young woman and her little daughter walked into his store in St. Johns to ask what time the train left for Ovid. That woman was his wife, Grace. "I looked at her and I was gone," smiles Harry.

In 1931 Dr. Scott and Dr. Hart operated on Grace for cancer. When she died in August of 1933, Harry was left to raise her daughter, Neva, and a family of young boys.

In September of that same year, Harry tried to revive the faltering Clinton County Fair. He had sold tickets to the grandstand for 17 years, so he knew the fair business. By 1933, St. Johns was in the depths of the Depression, and local patronage was low even though this was Clinton County's first free fair. People came for the exhibits, but they stayed away from the grandstand and even the celebrated one-half mile race track.

"You might wonder why I did all this with my wife being so bad," Harry explains. "I needed something to occupy my mind."

Harry has been pretty much housebound since 1965, but he tries not to let the little problems of daily life bother him. He advised, "Don't worry. If you start worrying, you're gone."

Larger classes make learning by doing more difficult

By Sharon Randall

ST. JOHNS—There'll be a new house on West Sickles Street in June, finished and ready for a family Bob Niemi says, and his 39 student carpenters will make sure of that.

"But it's going to be a little different this year," he explained, because budget cuts have squeezed those 39 vocational students into two classes instead of three.

A "learning by doing" program demands small classes, Niemi maintains and while the house will be built, students will not have the benefit of as much teacher contact and will probably not experience as many jobs.

"But they'll see it all happen if they pay close attention," he said.

The larger classes are "creating some problems" Niemi said, "but we're still trying to provide the same opportunities for just as many students." Ideal class sizes for "learn by doing" vocational programs are 12 to 14 students. "We are dealing with a lot of money in this program," he said, and students must be closely supervised to keep from wasting materials. About half of the class is in their second year of the program and Niemi uses them as leaders.

Last year's home was sold before school was out, according to Niemi and this

year's project, just a hole in the ground last Thursday, has already had a call from a prospective buyer.

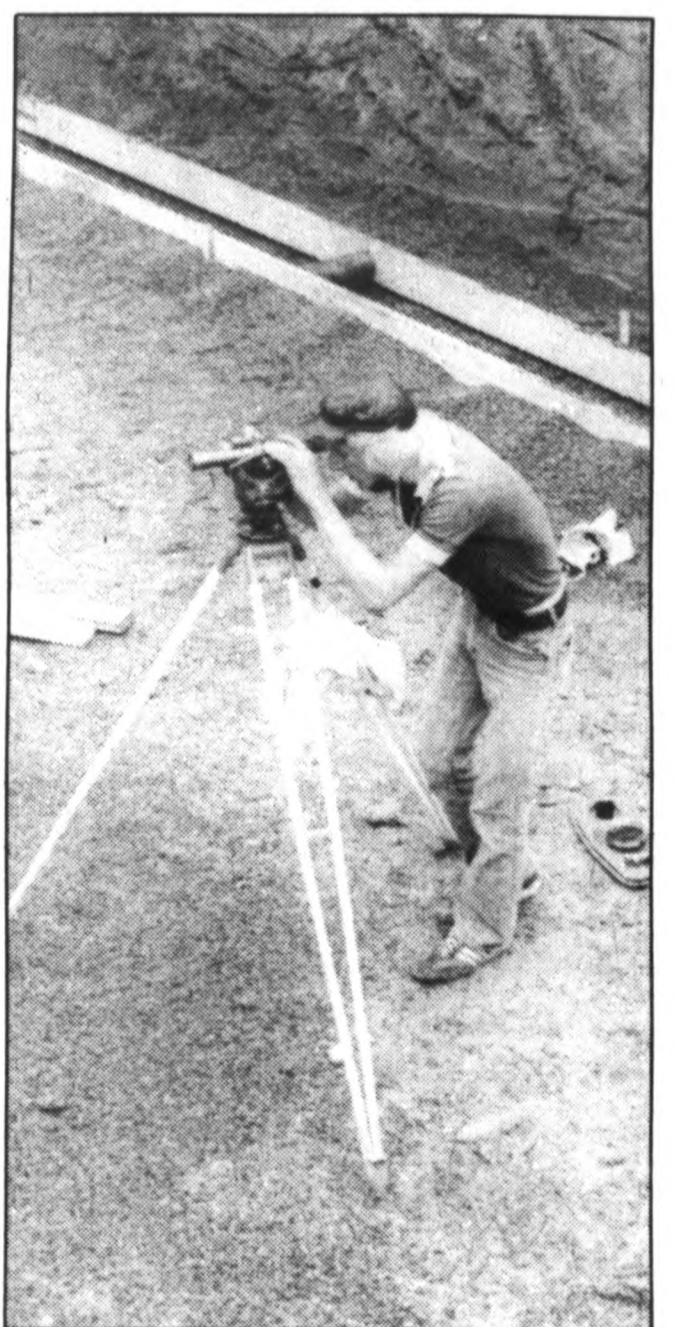
Each year he tries to offer different experiences in the building project because of the second year students. About 50 percent of the class actually goes into a building profession, he said, and the rest benefit as homeowners, for "do-it-yourself" projects and in a basic knowledge that is helpful even in purchasing a home.

This 11th house will have three bedrooms, two baths, a kitchen, and a sunken family-dining room and a sunken living room. Student draftsman is Tom Vitous. Hot water heat and two areas for laundry hook-up are in the

plans. The 13,020 square foot home will have a two car attached garage and a deck in the back. The 85X186 foot lot is located near the high school so students can walk to their two hour class. The lot is "extra nice" according to Niemi, with shade trees and a garden spot.

Second year students will have the chance to work with wood siding, hot water heat and two types of floor systems involved in the sunken rooms, all different projects than those offered in last year's home.

Like any carpenter, Niemi and his classes are concerned with the weather. "It can rain nights and weekends," he said, "but we need a nice fall like we had last year."



Student labor

Marty Zuker works on a storage shed on the site of the 11th student home to be built in St. Johns. Carl Orson, technical-aide, helps teacher Bob Niemi with this class that results in a finished home each year. The shed will be used to store materials and tools. Marty is one of 39 students who have been forced into larger classes by the recent budget cuts at St. Johns schools.

Jeff Farrier uses the transit to help set forms for the three bedroom ranch home that students are building on West Sickles Street. They are involved in the actual construction of the home in a two hour a day class. About half of the young men involved in these classes become professional carpenters. (Photos by Sharon Randall)

Looking Ahead

MOTHERS OF TWINS—Thursday, Sept. 18 at 7:30 p.m. the Clinton County Mothers of Twins Club will meet in the conference room at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

TRAVELOGUE—"Springtime in Holland" will open the Business and Professional Women and the Rotary Club's travelogue series, Thursday, Sept. 18 at Rodney B. Wilson Auditorium.

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BUILDING a solar greenhouse? Capital Area Community Services of Lansing is going to build one, and needs interested volunteers who want to help with construction, or to just watch. There will be a meeting at Capital Area Community Services, 101 E. Willow on September 30, at 7 p.m. For more information, call 482-1271. Anyone is welcome to come help.

CAMERA CLUB—The St. Johns Camera Club will meet Tuesday, Sept. 30 at 7 p.m. at the Capitol Savings and Loan Community Room. Officers will be elected. A special program at 8 p.m. will feature a slide presentation "Through the Mexican Centuries."

CHICKEN DINNER—Annual Chicken Dinner will be held at the St. Peter Lutheran Church's Parish Hall in Riky Twp. on Sunday, October 26. Adults, \$4.00; children 5-12, \$2.00; under 5 free.

HOG ROAST—The American Agriculture Movement is having its third annual Hog Roast and Buffet Supper, Saturday, Sept. 20 at Smith Hall, St. Johns. Adults eat for \$4.50; children five to 12, \$3, and children under five, free. This is a public dinner. All you can eat from 4:30 - 8:30 p.m.

BEEF AND HAM DINNER—The Gratiot County Assn. for Retarded Children and Adults will hold a public roast beef and ham dinner, Sunday, Sept. 21 at Camp Monroe, 600 E. Jackson Rd., St. Louis. The event includes salad bar and pie and will run from noon until 3 p.m. Tickets are \$5, adults; \$1.75 children. Pre-schoolers are free.

OLD BOTTLES—The Huron Valley Bottle and Insulator Club is holding a show and sale Sunday, Oct. 12 at the Zal Gaz Grotto, Ann Arbor. Interested persons are invited to bring antique bottle and insulator items to show for free identification and information.

CARPOOL TO LCC—The Community Resource Volunteers have a carpool match program for Clinton County students attending Lansing Community College. Call the CRV office, 224-8285 and leave your name, address, phone number and the hours you will be attending.

Life Styles

IN PORTLAND

Smith and Schneider married



Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Schneider

Before an altar of glads, mums and carnations in rainbow colors, Ann Marie Smith and Patrick Schneider were united in marriage.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father Donald Weber at St. Patrick's Church, Portland, July 26. Parents of the bride are Marilyn and James Smith of Westphalia. Marion and Richard Schneider of Portland are the groom's parents.

The bride wore a white gown with silk organza over taffeta. The bodice and long tight fitting sleeves were trimmed in lace and pearls. The A-line skirt had inserts

of lace and a chapel train flowing from the waist. Her veil featured a Juliet cap of silk illusion tulle trimmed in lace and pearls. She carried a cascade of red sweetheart roses, white mums and carnations with baby's breath and white streamers.

Sandy Smith, sister of the bride, served as maid of honor. Marsha Smith, sister of the bride; Debbie Smith, sister-in-law of the bride; Wanda Fedewa and Marlene Thelen, friends of the bride, were bridesmaids. They wore rainbow gowns of yellow, peach, pink, light blue and mint green in dotted swiss with ruffled

neckline, capelet sleeves and skirts with flounced hems. Picture hats matched their dresses and they carried red roses and baby's breath.

