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Hospital board elects officers

Earl Lancaster has been re-elected as president of the Board of Trustees for Clinton Memorial Hospital, at the annual meeting, May 14. Serving with him are Lorenz Tiedt, first vice-president; Conrad Seim, Jr., second vice-president and Dyle L. Henning, secretary-treasurer.

Lancaster was also recognized for his 10 year contribution to the Board of Directors at the hospital. His service on that board ended this year and Oliver Darling of Elsie was elected to replace him. Irene Zeeb and Leon Brewbaker were re-elected to the Board of Directors.

New members elected to the 60-member Board of Trustees include Pam Gnodtke of Bath and Charles Coletta and Jeanette Huard of St. Johns.

Spring String-In is Tuesday, June 2

St. Johns High School Orchestra will present their 12th annual "Spring String-In," Tuesday, June 2 at 7:30 p.m. in Pocus Auditorium.

The concert will consist mainly of light classical and popular music and will feature Senior Kristin Valentine in a Haydn piano concerto.

The High School String Jazz Ensemble and String Quartet will also perform.

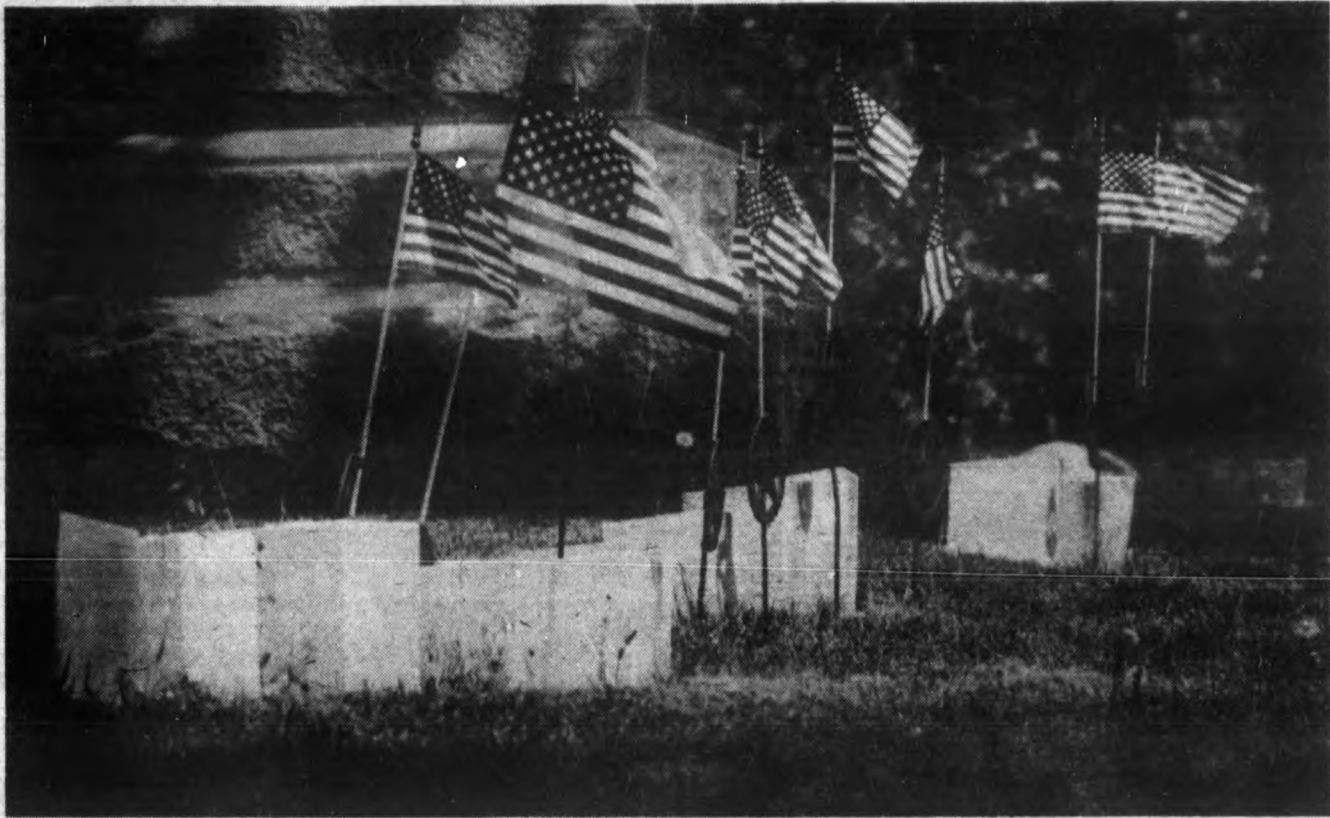
Tickets are available at the door.

Committee formed

Committees have been formed to work towards an affirmative vote on the Fowler Public School millage questions to be voted on, June 8.

Public meetings are being held to explain the issues and a telephone committee is at work.

Chairmen are Judy Koenigsknecht, telephone committee; Virginia Martin and Frank Hufnagel, speaker scheduling; Mary Ann Chartrand, publicity and Jim Andros, finance committee.



Memorial Day activities will take place in St. Johns this evening with a parade starting in the downtown area at 6:30.

