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## SJ celebrates homecoming

An assembly on Sept. 26 will help kick off the annual St. Johns Homecoming celebration. Activities will include powder-puff football, a tug of war between classes, and a pie eating contest.

On Sat., Sept. 27 from 9:30 to 12:00 students will decorate the windows of merchants on Clinton Ave.

The week of Sept. 29-Oct. 3 has been designated as Spirit Week. Activities will include Bring a Friend Day; Dress up Day; 50's Day; and Red, White, and Black Day. On Friday morning mums will be sold for \$1.50.

Class floats are now being constructed for the Homecoming Parade which will be held at 5 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 3.

## Ambulance needs members

The Clinton County Area Ambulance Service is in need of more trained Emergency Medical Technicians. Anyone interested in helping keep the service here should call the Community Education Office at St. Johns High School to enroll in a special training class. Registration is Sept. 22, 23, 24 from 9 a.m. to noon and 1 p.m. to 9 p.m. The number is 224-2394, Ext. 54.

## Join Jaycettes

St. Johns Jaycettes are hosting their annual membership social Wednesday, Oct. 1 at 7:30 p.m. at Capitol Savings and Loan Community Room. The Jaycettes are a community oriented group of women between the ages of 18-35 and are affiliated with the Michigan Jaycee Auxiliary and the U.S. Jaycettes. Women don't have to be a wife of a Jaycee to be a member. Persons interested in attending the social should call Johnnie Bompezzini at 224-7935.

## Need special blood types

The American Red Cross will hold a blood drive at the First United Methodist Church, Friday, Sept. 26, from 12:45 to 6:45 p.m. There is a special need for O positive and A positive blood types for scheduled surgery.

The church is located at the corner of M-21 and Linden Ave.

## Wales next

"Welsh Wonderland" travelogue series will be presented Thursday, October 2nd, 7:30 p.m. at Rodney B. Wilson Jr. High School. This is sponsored by the St. Johns Business & Professional Women and the St. Johns Rotary Club. Tickets available at the door. Individual, \$2.50 and Season, \$10.00.

## Annual sale

St. Johns Lions Club members will be knocking on doors, Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 24 and 25 for their annual light bulb sale. The light bulbs are \$3 for a package of six. Proceeds go towards community activities sponsored by the Lions.



## Take a bite out of crime

Spokedog is asking citizens the organization's new project, "Help take a bite out of crime prevention. Spokedog crime." He was in St. Johns (State president, Darlene Monday at the West Central Berent of Madison Heights) District meeting of the Michigan State Federation of Fairbrother, State public Women's Clubs, representing affairs chairman, from Cale-

donia; Clinton County Sheriff Tony Hufnagel; Dorothy Lawrence, District President of St. Johns, and Betty Wright of Owosso, district crime reduction chairman. (Photo by Sharon Randall)

## HE'S HERE TODAY

# GOP hosts George Bush

Republican vice-presidential candidate George Bush will be in St. Johns, Wednesday between 11:30 and 1 p.m. at a Country Lunch featuring all Clinton County products including bean soup, apples and milk.

Liz Nobis, coordinator of the event said the public is invited to the free country lunch and the opportunity of hearing the former ambassador.

In the Bush party will be Governor William Milliken.

Senator Richard Allen and State Representative Alan Cropsey.

The vice-presidential candidate's appearance here will be a first in the twentieth century but in 1896, Democratic presidential candidate William Jennings Bryan was here for a rally that drew about 2,500 persons at 7:35 in the morning. He spoke for about 12 minutes from a platform erected at the head of Clinton Avenue.

## Transportation troubles seniors

By Sharon Randall

While Clinton County's three participants agree with priorities set at the White House Conference on Aging's Regional Rural Mini Conference in which they participated this month, they put transportation on the top of concerns here at home.

Maurice and Bernice Hoffman of St. Johns and Zella Custard of DeWitt were among 216 senior citizens from a seven-state region to meet in Owensboro, Ky., to discuss issues concerning main problems of rural elderly. The five major issues, listed by priority at the end of the three day session, were income, transportation, housing assistance, physical health problems and availability of long term care.

The resolutions developed pertaining to the five priority issues were: encouragement for pension plans and job availability; direct government involvement for successful rural transportation; government support for self-

sufficient living quarters; improved and increased rural health service, and continued increased support of home service and reform of Medicare/Medicaid.

These resolutions will be used in the 1981 White House conference on Aging.

The Hoffmans and Mrs. Custard, said that "in down to earth talking," transportation is the number one problem. While elderly in mountain states like Virginia and Kentucky have even more problems because local governments "haven't done their part," even in the field of health and nutrition," according to Mrs. Custard, getting places is the most serious concern of all rural elderly.

Both the Hoffmans and Mrs. Custard are aware first hand of the great number of seniors here who do not have transportation. The Hoffmans, who live in senior housing on Amor Lane, have transported many St. Johns people to nutrition meals in St. Johns, Maple Rapids and Bath. Mrs.

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## Chief Justice visits

Chief Justice Mary Coleman left and Judge Marvin Robertson, right, are in charge of her day, speaking before the re-election campaign in St. Johns. (Photo by Sharon Randall)

## CHIEF JUSTICE SPEAKS

# Supreme Court touches us all

ST. JOHNS—Chief Justice Mary Coleman stressed the importance of the Supreme Court in the daily lives of the citizenry, speaking to the Rotary Club here, Tuesday noon. "The court is remote to most people but our decisions affect the lives of everybody," she said. "What the Supreme Court says, is the law," she emphasized, "very few cases go on to federal courts." For most Michigan residents, it is the court of last resort, she said.

Mrs. Coleman, who is running for

re-election Nov. 4 on the non-partisan ballot, is the first woman to be elected to Michigan's highest court. She has served eight years on the Supreme Court bench, last year and this, as chief justice. She served for 12 years as Probate-Juvenile Judge of Calhoun County.

Her list of awards and accomplishments is unending; her education from The University of Maryland and George Washington University.

In an interview after her Rotary

appearance she said she sees the courts taking a more moderate view in many cases. "For years the court was more technical and liberal," she said, "but I see a more moderate trend, today."

Chief Justice Coleman had a message to young women, saying that they should be prepared. "Dream some and prepare yourself," she said. "Women have to be able to take care of themselves even if they are married and not working."

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## Bath, St. Johns call voters to polls

St. Johns and Bath voters return to the polls again, Monday, Sept. 29 to decide the fate of their respective school districts. St. Johns voters are being asked to consider approval of 17.75 mills for operation which expired last December. Also on the ballot is a one-half (1/2) mill for maintenance.

Bath voters are being asked to approve a 23.68 mills package that includes the renewal of 20 mills, three additional mills and release from the Headlee Amendment.

This is the third time back to the polls for voters in these two school districts. Both proposals are for one year. St. Johns and Bath remain the two county schools without operating millage. The earliest they could return again to voters would be Nov. 17, according to Donald Burns, superintendent at St. Johns.

Bath is operating on an austerity budget which eliminated many extra curricular activities, librarians, counselors, a part-time administrator, fall and winter drivers education, textbooks and supplies. The school district ended last year with zero fund equity.

St. Johns administrators pared \$454,000 from the budget to come back with a renewal request only. If next Monday's election proves futile, Burns said the district would immediately apply for forms from the State Department of Education to make application for reduced hours. The 900 minimum required hours would probably be reduced to 300 hours in the request but Burns said, "I'm sure they won't accept it."

Both schools opened this fall with

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## SJ sticks to bus policy

By Sharon Randall

ST. JOHNS—The Board of Education here turned down a plea from parents to change a bus policy that has caused some children to walk further to schools or bus stops this year, at a special meeting last Wednesday.

Parents returned to the special meeting to repeat their concerns for the safety of children who must walk alone down empty country roads; walk in the dark when the time changes; walk on roads traveled by gravel trucks; walk around curves on high-speed roads. There was a concern for kindergarten children who must cross US-27 within the city limits.

The board's transportation committee recommended that the board not sway

in its decision which involves a \$5,000 savings to the district. Member Paul Maples said, "It is more a question of responsibility than safety." He told parents that the school is not responsible for students until they get on the bus or get to school if they are not transported. "We have no responsibility for children between the time they leave home until they get to school," he said referring to walkers.

Board member Robert Craig called door to door bus pick-up a luxury and said that "luxuries should go before basic education and programs." Craig emphasized that the board's goal in the cutting that pared \$454,000 from the proposed budget was to not eliminate in any single area but to cut "across the board."

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## Oxford to get nod from city tonight

By Sharon Randall

ST. JOHNS—The city's settlement with Oxford Building Corporation is only hours away, at 5 p.m. this evening, and will signal the start of a \$5,077,987 apartment complex here.

Included in the project are 50 units for senior citizens and 70 subsidized family units.

The project has been in limbo all summer waiting for the city's final nod, stalled because Michigan State Housing Development Authority (MSHOA) which provides funding for the project reneged on a tax abatement deal.

When city commissioners get together with Oxford officials today at 5 p.m., Oxford is to present a written proposal worked out verbally at Monday night's commission meeting.

Trying to make up for the two-percent loss between the city's original offer of a six percent tax abatement and MSHDA's insistence on a four percent abatement, Oxford is offering the city a compromise package totaling \$126,000. The offer couples an original agreement to provide \$36,000 to help the city find water for itself and the project and an additional \$40,000 in water benefits. The \$36,000 is refundable to Oxford if the city fails to produce water that the project can hook into when it is ready to open.

An additional \$51,000 is offered to be distributed to the other taxing entities involved, mainly St. Johns Public Schools and the county.

Oxford officials indicated that with the city's okay, the project would start within a month.

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## Community Ed wins approval for move to Teresa Merrill

ST. JOHNS—The Adult and Community Education program here received approval of the Board of Education to move offices and program to the recently vacated Teresa Merrill Elementary School providing a place for an alternative education program and daytime classes.

"Most community education programs have been able to move to a separate building, away from the high school," director John Furry said. The move will enable drop-out students to return to school and a special program designed for their needs.

The idea for the move was presented to the board as a way to "generate new money" by picking up extra students in both the alternative education program and in daytime adult education

programs which have not been available in the past. Furry told the board that he had adults wishing to return for high school completion but could not come because of night jobs.

The alternative education program is not new, he said, but has caused problems in the past because it was housed in the high school building and because it put these students in classes with adults. "It's hard enough for an adult to return to school, let alone have to face 16-year-olds in the classroom," Furry said.

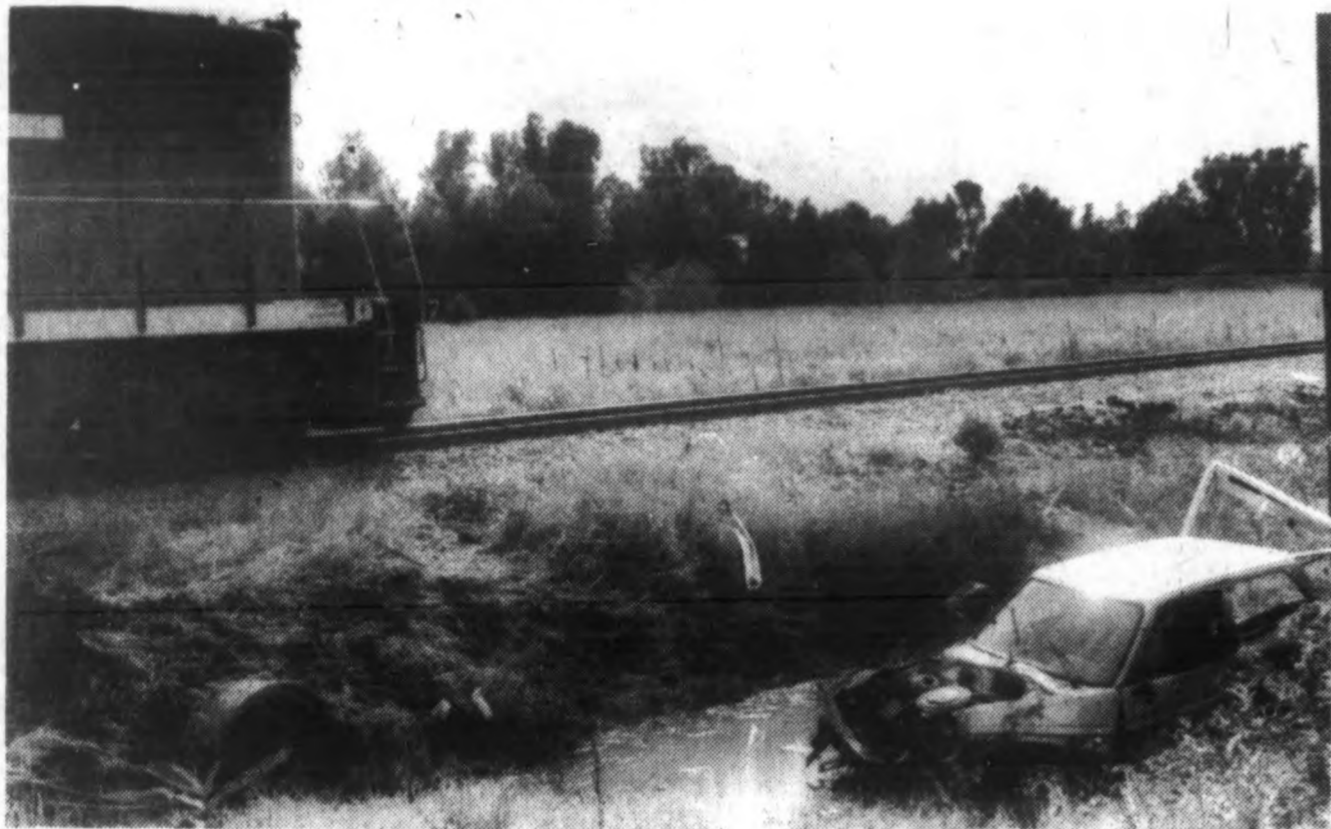
Furry maintains that there are easily 1,000 people in the area who do not have a high school diploma. "And they must be encouraged to return," he said. "Everyone of us knows someone without a diploma and we should be

spreading the word," he added.