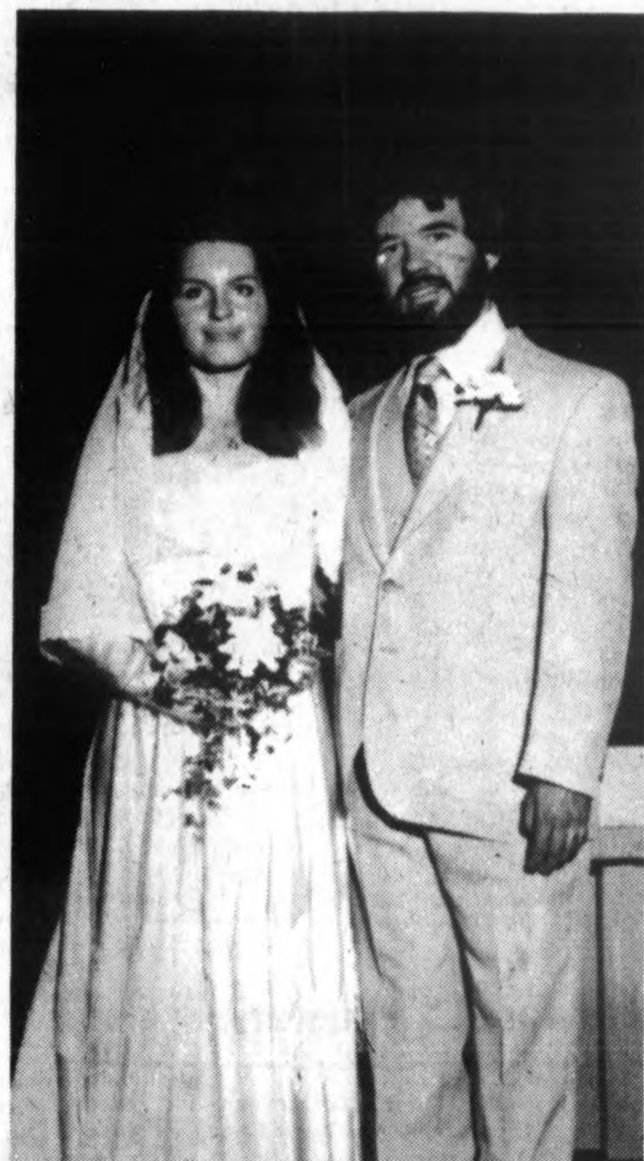
Frank Schneider, brother of the groom, served as bestman. Groomsmen were his brother, Kevin Schneider; Dave Smith, brother of the bride; Bruce Cook and Steve Stiffer, friends of the groom. The groom wore an all white tuxedo with a boutonniere of roses. The groomsmen wore champagne beige tuxedos with shirts to match the bridesmaid's gowns.

Dan Smith, brother of the bride, and Ron Smith, friend

of the groom, were ushers. Jay Schneider, brother of the groom, was commentator. Special guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Halfman, grandparents of the bride.

A buffet reception was held in the evening at the K of C Hall in Portland for 400 guests. Servers for the bridal table were Patty Jackson, Kathy Weber, and Jane Finkbeiner; cutting the wedding cake were Linda Botts and Mary Schaefer, all friends of the bride.

A wedding trip was taken to Pennsylvania, Niagara Falls, and Toronto.



Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Flegler

Celebrates 85th with surprise open house

Friends and family surprised Mrs. Al (Vera) Rehmann of 106 Amor Lane with an open house for her 85th birthday, Saturday, Sept. 6.

Refreshments were served as neighbors and relatives greeted Mrs. Rehmann at a special party.

Hosting the party were John and Germaine Rehmann, St. Johns, Mark and Marie Fox of Fowler, Ben and Dorothy Wieber of St. Johns, and Robert and Eleanor Hammond of

Stevensville. Grandchildren, nieces and nephews also attended. Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Rehmann, who were out of town on Saturday, stopped by on Sunday.

Mrs. Rehmann is the former Vera Ridenour. She worked at Parr's for eight years and was Deputy Register of Deeds for four years. She will be visiting her son, E.L. Ridenour, at Irons, Mich. for more celebrating this week. His father was the late, Harry Ridenour.

Couple wed in August candlelight ceremony

Carol Sue Freeman, daughter of Dr. Fred Freeman of Tipton and Mrs. Jean Belcher of Tecumseh was united in marriage to Dr. Stanley Flegler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Flegler of Lansing at Grace Methodist

Church in Lansing on Aug. 23, 1980. Mrs. Flegler is a friend of the bride and former Clinton County teacher.

For the 1 p.m. candlelight ceremony, performed by Rev. Gary Hawes, the bride wore a lace-trimmed ivory gown with a long train and fingertip chiffon veil. She carried a cascade bouquet of white gardenias, Boston fern and peach silk flowers.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Nancy Scott of Lansing, friend of the bride and groom. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Cindy Kogut of Lansing,

sister of the bride, and Mrs. Janis McNeil of Portland, sister of the groom. All wore floor length apricot colored gowns and carried cascade bouquets of orchids and peach silk flowers.

The best man was Rev. John Sowash of Lansing, 23, 1980. Mrs. Flegler is a friend of the bride and groom. Groomsmen were Fred Freeman II of Eugene, Oregon, brother of the bride, and David Kiser of Elkhart, Ind., friend of the bride and groom.

The bride's mother wore a floor length gown of apricot floral. The bridegroom's mother wore a pink flowered long dress with sheer matching bolero. Both had corsages of white gardenias and roses.

For the double ring ceremony, the altar was decorated with a floral arrange-

ment of gladiolas, white carnations, white pompons and candles flanked with candlebra.

Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. Oric Harbourt of Tecumseh, grandparents of the bride.

Ushers were Clay McNeil of Portland, brother-in-law of the groom, and James Scott of East Lansing, friend of the bride and groom.

A buffet reception at the

fellowship hall of the church followed the wedding. A rehearsal dinner was hosted by the groom's parents at Sveden House the night preceding the wedding.

After a honeymoon in Northern Michigan, the couple will make their home in Indian Hills, Okemos. Both are graduates of Michigan State University, where the groom also received his PhD, and is now employed.

Marriage licenses

David Charles Haywood, 36, 205 N. Scott Rd., Apt. #A-7, St. Johns; Janet Lynn Smith, 29, 205 N. Scott Road, Apt. #A-7, St. Johns.

Daniel Richard Jubb, 25, 4124 Drumheller Road, Bath; Julia Lynn Martin, 22, 5837 Outer Drive, Bath.

Kenneth Miles Slocum, 40, 5370 E. Cutler Rd., Bath; Diane Elaine Brodberg, 33, 5370 E. Cutler Rd., Bath.

Reo Hal Youngs, 21, Rt. #1, Box 115, Fowler; Sherry Yvonne Jelinek, 26, 117 High St., Ovid.

Kevin Lee Shirey, 19, 5609 Sleight Rd., Bath; Valerie Jane Vail, 18, 10505 Upton Rd., Bath.

Daniel Paul Lindquist, 22, Box 325, St. Main St.,

Fowler; Michelle Denise Townsend, 22, 432 Evergreen St., East Lansing.

Thomas Emile Verlinde, 22, 1107 E. Taft Rd., St. Johns; Lorri Susan Pouch, 22, 403 E. Walker St., St. Johns.

Michael Ray Sanford, 19, 116 Floral Ave., St. Johns; Diane Dee Bellingar, 18, Rt. #1, Chandler Rd., Elsie.

Edwin Jan Nicewicz, 21, 5080 Holbrook Drive, Columbus, Ohio; Vicki Ann Mee, 22, 5080 Holbrook Drive, Columbus, Ohio.

Melvin Edward Pasch, 28, Rt. #1, Tallman Rd., Fowler; Mary Ann Brooks, 23, 3006 Harwick Dr., Apt. 4, Lansing.



Mr. and Mrs. Everett Richter

Wed 50 years

Everett and Pearl Richter former DeWitt residents will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary, Sept. 28 with an open house from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Senior Citizen Hall, Northern Ave., Barryton. A buffet lunch will be served.

The couple has four children, 10 grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

Friends, neighbors, and relatives are invited. The couple requests no gifts please.

Engagement told

Edward and Jane Idzkowski, 1427 E. Wildcat Rd., St. Johns, announce the engagement of their daughter, Joani to Dan Zuker, son of Bob and Mary Zuker, 211 W. McConnell, St. Johns.

The bride-elect graduated from St. Johns High School in 1977 and is employed by

the FC Mason Co. The prospective bridegroom graduated from St. Johns High School in 1972 and is employed by Jerome Witgen.

The couple plans an August 1981 wedding date.

Couple engaged

Richard and Kathy Elliot, 4551 W. M-21, St. Johns would like to announce the

engagement of their daughter, Cheryl Kay, of Lansing to Joseph Thomas Dillon, son of Mrs. Selma Dillon and the late Richard Dillon of Holt. The bride-elect is a 1976 graduate of St. Johns High School. She is employed at Farm Bureau Insurance Co. in Lansing.

The prospective bridegroom is a 1970 graduate of Holt High School and is employed by United Parcel Service.

The couple plan an April 25, 1981 wedding date.

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Obituaries

Louise Hartman

Louise Hartman of 125 W. Front St., Ovid, died Saturday, September 13, 1980, at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She was 70 years old.