Bands, members of the American Legion and the V.F.W., and parade units will lead the way to Mt. Rest Cemetery for special memorial services. Ed Schmidt and Sonny Cornwell are parade chairmen.

Clinton Memorial nurses vote to strike

Nurses at Clinton Memorial Hospital have voted to strike if their demands are not met by the hospital before their June 8 contract expires, according to Sue Cleaver, the nurses' spokesperson. Mediation between the

two groups (hospital administration and the nurses union) was to began today.

Clinton Memorial Hospital Administrator Paul McNamara commented, "Basically, we feel we have a lot of good

nurses and staff people. We hope we can come to some sort of settlement without disrupting services to the community."

The Clinton Memorial Hospital Nurses Organization (CMHNO) is asking for the wages of employees

with less than 10,000 hours of service to be increased by 10 percent. This proposal comes off of a three year contract where the total increase has been 17 percent.

"The nurses at the hospital are the lowest paid

within the area and require a substantial increase in order to return them to a fair standard of living," said Mrs. Cleaver.

"Our employer, however, has proposed a six percent increase in an economy where there is double digit inflation."

New grain elevator project opposed by other operators

By SUE KILEY WHITE

A proposed grain elevator project financed with Economic Development Corporation (EDC) funds in western Clinton County drew heavy fire from other grain operators in the tri-county area Tuesday morning at the regular county board of commissioners meeting.

Lon Smith of Sunfield, spokesman for the Mid-Michigan Farm and Grain Association, said his group was opposed to the EDC involvement in the Westmac project.

"EDC involvement in the Westmac project will result in unfair price competition," Smith he said. "Furthermore it could result in a loss of services to area farmers, it does not serve a 'public purpose' and it is 'unnecessary.'"

The elevator project was given preliminary approval by the board to begin construction in Eagle Township near the Eaton-Clinton county line on April 28. John Williams, president of the organization, said the new facility would eliminate the need for many farmers to go to Toledo to have their grain hauled.

At last month's board meeting some commissioners expressed concern over the new elevator putting existing elevators out of business.

"Smaller elevators do a different kind of service for the farmers," Williams said at the April meeting.

Other issues Smith and his group object to are: governmental interference with the forces of free enterprise which they called "fundamentally unwise".

Smith said the Westmac project is "a perfect example of what is wrong with the way the EDC process works." Agencies of government "have a duty to refrain from knowingly harming existing business enterprises, he said."

"The way I figure it, Westmac will be receiving a break of between \$100,000 and \$200,000 a year because of EDC financing and tax abatements," said Smith. "In my business that makes the difference between a very bad year and a very good year." Smith is associated with a grain elevator concern.

Smith noted if there was a deficit in the grain elevator business he could see where the project would be beneficial. However, last year Michigan had the biggest

grain production in recent history, and the elevators were still not at capacity, he reported.

"What savings they are advocating on behalf of the farmer will really help retire the debt on this concern," said Smith. "Two elevators in other areas in the state are under EDC financing, but neither are as big and neither have as large of an operation."

Smith further questioned, "Is the EDC really fair to the small businessman?"

There were three grain elevator operators from Clinton County in the audience also voicing their objects to the proposed elevator.

"It's time to start saying no to things that aren't really needed," said Smith.

Don Lowell, president of the EDC explained there are two sets of approvals which must be adopted before the project will be financed. The project must be approved by the Eagle Township Board and at a later date a public hearing will be held at the county board level. At this time there is nothing the board of commissioners can do about the project, according to Lowell.

"No grain elevator operator from Clinton County goes over to Eaton County telling them how to run their business," said Robert VanDreisen, commissioner. "I don't understand why they are so concerned."

The applicant for Westmac, Inc. also requested the issuance of a special use permit for the purpose of operating a grain elevator, including facilities for

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Other issues disputed by the nurses include: an increase in the amount of sick leave days from seven to 10 and being able to accumulate sick time if it is not used. Another major issue is the complaint that there is no weekend differential for scheduled employees. The CMHNO is asking for \$1 per hour in addition to regular wages for weekend work. The nurses union says other hospitals give time and one-half or double time for working weekends.

"Nurses who have worked at the hospital for 20 or more years are making the same as a nurse who has only been there two years," said Mrs. Cleaver.

"After two years, no one is given a raise unless it is negotiated."

There are 39 full and part-time nurses and licensed practical nurses presently working at the hospital.

Three years ago a dispute between the nurses and the hospital ended in a vote to extend the present contract.

"The CMHNO is looking for a reasonable wage and the employer's three year proposal of a six percent the first year and five percent the following two years is substantially below general increase given in the community and area hospitals," said Mrs. Cleaver.

Special Olympics are special indeed



Clinton County's Special Olympics drew 280 children from area schools, May 20. The special events, coordinated by high school volunteers and Special Olympics County Supervisor, Judy Hedlund of DeWitt, were held at the St. Johns High School track.

Jeff Behrens, 8, took fourth place with good effort in the obstacle course. He attends Central Elementary School, St. Johns.

It was a mad dash to the finish line in the 50 yard dash contest supported with enthusiasm by the runners in the top photo.