The Community Education Director is confident that his program can generate enough new funds for the school district through increased state aid to cover the \$12,000 required to maintain Teresa Merrill for a school year. While the school was closed as part of the budget cuts this fall, the major savings was in the elimination of four elementary teachers in the district and a half-time principal.

Students wishing to participate in the alternative education program in the new building and adults wishing to take daytime classes for high school completion must be enrolled by Sept. 26, Furry said.

Call the Adult and Community Education program, 224-2394, Extension 54 or 55 for more information.



Allen L. Richards of Elsie was seriously injured when the car he was driving ran into a Grand Trunk Railroad Engine on Sept. 17 at about 3:45 p.m. according to Clinton County Sheriff's deputies. Richards was traveling

south on Chandler Road and stated he could not stop in time to avoid striking the train. He was taken to Clinton Memorial Hospital by ambulance. (Photo by Sharon Randall)

## Deputies arrest trio for armed robbery of county tavern

CLINTON COUNTY—Three white males involved in an armed robbery Monday at the Knob Hill Tavern on Alward Road were apprehended within minutes after the incident by Clinton County Under-Sheriff Russell Doty and Deputy Richard Harrington.

According to reports the incident happened shortly after noon on Sept. 22.

Doty was returning from Mason after transporting a prisoner to jail when the call was received. The under-sheriff spotted two persons coming out of a patch of woods carrying a bundle which they threw in a waiting pick-up truck near Round Lake Road and US-27. Doty met Deputy Harrington at the corner of Howe and US-27 and arrested the trio at the intersection of Webb Road and US-27 at 12:20 p.m.

The three arrested were Merle R. McAllister, of Alma who escaped from the Isabella County Jail; Michael T. Bruno, and Jack L. Simpson, both of Detroit. They are lodged in the Clinton County Jail. Warrants are pending.

A handgun and shotgun were allegedly used in the robbery. The money and guns were recovered. No one was injured.

In other action Jim Lee, 6955 Richard reported the larceny of gun and fishing rod from his car which was parked off Grand River near Eagle on Sept. 15 at 2 p.m.

Three adults and one juvenile were arrested on Sept. 9 for gas larceny from the Fowler School Buses. Deputies reported the Fowler buses having gas stolen several times during the past couple of weeks.

Arrested were Edward L. Yaw, 18, Portland, Richard E. Young, 17, Portland.

Charles A. McQueen, 21, Mulliken and Larry W. McQueen, 27, Lansing. They were lodged in the Clinton County Jail. The McQueen brothers pled not guilty, while Yaw and Young were ordered to spend 30 days in jail, and pay \$25 back to the

Fowler Schools for the gas.

The Pewamo-Westphalia Schools were also hit by gas larcenies too in the beginning of September. A warrant is out on Keith D. Harrington, 18, of Portland for gas larceny.

## Cash stolen from two businesses

ST. JOHNS—About \$243 was stolen from the Treasure Chest on Clinton Ave. on Sept. 17 at 11:51 a.m. according to St. Johns police reports. Apparently two white males entered the building from the rear entrance, and while one of the men kept the clerk talking the other took the daily deposit from a desk drawer. The case is still under investigation.

The Redwing Bowling Alley in the Village Square

Shopping Center reported between \$330 and \$400 in coins taken from the vending machines in addition to five cartons of cigarettes and 10 fifths of whiskey. Police are still investigating.

There were six minor accidents in the city last week and one person was arrested for driving under the influence of liquor. Three bikes were reported stolen and two were recovered.

There have been no fires reported since Aug. 26.

## Road commission faces layoffs

By Sharon Randall

CLINTON COUNTY—The Clinton County Road Commission is facing layoffs, and reduced services in snow plowing and salting of roads because of dwindling funds.

Some construction projects have been postponed and others set aside, according to Robert Ance, project engineer. While the office will remain open with a skeleton crew, all 43 hourly employees and some of the 10 salaried employees will be laid off for the week of Sept. 29 through Oct. 3 and again the week of Oct. 20-24.

Clinton County along with other road commissions in the state will receive 11 percent less motor fuel and license plate revenues this year, but operating costs still are rising due to inflation, Ance said.

As an example, Ance reported that the local road commission received \$29,000 less in its last quarterly payment than it had a year ago.

Motor fuel and license plate revenues are down because people are using less gas and because they are turning to lighter cars which cuts the license plate dollars, Bob Eldridge, secretary said. At the same time expenses have

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## Business opens doors in SJ

ST. JOHNS—Farmers Corn, a new brand of seed corn from a new company that eliminates the middle man is now available to area farmers according to local manager Ron Thornton.

Thornton said the company started in the Hillsdale County area four years ago and now sells 90 percent of the seed corn there. "We do have some good corn," he emphasized.

Farmers Corn sells for about \$10 a bag cheaper than major brands, Thornton said and offers farmers a "quality product equal to or better than the yields they have been getting."

The company is set up to sell direct to the farmer. The seed is grown by contract growers in Indiana and will be shipped direct to St. Johns farmers, eliminating

middle man handling costs. Thornton said the company chose St. Johns because it is the "center of the farm community and has easy access to M-21 and US-27. "A lot of corn is grown in Clinton County and the surrounding areas," he said.

Last year 15 Clinton County farmers planted plots of Farmers Corn and while it is still in the field "all are satisfied," he said.

The company has leased office and warehouse space on US-27 in the old egg station. They will sell Farmers Corn and soy bean seeds and small seeds and complete line of farm chemicals.

Thornton said he would start contacting area farmers by the first of October or can be reached at the office.

## Harvest these Fall Food Values

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## Bellevue early

third touchdown. The score came from 6 yards out, finishing a 67-yard march. Trailing 28-0, the demoralized Bellevue team came alive with two minutes left in the half. A drive from mid-field ended on the final play before intermission, with Dave Leary scoring a 1-yard touchdown. The teams left the field with the scoreboard reading 28-0. The return gave the Eagles a first down 28 yards. The return gave the Eagles a first down 28 yards. The return gave the Eagles a first down 28 yards.

St. Johns Lions were recognized with distinguished service awards this month for community service. Dale Kuenzli, left and Maynard Casler, center, received awards along with Norman Beauchamp and Abner Turner who were not present at the awards meeting. Rex Bangs, right, was granted the President's award. Bangs piled up points for the special award for his work with the club's

money making projects when he served as first vice-president. Kuenzli's award came from his work on the organization's newsletter and on the club's big project the St. Johns Lions Minor League Field. Casler was the leading force behind the Lions Field project and Beauchamp and Turner did extra duty in the White Cane effort that doubled the drive this past year. (Photo by Jean Martin)

## Road commission

Con't from page 2 continued to go up both in materials and labor. County road commission workers here have a cost of living increase quarterly which has amounted to 39 cents an hour in adjustments this year, but AnceI said this is only one of the many factors involved. He said the employees of the local commission have been cooperative in the lay-off effort. "Nobody likes a lay-off," Eldridge said. "But basically everyone understands the position we are in." Overtime hours will be used only in emergency situations AnceI said. The county road commission is actually 29 employees behind what it was 12 years ago. "We actually have more equipment than the men to operate it," Eldridge emphasized. Personnel has been reduced as men retired, but Eldridge said "We've probably come to the end of the

rope as far as that's concerned," he said indicating that the staff is cut as close as possible. "We haven't done the amount of construction this summer that we normally would," AnceI said, "but we will have all the bridges open that had been planned for this year." Thirteen of the 18 closed bridges will be reopened this year. The bridge on County Line Road, north of Maple Rapids is still in the plans but this project will be postponed until spring. "We won't lose the critical bridge dollars necessary for this project," AnceI said. "we've only postponed it until spring." "The public can expect less service," AnceI said. "Snow plowing and salting of roads will be cut back. Motorists should be aware that the approaching winter may be more hazardous for driving and that it may take longer for us to get to some roads for clearing."

## Green Tee picks officers

ST. JOHNS—The Green Tee club has announced their new slate of officers for the coming year. This last summer an average of 25 ladies came out each Wednesday for golf. The club has

been under the leadership of Muriel Gilson over the past year. Officers for next year include Deno Applebee, president; Corky Paradise, vice-president; Helen Kohls, secretary; Nola Moore, treasurer; Marian Smith, publicity; and Christiana Roldan, member-at-large. The all-club award banquet will be held on Oct. 11.

## Halsted turns 95 Saturday

MAPLE RAPIDS—Maple Rapids' oldest citizen, Clifford Halsted, will be 95 years old, Sept. 27; he remains active, engrossed in his new hobby, latch hooking. Halsted has made as many as 20 latch hook projects since his daughter, Coryll Henry, got him started with a Santa kit last December. His children and grandchildren have kept him busy with rug and wall hanging kits. Mrs Henry said that he would welcome cards on his birthday, sent to Box 36, Maple Rapids, 48853.



Clifford Halsted

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## Fulton whips Laingsburg 44-6

By Tim Jeffery

Laingsburg visited Fulton Friday night and for the second straight week left the scene having been witnesses of a team running wild on its defense. Last week P-W had a field day at the Wolfpack's expense and this time it was Fulton's turn as they won handily 44-6. The Pirates bounced back quickly after losing the week before to Fowler. By the time Fulton and Laingsburg walked off for the intermission, the hosts led 38-6. The scoring started with 5:07 left in the first quarter on a 1-yard run by Rod Robbe. The play completed a 40-yard drive. Mark LaLone carried in the two-point conversion. Fulton found the end zone again 2:33 later, capitalizing on a Wolfpack fumble at the Laingsburg 40-yard-line. Scott Winsor hit Andy Stephens with a 12-yard strike to record the score. Wayne Bond then carried in the conversion to complete the scoring in quarter number one. Freshman Steve Moon went in from the 3-yard-line with 10:46 showing on the clock in the second quarter. Winsor added the Pirates third straight two-point conversion, making it 24-0. The route continued with Winsor scoring another touchdown with still 8:13 left before halftime. Winsor's score came on a 23-yard run. Robbe went in for two more. Rd. has up the lead to 32. the Michigan Soybean Initiative by Gov. William Milliken for a three year term effective today, Sept. 24. The appointment is subject to Senate confirmation. Kissane is owner and operator of a 500-acre corn

when Jeff Ridsdale scooped up a fumble and ran 26 yards for a touchdown. The Wolfpack kick failed. Fulton added one more touchdown before the half on a 3-yard run by Robbe, his second score of the game. The Pirates attempted to kick the extra point but were unsuccessful. The lone second half touchdown occurred with just 2:23 left in the contest when Ray Rumsey went in from 4 yards out. The kick was again no good. Earlier in the third quarter, Fulton's kicker Jeff Waldron, missed a 47-yard field goal try by about a foot. The kick was right on line but fell just short. Pirate coach John Wachsmuth was pleased with the fact that he had the opportunity to play many of his freshman on the roster. The younger players were able to play for most of the second half, but Wachsmuth stated, "We're still groping for a bit more consistency. We're not yet where we'd like to be." Fulton was lead by LaLone's 56 yards on six carries and Winsor's 46 yards on three attempts. Defensively Waldron was singled out by Wachsmuth for playing an outstanding ball game. He was credited with 13 tackles. Things will be much tougher this week for the Pirates as they host unbeaten Olivet. Fulton will be facing an extremely tough defense as indicated by Olivet's 14-0 win over P-W Friday night. Kickoff is at 7:30 and all indications say it should be a tremendous ball game. Volunteering single and double beds, dressers, dinette tables and chairs, blankets, infants and children's winter clothes and boots. Volunteers are also needed as drivers, parent aides and friendly visitors. If you have any of these items or want to volunteer your time, call Hugh Banniga at 224-6751.