Services were to be held Sept. 16 at the Osgood Funeral Home with the Rev. Carl Stasser officiating. Burial will be in Oakridge Cemetery. Mrs. Hartman was born in

Clinton County, Sept. 25, 1909, the child of Lewis and Christina (Martin) Altwater. She lived all her life in Clinton County.

Surviving are a son, Godfrey Hartman of New York; a brother, Fred Altwater of rural St. Johns; nieces and nephews.

A daughter, Mary Louise Hartman preceded her in death.

Mary C. Piggott

Mrs. Mary C. (Mae) Piggott, 87, of 669 N. Main, Fowler died September 13, 1980 at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

She was the wife of William J. Piggott Sr. whom she married in Fowler, Oct. 1, 1910. She lived all her life in the Fowler area, born Sept. 25, 1893 to George and Catherine (Kloekner) Smith.

She was a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church and an honorary member of The Christian Mothers.

Funeral services were held Sept. 15 at Holy Trinity with the Rev. Father Dennis Spitzley officiating. Rosaries were held at the George Chapel of the Osgood Funer-

al Homes. Burial was in Holy Trinity Cemetery.

Surviving are her husband, William; daughter and son-in-law, Mary Catherine and Gerald Fedewa of Fowler; sons and daughters-in-law, Ronald and Opal Piggott, Fowler, Robert Piggott, Fowler, Gerald and Caroline Piggott, Westphalia, Gordon Piggott, Fowler, William Jr. and Alice Piggott, Lansing; 30 grandchildren; 32 great-grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Noima Martin of Fowler and a sister-in-law, Bernita Smith of Fowler. A son, Arlo, and a daughter-in-law, Donna, preceded her in death along with three brothers.

Howard C. Walker

Funeral services were held Sept. 13 for Howard C. Walker, 78, of 505 W. Main, DeWitt. Mr. Walker died Sept. 10, 1980. Services were held at the DeWitt Area Chapel with the Rev. Murl Eastman officiating. Burial was in Mt. Rest Cemetery.

Mr. Walker was born November 12, 1901 in Bengal Township to Vern A. and Lena Reeb Walker. On February 17, 1926 he married Gladys Kelly in St. Johns.

Mr. Walker was a 1918 graduate of St. Johns High

School. He attended Albion College and Northwestern University where he was associated with Sigma Chi fraternity. He had been a member of the DeWitt Masonic Lodge for 50 years.

Mr. Walker had lived in DeWitt for the past 44 years. He ran the Walker Lumber Company for 25 years until his retirement in 1961.

Mr. Walker is survived by his wife, Gladys; one brother Edgar Walker; and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by two brothers, Clare Walker and Dr. Myrle Walker.

Bernice M. McCarthy

Bernice M. McCarthy of Brewster, New York died Sept. 2, 1980 after a brief illness. She was 73. Her son, William McCarthy is a St. Johns resident.

Mrs. McCarthy was born Sept. 24, 1906 at Pierpoint, N.Y. She was the daughter of Lillis (Tupper) and John Burnette. She was married to John McCarthy who survives her along with sons, William of St. Johns and Dr. John McCarthy of New City, N.Y.; two brothers and four sisters; eight grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. She started teaching when

she was 18 years old. She attended Russell, New York Normal School and taught in rural area schools and the Brewster School until her retirement in 1967. She was a member of the Seventh Day Adventist Church of Danbury/Waterbury, Conn.; the Enoch Crosby Chapter of the D.A.R. and the New York State Retired Teachers Assoc.

Funeral services were held in Brewster, with interment at Raymond Hill Cemetery, Carmel, N.Y. Contributions may be made to the Heart Fund.

Paul Thomas Hainer

Paul Thomas Hainer, 63, of rural White Cloud died suddenly at his home, Monday, Sept. 8, 1980. He was retired from Eaton Corporation, Kalamazoo.

Mr. Hainer was born in St. Johns, Oct. 3, 1915, the son of Peter and Fern (Antes)

Hainer. He lived in Kalamazoo as an adult, moving to White Cloud a year ago.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Sept. 10 at the Schnepf Funeral Home in Carson City. Burial was in West Side Cemetery, Hubbardston.

Surviving are daughters, Mrs. Betty Palmer of Greenville, Penny Hainer of Kalamazoo; son Robert of Galesburg and Clarence, Paul, Donald and Peter of Kalamazoo; sisters, Mrs. Dorothy Decker, Carson City, Mrs. Gladys Irish, St. Johns, Mrs. Alice Richmond, St. Johns, Mrs. Grace M. Kirk, St. Johns; brothers, Clare of Alto, Donald and Clifford of Battle Creek; 13 grandchildren, six great-grandchildren; nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by a sister, Marian Hunt Wellington and a brother Howard Hainer.

Cora V. Kadolph

Cora V. Kadolph of 8307 Mason Rd., Ovid, died Tuesday, Sept. 9, 1980 at Owosso Memorial Hospital. She was 71 years old.

Funeral services were held Sept. 12 at the Houghton Chapel-Osgood Funeral Homes with the Rev. Justin Shepard officiating. Burial was in Pine Tree Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Duplain Church of Christ.

Mrs. Kadolph was born in Corunna, Dec. 27, 1908, the child of J. Sylvester and Alice (Fenner) Austin. She attended Corunna schools but lived in Ovid most of her life, at the Mason Road

address since 1935. She was married to Frank Kadolph in Perry, March 15, 1937. He died in 1972.

Mrs. Kadolph was a homemaker and belonged to the Duplain Church of Christ.

Surviving are a son, Harold of Centerville, Va.;

two daughters, Mrs. Kathryn Kaminski and Mrs. Mary Howard both of Ovid; 14 grandchildren; one great-grandchild; two brothers, Ted Austin of Corunna and Orin Austin of Davison. She was also preceded in death by a brother and a son, Gary Kadolph.

Leroy Vincent Richard Foley

Funeral services for Leroy Vincent, 72, were held Sept. 12 at the Carter Funeral Home, Elsie. The Rev. David Miles officiated and burial was made in Maple Grove Cemetery, Ovid. A Masonic Service was held Thursday evening with 30 Masons present.

Mr. Vincent died Wednesday, at his home, 427 E. Main St., Elsie; of heart failure. A former Elsie school board president and former Clinton County district commissioner, he was a retired farmer and for 18 years had managed and operated the Vincent Dairy in Elsie.

A resident of the Elsie and Ovid areas for most of his life, he was a former Mid-Michigan Health Board member and attended the Elsie United Methodist Church.

Mr. Vincent was past patron of the Elsie Order of Eastern Star, past master of Elsie Masonic Lodge F & AM No. 238 and a member of the Royal Arch Masons.

He was born on Jan. 3, 1908, in Midland County to William and Cora Vincent and on Sept. 3, 1933, married Gladys Knight in Ovid.

Richard Foley, 88, who spent his early years in St. Johns, died Sept. 5, 1980 at his winter home in Palmetto, Florida. He was the oldest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Richard Foley of St. Johns.

Born in Cleveland, Ohio, he came to Michigan as a young boy, spending his early years here, but lived most of his life in Berkley. He was a postal carrier in Royal Oak until his retirement.

Surviving are two sons, Richard of Palmetto and Allen of Lapeer; five sisters, Mrs. Nellie Farrier of DeWitt, Miss May Foley, Amherst, Mass., Mrs. Frances Businski, Fenton, Mrs. Florence Thornton, Troy, Mrs. Alice Hicks, Mason; three grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Memorial services were held Saturday, Sept. 13 at the chapel in Roselawn Cemetery, Royal Oak.

Graduates

ANN ARBOR—St. Johns resident, Susan Mitchell Dyer of 205 N. Scott Road Apartments was a degree candidate at commencement ceremonies at the University of Michigan, Aug. 24.

Ms Dyer earned a Master of Science from the Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies.

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SEPTEMBER 29, 1980

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that a special election of St. Johns Public Schools, Clinton and Gratiot Counties, Michigan, will be held in the School District, on Monday, September 29, 1980.

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

The following propositions will be submitted to the vote of the electors at the special election:

I. MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSITION

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in St. Johns Public Schools, Clinton and Gratiot Counties, Michigan, be increased by 17.75 mills (\$17.75 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation for the year 1980, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes (this being a renewal of 17.75 mills for operating purposes which expired with the 1979 tax levy)?

II. TAX RATE LIMITATION INCREASE PROPOSITION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS, MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF SCHOOL FACILITIES

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in St. Johns Public Schools, Clinton and Gratiot Counties, Michigan, be increased by 1/2 mill (\$0.50 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation for the year 1980, for the purpose of providing additional operating funds for capital improvements, maintenance and repair of school facilities?

THE VOTING PLACES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

- PRECINCT NO. 1
Voting Place - Auditorium of the Rodney B. Wilson Jr. High School.
- PRECINCT NO. 2
Voting Place - The East Essex School.
- PRECINCT NO. 3
Voting Place - Eureka School.
- PRECINCT NO. 4
Voting Place - The Olive Center Schools.
- PRECINCT NO. 5
Voting Place - Riley Elementary School, 5935 W. Pratt Road.

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

I, Gerald E. Shepard, Treasurer of Clinton County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of 8-25-80, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in St. Johns Public Schools, Clinton and Gratiot Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Clinton County:	None
By Essex Township:	None
By Greenbrush Township:	None
By Duplain Township:	None
By Bengal Township:	1 mill - 80-81
By Benham Township:	None
By Ovid Township:	None
By Riley Township:	None
By Olive Township:	None
By Victor Township:	None
By Waterown Township:	None
By Westphalia Township:	None
By the School District:	None

Gerald E. Shepard
Treasurer
Clinton County, Michigan

I, Shirley A. Johnston, Treasurer of Gratiot County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of August 25, 1980, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in St. Johns Public Schools, Clinton and Gratiot Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Gratiot County:	None
By Fulton Township:	None
By Elba Township:	None
By Washington Township:	None
By the School District:	None

Shirley A. Johnston
Treasurer
Gratiot County, Michigan

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of St. Johns Public Schools, Clinton and Gratiot Counties, Michigan.