Nichole Beaufore, St. Johns High School volunteer, makes sure that Chris Knight, 6, gets his prize ribbon after he placed in the softball throw. Chris also goes to Central Elementary.

Photos by David Olds

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The Second Front Page

Gravel pit permit denied by county

By SUE KILEY WHITE

Searles Construction, Inc. was denied a special use permit to allow the extraction of sand and gravel in Essex Township Tuesday by a unanimous vote of the Clinton County Board of Commissioners.

Residents in the area turned out in mass to voice their objections to the proposed project stating that Searles drivers were not considerate of area residents, the dust factor would greatly increase on the dirt road and they feared for the safety of life and property.

"We have 70 signatures of people who don't want this," said farmer Al Anderson. "We consider it a nuisance. The people who are in favor of this project, don't have to live in the community."

Continuing he said, "What's left when they are done is just a big hole in the ground. You sure can't use it for agriculture."

Two existing gravel pits are located in the vicinity of the proposed extraction operation. One pit is located immediately west of the subject parcel and the second pit is approximately one-fourth of a mile east, north of Paxton Road.

According to a report from the department of developmental control, the proposed sand and gravel extraction operation will impact the roadways more than any other public facility. Without mitigating measures, the extraction operation will likely result in the upheaval of dust by trucks, an accelerated deterioration of roads and a potential nuisance of motorists, landowners and other individuals who come in contact with the gravel trucks, the zoning report indicated. It was further noted that measures, namely periodic grading, chloriding and considerate driving

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Professional beekeeper, Joe Cepko of St. Johns captured a swarm of bees Friday from the tree in front of the Mark Roberts store, downtown.

Bees swam when an old queen chooses to leave the hive rather than risk attack from a new and younger queen. Downtown shoppers were interested in the sight, but Cepko said, "It's nothing new for us."



County building codes, ordinances abused

By SUE KILEY WHITE

Chronic abuses of building codes and ordinance are on a steady increase in Clinton County according to Jack Nelson, zoning administrator and Richard Koenigsknecht, assistant prosecuting attorney.

"We have been issuing a lot of lawsuits lately," said Koenigsknecht. "And the problem is getting worse, not better."

The attorney mentioned it is hard to say just how many cases they have at the present time, because there are many cases that date back several years. Normally, the case load is between six and twelve a year.

The major concern in Clinton County at the present time is the amount of junk cars and litter and rubbish. Building code violations are normally corrected

although some people alter and change a use group without contacting the office of Developmental Control.

"Structure violations are corrected, because before a person can use the structure it has to be inspected, or else they won't get an occupancy permit," indicated Nelson. "It's quite common for people to put up structures without a building permit."

Nelson cited two incidents where people added major structures to their homes with no building permit.

One of the things that has Nelson and Koenigsknecht concerned is these lawsuits are taking a lot of time to process, wasting the taxpayers money and exerting a lot of effort on the part of staff.

Nelson blames the changing of structure uses on Michigan's sagging economy.

"People need extra money right now and so they are

using structures for uses they weren't designed or zoned for," he said. "You can't convert a storage shed into a business if it wasn't zoned for it."

Neighbors complaints alert the zoning department to violations about 50 percent of the time, says Nelson. The other violations are discovered by field workers.

"The townships keep a pretty good eye on what is going on in their area too," said Koenigsknecht.

Clinton County is a little unique with respect to its zoning ordinance because it is countywide. The zoning ordinance addresses all areas except DeWitt Township, DeWitt City and St. Johns who have their own zoning ordinances.

"Basically, contractors are dealing with one basic ordinance," said Nelson.

Obtaining a building permit is a fairly simple procedure. For a single family residence structure, the applicant must go to the zoning department with a permit from Mid-Michigan Health Department (with the results of a perk test), a culvert permit (from the Clinton County Road Commission), and the legal property description.

If these items are brought in before 9 a.m. the secretary will type up the permit and will have the site posted that day. If the information is brought in after 9 a.m. the site will normally be posted the following day.

On a commercial type of project the process may take from two to three weeks because state law requires sealed documents be submitted saying the contractor is registered to do work in the state.

"There might be delays with mobile homes though," said Koenigsknecht, "because the zoning laws are new."

During the construction process five inspections will take place. First, there will be the site inspection. Second, the footing inspection, next the backfill inspection followed by the rough carpentry inspection. Lastly, is the final inspection and the certificate of occupancy.

"If the inspections aren't done people can't get into the building," said Nelson. "It is up to the property owner to make sure the contractor is doing his job."

Building fees are based on the square footage of the structure. The fee schedule was adopted by the Clinton County Board of Commissioners. The general cost for a building permit on a medium priced house according to Nelson is between \$100 and \$125.

Nelson cited a recent case in Watertown Township where the caretaker of a house had 14 junk cars in the yard along with a lot of trash and litter. The first step toward correcting the problem was trying to get the man to voluntarily clean up the mess. The request was

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There's a new "Malus Ruth Ann" crab apple tree in the yard at the County Service Building, Elm Street, St. Johns, presented to the county by the Extension Homemakers Club. The occasion marked National Homemakers Week, earlier this month. At the tree planting were l to r, Janice Todosciuk; George McQueen, County Extension

Director; County Commissioner Richard Hawks (with shovel); Commissioner Robert Wood (far right) along with Alice Hicks, council member of the Michigan Extension Homemakers; Patsy Eldridge; Ruth Mehney, chairman of the local extension and Dorothy Cressman.