## Mission set

A Lay Mission, featuring a people-to-people experience, will be sponsored by the Greenbush, Salem, and Lowe United Methodist Churches on Sept. 26, 27, and 28. Mission will begin on Friday evening at the Salem Church. A potluck dinner will begin at 6:30, and at 7:30 the evening service will begin. All interested persons are invited to join in the Mission.

## NOTICE VILLAGE OF FOWLER

Summary of Fowler Village Council Meeting Minutes

A regular meeting of the Fowler Village Council was called to order by President Carl Koenigsnecht on Monday, September 8, 1980, at 7:00 p.m. in the Village office. Trustees present were Goerge, Spicer, Smith, Koenigsnecht and Simon. Antonides was absent.

Minutes of the August 11th and August 18th meetings were approved as read. Current bills were approved.

A representative of TBA, Inc. reported the street improvement project is going well and should be completed within a week.

Paul Thompson of Fishbech, Thompson, Carr and Huber discussed the Water Project nearing completion, as well as the Storm Sewer Study and Inflow-Infiltration Study recently completed by his firm. A special meeting of the Council was scheduled for Tuesday, September 23rd, at 7:00 p.m., at which time the Council members will discuss the information furnished in the studies and determine what action, if any, will be taken.

A special meeting was also scheduled for Tuesday, September 16, 1980, at which time the Council will meet with local bar owners, take-out store owners, and Clinton County Sheriff Tony Hufnagel, to discuss problems which have been occurring in the downtown area on weekends.

A plot plan for construction of a garage by James Thelen was approved.

DPW Supervisor John Schafer was authorized to proceed with installation of railings on the bridges on South Maple Street, and barriers at the new commuter parking area on West First Street.

The President and Clerk were authorized to sign a streetlighting contract change.

Council passed a resolution of intent to close the alley in block 22. A public hearing on this issue will be held on October 13, 1980.

Council agreed that Village water service can be provided to the Clarence Simon residents on West M-21.

Meeting adjourned 11:40 p.m.

A special meeting of the Fowler Village Council was called to order by President Carl Koenigsnecht on Tuesday, September 16, 1980, at 7:30 p.m. at the Village office. Trustees present were Goerge, Antonides, Spicer, Koenigsnecht and Simon. Smith was absent.

Also present at the meeting were Clinton County Sheriff Tony Hufnagel, Asst. Prosecutor Richard Koenigsnecht, Attorney Paul Maples, Richard Frechen, LeRoy Schafer, and Fowler High School Principal Jim Andros.

The purpose of this meeting was to discuss problems which have occurred in the downtown area, including drinking in the street, vandalism, damages to business places and general rowdiness. The Village Council, as well as other residents in the community, see these actions as becoming a definite problem and are going to take every measure possible to correct the situation. The Village Council is asking for cooperation from all bar owners, take-out stores, schools, and local residents in doing all they can, and has authorized the Clinton County Sheriff's Department and the Prosecuting Attorney to enforce the laws to the fullest.

Meeting adjourned 8:45 p.m.

Winnie McKean  
Village Clerk



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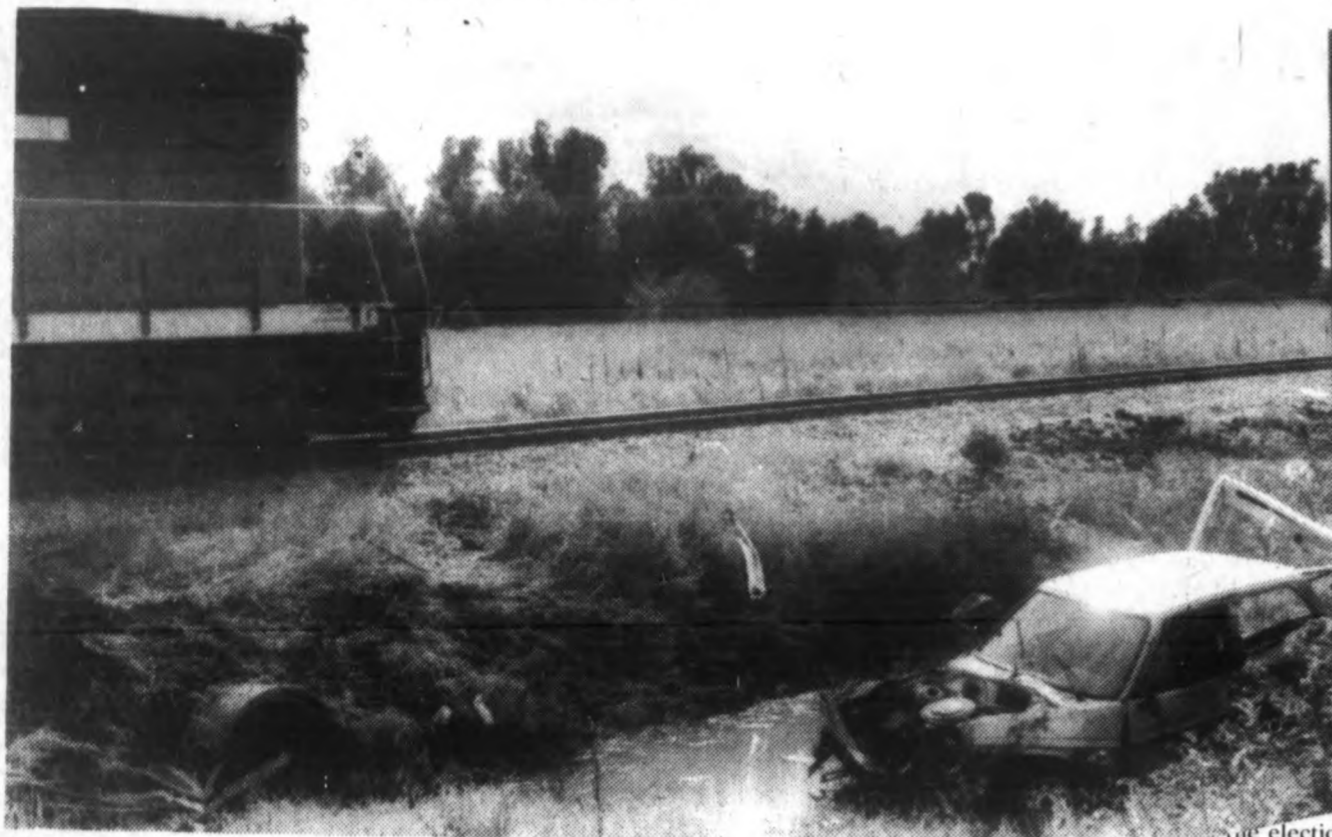
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Allen L. Richards of Elsie was seriously injured when the car he was driving ran into a tree. The rules, too often they do not take the time to explain those rules to the people they will be covering and, more important, to our readers.

By David Ray

Since we are in the midst of an election season that seems to have started in November 1978, I will herein outline the rules this newspaper will use over the next six weeks to cover the election:  
First, we will cover campaigns for

south on Ch... to questions dealing with election issues identified by our editors. County and local campaigns will be handled on a more informal basis, with each editor deciding how best to cover the race.

Proponents and opponents of ballot proposals will be asked to explain their positions.

Fourth, we welcome letters to the editor on candidates and ballot proposals with the exception of "endorsement" letters on candidates—

We hope the information we publish over the next six weeks on the candidates and issues—in the form of stories, editorials and letters—will provide voters with the background they need to make a wise choice on election day.

# Deputies arrest robbery of cov

CLINTON COUNTY— Three white males involved in an armed robbery Monday at the Knob Hill Tavern on Alward Road were apprehended within minutes after the incident by Clinton County Under-Sheriff Russell Doty and Deputy Richard Harrington.

According to reports the incident happened shortly after noon on Sept. 22.

Doty was returning from Mason after transporting the prisoner to jail when he was spotted by a minute sheriff spotted from coming out of a woods cafe, which the exception to our pick-up is: we will accept publication the week before the election that respond to charges or address issues raised in letters printed prior to that time. Letters published the week before the election will be edited closely to assure that they do not raise any new issues or charges that cannot be addressed before the election.

# ROUGH THE IS OPENING



The old blockhouse overlooking Lake Michigan in Muskegon State Park is the setting for this photo. The subject is T.J. Martin, the son of Jack and Jean Martin. Jean is a staff member on the Clinton County News. The mood of the photo was captured by using available light and a very short depth of field, f 2.8 at 1/60 of a second.



By Ruth Delo

## SENIOR CITIZEN UPDATE

### Ruth explodes myths about old age

In our youth-oriented society, a lot of people have some old-fashioned ideas about old age.

Many persons assume that older people are "over the hill"—their days of usefulness are behind them; they are bored and boring; they have nothing to look forward to; they live in loneliness. Others romanticize old age, considering it a time of peace and tranquility, a time when the storms of life are over. Still others think that all older people are preoccupied with death.

The best way to discover the reality behind myths about older people is to take a closer look at an older person. Dr. Don Schooler is live proof that older people can be useful, vitally alive and still growing. He and his wife Jessie Ruth have been married for 50 years. He retired from the ministry about 10 years ago. He is now 80 years old. Let's see how his life refutes the myth about older people.

**Myth:** Older people are burdens on others. Dr. Schooler conducts 14 revivals a year and people of all ages pack in to hear his inspiring messages. A person's usefulness doesn't stop when the pay check stops. People need the services older folks can provide.

Grandma Moses, one of the most outstanding primitive artists of our time, began painting at 79. Stradivarius made his finest violins when he was in his 60's and 70's and kept on making them until he was 93. Michelangelo painted the ceiling of the Sistine Chapel when he was in his 80's.

A study released in 1975 revealed that 2.5 million people age 65 and over were working full or part-time.

Of course, not all people who are making a substantial contribution to society are on payrolls. Older people are being youth counselors, help others who are ill, take care of small children, give advice on jobs or business matters; help out with money; shop or run errands; take grandchildren, nieces, or nephews into their homes to live with them.

Some older adults do volunteer work. They assist in hospitals, civic affairs, various social agencies, churches, and scores of other places. About 5 million older people do volunteer work of some kind.

Any older person who thinks that he or she is no longer useful needs to remember "Somebody, somewhere, needs you."

**Myth—**All older adults are set in their ways. Dr. Schooler challenges that myth. Some are set in their ways. He knows folks in their 70's and 80's who haven't thought a new thought in 50 years. He thinks some of them were born senile. There are others who are very open-minded and are still looking for better ways to do things. Dr. Schooler says he doesn't read books that will support his opinions. He likes to wrestle with new ideas, new ways of interpreting things, new ways to be more effective as a preacher, as a gardener, and as a human being.

Old age does have its advantages. If older people are financially independent and reasonably healthy, they have more free time to do things that they have always wanted to do. They can travel, pursue hobbies, be with loved ones—perhaps even spoil grandchildren.

Old age can also bring problems. Older Americans are now being severely hit by inflation. Some, retired on what seemed to be substantial fixed incomes thinking they were set for life, now are in a fix.

The storms of life are never over. As long as you live you have stress from some source. Naturally, some problems become less burdensome as you grow older. But other problems develop and some of them can be extremely difficult.

Dr. Schooler says that we have to master stress and keep it from becoming distress. If you think you are sickly or that you are useless or that some grave misfortune is going to strike, then what you believe and what you expect will very likely happen.

## TO THE EDITOR

### Remember to vote

Dear Concerned Voters of St. Johns,  
Once again on Sept. 29th we will have the opportunity to support our school system by voting yes on the question of millage renewal.

As a child-oriented organization, we are concerned that the total educational picture is being overlooked for the sake of personal feelings. Individual issues are important, but they are not as vital as providing education. Children have the right to go to school and we have the duty to provide the opportunity.  
Please remember your obligation on Sept. 29.

St. Johns Child Study Club

### Supports school board

To the Editor:

We went to the St. Johns school board meeting last week and I think its about time that somebody said something in favor of the school board members.

First of all, we'd like to compliment Neil Barnhart on the way he handled the meeting. A majority of the people there did not come to talk over the problems. They came to scream and yell at the school board. Neil and the board did a good job in controlling the situation.

The school board did not ask for this busing problem. It was dumped in their laps and they are doing the best they can about a sticky problem.

Maybe it would be well for people to come to these meetings with an open mind, with the thought of working with the board members and not against them. Then maybe some progress can be made.

Sincerely,  
Dave and Susie Schroeder

### Disputes figures

To the Editor:

When the school superintendent and/or the school board quit lying to the public they might get an increase in millage.

In 1979 the letter we received from the schools stated, the state aid per pupil was \$1432. I inquired about this and a letter to me from Donald Burns dated Oct. 31, 1979 said, "we should have explained that the state only provides \$562.35 of the \$1432" also "local property taxes amount to \$869.75 per student."