R. Lee Ormston
Secretary, Board of Education

Clinton County Sports

Fowler wins big at Fulton

By Tim Jeffery

It was expected to be much closer than 24-8. Both teams appeared evenly matched on paper with possibly a slight edge for Fulton because of the experienced offensive line. The host Pirates hadn't lost at home in over four years, thus Fowler faced a tough task.

When the dust finally cleared, the Eagles walked away with an impressive win as their defense did the job in holding Fulton's offense scoreless until the final quarter. The big plays were the key for Fowler's scoring.

The Eagles took the opening kickoff and after a fine runback marched 49 yards in 6 plays. Lloyd Feldpausch carried it in from the 3-yard-line for the capper. Fulton held on the two point conversion try.

Following the opening score, both defenses took charge. As the action moved into the second quarter, the momentum began to gradually swing in Fulton's favor. The Pirates pieced together a string of first downs and moved inside the Fowler 25-yard-line. The tough Eagle defense stiffened when it had to, stalling Fulton's drive when a short fourth down try failed.

Late in the second quarter a Scott Winsor pass was intercepted by Tom Weber. The turnover gave Fowler a first down at mid-field with two minutes left in the half. A big halfback option pass from Feldpausch to Doug Cook moved the Eagles into scoring range. Luke Hufnagel kept the ball around the left end and romped 11-yards for a crushing touchdown. Instead of the teams leaving for the intermission with a 6-0 score, the Eagles were up by 12.

Early in the third quarter, Hufnagel broke outside again. Nobody could catch the Fowler quarterback and he covered 47 yards for the score. The run finished a 73-yard drive and raised the visitors lead to 18-0.

Then late in the quarter, Weber added the final blow to the Pirates by returning an interception 43 yards for a touchdown. The conversion failed, but the lead stood at an insurmountable 24 points.

Fulton finally broke the ice by driving 54 yards for a score. The drive was completed on a 6-yard run by Winsor. He set up the touchdown with a 38-yard pass to Ron Hanson. The two point conversion was good, making the final 24-8.

Spicer was extremely pleased with the work of his team stating, "Both our offensive and defensive lines did a fine job, however I'd like to see a little more sustaining of the drives, but we broke off the big play and I think that got them down." He also added, "Fulton is a good football team and they're a long way from being out of the race."

Pirate coach John Wachsmuth agreed with Spicer's assessment about the big plays killing his team, but had nothing but praise for Fowler. He said, "They really didn't make any mistakes and looked extremely polished

for this early in the year, but our kids played football for 48 minutes and I never saw anybody quit out there."

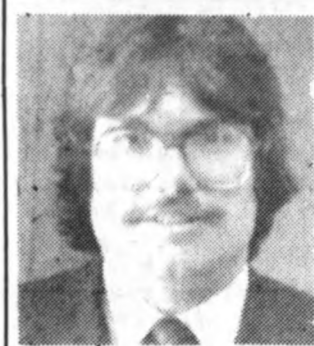
A check of the statistics shows Fulton actually outgained Fowler 211-203. Fowler rushed for 178 yards led by Hufnagel's 93 yards on eight carries. Fulton was led by Wayne Bond's 78 yards in 20 carries.

Defensively, Roy and brother Lloyd Feldpausch were the leading Fowler tacklers. Lloyd had an outstanding game and was credited with 16 tackles. Roy added 11 to Please turn to page 9



Fowler and Fulton clashed Friday night in a big matchup of CMAC contenders. The Eagle defense held Fulton in check throughout most

of the evening and won 24-8. Here Fulton's Wayne Bond (31) is met by Tom Weber after a short gain. (Photo by Tim Jeffery)



One Man's Views

By Tim Jeffery

After Bath's opening night victory over Alma, I spoke to Tom Reed, the first year head coach of the defeated squad. In our conversation, Reed hit me with something that I couldn't believe I was hearing. He stated, "We didn't know anything about Bath before this ball game. We just had no idea." Without question, as a head coach, part of the job comes in preparation for the upcoming game. If you don't know anything about your opponent, then how can you expect to win?

Alma's record has not been impressive lately and probably won't be this year, but let's look at the other side of the coin. When you talk about St. Johns football, you're talking about a winner and a big part of the reason comes from more than just talent.

The scouting reports that Joe Gonzales has in his hands each week would make Monte Clark drool. The Redwing head man knows everything from what the opposition's huddle looks like to the number of times they passed during the last two games, on second down and four. One may wonder, "Who cares what their huddle looks like?" but the more St. Johns coaches and players know, the less likely they are to be surprised. In fact, chances are the Redwings don't get surprised more than once or twice a year, if that much.

Several individuals make the reports as successful as they are. Al Werbish, Dick Vitek and John Wilcox act as main scouts and are paired throughout the season with a specific individual. Werbish teams with Mark Holden, Vitek pairs with Fred Gibbs and Wilcox works in tandem with Jan Szymczak. Then a third member is added to complete the braintrust, from among Nick Koenigsnecht, Rick Burks, Bruce Irish, Steve Keilen and Dave Pung. None of these men are paid for the help they provide.

Before the start of the season, coaches and scouts gather for a "how to scout" meeting. They discuss techniques on what to look for and when to look for it. If a new scout is on hand, they view game films to familiarize the individual on important items, as well as the tiniest factor. Then the scout teams are selected and they break down separately to set up who will write and who will call the shots when watching a game.

A schedule is drawn up assigning the men the games they are to attend. They way the pattern works is very detailed. For instance, the St. Johns opponent Friday is Chesaning. Wilcox, Szymczak and Burks will be in attendance after watching Chesaning play each of the past two weeks. In watching Chesaning, these men will have diagrammed each and every offensive and defensive move or play the team used during the contests. They will also know Chesaning's cadence, if their flanker varies his split, how well they center the ball on punts, whether the quarterback throws a hard or soft pass and probably if the second-string left guard has bad breath.

While at the St. Johns-Chesaning game, one scout will be in the pressbox along with Doug Japinga, the ex-varsity offensive coordinator who now donates his time, and another will be on the field with Gonzales. The third man will be where ever he is needed most. These men will check defenses, help with the offense and point out specifics to coaches on given down and yardage situations.

Each of the scout groups work in the same manner. They see the team in action for the two weeks prior to its facing St. Johns, then attend the actual meeting between the two. When the scouts leave for a ball game they have a set of instructions consisting of 20 items. The final topic is to report for a scout and coaches meeting on Sunday at 4 p.m. During the two hour session each set of "bird dogs" presents their report, complete with play diagrams starting with the opening kickoff and running through the final gun. After the scouts have left, the coaches then go over game films of the upcoming opponent.

Doug Parker, Linden Lade and Roger Beebe are the trio in charge of compiling statistics for the Redwings. It's safe to say that each is a whiz with figures due to their respective jobs. Parker and Lade are members of the St. Johns math department while Beebe is a bank vice-president in charge of consumer lending. The statistics these gentlemen prepare each week are a writer's dream. I could write a five page story about the particular contest without having ever witnessed a play. Lade handles what is probably the most difficult of the assignments in that he keeps a log of what happened on each play throughout the game. He notes how many yards the St. Johns ball carrier gained or lost, whether there was a fumble, interception or penalty, what happened if the play consisted of a placekick or even if it was a simple incomplete pass.

The defensive duties go to Parker. He keeps track of tackles, assists and defensive gems such as fumbles caused or interceptions. Parker also has the duty of compiling all the totals on each set of statistics once they are finished.

Beebe handles all the figures for the kicking game. Notes are kept on how far the punt or kickoff traveled, which way the return went such as right, left or the middle and how the return team performed its blocking assignment. Did they use a wedge or did they cross block?

On Mondays, the players are presented with a copy of everything the scouts have compiled. The coaches go over the entire package so that each individual knows his assignment in every possible situation. The coaches stress to the players the importance of reading through the literature and may even give some sort of test to be sure they are taking everything in. The preparation for each St. Johns game is incredible and if the players perform well, they have an excellent chance of winning.

Werbish, Vitek and Wilcox have all been performing their duties for better than 10 years and have the knowledge to completely baffle an average football fan. The other scouts are also very heady football people and know their jobs well.

Yes, there is truly more there than meets the eye. The task behind becoming a winning football team is not easy and takes a great amount of work. You'll never see a team more ready to play than that bunch of Redwings that hits the field each Friday night.

Redwings drop tough 13-7 contest to Waverly

By Tim Jeffery

The St. Johns gridders were victimized by a bit of their own medicine in the 13-7 loss on Friday night to Waverly. Where the Redwings scored with 15 seconds left in their win over Charlotte, the Warriors almost duplicated the feat in Friday night's heartbreaker. The visitors upended St. Johns with a touchdown coming just 45 seconds from the final gun.

Defensively the Wings played well, but were simply worn down by the much bigger Waverly team. Unfortunately the performance of the St. Johns offense left something to be desired. They could only muster 120 yards for the entire evening with 71 of those coming on a first quarter touchdown pass.

Waverly, a team that likes to throw found the Redwing secondary to be very stubborn. The Warriors had five passes picked off and had to rely almost exclusively on the running attack. St. Johns was successful in limiting the ground game for most of the night, but the visitors were able to rush effectively in their final drive.

St. Johns got on the scoreboard first. Quarterback Doug Sleep hit Jeff Casler and it was off to the races, the play covered 71 yards and came with 6:30 left in the opening quarter. Rich Kingsley booted the point after and things looked bright for the home team.