Smoking linked to heart disease, cancer death

(Editor's note: This is the fifth in a series of 12 articles dealing with monthly topics being discussed at public meetings by staff members of the Clinton County Substance Abuse Center. If you would like a speaker on this topic, contact the center.)

By SHARON RANDALL

If Americans could be convinced to stop smoking, as many as two-thirds of the yearly deaths in the United States would be prevented, according to Linda Hall of the Clinton County Substance Abuse Center.

"You could prevent two-thirds of the yearly deaths if you could get people to stop smoking," she said. It's the major cause of heart disease, lung cancer, emphysema and chronic bronchitis. Heart disease and cancer both out rank accidents as the top two killers in the United States.

Not only does smoking hurt the smoker, but studies show that second hand smoke does harm to those people around the smoker, Ms. Hall said.

"Sidestream smoke does not have the advantage of being filtered," she reminded, "and there is a much greater level of toxic chemicals."

Statistics show that even if a person doesn't smoke, the risks are greatly increased if he is raised by parents who smoke and has a spouse that smokes, she said.

The damage statistics on smoking are gruesome. Smokers have from 50 to 100 percent more chance of a heart attack than non-smokers. Nicotine causes the capillaries to constrict, causing thickening of artery walls, increased blood pressure and hormone changes that can lead to blood clots. Over one million people die from heart and blood vessel diseases every year.

Lung cancer occurs most often in persons over 50 years of age who have smoked for many years. Cancer of the lip, mouth, larynx and esophagus are also linked

with smoking. Early symptoms may be breathlessness, chronic cough, wheezing, chest pains and coughing up blood.

Emphysema is a lung disease in which the walls of the tiny air sacs in the lungs become torn and the lungs capacity to exchange oxygen and carbon dioxide is greatly reduced. Emphysema is not curable but it can be treated. Chronic Bronchitis is almost always associated with heavy smoking. The disease is the inflammation of the lining of the bronchial tubes and is similar to a chest cold, hanging on for months. Often it is ignored until serious damage has been done to the lungs. As many as six and a half million people have chronic bronchitis, Ms. Hall said. She calls this disease one of the most costliest in the terms of money, manpower and misery.

The answer to all this, of course, is to stop smoking. "There's a whole lot of ways to do this," Ms. Hall said. Some people can do it alone, some need the support of a group. The Substance Abuse program advocates quitting "cold turkey."

"Quitting cold turkey may be more immediate and intense than cutting down gradually, as far as withdrawal," she said, "but it's a shorter withdrawal period."

The first 48 hours are hard. The smoker is tired, restless, disoriented and sometimes has sleep disturbances and stomach problems. But these feelings taper down and shouldn't last more than a week or a week and a half.

Then the ex-smoker will notice he can breath better. His blood pressure goes down.

By the end of the second week, Ms. Hall said, ex-smokers notice their cheeks are rosy, they look healthier and feel better.

By the end of the third week, they start looking at lifestyle changes. They want to do things because their

energy level is higher.

Is. Hall's statistics show that more than 30 million Americans have successfully quit smoking. Latest studies indicate that after 10 years of not smoking, ex-smokers risk for disease is about the same as a person who has never smoked. The risk for heart attack drops substantially within the first week of non-smoking.

Help's available

A Stop Smoking Clinic has been scheduled for the month of June, sponsored by the Mid-Michigan District Health Department and other area health agencies.

A public information meeting will be held Friday, May 29 at 7:30 p.m. in the conference room at the Clinton County Health Department, 306 Elm Street, St. Johns.

The four week clinic is scheduled to start June 2 and will continue every Monday, Wednesday and Friday evening through the month. Sessions last from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. The clinic is open to all county residents.

This is the fourth stop

smoking clinic to be held in Clinton County according to Linda Hall of the Substance Abuse Center. She said the other three clinics claim a 50 percent success rate.

While all ages of people enroll in the program, the majority have been people who have smoke 20 to 30 years and are starting to notice symptoms of smoking related diseases. "Or they have had friends die of such diseases," she said.

The second most prominent group of stop smoking clinic participants are young people with young families. "And they just want to quit to feel better about themselves," she said.

Senior Citizens start annual fund drive

Seniors at the Clinton County Drop-in Center launched their annual fund raiser this year, aiming for \$20,000 to help with mortgage and renovation payments and to maintain the center for another year.

One year ago, the group of county seniors purchased and renovated a building at 315 N. Clinton Ave., St. Johns. The facility serves as a social center as well as a place for nutrition lunches.

Last year's fund raiser brought in \$24,015 to the group. Expenses include the mortgage, insurance, utilities, Cable TV charges, maintenance and telephone. Last year's major expense was in the \$18,000 renovation pro-

ject.

A plea for donations is being made through a mailing to last year's donors and others will also be solicited, according to Hugh Banninga, president of the board of directors. Donations can also be made at the center.