Now this year "your area schools" says state aid per pupil is \$1541. An article in the Clinton County News quotes Don Burns as saying the school will lose \$75,000 for the loss of 50 students. Applying the figures from the school letter, the state pays 35.9% of the \$1541 which amounts to \$553.21 per student or a total of \$77,660.50 for the loss of the extra 50 students.

I am more convinced of the old saying "Figures don't lie but liars figure."

Now, I hope people will pass the 17.75 millage renewal and the 1/2 mill maintenance.

Sincerely,  
Joseph P. Moriarty

## Senior transportation

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Custard still takes two car loads to these meals in DeWitt and one to Bath. They have been paid mileage for this volunteer service as have other volunteer drivers.

On October 1 they will lose their mileage refund for this volunteer job. Brenda Hambleton, coordinator of Clinton County Senior Citizens office said that in October money would no longer be available for volunteer mileage. "We are going to ask riders to give the driver a dollar," Ms. Hambleton said. "So that we can help with expenses and not lose our volunteer transportation."

Mrs. Custard, however, said that many of the seniors attend the nutrition meals as an economy measure and that paying a dollar for transportation would hinder them. "I hate to ask people for money when I'm taking them to a nutrition meal," she said. "They are attending to save money on a meal."

Meal costs have also gone up because of rising prices on the paper products used to serve them. Meals for seniors 60 and older are now 75 cents instead of 50 cents and persons younger than 60 must now pay \$1.75.

Hoffman said that winter brings additional burden to the

## School board

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Vice-president Neil Barnhart, acting in behalf of absent president, Ron Huard, gave a poignant plea for understanding saying that every issue had two sides. "We have received as many calls from people who are worried about other cuts," he said. We have also had calls from town parents who

say their children walk farther than country parents are complaining about. Early hour children walk in the dark, too, he stated.

He said that board members spent long hours trying to make the right decisions. "We have to deal with abusive language and some of us have

had our own children threatened," he said.

"There are other areas that are suffering just as much," member Lee Ormston said. "Maybe they aren't as visible, but we have crowded classes, in many areas. "It's not just transportation. It's not just football."

## Oxford

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The commission authorized City Attorney Paul Maples to draft a letter to Fedewa Builders, bringing to their attention that the Village Square complex is for senior citizen housing. Commissioners have had calls from residents concerned that the complex was going to be changed to family dwellings. A city ordinance and an agreement the city has with Fedewa Builders specifies that the apartments are for senior citizens only, defining them as persons 55 years of age and older. Maples letter is to bring the ordinance to the developer's attention and say that the city expects them to live up to it.

In other action the commission: Authorized Police Chief Lyle French to coordinate the street closings for the Chamber of Commerce's Harvest sales promotion.

## Millage

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only their allocated millage, about 7.9 mills because of the Headlee Amendment rollback. (It is set at 8 mills).

State Superintendent of Public Instruction Phillip Runkel said that the allocated millage would not be enough for the districts to provide "even a minimum program of instruction."

Examining options available in a millage failure, Runkel said that in the past 12 years, the state, through special acts of the Legislature, has made

Gave nod to the annual Homecoming Parade, Friday, Oct. 3 at 5 p.m.

Passed a resolution in observance of Child Passenger Safety Week, Sept. 21-27 to encourage the use of car restraints.

Heard the first reading of an ordinance that will change the zoning of the city owned property known as the old Shell station from Central Business District to Municipal Center. A public hearing will be held on the ordinance, Oct. 27 at 7:45 p.m.

Received a report from Doug Weir, city engineer, on the Mead Street sewer problem and authorized him and city manager Randy Humphrey to seek bids on total replacement of sewer line between the two manholes. Weir said there were dips and cracks in the pipes and 50 feet of the line was blocked. He reported that the soil in that area of the

city would add to the construction costs which he estimated would be \$27,000.

Humphrey told the commission that they did not have \$27,000 unencumbered in the budget but the project was a necessity. "It will hurt," he said, "but this is one of those things we have to do."

Tabled a decision of establishment of an overall checking account that would combine 23 separate accounts the city now has, until bids can be submitted by St. Johns Federal Credit Union and Capitol Savings and Loan.

Tabled a decision on purchase of another radar unit for the city police department until December.

Appointed Ed Mankey to another five year term on the Compensation Committee and Bob Thompson to fill out the year remaining in Tony Kuntz's term.

## CHAMBER NOTES

### Harvest sales are planned

By Jody Smith, Manager

Wednesday sport and recreational vehicle dealers will display their new model equipment.

Thursday, area car dealers will be on hand showing their new model automobiles.

Friday and Saturday area craft enthusiasts and home-makers will be selling their wares. Art work and antiques will be available along with farm produce.

Downtown merchants have provided prizes which will be awarded in nightly drawings. Each store will have entry forms and we encourage you to register in every store throughout the promotion.

What harvest festivity would be complete without cider, doughnuts and a pancake brunch? We have them all, the Chamber will be selling cider and doughnuts all four days and the Senior Citizen Center will provide pancakes on Saturday.

Take advantage of sales; see what is available in vehicles; enjoy the street fair; and because it's close to home, economize on fuel at the same time. Come, join in the harvest celebration.

The festival will begin Wednesday, Oct. 15 and end on Saturday, Oct. 18. Downtown stores will remain open from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., Wednesday through Friday and 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on Saturday.

# Eagles jump on Bellevue early

By Tim Jeffery

Fowler's offense will never be presented with a nicer way of starting its first possession of a ball game than what was given last Friday night. The Eagle defense and specialty teams scored three touchdowns in the game's first 4:30 of play.

As the offense trotted out for its first series, the shell-shocked Bellevue team found itself behind 22-0. The game eventually wound up 43-6 on a night where the hosts would've been better off staying in the locker room.

Possibly the only break Bellevue got the entire evening occurred on the coin toss. Fowler kicked off to start the action, but it didn't take long for the Broncos to make a mistake. The second play from scrimmage resulted in a fumble, which Dan Schafer scooped up and carried 21 yards for a touchdown. Tom Weber carried in the two-point conversion.

Following the Fowler kickoff, disaster struck Bellevue on its second play again. This time Weber intercepted a pass and took it 14 yards for another score. Lloyd Feldpausch made good on the extra point giving the Eagles a 16-0 lead.

The Broncos managed to hold onto the ball throughout the next series of plays, but still failed to make a first down. Just when it looked like Luke Hufnagel would get his first chance to direct the Fowler offense, Weber fielded the Bellevue punt and raced 58 yards for another touchdown. The extra point failed, but had Don Merideth been watching, he would've been ready to sing his Monday Night Football Special. "Turn out the lights."

The Fowler defense continued to stop Bellevue, but eventually made the offense go to work for more points. Mid-way into the second stanza, Weber smashed in for his

third touchdown. The score came from 6 yards out, finishing a 67-yard march.

Trailing 28-0, the demoralized Bellevue team came alive with two minutes left in the half. A drive from mid-field climaxed on the final play before intermission, with Dave McCleary scoring a 1-yard touchdown. The teams left the field with the scoreboard reading 28-6.

Feldpausch helped Fowler to another score in quarter number three by fielding a Bronco punt and moving up field 24 yards. The return gave the Eagles a first down 28 yards away from another score.

Weber went in to gain touchdown number four of his big night on a run of 4 yards and proceeded to run over with the conversion, giving him 28 points. He finished with 16 carries for 94 yards, a pass reception good for 16 yards and an interception, his third in two weeks.

The final Eagle touchdown came on a simple roll-out by Hufnagel which ended up covering 70 yards. Jeff Pung kicked the extra point to wrap up the scoring.

The hosts ran the ensuing kickoff back to Fowler's 16-yard-line, but the tough Eagle defense kept them out of the end zone.

Fowler coach Steve Spicer was happy with the fine effort turned in by the defense. Roy Feldpausch had a superb game with 19 tackles. Steve Thelen was credited with 13 stops while Kurt Thelen totaled 12. Bellevue managed just five first downs and 100 yards of total offense.

Led by Weber and Hufnagel who gained 74 yards in five carries, the Eagles amassed 232 yards via the rush.

Fowler's next action is Friday as Portland St. Patrick's has the unfortunate task of facing the unbeaten Eagles in their homecoming game. Spicer's crew is currently tied for first place in the CMAC with Olivet. The Eagles will be hoping for a bit of help from an opponent they've already beaten. Fulton. The Pirates host the tough Olivet team Friday.

## PIRATES GAIN JUST 99 YARDS RUSHING

# Olivet shuts down P-W

By Tim Jeffery

It didn't seem possible that an offense which had rolled up 739 yards rushing in two weeks could be completely shut down. However, Pewamo-Westphalia met Olivet Friday night and found the Eagle defense to be more than they could handle as the Pirates suffered a 14-0 setback.

Both teams entered the contest with identical 2-0 marks. P-W having smashed Saranac and Laingsburg, while Olivet was beating Union City and Porterville.

As is often the case when two heavy weights meet, one waits for the other to make the first mistake. That was exactly what happened to set up the game's first score.

P-W prepared to punt from deep in its own end, late in the first quarter. The snap from center sailed way over the head of the punter who picked up the ball but was eventually dropped on the 18-yard-line. The referee tacked on an unsportsmanlike conduct penalty which moved the ball half the distance closer to the Pirate end zone.

Olivet covered the distance in three plays with the touchdown being officially recorded as a 10-yard pass from Gary Morrison to Dale Barr. Morrison is the younger brother of Randy, the former Olivet basketball standout preparing for his freshman year as a Michigan State Cager.

The defenses took charge after the score and dominated the action into the fourth quarter. The Eagles were finally able to piece together a drive of 60 yards. Rod Bramer a 9.9 sprinter in the 100 finished the march by scoring on a quick 5-yard burst. The score occurred with six minutes to

play. A poor Olivet punt gave P-W the ball on the Eagle 20-yard-line with little time remaining on the clock. The Pirates couldn't punch it in and the hosts had a 14-0 win.

The fine Olivet defense is dotted with outstanding talent, led by two-time all-leaguer Kevin Harris a 5-foot-11, 230-pound nose guard. Pirate coach Mike Folk was highly impressed with the performance of the Eagle defenders. "We weren't able to run close to their nose guard, Kevin Harris. He just dominates play out there. Their tackles were quite tough as well, which made it impossible for us to double-team Harris. The big thing though is they've got very good team speed. We're a very quick team, but they're just as quick or quicker. We have no excuses, we lost to an excellent team." Folk stated.

Kevin Fedewa, P-W's halfback who totaled better than 100 yards in each of the first two games, managed 61 yards on 14 carries. As a team the Pirates were held to just 99 yards rushing and 21 yards passing.

Olivet totaled 166 yards on the ground, led by Brian Williamson's 42 yards on six attempts. The Eagles like P-W hit on only two of 10 passes, which netted 13 yards. Kurt Schafer was the main thrust in Olivet's side as he was credited with 17 Pirate tackles.

P-W will try to get back on the winning track Friday night at Porterville. The Vikings enter the game fresh off a 20-0 romp over Portland St. Patrick. For the season, Porterville sports a 2-1 mark, identical to that of Pewamo-Westphalia.

## Fowler Girls split

The Fowler girls' basketball team kept its record at the .500 mark by dividing a pair of ball games last week. The Eagles were defeated by Ashley 52-41 but bounced back to whip Bellevue 52-35.

A dreadful third quarter shooting performance did Melody Sowers' girls in against Ashley. Fowler entered the quarter trailing the unbeaten Bears by only one point, but managed to score just four for the entire stanza.

Jane Goerge led all scorers with 16 points, while teammate Connie Feldpausch chipped in with nine. Lori Crumbaugh led Ashley with 15 points and Kathy Burlington hit for 12.

In the victory over Bellevue, Fowler jumped out to a 10-point lead after the opening quarter and never looked back. A strong Eagle defensive performance held the Broncos to a 3-point quarter and a 7-point quarter.

Goerge again took scoring honors, with 16 points, followed by Kay Snyder with 12. Lana Hafner enjoyed a big night on the boards as she grabbed off 15 rebounds. Mae Farley and Feldpausch, each pulled down eight caroms.

The Fowler JV team won both nights, defeating Ashley 41-38 and Bellevue 44-27. The victories raised the JV mark to 3-1.

## Football contest set

The Youth Football Skills Contest, formerly known as Punt, Pass and Kick will take place Saturday, Sept. 27 at the St. Johns High School Football Field. Participants must turn eight years old by Dec. 31, 1980 or must not be 13 by that date.

Registration slips will be passed out at the schools during the week and can be returned to Woodbury Flower Shop at 321 N. Clinton in St. Johns. Applications will also be available at Woodbury's. For those who can't pick up a registration form in advance, there will also be a sign-up period from 6-7 p.m. the day of the competition.

Trophies will be awarded to first, second and third place finishers in each age group.

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## Fulton whips Laingsburg 44-6

By Tim Jeffery

Laingsburg visited Fulton Friday night and for the second straight week left the scene having been witnesses of a team running wild on its defense. Last week P-W had a field day at the Wolfpack's expense and this time it was Fulton's turn as they won handily 44-6.