Neither team could do much on offense again until the final stanza. Waverly got a big break when Ken Harper partially blocked a St. Johns punt from deep in Redwing territory. The kick traveled only 10 yards, giving the Warriors a first down on the SJ 21-yard-line.

The Warriors capitalized on the opportunity going in with six plays. Rod Watts scored the touchdown from 1-yard away. The score came 56 seconds into the fourth quarter. The Wings stopped Watts on the two-point conversion attempt keeping a 7-6 lead.

Waverly started the winning march after taking over on their own 37-yard-line with 4:38 to play. They began grinding it out little by little and were eventually aided by a costly unsportsmanlike conduct penalty against SJ.

The Redwing defenders did all they could to prevent the Warriors from scoring, but Watts slipped in from the 3-yard-line with just 45 seconds left on the clock. Toby Brovont hit the extra point making it 13-7.

The offense for St. Johns moved into Warrior territory following the kickoff, but the last ditch passing efforts failed to produce another miracle. The Wings were on the short end of a tough 13-7 score.

Coach Joe Gonzales was certainly not happy with the St. Johns offensive performance. "The offense has got to come on if we're going to do anything. We were sporadic and our offensive techniques were not good. We also

didn't execute well. I was just not very pleased with the offensive showing and there will be changes made this week," the Wing head man explained.

A pair of penalties hurt the Redwings badly and Gonzales had this to say, "Our mental self-discipline hurt with such things as player misconduct and unnecessary roughness penalties. Waverly was kind've rough and hard hitting, but that doesn't mean St. Johns should lose their self-discipline."

Bruce Fedewa had another outstanding game from his linebacker position. He was in on 20 tackles and intercepted a pass. Nose guard Todd Dietrich also had a big night making 13 tackles.

Gonzales was pleased with the job turned in by his defensive backs. Eric Ebert picked off a pair of passes, Rod Rojas had one and Gary Campbell added another.

Dave Maples was named the outstanding offensive player for St. Johns due to his work in the offensive line.

The Redwings host a tough Chesaning team Friday. They come into town sporting a 2-0 mark, fresh off the heels of a trouncing of Willow Run. Defensively, Chesaning is huge with only one starter measuring under 6-foot and that particular player goes 5-foot-11. The task will be difficult for St. Johns, but a win could be a big lift toward a run at the MMB title, however the Wings must come up with much more offensively to be victorious.

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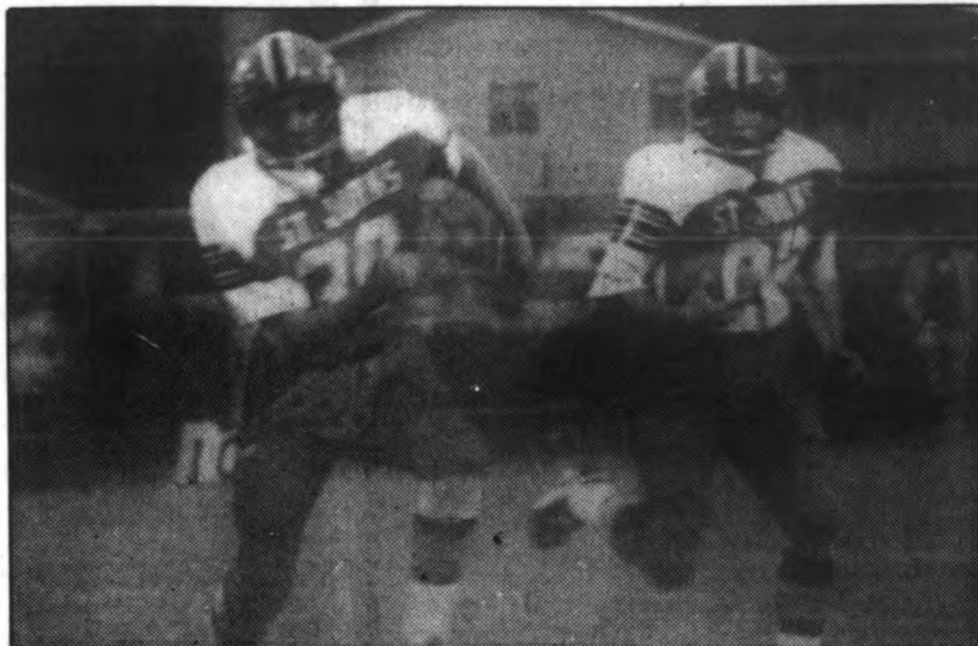
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Dean Sharick, the St. Johns tailback heads upfield following fullback Gary Campbell in the Redwing game Friday Night against Waverly. The offense couldn't solve the tough Warrior defense as Waverly scored a late touchdown and handed St. Johns a 13-7 defeat. (Photo by Jan Smith)

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O-E clipped by Bridgeport

By Tim Jeffery

Russ Pope's Marauders not only suffered a heartbreaking 19-14 loss to Bridgeport on Friday, but also lost all-state linebacker Ryan Ackles for possibly the remainder of the season, with a knee injury. The mainstay of the Ovid-Elsie defense first hurt the knee in practice a few days before the game. He then re-injured it two minutes into the second half and had to be carried off the field. Indeed, it was a sad sight for Marauder fans.

Playing over the loss of Ackles, O-E staged a great comeback. Bridgeport led at one point 13-0, before the Marauders overtook them by a single point with 6:08 left in the contest. The visiting Bearcats rallied to score the winning touchdown with just over a minute and a half to play.

Pope's troops opened the game by driving to the Bridgeport 40-yard-line before being forced to punt. The Bearcats fumbled the kick and O-E recovered, setting up a golden opportunity.

The hosts drove to the 11-yard-line, where on fourth down and six, they completed a pass for an apparent first down. Unfortunately a yellow marker nullified the play and in a somewhat unusual set of circumstances, the infraction carried a loss of down with it. The referee stepped off the penalty and awarded the ball to Bridgeport.

The O-E defense continuously applied the clamps on the Bearcat attack. Bridgeport mounted a good drive in the second quarter which took them to the Marauder 10-yard-line. There the march fizzled and the visitors turned the ball over on downs.

With their backs to the wall again, Ovid-Elsie's defenders finally surrendered a score, 2:22 before the end of the half. The touchdown came on a 13-yard pass play to complete a 46-yard drive in eight plays. Bridgeport added the extra point making it 7-0.

The Marauders put together a long march of their own just before halftime. They drove 90 yards, but stalled on the 2-yard-line. A third down pass from 2 yards away was dropped in the end zone enabling the Bearcats to hold onto their lead.

Bridgeport got on the board again mid-way through the third quarter on a 1-yard quarterback sneak. The key play came on a 50-yard pass giving the visitors a first down, just a yard from the end zone.

Ovid-Elsie finally punched in a score, going 64 yards in 12 plays. The score came on a 2-yard run by Kip Coleman. Jim Chapko booted the point after putting O-E within six, with a little more than a quarter to play.

A Bob McCue interception stopped a Bearcat drive and started the Marauders on their way to the go ahead touchdown. They drove 63 yards using 14 plays, capped by a 1-yard run by Brad Burns. Chapko hit the point after giving O-E a 14-13 edge.

Following the kickoff, Bridgeport took 12 plays to score the winning touchdown. The drive covered 79 yards and climaxed with 1:43 left in the game. Quarterback Tim Morris scored on a 6-yard run, but the key play came on a third and nine from Bridgeport's own 40-yard-line. Morris passed to Larry DeBeau who made a great leaping catch to pickup 20 yards and keep the drive intact.

It was a courageous effort by O-E who not only lost the services of Ackles early in the second half, but also played without his backup, Rick Trevino. He missed the game with a dislocated thumb suffered earlier in the week.

Pope was disappointed in not hanging on to win, but at the same time was happy with his team's character. "It'll probably always be a game I'll think we should've won because of all our missed opportunities, but I was really proud of the kids with the way they came back," he stated.

Eric Winkler had a good game directing the Marauder attack. He hit on 10 of 22 passes with the last four incompletions coming on desperation heaves.

Todd Winans led O-E in rushing with 85 yards on 14 carries despite the efforts of Bearcat nose guard Bob Edgley who reaped praise from Pope. "He was the best nose guard I've ever seen. The kid is a three year varsity starter and spent the entire evening in our backfield messing things up," the Marauder coach explained.

O-E will attempt to get back on the winning track Friday when they host Ionia. It'll be a busy week in practice for the Marauders as they attempt to reshuffle the defense. Ackles, who still managed 15 tackles against Bridgeport will be sorely missed. Dean Bendt and Kevin Wilson, who accumulated 13 and 12 tackles respectively in the O-E loss, will have to carry much of the load, however an adequate replacement for Ackles must be found if the team is to continue playing as well defensively as they have.

Telling it like it is



By Tim Jeffery

Sunday made it two in a row for the rejuvenated Lions. They've crushed both the Rams and Packers and with the way they're playing a new air of excitement abounds. Here then is this week's question.

What are your thoughts on the Lions and how far can they go? Also what about the home opener Sunday with St. Louis?

Gary Bensinger of St. Johns: "Well I think they are going to lose some ball games this year, but they're good and they're young. The only thing you can do is wait and see what happens. Billy Sims is just what they have needed, of course you can't overlook Bussey and Danielson. As for Sunday, its going to be close with St. Louis."

Lowell Conklin of St. Johns: "I think they're going all the way this year. Billy Sims will take them in. They're about due to win it. They should beat St. Louis by at least a touchdown on Sunday."

John Dunham of Elsie: "Oh I don't think they'll go all the way. Pittsburgh is still strong, but if they can avoid injuries they'll be up among the top two or three teams. I think they'll beat St. Louis on Sunday, but it'll be close."