The seniors are serving public luncheons the last three Mondays of each month. They also are involved in enrichment classes for school children and have a successful "kitchen band" that performs at community events.

Other special activities include arts and crafts, trips, bowling, bingo and card party.

Accidents involve tractor, hang glider, dog

Clinton County residents sustained injuries in a car and tractor collision, a hang glider fall and an accident in which a motorcycle hit a dog, it was reported by the Sheriff's Department this week.

James Graham of 1613 Mead Rd., St. Johns, his

nine-year old son, Kyle Graham and Annetta Luznak of 8611 Grenlund Rd., Bannister were taken to Sparrow Hospital by private vehicles for treatment of injuries after Mrs. Luznak's vehicle ran into a tractor driven by Graham. Both vehicles were west-

bound on French Road when the tractor, pulling a manure spreader, started to make a left turn into private drive at the same time Mrs. Luznak started to pass, said the deputy report. The car struck the left rear tire of the tractor and hit the front end of the manure spreader. Deputies stated that both drivers failed to signal intentions. No citations were

issued.

Robin Dale Cherpes of Main Street, Pewamo was taken to Carson City Hospital by Clinton Area Ambulance after a 100 foot fall with a hano glider, Sunday, May 17. Deputies report that Cherpes had been pulled airborne by an automobile and was starting to come down in a

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Fowler student takes state VICA prize

A Fowler High School junior, Randy Koenigsnecht, will compete in the National Vocational Industrial Clubs of America (VICA) finals in Atlanta, Georgia in June. He won the state position in cabinet making at the regional contest held in St. Johns, May 18.

Randy is the second Fowler student to represent the club at the national contest. Doug Koenigsnecht qualified for the event two years ago in the wood working division.

Randy will compete against 52 other state

award winners in the Atlanta contest, June 15 - 20. Three students will be chosen to attend the International contest.

The cabinet making competition is a precise activity in building which takes place in front of judges and lasts from four to five hours. The state contest took place at St. Johns High School in conjunction with other VICA contests being held at Ferris State University.

Participants are given identical blueprints of a cabinet, a stack of wood and an allotted amount of time to complete the project. A

panel of judges is on hand to deduct points for every one sixteenth of an inch the project is off from the blueprint or if the participant must ask for additional wood because of a bad calculation in cutting. Points are also given for completing the project within the time limit.

Randy has been working with wood since he became a 4-Her at age nine. Today, he and his brother, Jeff, lead a group of youngsters themselves as junior leaders.

Winning is not new to the Fowler student. His wood working project, an oak dresser set, won first place at the Lansing Youth Talent Contest this spring. He also won a 4-H Tel-award which took him to Chicago.

Randy is traveling to the national contest with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Koenigsnecht. Dennis Whitlock, Fowler's industrial arts teacher said the local VICA club are accepting donations to help the family pay for trip expenses.



Entrant Steve Kallats from Westwood Center discusses a point with three St. Johns judges, Denny DeMorest, Bill Ondrusek and Lyle Huntoon in the State Vica Cabinet Making Contest. Regional winners from all over the state came to St. Johns High School to participate in the state finals.



Fowler's Randy Koenigsnecht took first place in the State Cabinet Making contest and will now go on to the National contest in Atlanta, Georgia. Other state winners included St. Johns student, Mark Egres, who placed third. The second place award went to Mike Mulder of the Bay City area.

Employees honored

Clinton Memorial Hospital honored 13 employees at its Annual Service Awards Banquet recently.

A silver watch was presented to Romana Medina honoring her for 25 years of service to the hospital. Awards for 20 years of service were given to Irene Armbrustmacher, Patricia Fink and Mary Kus.

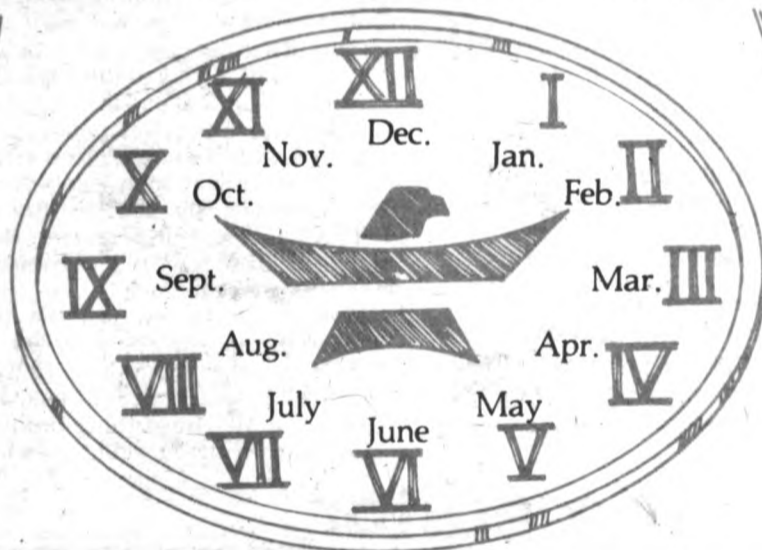
Carol Eckley was honored for 15 years of service. Ten-year service

awards were presented to Doris Jablowski, Sally Lorenz and Daniel Schueller.