The Pirates bounced back quickly after losing the week before to Fowler. By the time Fulton and Laingsburg walked off for the intermission, the hosts led 38-6.

The scoring started with 5:07 left in the first quarter on a 1-yard run by Rod Robbe. The play completed a 40-yard drive. Mark LaLone carried in the two-point conversion.

Fulton found the end zone again 2:33 later, capitalizing on a Wolfpack fumble at the Laingsburg 40-yard-line. Scott Winsor hit Andy Stephens with a 12-yard strike to record the score. Wayne Bond then carried in the conversion to complete the scoring in quarter number one.

Freshman Steve Moon went in from the 3-yard-line with 10:46 showing on the clock in the second quarter. Winsor added the Pirates third straight two-point conversion, making it 24-0.

The route continued with Winsor scoring another touchdown with still 8:13 left before halftime. Winsor's score came on a 23-yard run. Robbe went in for two more points, to up the lead to 32.

Laingsburg's defense put the team on the scoreboard

when Jeff Ridsdale scooped up a fumble and ran 26 yards for a touchdown. The Wolfpack kick failed.

Fulton added one more touchdown before the half on a 3-yard run by Robbe, his second score of the game. The Pirates attempted to kick the extra point but were unsuccessful.

The lone second half touchdown occurred with just 2:23 left in the contest when Ray Rumsey went in from 4 yards out. The kick was again no good. Earlier in the third quarter, Fulton's kicker Jeff Waldron, missed a 47-yard field goal try by about a foot. The kick was right on line but fell just short.

Pirate coach John Wachsmuth was pleased with the fact that he had the opportunity to play many of his freshman on the roster. The younger players were able to play for most of the second half, but Wachsmuth stated, "We're still groping for a bit more consistency. We're not yet where we'd like to be."

Fulton was lead by Lalone's 56 yards on six carries and Winsor's 46 yards on three attempts. Defensively Waldron was singled out by Wachsmuth for playing an outstanding ball game. He was credited with 13 tackles.

Things will be much tougher this week for the Pirates as they host unbeaten Olivet. Fulton will be facing an extremely tough defense as indicated by Olivet's 14-0 win over P-W Friday night. Kickoff is at 7:30 and all indications say it should be a tremendous ball game.

## Redwing cagers remain perfect

The St. Johns basketball team upped its record to 3-0 last week with a pair of lopsided wins over Chesaning and Portland. Defense was the name of the game in each win as the Redwings held the opposition to under 10 points in the first half of each game.

In the 61-18 romp over Chesaning, the Redwings exploded to a 21-4 lead after one quarter, and a 39-8 margin after two quarters. Lori Kus paced St. Johns with 18 points and 21 rebounds. Kim Kloeckner and Sue Pearsall each chipped in with 13 points. The sophomore

Pearsall grabbed 16 caroms and Anne Stafford hauled down 10.

Two nights later, the taller and more experienced Wings cruised past Portland 49-21. Again the first quarter had the St. Johns girls streaking ahead. Entering quarter number two, it was 16-2 and 28-6 by halftime. Kus was the leading scorer with 17 points. Denise Thelen tossed in 14 points. The leading rebounders were Kus with 11 and Debbie Hufnagel and Stafford with six apiece.

## Redwing Tennis Team moves record to 4-0

The St. Johns tennis team pushed its record to 4-0 last week by defeating Harry Hill and Everett by identical scores of 7-0.

The Redwing players were never forced to play three sets to win a match. Each single player and each set of doubles won in two sets.

The St. Johns winners doubles tandems were Tricia were Kris Teetens, Beth Barnes-Ellen Witteveen, Buckley, Debbie Phillips and Irenna Garapetyan-Michelle Theresa Hyde as singles O'Connor and Sharon players. The winning Barnes-Caren Rojas.

## Fulton golfers nip Fowler

In a tight CMAC match last Wednesday, the Fulton golf team edged Fowler 176-179. The meeting between the two teams was at the Portland Country Club.

Mike Ulrich had the best score of the afternoon with a 37. His Fowler teammates finished with scores of 44 for Marty Hamilton, Steve Schneider 46 and Jim Farley with 52.

Pacing the Pirates was John Walrath with 39. Greg Caris and Brad Glazier each fired a 45, while Steve Dufulo had a 47.

Fowler will be hosting the Clinton County Golf Tournament on Saturday, Sept. 27 at the Portland Country Club. In addition to the Eagles, other teams participating will be: St. Johns, Ovid-Elsie, Fulton, DeWitt and Pewamo-Westphalia.

DeWitt won last years tournament, but will be hard pressed to repeat. Tee-off time is 10 a.m. and the public is cordially invited to attend.

## ★ SJ football

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problem now is we're 1-2 and have lost a couple real tough ones. Hopefully the team will continue to improve as it did last week and that the community will realize our team is young and give the boys a chance to mature before they become too critical," he stated.

Individually Hayes was outstanding in the St. Johns backfield getting 128 yards on 19 carries. Palmer completed four of 12 passes for 108 yards.

The St. Johns defense was again paced by Bruce Fedewa who also did a fine job of blocking in his first week as the upback on offense. Fedewa totaled 19 tackles with an interception. Rich Mathias also had a big game both ways. Offensively he moved to center after playing the first two weeks at tackle. On the defensive side, Mathias was in on 15 tackles.

The Redwings will try to even their record Friday against the 3-0 Corunna team. Game time is 7:30 p.m.

## NOTICE

Synopsis for proceedings of the Clinton County Board of Commissioners meeting held July 29, 1980 at 9:00 A.M.

Voted and carried to table Resolution opposing penalizing Agriculture by State reduction of funding in research and education.

Voted and carried to oppose Senate Bill 1043, establishing retirement system for volunteer firemen in the State.

Voted and carried to adopt the resolution designating August 17 through 23rd as Clinton Area Care Center Week.

Motion carried to amend OR-1-78 Text Amendment.

Motion carried to deny rezoning ZC-7-80 Edward Spalding - Olive Township.

Motion carried unanimously to rezone ZC-9-80 David G. Fry - Bath Township.

Motion carried granting special use permit ZC-13-80 William Lehman - Westphalia Township.

Voted and carried to accept Treasurers 1979 Annual Report and place on file.

Voted and carried to amend motion to obtain bid plans and cost estimates on jail modifications.

Voted and carried to proceed with construction of the jail modifications as outlined.

Voted and carried to approve Farm Land applications 1980-182 thru 184 and 186 thru 192.

Voted and carried to approve Commissioners' expense accounts for July.

Lawrence Eichelberger, Watertown Township resident visited various violations of the American Excavators special use permit that he has observed.

Motion failed to refer American Excavators special use permit to Physical Resources Committee.

Motion carried to refer American Excavators special use permit violations to the Planning Commission.

City of St. Johns Manager appeared and requested consideration of a lease agreement between the County and City of St. Johns to explore and drill a water well on county owned property. Referred to the Building and Grounds Committee.

Board recessed at 12:20 P.M. Resuming at 1:30 P.M.

Voted and carried to have social security reporting done on a monthly basis rather than quarterly.

Community Mental Health is requesting a supplemental allocation for FY-80 to fund programs that would move people in state institutions back to the county.

Voted and carried to designate Clinton Development Corporation, \$177,202-18 positions as number one priority and the Clinton County Historical Commission, \$12,037-1 position as number two priority.

Voted and carried to authorize hiring a temporary employee in the Friend of the Court Office.

Voted and carried to approve bills audited for July in the amount of \$83,089.58

Voted and carried to approve an officer delegate and an employee delegate to attend the annual meeting of the Michigan Employers Retirement System on September 30, 1980 at Midland

Physical Resources Committee meeting July 28, 1980:

Voted and carried to authorize the purchase of an IBM typewriter at a cost of \$864.00 in the Register of Deed Office to be paid out of existing budget.

The Overall Economic Development Plan status will be presented to the Physical Resources Committee on August 19, 1980.

Voted and carried to purchase a blue line copy machine at a total cost of \$1,625.00 with \$1,025.00 to be paid out of existing budget in the Drain Office and the remaining \$600 from the Road Commission.

Voted and carried to authorize signing the contract accepting the grant for a Solid Waste Plan in the amount of \$10,032.78 with matching funds of \$2,508.18 and designating Tri-County Regional Planning Commission as the contractor.

Both the second draft of the Clinton County Energy Policy and the Clinton County 701 Housing Elements study will be taken up at the August 26, 1980 regular meeting.

Building and Grounds Committee meeting was held July 14, 1980:

Roy Spicer was instructed to install boxes to fit over the thermostats and to set the thermostats at 78 degrees and to monitor actual room temperatures and adjust them accordingly.

Final payment was recommended to Pozen and Woodard on work done at District Court building upon approval by Roy Spicer.

Building and Grounds Committee requested William Lefevere, Administrator to investigate and establish standards for purchase of carpet.

Committee recommends boarding out all pre-trial prisoners and women when a matron is not on duty. Referred to Criminal Justice and Finance Committees.

The County is not responsible for any costs including Workman's Compensation for welfare recipients working a certain number hours per month.

Roof work on District Court Building is completed and satisfactory and recommends payment to Diversified Company.

Request for a bike rack on the front Courthouse lawn was turned over to Tom Warstler, Planner.

Soil Conservation's request for office space in the old DPW building is being investigated.

The survey of 40 acres at the north end of the County Farm property is not complete. Market price of the house with one acre of land is being evaluated.

Painting of Smith Hall is to be completed the week of July 14 with CETA employees.

Criminal Justice meeting was held July 18, 1980:

Voted and carried to approve additional office space for Judge Green and Law books in an amount not to exceed \$3,000 with Gratiot County paying one-half of this cost.

Voted and carried to approve a dog census being conducted next year utilizing CETA participants.

Voted and carried to refill the CETA Law Clerk position in the Prosecutor's Office and also authorize \$160 for a new chair which will be reimbursed under the Cooperative Reimbursement program.

Voted and carried to authorize the purchase of a four drawer letter size file cabinet for Circuit Court Probation Agent.

Motion carried for Curtis Wash to attend the annual child support institution at San Francisco, California. This is a 100% reimbursement program.

Human Services Committee met June 27, 1980 with Tom Warstler and four candidates were interviewed for the Van Program and they selected Jason Cherry.

Voted and carried to adjourn and meet August 26, 1980 at 9:00 A.M. Meeting adjourned at 2:40 P.M.

Jane Swanchara, County Clerk

# REGISTRATION NOTICE

FOR

## GENERAL ELECTION TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1980

To the Qualified Electors of the  
COUNTY OF CLINTON, STATE OF MICHIGAN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I WILL BE AT MY OFFICE  
**Monday, October 6, 1980 -- Last Day**

From 8 o'clock a. m. until 8 o'clock p. m.

**The 30th day preceding said Election**

**And on Saturday, October 4, 1980 — 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.**

As provided by Section 498, Act No. 116, Public Acts of 1954 As Amended.

For the purposes of REVIEWING the REGISTRATION and REGISTERING such of the qualified electors in said TOWNSHIP, CITY or VILLAGE as SHALL PROPERLY apply therefor.

The name of no person but an ACTUAL RESIDENT of the precinct at the time of registration, and entitled under the Constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election, shall be entered in the registration book.

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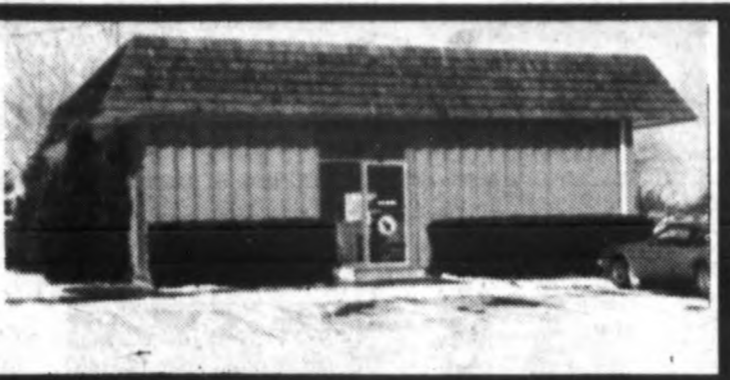
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Jane Swanchara  
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**THE Farm Bureau NEWS PAGE**



**Farm Bureau sets annual meeting**

The 1680 member families of the Clinton County Farm Bureau will receive official notice later this month of the organization's 61st annual meeting to be held at St.

Johns High School, Oct. 14. The buffet dinner will be served in the cafeteria between the hours of 7 and 8:30 p.m. with members welcome to come to eat

anytime during that period. Dinner will include beef and ham, potatoes, dressing, vegetable, salad, rolls, relishes, dessert and beverages.