Jerry Prince of St. Johns: "I think Billy Sims is going to make the big difference and they've got Danielson back. They'll probably win their division but after that I think it's all over for them."

Steve Kellen of St. Johns: "Well, I think if they stay healthy, they can make a last place to first place comeback in one season, similar to how Tampa Bay did it last year. As far as the playoffs go, I don't expect them to make it to the Super Bowl because of the inexperience. Really, nobody on the team has played in the playoffs yet. I think the St. Louis game will be somewhat close, early in the game, but they may blow the Cardinals out in the second half. It'll be pretty much like the Green Bay game."

Mike Humphrey of St. Johns: "If they stay healthy they will win their division. They're a long shot to go all the way if you're a betting man. On Sunday, make it Detroit by 10 over St. Louis."

SJ cagers open with a victory

The St. Johns girls' basketball team got the season off to a good start by knocking off Waverly Thursday night 76-52. The Redwings led throughout the entire contest and finally opened up a big lead in the final quarter.

The loss dropped Waverly to 3-2 on the season as they had seen previous action in tournaments.

Lori Kus was the big point producer for Beth Swears' team, tossing in 16 field goals and a pair of free throws for 34 points. The 6-foot-3 Redwing center also hauled down 18 rebounds.

Sue Pearsall scored 15 points as the sophomore forward hit on 9 of 11 free throws. Denise Thelen was the other Redwing in double figures with 11 points.

Sue Ayers topped Waverly with 12 points and Kay Deschryver added 10. Ayers also grabbed off 13 rebounds.

Laurie Fricke scored 20 points to pace the Pirates in their win at Shepherd. She also had 17 rebounds. Teammate Marti McVannell chipped in with 12 points.

Nancy Kresge took scoring honors in the win over Fowler. The 5-foot-7 forward had 18 markers, McVannell added 15, Fricke 14 and Brenda Ondrus had 10 points.

Fowler's scoring honors went to Jane George as she hit for 14 points. Kay Snyder added nine for the Eagles.

Fulton bounced back from

O-E & Fulton girls win twice

The Ovid-Elsie basketball team upped its record to 4-0 with a pair of wins last week. The Marauders knocked off Bullock Creek 49-30 and DeWitt 44-37.

Jennifer Litomisky led the scoring in both games by hitting for 26 points and 15 points in the respective contests. Connie Warfle was instrumental in the second win as DeWitt keyed on Litomisky. Warfle came to the rescue by tossing in 11 big points. Litomisky, the Marauder all-state center couldn't be held down on the boards in either game as she amassed 21 and 26 rebounds.

Fulton bounced back from its opening loss to O-E by knocking off Shepard and Fowler by scores of 50-34 and 78-51, respectively.

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P-W offense smashes Laingsburg

By Tim Jeffery

The Pwam-Westphalia wishbone attack once again looked awesome as they powered to their second straight romp, this one a 42-0 win over Laingsburg on Friday night. Showing glimpses of the great Oklahoma rushing attack of recent years, the Pirates scored on each of their first four possessions.

The explosive P-W offense racked up 30 points before many of the fans had been comfortably seated. Laingsburg received the opening kickoff, but Chris Thelen quickly picked off a pass giving the host Pirates a first down on the Wolfpack 35-yard-line.

On the second play from scrimmage, Kevin Fedewa broke off a 33-yard touchdown scamper, setting the stage for another big first quarter for himself. Dean Schafer carried in the two-point conversion.

The P-W defense held Laingsburg, and set up a first down at the mid-field stripe following a Wolfpack punt. This time it was Thelen for 17 yards, Fedewa for nine more and Fedewa for the final 24. Brian Pfaff ran the conversion attempt making it 16-0.

Series number three also started on the 50-yard-line. The first play netted 3 yards, then not wanting to be accused of sustaining a drive, Pirate quarterback Mike Pohl hooked up with Dar Hengesbach for a 47-yard scoring strike. Pfaff again carried in the two-point conversion. P-W led 24-0 and still hadn't broken a sweat.

Pohl took a Wolfpack punt after the defense once again held, and raced 51 yards before dropping the ball on the 9-yard-line as he changed hands with the pigskin. With everything going in the Pirates' favor, Pohl managed to fall on his own fumble. Two plays later Fedewa went in from 5 yards away, giving

him his third touchdown. The extra point failed leaving the score at 30-0.

Coach Mike Folk emptied his bench in the second quarter. The two teams played to a standoff throughout the rest of the half.

P-W's starting backfield returned in the third quarter to gain needed playing time. After the long spell on the bench, the ball carriers were a bit rusty. The Pirates proceeded to fumble four times, losing three of them. With the offense sputtering, it was left to the defense to get the next score.

Dave Smith picked off a deflected screen pass and raced 72 yards for another P-W score. The kick failed, keeping the score at 36-0.

Early in the final stanza, P-W completed the scoring with Pfaff carrying it over from the 7-yard-line. The big play was a Pohl to Hengesbach pass for 47 yards, setting up Pfaff's touch-

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St. Johns netters win first two

The Redwing tennis team opened its season with a pair of victories, one coming easily, the other being very close.

In the first match, St. Johns faced Corunna, a team in only its second year of existence, and won handily 7-0. The Redwing winners were Kris Teetens, Beth Buckley, Debbie Phillips and Theresa Hyde as singles players. Doubles winners were Tricia Barnes-Ellen Witteveen, Irenna Garpetyan-Michelle O'Connor

and Sharon Barnes-Caren Rojas.

The second victory was a narrow 4-3 triumph over Lansing Eastern. With the score tied at 3-3, St. Johns number four singles player, Hyde pulled out the win by defeating Ann Seamon 7-5, 2-6, 6-3. The Redwing doubles tandems were all victorious as well.

The next action for the St. Johns girls has them traveling to Everett tonight and Ionia on Monday.

Redwing harriers win one, drop two

The St. Johns cross country team opened its season with a victory over Fulton, but then suffered a pair of narrow defeats to Holt and Mason.

In the first meet, Jerry Peters and Paul Pioszak finished dead even for the Wings with times of 16:41. Bob Fonger placed fifth with a time of 17:39 and Dan Matson was seventh at 18:05, as St. Johns won 23-35.

Pioszak and Peters again paced the Redwings in their tight loss to Holt. Pioszak finished at 15:54 while Peters

was next with a mark of 16:22. The former's performance was good for second place while Peters came in fourth. Holt managed to gain a 26-29 win.

Mason beat St. Johns 27-30 on Thursday, despite second and third place finishes by Peters and Pioszak respectively. Matson finished fifth while Eric Root took seventh for the Redwings.

The St. Johns runners hosted Chesaning last night and travel to Lansing Eastern on Saturday for Eastern's Invitational.

★ Fowler-Fulton

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the Eagles' cause. Rod Robbe was tops for Fulton with 10 tackles followed by nine from Winsor. Possibly the biggest two plays of the night defensively were Weber's interceptions.

Friday Fowler will tangle with Bellevue while Fulton visits Laingsburg. The Pirates opponent was soundly beaten last week by P-W and Wachsmuth expects the Wolfpack to bounce back strong. The Fowler opponent lost a tough 12-6 overtime game and figures to give the Eagles a good battle. Both kickoffs are at 7:30 p.m.

P-W starts with three straight wins

The Pirates of coach Bonnie Somero have opened the season in a very impressive manner. By winning their first three contests, the team has indicated it may be one to reckon with in the CMAC race this season.

It wasn't until last Wednesday's game that the P-W girls were actually put to a test. The first two wins were rather one-sided.

Therese Simon tossed in 24 points and added 6 steals to pace the Pirates in the opening victory, a 56-40 affair at Carson City. Donna Heckman added 12 points and a game-high 13 rebounds, while Gina Pline chipped in with nine points and seven rebounds.

Portland defeated P-W twice last year and it's something the returning Pirate girls haven't forgotten as Somero explained. "Our kids wanted revenge after the two losses to them last year and that inspired us. The looked very inexperienced though and I really

didn't expect that. Maybe they had the first game jitters because nothing would go in for them."

In the only tight contest, the Pirates slipped past Laingsburg 53-47. The host Wolfpack led by five after one quarter, only to see P-W grab a three point lead at the intermission. As the game continued to see-saw back and forth, the third quarter ended with a 39-39 tie.

Entering the last minute of play, the Pirates held a slim one point margin before finally managing to open up the six point lead. Simon Heckman each came up with key steals in the final minute to keep the perfect record intact.

Simon was once again high with 20 points and grabbed off 11 rebounds. She boasts a 20.7 scoring average after the three games.

Pline scored 14 points while pulling down eight caroms. The big rebounder for the Pirates was Jane Cotter with 13. Heckman also had another fine game scoring 10 points and collecting 10 rebounds.

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THE ST. JOHNS LIONS CLUB will kick off their annual Light Bulb Sale Sept. 24 and 25.

CETA JOBS AVAILABLE
CETA jobs available for Clinton County residents who meet CETA eligibility: Economically disadvantaged and unemployed.

CLINTON COUNTY - Probate Court - Clerk-Typist - \$4.00 per hour. Duties: Typing (over 40 words per minute), filing, serves as unit receptionist, receiving walk-in visitors and telephone calls. Will also have bookkeeping duties.

NOTICE TO OUR CUSTOMERS
Effective Sept. 1, 1980, we will be giving a discount of 2¢ per gallon on ALL CASH sales providing old balances are paid in full.

Three working days from date of delivery is considered Cash.

STROUSE OIL CO., INC.

NOTICE CITY OF ST. JOHNS ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
OCTOBER 1, 1980

This meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. in the Commission Chambers at 121 E. Walker Street (enter through the Police Department, Spring Street entrance).