Awards for five years of service went to Sylvia Hirschegger, Michelle Wiseman, Carole Mitchell, Bud Kirvan and Tom Wiseman.

Honored guests at the dinner were members of the medical staff, members of the Board of Directors, and Donald G. Isbell and Mary Ellen Buggs, employees with more than 25 years of service.

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Fowler students deserve new shop

That the Industrial Arts Program at Fowler High School is important to the community and its young people is more evident every year. Junior Randy Koenigsnecht recently took the state VICA (Vocational Industrial Clubs of America) award in cabinet making, qualifying himself for the national contest in June.

The school has consistently had winners in Lansing and Clinton County's Youth Talent contests and at the 4-H fair. They have been competitive in the VICA contests at the state and national levels.

Now, the school community is asking the public to support the Industrial Arts program by passing a \$350,000 bond issue to build a shop addition.

The addition is necessary, mainly because of the ever growing student interest in the program. Twelve years ago only 65 students were enrolled in the shop program while today as many as 170 use the shop in one day. In one class, 32 students share 12 work stations. The lack of storage space is as much of a problem.

Teacher Dennis Whitlock also expresses concern over the present ventilating system that allows a high level of smoke and dust into the air.

Whitlock and High School Principal Jim Andros, also fear Fowler may lose slots in the Intermediate School District's Shared-Time program which is in jeopardy as participating districts face budget difficulties.

The new shop would allow Whitlock to expand his program to include electronics, mechanics, welding and metals, as well as increase the woods and drafting programs. Other possibilities include a home maintenance course, agriculture and adult education classes.

Fowler's winners deserve the opportunity the new shop addition can bring and we urge its voters to say yes to the bond issue along with positive votes for the renewal and extra for operating.

The most imposing part of this millage election is that the district's debt retirement will be lowered at such a significant rate this year that voters will realize a savings in the total mills levied even if they pass all three ballot proposals.

It is also significant to point out that school officials will be cutting \$65,000 from the school's budget, even if the renewal and the 1.8 mills increase are passed.

Fowler schools deserve an affirmative vote, June 8.

Viewpoint

Mrs. White says 'thank you,' too!

Kids have a way of making the "older" generation face reality the hard way. Take it from someone who knows.

Recently, I had the opportunity to talk to a group of elementary age children about the Upper Peninsula. The kids at St. Joseph Catholic School made me wake up and realize my true station in life.

For as long as I can remember I have always gone by Sue or Kiley. I detested being called Miss Kiley and Ms. Kiley was close behind. Since I have been married it has been easier for everyone concerned to simply call me Sue rather than Mrs. or Ms. Kiley White.

However, the children at this school have been taught their manners well, because to them I was known only as Mrs. White.

This was really the first time I had ever been called Mrs. White by anyone. The name was almost foreign to my ears.

I forgot about it though until the following week when I found two neat bundles sitting on my desk. They were addressed to "Mrs. White."

Inside were approximately 80 individual thank-you notes from third and fourth graders at the school. Each one individually addressed to "Mrs. White."

The only one who happened to manage a tiny Sue squeezed in between the Mrs. and White was Angela Marie Wisinski. She just happened to be a friend of the family.

The children showed quite a bit of ingenuity in designing their notes of appreciation. For instance, Jennie Hoffman took the time to design a fold out bunny rabbit as part of her thank-you. Chris Schafer happened to be a University of Michigan fan paying special tribute to the maze and blue. Too bad the U of M isn't in the UP.

Mike and Dale Feldpausch weren't going to be satisfied with a simple piece of paper folded in half. They found a way to uniquely fold their thank-yous so they stood out above the rest, literally.

T. J. Martin, fourth grader, wrote, "Thank you for telling us about the UP. I've been there lots of times, but I never knew that much."

Well, T. J. to tell you the truth I didn't either. Especially since my only visual aid consisted of the a film strip dated somewhere in the late 1950's. I was a mere child at the time and you most likely weren't even thought of yet. Good thing the film strip included the Mackinaw Bridge, I would have had a hard making the

whole talk seem real without the Big Mac.

These sweet children also sent me more tulips and roses via their thank you messages than I'll get in a lifetime from my husband. I had never seen so many flowers in one little space.

Dani Eiseler, was the only one who attempted to draw the speaker of the day. At least she drew me with a smile on my face.

Theresa Nichols, decided to add a little color to her card by using alternating colors for each letter in each word.

Children in Ms. Marten's class found that work was made a lot easier using the cooperative effort approach, one card-eight signatures, or one card-15 signatures.

These children were also very impressed with the ghost towns of the Upper Peninsula. To a lot of them, that was the best part. They sent me ghost chairs, waterfalls, general stores and saloons, and variations of the lower and upper peninsulas.

Matt Wilcox, a fourth grader, said the film brought back "good memories" especially about the Tahquamenon Falls. Kurt Stump said he planned on visiting a ghost town in the future. Julie Voisin listed what she considered the most important towns in the UP, of which Munising, (my hometown) was among. (That's a good way to make friends, Julie.)

Thank-you for all the nice cards fourth and fifth graders. Now my next assignment is learning how to be called Mrs. White, and accepting it gracefully.