Following dinner the business meeting will be conducted in the high school auditorium with Don Witt, county president presiding. On the agenda will be election of directors for Bengal-Riley; Eagle-Watertown; Ovid-Victor and one at large. Incumbents Roger Lerg and Ted Ashley are eligible for one more term but Don Witt and Bob Borton are not. Both have served two, three-year terms. The nominating committee will be filling out the ballot after Community Groups have sent in nominations.

Seven delegates to the December state annual meeting in Kalamazoo will be elected by ballot from 10 nominees.

The highlight of the evening will be the policy making session led by David Pohl, and the Policy Development committee. This committee has met several times reviewing resolutions submitted by Community Groups and other Farm Bureau committees, analyzing issues and bills of concern to agriculture, and preparing a slate of resolutions for consideration by the membership. An award for distinguished service to agriculture will be presented to B. Dale Ball, former director of the Michigan Department of Agriculture and various awards and prizes will be presented to Farm Bureau members and groups during the dinner hour.

Tickets to the annual meeting are on sale now from Community Group secretaries, from directors and at the county office at \$5 per person. A drawing will be held from those attending the meeting and have paid their dues for four \$10 checks. Members are urged to call in reservations by Oct. 7 to assure a ticket if waiting to purchase at the door.

**Complete training**

LANSING—Thirteen Farmers Petroleum Cooperative, Inc. tire salesmen received diplomas for successfully completing a recent Tire Training School at the Farm Bureau Center in Lansing. The conference was sponsored by Farmers Petroleum Cooperative, Inc.

The extensive three-day meeting, designed to train tire salesmen in the areas of sales and service of truck, farm and passenger car tires, included how the tires are made, benefits of the different types of tires, proper recommendation of size and type that best fits the customers' needs, and proper maintenance practice to increase the wear of the tire.

**Nominations being taken**

The Young Farm Committee will hold their annual banquet to honor the 10 Distinguished Young Farmers who have been named during the year as monthly winners. One of the 10 will be selected to represent the county at the state Farm Bureau Distinguished Young Farmer contest in December. Also invited to the banquet will be all contestants for the Young Farm Woman of the Year contest and one will be named to represent Clinton Farm Bureau at the state contest in December at State Annual meeting. Judy Kissane, Clinton county contestant in 1979 was the state winner last year and the Young Farmers are hoping to repeat the honors this year. Nominees may be made by Farm Bureau Community Groups and other members up until Sept. 25.

Other Young Farmer activities this month include the discussion Meet. Participating were Dan Cable and Dave Seeger of Bath and Marsha Brook of Ovid. The district final will be held Sept. 30 when our county winners will compete with contestants from Eaton, Genesee, Ingham and Shiawassee county to select the district representatives to the state contest in December.

At the St. Johns Street Fair, the young farmers sponsored a pie booth selling slices of home-made pie to hungry visitors.

The Committee met recently and compiled some operating rules which will be presented to the county board for their approval Sept. 16. All Farm Bureau members between the ages of 18 and 31 are members of the Clinton Young Farmers and are urged to become active by participating in the activities as they are announced.

**Farm Bureau women meet**

Farm Bureau Women held their September meeting at the county FB office and a crowded agenda resulted in many up-coming activities.

The report on the hog raffle ticket sales showed that it appears to be a success and a thank you was issued to all Farm Bureau members who assisted in the project. The drawing was held at the close of the Street Fair at the Home Tour. Proceeds of \$976 were donated to the Clinton Care Center. Nelligan's Packing House has donated the processing.

Farm Bureau Women coordinated several displays at the Street Fair depicting some of the commodities raised in the county. A sincere thank you is expressed to all Farm Bureau members who helped make the displays a success.

The next meeting of Farm Bureau Women will be Tuesday, Oct. 7 at the county office beginning at 9:30 a.m. New offices will be installed. A surprise guest speaker and potluck noon luncheon is planned. District five Fall Rally will be held in Eaton county

Monday, Oct. 20 and 21. The County Women will serve the organization dinner for the county board of directors, Oct. 21.

The Women's executive committee has completed 1980-81 program plans and will be presenting the coming 12 month's projects and program activities at the next board meeting for approval.

All Farm Bureau women are part of the Women's program and are urged to become active by participating in the various projects and by attending the regular meetings.



The Farm Bureau Women earned \$976 for the Clinton Area Care Center in their hog drawing which ended at the Home Tour Festival in St. Johns. Father Dennis Spitzley of Fowler won the 220 pound hog on a ticket purchased by Greg Martin and drawn by Care Center Board member Gladys Hetzel, right. Judy Kissane, left, was chairman. (Photo by Sharon Randall)

**Holding demonstrations**

The Clinton County Soil Conservation District will co-sponsor a manure irrigation field day demonstration, Friday, Oct. 3 at the Louis Schneider Dairy Farm, two miles east and one mile south of Fowler.

The Century Rain Aid Company will demonstrate the new agricultural technique starting at 11 a.m. and running until 3 p.m. A light lunch is available.

**Econo-Plan date set**

Farm Bureau members wishing to change their Blue Cross Blue Shield coverage to the Econo-Plan are advised that Friday, Sept. 19 is the final date. An application card must be signed. The change to Econo will take effect Nov. 20. This is the only opportunity to make this change until March, 1981.

Parents who have a dependent child, reaching his 19th

birthday are reminded to return the 19-year-old selection, if they desire to continue Blue Cross coverage for their dependent after January 1, 1981.

This form was mailed to each subscriber who has a dependent who was born in 1961, offering continued group coverage.

Another deadline coming up is Sept. 29. Operation birthdate - the 65 year old

enrollment program determines the correct birthdate of all members reaching their 65th birthday in 1981. These members who were born in 1916 must return the card mailed to them earlier this month with the correct birthday before Sept. 29. This will insure proper enrollment in the 65 Complementary coverage when the member reaches his or her 65th birthday.

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26-tfn-p-1

**HELP WANTED: RN or LPN** full or part-time, 224-2985, Rivard's Nursing Home.  
26-tfn-p-1

**HELP YOURSELF** to a decent Christmas, for you and your family this year. Earn free gifts and toys. Have a Tops in Toys Party home or catalog. Call Debbie 641-6656.  
39-3-27

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38-3-p-1

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38-3-p-1

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37-3-p-1

**HELP WANTED:** Caring adult or couple to live in with our mother, lovely farm home. Call 224-8102 after 6 p.m.  
37-3-p-1

**WANTED BABYSITTER** two school age children Mon-Fri. in DeWitt area, St. Johns school district. Call 694-0392 after 6:30 p.m.  
39-1-1

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39-1-2

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39-4-GL-27

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39-3-3

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38-4-p-3

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38-4-p-27

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38-3-p-27

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38-3-p-4

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38-3-p-4

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37-4-p-4

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39-1-4

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24-tfn-GL-5

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39-1-6

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39-3-6

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39-1-6

**FOR RENT** Attractive 2 bedroom Apt. Split level, 1 1/2 bath, \$300.00 month plus deposit, heat paid. No children or pets, located 306 S. Lansing. 224-3636 days or call collect (517) 725-6363 anytime.  
39-3-6

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**FOR RENT:** in DeWitt 3 APARTMENTS for rent all 2 bedroom airconditioning, garbage disposal, large yard, storage shed, stove and refrigerator furnished. Prices are \$225.00, \$235.00 & \$245.00 plus utilities. Children are welcome, pets are negotiable in price. 669-3139.  
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39-3-23

**GARAGE SALE** 15932 Florence off of State Rd., Sept. 27 & 28th, 9 to 5.  
39-1-25

**MULTI FAMILY** Garage Sale. Sept. 25th, 26th, 27th. 1245 Sandhill Dr., Lake Geneva, DeWitt. 9 to 6.  
39-1-25

**GARAGE SALE** Sept. 26 & 27 1177 Primrose Ln., DeWitt (off Herbison Rd.) Chord organ, Walnut cabinet, twin size mattress, chair, books, clean clothing, misc. items.  
39-1-25

**GARAGE SALE** Sept. 26 & 27 9 to 7 at 14354 Meyers Rd., between U.S. 27 and Turner off Clark. Bedroom suite, sewing machine, twin beds, more furniture and misc.  
39-1-25

**GARAGE SALE** Sept. 26th & 27th 9 to 5, 3 families. Vacuum rug shampooer and T.V., plus lots more. 15849 Northward Dr., Lansing. 39-1-25

**GARAGE SALE** 15255 Boichot Rd. South of Stoll Rd. Wed. & Thurs. Sept. 24th & 25th 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Household items, plants, baby items & clothing.  
39-1-25

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**DEWITT TOWNSHIP** - Dispatcher - \$4.57 per hour. Receives all incoming requests for police and fire services and provides communication services and coordination to all mobile police and fire units. Compiles data and radio logs necessary to planning of police field operations.  
**BATH TOWNSHIP** - Recreation Coordinator - \$5.45 per hour. Duties will consist of typing and filing for police department, supervising a township recreation program, counseling youth and other duties at management's discretion.  
**SCCSSA** - Laboratory Assistant - \$5.00 per hour. Assist with activities in laboratory and Process Control.  
**D.S.S.** - Intake Assistant - \$4.56 per hour. Will greet new applicants and assist them in completing their application for assistance. Will answer questions raised by clients so that the application forms are completed properly and before they are seen by an intake worker. Help ongoing Assistance Payments Workers in various capacities, such as help clients complete the application for redetermination of eligibility.  
**HISTORICAL COMMISSION** - Oral Historian - \$4.00 per hour. Gathers pre-interview information, records interviews throughout the county on magnetic tape equipment, maintains equipment, identifies and preserves tapes, indexes tapes, transcribes selected recordings by auditing and typing, delivers tapes and supportive material to repository.  
**PEWAMO-WESTPHALIA COMMUNITY SCHOOLS** - Custodian - \$4.40 per hour. General cleaning including mopping and waxing of floors. Assist in maintaining school grounds. Able to work with teachers and administrators.  
**BATH COMMUNITY SCHOOLS** - Custodian - \$5.00 per hour. Painting, lawn mowing or snow removal (should be able to operate the necessary machinery for those duties) and also should be able to be helper for general maintenance duties.  
**ST. JOHNS SCHOOL** - Mechanic Helper - \$4.00 per hour. Responsibilities include housekeeping, general lubricating, washing and cleaning of vehicles, minor repair work. Ability to inspect vehicles for safety defects. Qualifications: Must be able to pass pre-employment physical and x-rays. Good driving record and chauffeur's license. Previous experience required.  
**CLINTON COUNTY INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT** - Data Entry/Control & Bookkeeping Trainee - \$3.90 per hour. Duties to be performed include computer keypunch, bursting forms, decollating forms, posting accounts payable checks, posting receipts, bank reconciliation and balancing payroll records. Minimum requirements: Ability to type 35 to 45 wpm, knowledge of business machines, transcribing ability, high school bookkeeping or equivalent.  
**VILLAGE OF ELSIE** - Police Patrol Officer - \$5.60 per hour. General patrol duties and public relations work.  
**CLINTON COUNTY** - Night Custodian - \$4.00 per hour. Under direct supervision of Maintenance Supervisor. Performs general inside cleaning and janitorial tasks throughout county facilities.  
**CLINTON COUNTY** - Probate Court - Clerk-Typist - \$4.00 per hour. Duties: Typing over 40 wpm, filing, serves as unit receptionist, receiving walk-in visitors and telephone calls. Will also have bookkeeping duties.  
**CLINTON COUNTY** - Surveyor Assistant - \$5.41 per hour. Duties: Under direct supervision of land surveyor. Receives assignments relating to determination on boundaries, preparation of drainage district maps, computation of apportionment work. Education requirements: Equivalent of two years college or business school. One year experience in field of assessing and cartography.

**INTERESTED APPLICANTS SHOULD CONTACT TRI-COUNTY MANPOWER COORDINATION OFFICE IN PERSON, 200 W. STATE ST., ST. JOHNS, MI 48879.**

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**-Roofing-**  
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**-Electricians-**  
**HENNING ELECTRIC CO.** Residential - Commercial and Industrial, 224-4277, 1002 E. State St.

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**JAMES BURNHAM** - Ph. St. Johns 224-4045, R-3, St. Johns.

**-Drugs-**  
**PARR'S REXALL** Opn., daily 7:30 a.m. to 9 p.m., Sunday 8:30 to 12:30 & 5 to 7 p.m.

**-Insurance-**  
Automobile Coverage-Fire Insurance-General Casualty. **ALLABY-BREWBAKER INC.**, 108 N. Clinton Ave., St. Johns, Ph. 224-3258.