PURPOSE: An appeal from Virginia Shawnee for a variance from the Zoning Ordinance to allow a fence to be constructed to within four feet of her side corner lot line.

The Zoning Ordinance requires a ten foot set back from the street property line.

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 510 E. McConnell Street
TAX ROLL NUMBER: 300-000-035-010-00

Diane M. Edwards
Zoning Administrator

NOTICE
Clinton County is currently accepting bids for the replacement of two (2) furnaces at Smith Hall in St. Johns.

The following specifications have been established for this work:

- I. (a) removal of existing units
- (b) re-assembling duct work to new units
- (c) gas piping from meter to new units
- (d) new chimney pipe
- (e) line and low voltage electrical wiring
- (f) installation of two (2) new gas furnaces:

- (1.) 1-(south furnace) - 200,000 B.T.U. 1-(north furnace) - 160,000 B.T.U.
- (2.) direct spark ignition
- (3.) 20 year pro rated warranty.

II. Bids must be submitted to the Administrative Service Office in the Courthouse by 9:00 a.m. on September 22, 1980, and the bids will be opened in the Commissioners Room at 11:30 a.m. September 22, 1980.

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WATERTOWN CHARTER TOWNSHIP
Synopsis of regular board meeting. All Board members present. Also Commissioner VanDriessen, Attorney Robert McCullen and Engineer Dan Fredendahl.
Pledge given to our Flag.
Agenda approved with several additions.
Minutes of regular and public meeting approved with one correction. Treasurer's report accepted.
Bills read and ordered paid.
County Commissioner gave a report at county level.
Robert McCullen went over D.P.W. contract and got board input.
Forest Shipman reported on Labor Day events.
Mr. Charles Miller's request for a variance of his property located in section 36, denied.
Board agreed to purchase a new aerial map of area.
Meeting adjourned.
Mildred F. McDonough, Clerk
Vaughn Montgomery, Supervisor

REGISTRATION NOTICE WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that October 6, 1980, 8:00 p.m. is the last day for registration for the November General Election.
The Township Office will be open evenings for registration on
September 30th, 6:30-8:00 p.m.
October 6th, 6:30-8:00 p.m.
The office is open days on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., and I will register at my home, 8588 Corriison Road, Phone 626-6518.
Deputies: Elizabeth Houghtaling
9550 Looking Glass Brook Rd.
Phone: 626-6447
Helen Reck
13180 Shadybrook Lane
Phone: 669-3942
Eleanor Montgomery
15280 Grove Road
Phone: 321-4084
Mildred F. McDonough,
Township Clerk,

Legal notices

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Clinton County Planning Commission will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday, October 8, 1980 at 8:00 P.M. in the Board of Commissioners Room, of the Clinton County Courthouse, St. Johns, MI.

The subject of the public hearing will be the consideration of the following amendments to OR-1-78, The Clinton County Zoning Ordinance.

Case ZC-23-80 BATH TOWNSHIP -REZONING

A petition for rezoning has been filed by Mr. John Carter, Commander of the American Legion Post No. 412 which is located at 5480 Clark Road, Bath, MI. The Post is seeking rezoning from R-1A, One Family Rural Residential to B-2, General Business. The post is currently classified as a nonconforming use in a residential zone. The legal description of the property affected is as follows:

Case ZC-25-80 BATH TOWNSHIP -REZONING

A petition for rezoning has been filed by Mr. Harold Reedy, 16500 Center Road, Bath, MI to rezone the following described parcel of property from A-1, Agriculture to R-1D, Two-Family Residential.

Legal Description: Ba 500-Cor. at NW cor. of SW 1/4, Sec. 34, T5N-R1W, th. S. to cen. of hwy. 66 1/2 rds., th. N. in center of hwy. to 1/4 line, th. Wly 66 1/2 rds. to POB exc. W. 450' thereof. 10.04 acres

Case ZC-26-80 BINGHAM TOWNSHIP-REZONING

A petition for rezoning has been filed by Mr. Duane M. Bird, 2400 Buckley Road, Williamston, MI to rezone the following described parcel of property from R-1A, One Family Rural Residential to A-1, Agriculture.

Legal Property Description: All that part of the W 100 acres of the E 1/4 of Sec. 10 lying N. of r/o/w of the D&M RR and containing 48 acres m/l, all in T7N-R2W, Bingham Township, Clinton County, MI.

Case ZC-15-80 WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP-REZONING

A petition for rezoning has been filed by Leon and Margaret Garlock, 7525 Eaton Hwy., Grand Ledge, MI 48837 to rezone from M-1, Light Industry to A-1, Agriculture the following described parcel of property:

Tax Card Par. No.: 150-033-200-015-00; SE 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sec. 33, T5N-R3W exc. 1.07 acres in the Se cor. for 1-69 and 1-96.

This rezoning was approved by the Clinton County Board of Commissioners on 8/26/80 but due to an error in the previously advertised legal notice, this case is being processed through the Clinton County Planning Commission and the Board of Commissioners.

The amendment petitions and the Clinton County Zoning Ordinance and zoning map are available for public inspection in the Department of Development Control located at 306 E. Elm Street, St. Johns, Michigan during the hours of 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. Monday through Friday. Interested persons are requested to attend the meeting and voice their opinions in respect thereto or written comments may be submitted to the Department and will be made part of the hearing record.

Please call 224-6761, Ext. 221 for further information.

Jack A. Nelson, Director Department of Development Control 38-1 40-1

PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF HEARING

STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Probate Court County of Clinton, Estate of JOSEPH THOMAS FITZPATRICK, Deceased.

TAKE NOTICE: On October 2, 1980 at 10:00 a.m., in the probate courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan, before Hon. MARVIN E. ROBERTSON, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Thomas J. Fitzpatrick requesting that decedent's Will dated March 11, 1980, be admitted to probate and administration of the estate be granted to Thomas J. Fitzpatrick, or some other suitable person, and the heirs will be determined.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented said Thomas J. Fitzpatrick at Route 2, Cleveland Road, Carson City, Michigan 48811, and proof thereof filed with the court on or before November 18, 1980. And that thereafter the estate will be assigned to persons appearing of record entitled thereto.

Dated September 10, 1980 Fortino, Plaxton & Moskal ATTORNEYS CHARLES M. FORTINO Attorney

175 Warwick Dr. Alma, MI 48801 517/463-2101 CHARLES M. FORTINO Attorney for Petitioner 175 Warwick Dr. Alma, MI 48801 517/463-2101 38-1

PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF HEARING

STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Probate Court County of Clinton, Estate of MERETA HENNEY, deceased, File No. 20303. Last known address: 403 S. Emmons, St. Johns, Michigan 48879.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF MERETA HENNEY, deceased. Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented to Mr. Wayne Henney of 1437 Lenwood, Saginaw, Mich. 48603 within four (4) months of the date of publication of this notice. Notice is further given that the estate will thereafter be assigned to persons appearing of record entitled thereto.

Dated: Sept. 8, 1980 JOHN E. WIEBER Attorney for Petitioner 104 E. State Street St. Johns, Michigan 48879 517-224-3228 38-1

NOTICE OF INTENT TO VACATE ALLEY

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Village Council of the Village of Fowler, intends to vacate an alley in the Village of Fowler, County of Clinton, State of Michigan, being more particularly described as follows:

The North South alley through the cent of Block 22, Original Plat, Village of Fowler, Clinton County, Michigan.

NOTICE FURTHER GIVEN that a public hearing will be held on October 13, 1980, at 7:00 p.m., in the Council Chambers of the Municipal Building, Village of Fowler, Michigan, at which time persons interested are welcomed to attend and give testimony in support, or in opposition, to said vacation proceedings.

Dated: September 8, 1980

VILLAGE OF FOWLER CARL KOENIGSNECHT, VILLAGE PRESIDENT 38-4

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Legal Notice

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

ORDER TO ANSWER

JACK B. MILLER AND CATHERINE MILLER, husband and wife, and OVID-ELSIE SCHOOLS, a fourth class school district, as successor to SHERBURN SCHOOL DISTRICT, OVID TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY, MICHIGAN, Plaintiff,

vs.

HORACE TIBBITS AND MARY TIBBITS, husband and wife and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns and successors, Defendants.

On this 25th day of August, A.D. 1980 an action was filed by Jack B. Miller and Catherine Miller, husband and wife and Ovid-Elsie Schools, a fourth class school district as successor to Sherburne School District, Ovid Township, Clinton County, Michigan against the above captioned Defendants and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, and assigns, in this Court to quiet title to a certain piece of property described as:

Commencing at the Northwest corner of Section One (1), T7N, R1W, Ovid Township, Clinton County, Michigan; thence South on Section line 10 rods, thence East 10 rods 54 feet, thence North 10 rods, thence West 10 rods 54 feet to the place of beginning.