"Does this mean gray hair is next?"



By Sue
Kiley White

Letters to the editor

St. Johns Board of Education did pursue wage freeze idea

To the editor:

I wish to take this opportunity to respond to your article in last week's paper entitled "Bus drivers make wage freeze offer."

The St. Johns School's bus drivers proposed a wage freeze for all school employees in their negotiations with school administrators in February. At the regular school board meeting on May 13, 1981 Bruce Irish, bus driver spokesman, did question why the wage freeze offer was not brought to the St. Johns Board of Education before we set our millage propositions.

The fact of the matter is the school board did pursue this wage freeze offer before the proposed 1981-82 budget was set and millage issues were decided. Furthermore, the St. Johns school's central administration did ask some employee groups if they would agree to this freeze. The St. Johns Education Association representatives, on behalf of the teachers, told both board members and administrators they would not re-open their contract unless it was to their benefit. They rejected the wage freeze idea.

To specifically provide you the details of the board's Audit and Finance Committee meeting on April 20, 1981 will substantiate the school board's pursuit of this offer for all employees. Board Members Leonard Puetz, Lee Ormston, and myself comprise the Audit and Finance Committee. We invited two representatives from each of the school employee groups to this meeting. Teachers, bus drivers, janitors, aides, administrators, cafeteria workers, and secretaries were present.

I indicated the school board had received an excellent

report by the Citizens Finance Committee and we desired the employee's input and suggestions before we set our proposed budget and millage. The issue of the wage freeze was brought up which bus driver representatives, Mel Gibson and Karen Holiday, confirmed was still a firm offer. Teacher representatives, Ted Slicer and Mike Genoski, stated it was not acceptable. Mr. Slicer indicated their Ingham County Education Association had instructed them not to re-open their two-year contract, which provides a 9 percent across-the-board increase in salaries, unless it was to their benefit. I asked if re-opening the contract to save teacher's jobs would not be a benefit. Mr. Slicer indicated it would not be and they were prepared to lose 35 teachers. Other discussion followed with other employees, but the fact is that the St. Johns school board did pursue this wage freeze offer before the millage was set.

A report on the April 20, meeting was sent to the board in correspondence dated April 23, 1981 along with with our committee's proposed 1981-82 budget and millage recommendations.

I would hope if the bus drivers sincerely are thinking about every student and every taxpayer they will pursue a wage freeze themselves as it would set an important precedent and clearly they can negotiate only for themselves. I appreciate this opportunity to set the record straight on this matter.

Bob Craig
Chairman, Audit and Finance Committee, St. Johns School Board

Appreciation expressed

To the editor:

The Fowler Vocational Club (VICA) would like to thank St. Johns High School for hosting the state cabinet making contest on May 18. We would also like to express our appreciation to the judges for their hard work and to Jim Cleaver, coordinator for the competition. The contest was conducted very well and provided a challenge for all competitors.

Dennis Whitlock
Advisor

School millage voters carry "burden of responsibility"

To the editor:

As residents of the State of Michigan we have been given the privilege and responsibility of determining how much money our school districts can operate on. Not all states give their residents that opportunity. In a number of states the operating millage can be set by the school board and that amount is then levied.

It is important we keep this privilege; but it is equally important we exercise our authority with intelligent judgement. Any right carries with it the burden of certain responsibilities. Our responsibility is two-fold: (1)

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Personality Profile

Jane Means, Bath teacher leads a double life

By SHARON RANDALL

There are only so many hours in a week. There are only so many hours in a day. In that amount of time most people manage a job or career with a nice balance of family and friends and leisure activities.

Not Jane Means, somehow she packs so much into her hours that she manages to do twice as much, actually leading a double life.

A full-time teacher at Bath High School, she is also a full-time student at Cooley Law School. On top of those two jobs, she's a mother of four children, including an active three year old.

Jane's friends admire her fortitude and her amazing ability to keep the many facets of her busy life humming smoothly along. She does all things well. A history and government teacher, her subject is forever changing, but she manages to keep up on everything by watching the 11 o'clock news every night. She uses "News Week" and the Sunday "New York Times" to put the happenings of each week in perspective.

For her full-time law studies, she keeps a steady and constant reading and study schedule going, fitting it into the hours between teaching and family responsibilities and catching up on weekends. Jane is not only proud of herself, but of other Cooley night school students who also manage a full-time job. "We are certainly in the minority," she said, "but we're at the top, getting some of the best grades."

It couldn't be done, Jane said, without help. And it couldn't be done without everyone in the family giving up a little. "It's a family sacrifice," she explained. "Something like this can't be just a personal goal, it has to be something all of you want."

In order for Jane to maintain her teaching job and be a full-time law student, her husband, Ronald, has taken over the major parenting responsibilities for 10-year-old Sara and three-year-old Alex. While the couple has always shared family jobs, Jane explained that her husband has taken over the "psychological" responsibility of their two younger children, freeing her of everyday concerns. Not only does he have major responsibility of feeding and dressing them and keeping the refrigerator full, he has, said Jane, taken over the mental and emotional aspect of their care. "A big part of the decision when I started this," she said, "was when he would be able to take up that amount of time."