**-Jewelry-**  
**LEVY'S JEWELRY** - Orange Bossom diamond rings, Bulova-Accutron Watches. Elsie 862-4300.

**-Party Supplies-**  
**PAUL'S PARTY SHOPPE** Packaged Liquor Monday-Saturday 9 a.m. to 11 p.m. Noon to 8 p.m. Sundays.

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# Legal notices Obituaries

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**GARAGE SALE** 3 garages 10 families. Take Airport Rd. to Stoll Rd. and follow signs. Fri. & Sat. Sept. 26th & 27th 9 a.m. til dark. 39-1-GL-25

**GARAGE SALE** Sept. 25th, 26th & 27th. 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Westwind Subdivision in DeWitt. Airport and Heribson Rd. Clothes, all sizes, fireplace screen, gold chair, tole paintings, silk flower arrangements and baby furniture. 39-1-25

**GARAGE SALE** Sept. 24 & 25. Good clean clothes and misc. 9 to 5, 730 Dill Rd. 39-1-25

**BARGAIN HUNTERS** Garage Sale. Everything priced to go. Freebies too. Sept. 27th, 28th. Hunter and Heribson, east of Upton, Bath. 39-1-25

**HUGE GARAGE SALE** Sept. 24 to 28, 8 to 8. Power lawn mower, Franklin fireplace, Yamaha YX-100, \$75. 10-speed bike, beds and dressers, Antique 42-inch pedestal table, oak, \$225. 6 oak chairs, collectibles, lots of clean clothes and much more. 4242 W. Howe Rd., DeWitt, 1/4 mi. west of Airport Rd. on Howe Rd. 39-1-25

**GARAGE SALE** clothes, dishes, Avon, furniture and lots of misc. Sept. 26th to 29th. 9 to 7. 7750 W. Lehman Rd., DeWitt, 3/4 mile W. of Francis Rd. 39-1-25

**GARAGE SALE** Thurs.-Sat. Sept. 25-27. 608 W. Geneva, DeWitt. Boston Rocker, wooden child's table and chairs, toys, bikes, ladies, men's and boy's clothing, all good condition. 669-5742. 39-1-25

## Misc. 27

**DAMAGED DOORS**—Interior and exterior, starting at \$1.00. Pennsylvania, Lansing. Ph. 882-0276. 29-tfn-GL-27

**FOR SALE:** Slingerland Snare Drum, white pearl. Excellent condition \$75.00. Perfect for starting band class. Contact Brandon at 224-6828 or 224-7084. 36-tfn-p-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

**BEHLEN METAL** buildings. We challenge you to find a more energy efficient maintenance free building. Call us for actual figures or visit our customers. Call Fedewa Builders, 485-0225, ask for Jim. 37-4-p-4

**POLE BUILDINGS**—Call Fedewa Builders, 593-2101, ask for Roger. 37-4-p-27

**LIQUID MANURE PITS,** farm walls, barn yards, for your farm concrete needs call Fedewa Builders, 593-2101, ask for Joe Miller. 37-4-p-27

**FOR SALE:** G.E. portable automatic washer, nearly new. Ideal for motor home or travel trailer. Ph. 834-5469 after 6 p.m. 38-3-p-27

**FOR SALE** or will trade for travel trailer of equal value 1970 Honda 750 with fairing in luggage trunk. \$1350.00. Ph. 649-8670 after 5 p.m. 39-1-GL-27

**FOR SALE** Used 2 piece Sectional also swivel chair. Call 487-0444. 39-1-27

**FOR SALE** Musical instruments new Cornet used only 2 months, \$130.00. Saxophone in good condition with new case, \$200.00. 669-5190. 39-tfn-27

**FOR SALE** Trombone Holpon, excellent condition, 669-5222. 39-1-27

**FOR SALE** Tandem. Very good condition. \$75.00. 669-5826. 38-3-DH-27

**FOR SALE** Arctic Cat snowmobile suit, size 14, child's. Worn once, \$45.00 firm. 641-6628. 39-3-27

**STEEL BARN** Roofing, Painting and Repair. Barn and commercial spray painting. Spray and place polyurethane foam insulated roofs. High pressure cleaning. Licensed, insured. Free estimates. Call 882-5869 after 5:00 p.m. 37-tfn-P-27

**FOR SALE** 5 new 4 light 2 sash windows for half price. Call or see Mrs. K.L. Jones, 1448 W. French Rd. Ph. 224-4114. 38-tfn-p-27

**MOVING MUST SELL:** lathe-V-mill-hack saw-drill-press-radialarm drill-press-bandsaw-sander-jointer-tablesaw-phaseconverter-pipebender-616-846-2350. 32-tf-gl-27

**PRE CAST** concrete steps, plus step and porch combinations 3 thru 6 ft. Pick up or deliver. Call collect 641-6966. 29-12-p-27

**DENTURES** \$129.00 to \$170.00, partial \$225.00. D.A.D. Centers, Warren 313-755-3040 or Flint 313-742-4620. 39-12-27

**COMPANION** FOR my mother in our home. 10 hours daily. Breakfast and lunch included, weekends off. Senior citizen preferred. Call after 6:30, 682-4042. 39-1-27

**MAPLE DINING** Table 4 chairs, pads, \$650.00. Floor model radio circa 1930, \$40.00. Upholstered host chair, \$200.00, beige rug and pad, \$30.00, broken T.V., \$5.00, assorted luggage, \$10.00 each. A small grill, \$5.00. 641-4302. 39-3-27

**ATTENTION CARNIVALS** for sale large Jail in good shape suitable for carnival or similar activity. Make offer, call 593-2368 or 593-3545. 38-3-p-27

**FOR SALE:** Snowmobile boots size 9. Snowmobile suit size large. Call 224-7846. 38-3-DH-27

**FOR SALE** Hitachi AM-FM Stereo, turntable, cassette recorder, \$250.00. Masterwork Quad AM-FM, 8 track, turntable, \$200.00. Also, complete darkroom \$175.00. Call 224-2825. 39-tfn-DH-27

**FOR SALE** Cedar Line sweater chest, T.V. Radio, record player combination, boy's bike 24 inch, Electric lawnmower, end tables. Call after 6. 669-5958. 37-3-p-27

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

**WANTED: STANDING** TImBER Szeponski Saw Mill, St. Charles. 7550 Graham Rd., St. Charles. 517-865-9902. 1-tf-29

**WANTED TO BUY:** Old Slot machines. Paying top prices. Call 616-744-9214 collect. 33-10-p-28

**WANTED GROUND** to Rent. Call 627-3900. 39-4-GL-28

**WANTED HOLSTEIN** Heifer calves, 647-6860. 39-3-28

## Notice 29

**CUSTOM BUTCHERING AND PROCESSING** by appointment. We butcher on Wednesday and Fridays. Beef, pork. Halves and quarters also retail cuts. All meats MDA inspected. Vaughn's Meat Processing, West City Limits on Bussett Rd. just off M-57 Carson City. 7-tf-29

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

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

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

**LAND CONTRACTS** Purchased lowest discount any amount anywhere, prompt local service. Call anytime, David Marshall, Mid-Michigan Investment Company. 1-800-332-4602. 5-tf-8

## Card of Thanks 30

**WHAT A beautiful day!** When our kids, friends and relatives get together to help us celebrate our 25th wedding anniversary it is an occasion never to forget! We want to thank everyone for the lovely cards, gifts and help. Everything was beautiful. Just one more lovely memory to put with all the others of the 25 years we've had together. Makes for looking forward to many more.  
Dick & Bev Archer  
39-1-30

**DELMAR AND HARRIET** Cof wish to thank everyone who came to help us celebrate our 50th Wedding Anniversary, given by our children, Richard Cof, Marian Draker and Dolores Groenke. Also we thank our grandchildren who helped serve the buffet dinner. We sincerely appreciate the beautiful cards, the lovely gifts and money. Many thanks to everyone for making it such a joyous occasion.  
39-1-30

**WOULD LIKE** to thank my many friends, relatives and my family. For many wishes, cards and gifts that made my 80th birthday, dinner and open house so nice. God bless you all.  
Maybelle R. Beery

## NOTICE OF INTENTION AND NOTICE OF HEARING

State of Michigan, Probate Court, County of Ingham. Estate of Frank L. Mance, Deceased. File No. F-8162.  
TAKE NOTICE: On July 30, 1980 in the probate courtroom, Lansing, Michigan, before Hon. Donald S. Owens, Judge of Probate, a hearing was held appointing Leo Kosloski, as Personal Representative of the estate.  
Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented to the said Leo Kosloski, Personal Representative, 601 Bluebell, Lansing, MI or Attorney John L. Tuttle, 404 W. Ottawa, Lansing, MI and proof thereof filed with the Court on or before November 26, 1980.  
Notice is further given that the estate will be thereupon assigned to persons determined of record entitled thereto.  
Dated: Sept. 11, 1980  
John L. Tuttle P21643  
Attorney  
406 W. Ottawa  
Lansing, MI 48933  
Phone: 482-1541  
Leo L. Kosloski  
Petitioner  
601 Bluebell  
Lansing, MI 48933  
Phone: 393-5062 39-1

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
IN THE 45-2 DISTRICT COURT  
FILE NO. LC-140-80  
DARWIN C. & MARY V. DUDLEY, Plaintiff, vs. BRUCE & FONDA C. NEWELL and Subsequently transferred to JAMES HENDERSON, Defendants.  
**ORDER TO ANSWER**  
At a session of said Court held in District Courtrooms, St. Johns, Michigan, on the 18th day of September, 1980.  
PRESENT: THE HONORABLE F.M. LEWIS, District Judge.  
This matter having come on before the Court on the motion of D. Dennis Dudley, attorney for the above named Plaintiffs, from which it satisfactorily appears that:  
1. On August 29, 1980, an action was filed by the above named Plaintiffs against the Defendants, Bruce and Fonda C. Newell, and James Henderson to FORECLOSE a land contract dated September 11, 1978, said real estate being described as:  
Commencing at the quarter post on the East Line of Section 24, Town 6 North, Range 1 West, running thence West 16 rods, thence South 10 rods, thence East 16 rods, thence North 10 rods to point of beginning.  
2. The whereabouts of James Henderson cannot be ascertained after diligent search and inquiry, and that the Summons in this matter has been served as the Defendant's last known address and address of this property and that service of process cannot reasonably be made on the defendant James Henderson in the normal matter provided for under court rule.  
3. Service of process by publication is reasonably calculated to give the Defendant, James Henderson actual notice of this proceeding and an opportunity to be heard.  
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Defendant, James Henderson cause his appearance and answer to be entered in the action on or before the 6th day of November, 1980.  
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Order be published in the CLINTON COUNTY NEWS, a newspaper published and circulated within Clinton County, said publication to be continued once each week for 6 weeks in succession.  
F.M. Lewis  
District Judge  
Countersigned:  
Marlene Thompson 39-6

**NOTICE**  
MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF THE US-27 FREEWAY IN CLINTON AND GRATIOT COUNTIES AND A US-27 BUSINESS ROUTE FOR ST. JOHNS  
All interested citizens are advised that the Michigan Department of Transportation is planning to relocate and construct US-27 as a freeway from 1.69 in Clinton County north to the existing US-27 freeway south of Ithaca in Gratiot County. A Business Route for St. Johns will also be established and constructed.  
The proposed improvement calls for locating the US-27 freeway about one and a quarter miles east of the existing route from 1.49 to M-21. From M-21 the route turns northwesterly around St. Johns and will then be along side the existing route to Ithaca. A Business Route will be established along Price Road and the existing US-27. The Price Road portion will be constructed along and on the south side of Price Road.  
The construction will require the acquisition of a strip of right of way about 300 wide for the existing US-27 Business Route will require 84 feet of right of way along Price Road and none along existing US-27. For both the freeway and Business Route approximately 220 parcels of land with 184 structures will be acquired.  
Under the Michigan Action Plan, any citizen who would be affected by the proposed plan may request in writing that a formal public hearing be held concerning the social, environmental, and economic effects of this proposal.  
Such a written request should be mailed to Jack E. Morgan, Manager, Public Involvement Section, Michigan Department of Transportation, P.O. Box 30050, Lansing, MI 48909. The request must be received on or before October 17, 1980.  
Previous public hearings for these projects were held July 21 and 22, 1975, in St. Johns and Ithaca concerning the US-27 corridor location; June 1 and 2, 1977, in Ithaca and St. Johns concerning the US-27 alignment alternatives; June 1, 1978, in St. Johns concerning the US-27 alignment in Bingham and Greenbush Townships of Clinton County; and October 16, 1979, in St. Johns concerning the US-27 Business Route.  
In addition, information on this project or any Michigan Department of Transportation Planning project, may be obtained by calling toll free 1-800-292-9576.  
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## PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF HEARING

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF CLINTON File No. 20307.  
Estate of ILA W. STEVENS, deceased.  
**NOTICE TO CREDITORS** OF ILA W. STEVENS, DECEASED. Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented to Mrs. Patricia Munger of Route 1, Box 111, Fowler, Michigan 48835 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. 16, 1980  
JOHN E. WIEBER  
Attorney for Petitioner  
104 E. State Street  
St. Johns, Michigan 48879  
Phone: 224-3228 39-1