It is hereby ordered that the above captioned Defendants, and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, shall answer or take such action as may be permitted by law on or before the 27th day of October, A.D. 1980 at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon or that judgment by default against such Defendants for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

HON. RANDY L. TAHVONEN Circuit Judge

Date of Order: August 25, 1980

ROBERT H. WOOD Attorney for Plaintiff 35-4

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Misc. 27

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

TIMBER WANTED: Logs and standing timber. Logs delivered to our yard, DEV-ERAUX SAWMILL, INC. 2872 N. Hubbardston Rd., Pewamo, MI, Phone 593-2424 and/or 593-2552. 40-ft-28

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Misc. 27

CANVAS & VINYL tarps, tents, boat covers and awnings repaired. New tarps to your specifications. Walsh Pads behind Ballard's Home Center, 124 E. Washington, DeWitt, 9 to 4:30 or by appointment. 669-9186. 35-6-p-27

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Misc. Wanted 28

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PIANO LESSONS—Beginners through age 10. Lake Geneva (DeWitt) \$3.00 per half hour lesson. Ph. 669-3396. 37-3-p-29

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

WANTED—VENDORS for DeWitt Rummage Sale, Flea Market. Sat. Sept. 20th. Call 669-9927 for details. 38-1-p-29

END OF Estate Sale Hi Low bed, shot gun, clothing and collectibles. 9 to 5 Fri. & Sat. 1132 S. Geneva, DeWitt. 38-1-p-29

BINGO: Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Shiawassee Conservation Association 4247 N. M-52. 50-tf-29

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

WORK WANTED: additions, remodeling, repairs, new homes, roofing, water proofing concrete. Licensed and insured. Free estimates, Fowler's Home Maintenance. 669-3296. 10-tf-p-29

Card of Thanks 30

I WISH to thank my family and friends for the wonderful surprise celebration, Saturday, Sept. 6, for my 85th birthday.

A special thank you to my step-children, Mr. and Mrs. John Rehmann, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wieber and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hammond for hosting the event. Also Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Rehmann for their special visit.

Thank you all, friends and family for the happy day and the many birthday greetings.

Mrs. Vera Rehmann 38-1-p-30

THE FAMILY of Mereta Henney wish to express their warmest thanks to our relatives, and friends in her passing. The food brought in and floral arrangements were very much appreciated. Our gratitude to the Osgood Funeral Home, Rev. Peter Nieuwkoop and Bonnie Lutz for their services. Special appreciation to the ladies of the church for a lovely luncheon following the service.

Her Children and Family 38-1-p-30

Memoriam 31

IN MEMORY of Myrtle Fitzgerald who passed away Sept. 10, 1979. I miss you very much darling wife. Always thinking of you. DeWight M. Fitzgerald 38-1-p-31

Legal Notice

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

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vs.

HORACE TIBBITS AND MARY TIBBITS, husband and wife and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns and successors, Defendants.

On this 25th day of August, A.D. 1980 an action was filed by Jack B. Miller and Catherine Miller, husband and wife and Ovid-Elsie Schools, a fourth class school district as successor to Sherburne School District, Ovid Township, Clinton County, Michigan against the above captioned Defendants and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, and assigns, in this Court to quiet title to a certain piece of property described as:

Commencing at the Northwest corner of Section One (1), T7N, R1W, Ovid Township, Clinton County, Michigan; thence South on Section line 10 rods, thence East 10 rods 54 feet, thence North 10 rods, thence West 10 rods 54 feet to the place of beginning.

It is hereby ordered that the above captioned Defendants, and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, shall answer or take such action as may be permitted by law on or before the 27th day of October, A.D. 1980 at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon or that judgment by default against such Defendants for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

HON. RANDY L. TAHVONEN Circuit Judge

St Johns Lassie League season winds to an end



Magsig's Massives (front l to r) are Dawn Shinn, Sherry Shinn, Candy Hauptert, Rose Randolph (on grass), Angie Magsig, Steph Summers. Back row: Cindy Dorm, Lisa

Thelen, Patty Wisinski, Debbie Groesbeck, Rosemary Magsig. Missing from the picture are Nadene Dorn, Vicki Welch, Jeeny Huffman, Kim Heyer, and Julie Karber.



The Hub Tire Longshots are (front l to r) Kathleen Voisin, Tori Schroeder, Bonnie Parsons, Luann Hurst, and Deanna Stump. Back row: Michelle Lath, Shannon Mullaney,

Jackie Weber, Sue Workman, and Laura Mullaney, coach. Missing are Becky Brown, Tracey Hundey, Michelle Purtil, Becky Moore, Kim Stump, and Janet Roesner.



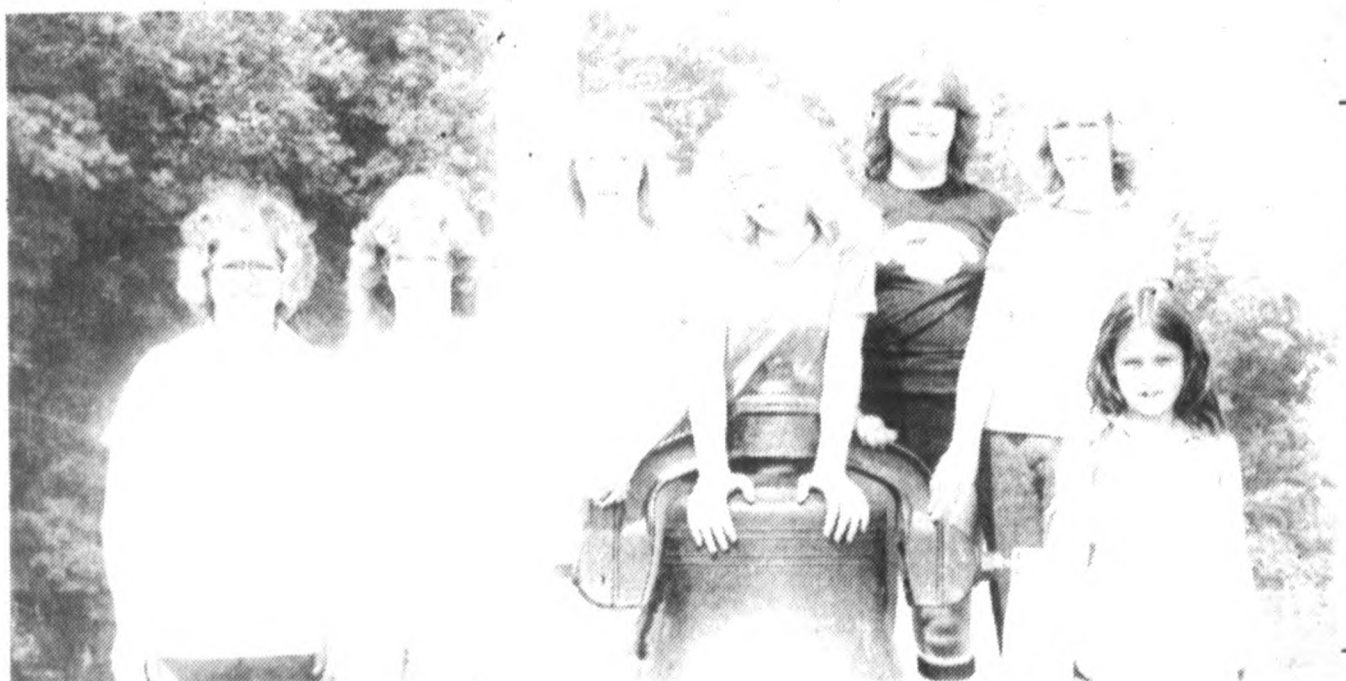
Dave and Mary Darnell coached the Dusters (front l to r): April Rohrback, Michelle Nunn, Beth Anderson, Cindy Reynolds, Leigh Anne Darnell. Middle row: Dave Darnell, Michelle Erhardt, Beth Herendeen, Becky Cobb, Chris

Wills, Becky Falor, Mary Darnell. Back row: Liz Kelley, Brenda Eiseler, Colleen Kelley. Missing are Deb Bensinger, Gina Fuentes and Melissa Mesh.



The Lassie League All Pros sponsored by Hair World are (front left to right): Ericka Knight, Connie Skorna, and Julie Fox. Middle row: Tina Trefil, Kim Catlin, Heather Pifer, Dawn Reynolds, Wendy DeDroog, and JoAnn

Simon, coach. Back row: Janice Rademacher, Cheryl Rademacher, Karen Simon, and Odette Garapetyan. Assistant coach, Irenna Garapetyan, is missing from the picture.



Massives win

The Lassie League's older division ended with a single elimination tourney. Results were: Long Shot, 12 - Durbins Dreams, 15; All Pros, 4 - Dusters, 11; Dreams, 7 - Massives 24; Massives 19 - Dusters 7.

The winners were Magsig's Massives. Coaches are Rosemary Magsig and Cindy Dorn.

Coaches in this age division are Laura Mullaney, Rosemary Magsig, Cindy Dorn, Joann Simon, Irenna Garapetyan, Mary and Dave Darnell.

Thank you

TO THE COACHES AND UMPIRES:

Just a last "Thank You" to each and everyone of you who helped in anyway with our T-Ball and Lassie League Program. The season has come to an end, the bats and gloves are put up until next season, patches were given to all the kids in the program and we ended with a terrific picnic for everyone.

It was a great summer for the kids (and me). They learned the basic skills of the game, were taught sportsmanship, made new friends and each and everyone improved due to your efforts and concern for these kids. It may have been frustrating at times, I'm sure, but as you look back on the past months I know you have realized what you gave to these kids.

It's people like you who give of their time and self that have made the T-Ball and Lassie League Programs what they are.

I'd like to take this time to express to you my thanks for all you've done this summer. See you next year!

Judy Parsons

Correction

The Clinton County News staff regrets that the names of Jennifer Schwartz and Tina Brya were left out of their Lassie League team picture identification in last week's issue. Also, the Good News Bears mascot is Brian Schwartz, not Ryan as reported.

The Speedos, the sixth Lassie League team in the 8-10 age group, were not available for a picture.

Playing for the Durbin Dreams were (l to r) Coach June Durbin, Alice Puetz, Cheryl Egres, Mindy Martinez, Polly Dietz, Liz Arehart, Michelle Roberts. Missing from the picture are: Lisa Burk, Cathy Brock, Shannon LaBaron, Kim Heibeck, Nichole Smith, Jennifer Giesecke, and Bruce Durbin.



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