## NOTICE OF INTENT TO VACATE ALLEY

Marvin E. Robertson  
Judge of Probate 39-1

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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:  
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NOTICE IS 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

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
IN THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CLINTON.  
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Johns, in said County, on the 19th day of September, A.D. 1980.  
PRESENT: Hon. MARVIN E. ROBERTSON, Judge of Probate.  
IN THE MATTER OF PAMELA MARIE NORRIS (FRANTZ) to have her daughter's name changed to Maggie Gene Norris. Pamela Marie Norris (Frantz) having filed her application in said Court praying that the name of Maggie Gene Frantz be changed to Maggie Gene Norris.  
IT IS ORDERED, That the 14th day of October, 1980, at 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon at said Probate Court be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.  
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this Order for one week previous to said day of hearing in the Clinton County News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.  
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VILLAGE PRESIDENT 38-4

## Hazel D. Mead

**OVID**—Retired school teacher Hazel D. Mead, 83, 120 E. Clinton St., Ovid, passed away Friday Sept. 19, 1980 at Owosso Memorial Hospital following a two week illness. Funeral services were held at the Houghton Chapel of the Osgood Funeral Home on Monday, Sept. 22, 1980 at 2 p.m. Burial was at the Middlebury Cemetery with Rev. Carl Staser officiating.  
Mrs. Mead was born in Shiawassee County on July 7, 1897 to Gustave and Ethel (Alloway) Lepior. She graduated from Ovid High School in 1915 and resided in Ovid most of her life.  
She married Horace Mead in Corunna in 1917. He died in 1965.  
Mrs. Mead was a member of the United Church of Ovid and the Laugh-A-Lot Club.  
Mrs. Mead taught in Clinton and Shiawassee rural schools. She is survived by

## Maynard A. Perry

**ST. JOHNS**—Maynard A. Perry, 69, 505 N. Ottawa, St. Johns passed away Sunday, Sept. 21, 1980 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Funeral services were held at the Osgood Funeral Home, Wednesday, Sept. 24, 1980 (today) at 11 a.m. Burial was held at the Mt. Rest Cemetery with the Rev. David Lord officiating.  
Mr. Perry was born in Bengal Township in Clinton County the child of Claude and Nellie (Crockett) Perry on Feb. 5, 1911.  
The lifelong resident of St. Johns married Thelma (Atkinson) Saunders in St. Johns on Oct. 30, 1964. He was a retired machine operator from Diamond Reo. Mr. Perry is survived by his wife, Thelma; two daughters, Mrs. Delores Kieffer and Mrs. Joyce Salters, St. Johns; seven step-daughters; four step-sons and seven grandchildren; many step-grandchildren and great-grandchildren; one brother, Gale Perry of Harrison and his mother Nellie Perry of St. Johns.

## Dorothy B. Kirby

**ST. JOHNS**—Funeral services for Dorothy B. Kirby, 59, 800 S. Clinton Ave., St. Johns, were held Monday, Sept. 22, 1980 at the Osgood Funeral Home at 1:30 p.m. Burial was held at the Mt. Rest Cemetery with Rev. Wesley Farrier officiating.  
Mrs. Kirby passed away on Friday, Sept. 19, 1980 at Clinton Memorial Hospital.  
She was born on Feb. 25, 1921 a child of Frederick and Clara (Mann) Palmer in Carson City. She was a resident of the St. Johns area for the past 32-years.  
Mrs. Kirby was homemaker and was preceded in death by her husband, Arthur Kirby in 1974.  
Dorothy Kirby is survived by one daughter; Mrs. Judy Medina, St. Johns; one son, Greg Kirby of DeWitt; three grandchildren; Michelle Medina, Chad Medina and Joshua Kirby; four sisters; Mrs. Jean Hollabaugh, Summer; Mrs. Vergeline Alexander, Carson City, Mrs. Bernice Lowe, Carson City, and Mrs. Elda Long, Wayne and two brothers; George and Jack Palmer of Lansing.

## Ellen June Lankford

Ellen June Lankford, 73, of Harrison, formerly a resident of DeWitt, died Sept. 17, 1980 in a Lansing hospital. She was owner and operator of DeWitt Variety Store.  
Funeral services were held Saturday, Sept. 20, at the DeWitt Area Chapel with the Rev. LaVern Bretz officiating. Burial will be in DeWitt Cemetery.  
Mrs. Lankford was born in Caro, June 18, 1907 daughter of Abijah Gray and Bessie Mosher. She lived in DeWitt for 45 years and the last five years in Harrison. She went to St. Johns High School and Lansing Business University.  
Surviving are two sons, Gerald of DeWitt and Curtis J. of Iowa; a daughter, Janet L. Schulz of DeWitt; two sisters, Lucille Hammer of Midland and Eleanor Perry of California; six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

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**CITY OF ST. JOHNS NOTICE OF BIDS**  
Sealed bids for a 12 month supply of liquid hydrofluosilicic acid and liquified compressed chlorine gas, will be received until 3 p.m., Thursday, October 23, 1980, in the office of the City Clerk, 121 E. Walker Street, St. Johns, Michigan.  
The bids must be sealed and bear the name of the bidder on the outside of the envelope and be plainly marked "Acid and Gas Bids". The bids will be publicly opened and read at this time and referred to the City Commission for awarding, study or rejection, at their regular meeting on October 27, 1980 at 7:30 p.m., in the City Commission Chambers, 121 E. Walker Street.  
Specifications may be picked up at the City Offices, 121 E. Walker Street, between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.  
The City of St. Johns reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any defects in the bids or bidding in the best interest of the City of St. Johns and accept the proposal, which in the opinion of the City Commission, best serves the interest and needs of the City of St. Johns.  
Richard L. Coletta  
City Clerk

**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 Corrisson 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,

**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.

**WATER DEPARTMENT FIRE HYDRANT FLUSHING PROGRAM FOR OCTOBER 1980**  
The City of St. Johns Water Department personnel will be flushing the Fire Hydrants to clean out the water mains of rust and sediment that develops. During the process the water might appear to be slightly colored but will clear up shortly after the flushing. Flushing of Fire Hydrants is done in the Spring and Fall. The schedule for flushing will be:  
OCTOBER 5-9  
OCTOBER 12-16  
OCTOBER 19-23  
Flusing will be done between the hours of 9:30 p.m. and 6:00 a.m.  
ST. JOHNS WATER DEPARTMENT  
Carl Fongér, Water Supt.

**MARKET REVIEW**  
Stocks of Local Interest

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Consumers Power	18 7/8	18	18 5/8
Federal Mogul	21 1/2	19 7/8	21 1/2
General Motors	58 7/8	55 5/8	58
General Telephone	26 1/2	26	26 1/8
Sealed Power	24 3/8	23 7/8	24 3/8
Worthington Industries	23 1/8	24 1/8	23 7/8

Market Information provided by:  
The Ohio Company, David L. Cook, acct. exec.  
700 American Bank & Trust Bldg.,  
Lansing, Michigan 48933  
(517) 482-1571

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## Welcome Wagon party announced

ST. JOHNS—Engaged women or those "nearly wed" will have the opportunity to view the latest wedding fashions, sample cake, and talk with a florist,

caterer, photographer, insurance representative, gift store, insurance company, and a banker, on Oct. 12 when Kathy Cain, Welcome Wagon hostess throws an "Engaged Girl Party."

The bridal party will be held at Twin Oaks just north of St. Johns from 2 to 4 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 12. Those

who are interested must call Mrs. Cain at 224-3027 for reservations.

Each engaged who registered will be sent an invitation to the first time event sponsored by a St. Johns Welcome Wagon hostess. The purpose of the party is to acquaint engaged women in the community what resources are available for their wedding.

The mood Mrs. Cain will be trying to create at the Bridal Party will be one of warmth and festiveness.

"Because the girls have to make reservations," said Mrs. Cain, "it avoids a mob scene at the door. This makes the day enjoyable for everyone."

Those attending the party will be given free gifts and coupons donated by area merchants. The packets contain the same materials offered in the Welcome Wagon basket including civic and cultural information.

Fiances and mothers of the bride are also invited to attend.

The party is designed for those planning weddings in December or after.



### New officers

The Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary is off and running for a new year. Officers leading this years activities are left to right, Mrs. Gerald Soffin, first vice-chairman; Mrs. Randy Humphrey, chairman; Mrs. Mike Humphrey, past chairman; Mrs. Robert Wood, secretary; Mrs. Dorothy Schoals, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Walter Cole, second vice-chairman and Mrs. Richard

Nettke, publicity. Not present for the picture was Mrs. Jack Bertoldi, treasurer.

The Auxiliary's first big project will be "Clinton Capers", a "sparkling musical revue professionally staged. The first meeting to meet the director will be Oct. 7 at the Municipal Building, St. Johns at 7:30 p.m. The public is invited to participate. Call Mrs. Randy Humphrey for information.



Kathy Cain promotes another new feature for engaged women in the St. Johns area.

## Dedication set for church pipe organ

The First United Methodist Church of St. Johns will be having a dedication service and concert on their new pipe organ, Sunday, Sept. 28 at 3 p.m. A reception will follow.

The service of dedication will include the presentation of memorials and special readings. The concert is designed to demonstrate the organ as both a concert and accompaniment instrument.

The original organ has been rebuilt and seven new ranks of pipes added to give the church the advantage of a

15 rank pipe organ. The new console is now located in the center of the Chancel. Most of the new pipes will be exposed on either side of the Chancel and the remaining pipes are housed in an adjacent room.

Gerard Faber, a concert artist and member of the music faculty at Asbury College, Wilmore, Ky., will be the guest organist for this occasion.

The congregation extends an invitation to all friends and interested persons to join them on this special occasion.



Gerard Faber

## Energy funds available soon

LANSING—Department of Social Services Director John T. Dempsey announced plans for disbursing an anticipated \$97.3 million in federal energy assistance money to about 600,000 low-income Michigan households faced with rising energy costs this winter.

Under the Low Energy Assistance Program (LIEAP) plan, about \$40.1 million in federal energy funds will be earmarked for a "Home Heating Tax Credit" to eligible Michigan households, saving the state money it spent in a similar tax credit program last year. Another \$30 million will go to low-income families as "Supplemental Fuel Cost Payments," and approximately \$23 million will be set aside for "Emergency Energy Assistance"—help for persons faced with overdue utility bills and possible shutoffs, or who need to refill home fuel tanks and who do not have the money to pay for it. The remaining \$4.2 million will be used to administer the program.

The MDSS proposal will also fund an increase in the heating fuel allowance for Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) and General Assistance (GA) recipients who are not eligible (by state law) to receive the tax credit. The plan calls for using \$13 million in state funds to receive another \$13 million in matching federal money for the AFDC increase, and for using another \$6 million in state money for the state-only GA benefit increases. The state money would come from the expected \$40.1 million savings to the General Fund by using federal energy money for the tax credit, resulting in a net savings of about \$21 million to the state, according to the plan.

The federal LIEAP grants to the states, authorized by passage this year of the Crude Oil Windfall Profit Tax Act, are expected to total about \$1.8 billion nationwide. Although the money is not yet appropriated by Congress, Michigan's share is expected to be slightly more than \$97 million.

The first component of LIEAP scheduled for operation is the Emergency Energy Assistance slated to begin Dec. 1.

Eligibility will be based on income and assets, as well as on a need for immediate assistance by the low-income household. Allowable annual income will range from \$4,540 for one person to \$12,600 for a family of four and to \$17,390 for six persons. The liquid assets limit will be set at \$1,000 in currency, uncashed checks, savings or checking accounts, stocks and bonds, and similar resources.

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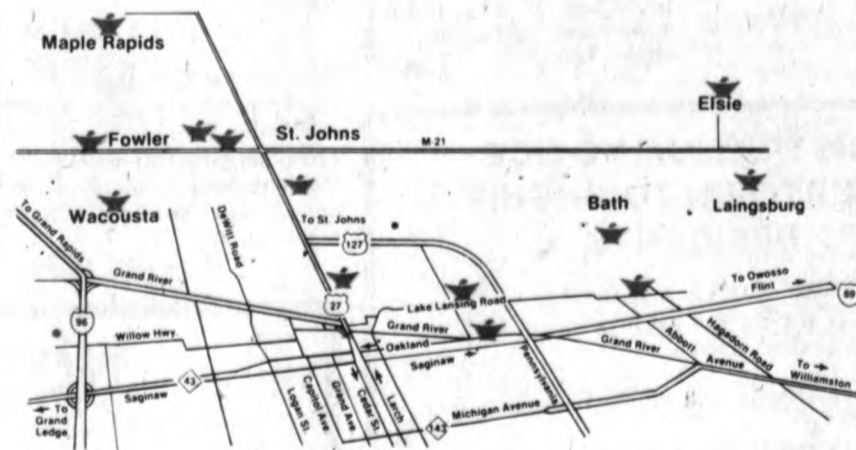
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