Even as a full-time teacher, Jane has had to depend upon babysitters for her

children. "We have had absolutely fantastic babysitters," she said. "We've been comfortable with their values and it's managed to stay a very stable situation," she said. "If you don't have that (child care) under control, then you can't handle a schedule like this."

The rest of her family, the couple's two older children and Jane's parents, have had to make adjustments to her schedule, also. "I feel they are making sacrifices," she explained. Her married daughter has to arrange visits home from New Jersey around her mother's school term. Son, Jonathan, who still lives at home, is getting married in September and the wedding was planned around "Mom's exams."

Jane said she has had less time to spend visiting with her parents. "That's the thing I'm sad about the most," she said.

What else does one cut to fit another full-time schedule into their life? "I don't watch any television, anymore," Jane said, "and I used to enjoyed it. I enjoyed keeping my house clean and using my interior decorating skills. Now, I just settle for clean and towards Friday, that slips a little," she reflected.

"We fit our social life in on Friday nights after class," she said, "and we don't do as much entertaining as we used to."

A marvel of it all is finding out how much you really can do. "I've learned to live with less sleep," Jane said. "I'm healthier than I thought I was. I get headaches sometime, but they're never anything that I can't keep going with."

Jane is in her second year of the three-year Cooley program. "I realized that it would take time, and I was prepared for that," she said, "but I wasn't prepared for how consuming it is." She sits for four to five hours a day, either in study or in class and "a good chunk of time" is used both weekend days for preparation. She feels fortunate that she enjoys reading and that she is able to make efficient use of her time. "I'm used to studying hard," she said. She did most of her work towards her bachelor and master's degrees after she had her two older children.

Jane said she had wanted to attend law school for a long time. She was a debater in high school and college and her government classes as well as a one-year stint as assistant principal, put her into contact with the operations of the law.

At Bath High School she teaches a unit on "teenagers and the law" and developed herself, most of the materials she uses. Her experience last year as assistant principal in charge of attendance and discipline, (the position was



Jane Means

cut for budgetary reasons) gave her contact with law officials and probate court.

"I really started at Cooley, just for the experience," she said, "but now that I'm into it, I'd like to use it when I'm finished." She is interested in educational law and is taking classes that aim towards that specialty. "I think that schools, especially very large high schools, are looking for administrators with a legal background," she said. "They need people to work with negotiations and be there as a resource in avoiding problems that may develop."

With only a few more weeks of teaching left this year, Jane and her family are

looking forward to being on a "normal" busy schedule. "I'll only be doing one job instead of two," she laughed. While studies at Cooley go all year around, the relief from her teaching schedule will allow her more time with her children. Sara wants to pup in a garden and Jane is going to spend some time hunting for antiques and refinishing furniture.

She also has an opportunity to work part-time in Bill Youatt's law office in Haslett.

"Sometimes you don't realize how tired you are until you have a chance to slow down. I'm looking forward to summer," Jane said.

Looking ahead

THE FOXY TROTTERS Open Horse Show, June 13, six miles east of St. Johns on M-21, turn on Shepardsville, two miles north of Kinley, turn left, one mile west on Kinley. Registration at 8 a.m. Show at 9 a.m. For more information, call Stan Jablowski 517-834-5673.

GENEALOGISTS TO MEET-The Genealogists of the Clinton County Historical Society will meet, Monday, June 1 at the Riley Lutheran Parish Hall at 6 p.m. for a potluck supper. A program on church records will follow at 7 p.m.

PEWAMO-WESTPHALIA COMMUNITY PLAYERS will have tryouts for the musical, "The Sound of Music," from 7-9 p.m., Friday, June 5, and from 1-4 p.m., Saturday, June 6, Pewamo Elementary School gym. For more information, call Kay 593-2265.

LANSING COMMUNITY COLLEGE Department of Performing and Creative Arts will present a choral concert at 8 p.m., Friday, June 5, at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 218 W. Ottawa, Lansing. General admission is \$3 at the door. For more information, call the Music Program at 373-7414.

PUBLIC LUNCHESES-The Clinton County Senior

Drop-in Center has started to serve public noon lunches again on every Monday except the first Monday of the month. Proceeds go towards operation of the center.

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY-Friends of the DeWitt Public Library will meet Thursday, May 28 at 7:30 p.m. at the Memorial Building.

POT LUCK DINNER at noon, Monday, June 1, at the Senior Drop in Center, St. Johns. Bring dish to pass and table service. Euchre Club meets at 7:30 p.m., Monday, June 1, at Senior Center.

PRAIRIE 4-H general meeting at 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, June 2, at East Essex School. Pick up fair books and raffle tickets.

GENEALOGISTS OF THE CLINTON COUNTY Historical Society will meet at 6 p.m., Monday, June 1, at St. Peters Lutheran Church on Church Road in Riley Township for a pot-luck supper. Visits to cemeteries for stone rubbings also planned.

GARDENING-Do you want to grow your own vegetables this summer? Now is the time to start gardening! Capital Area Community Services of St. Johns has community garden plots that are plowed, disked, and ready to garden in St. Johns. Plots are 25' x 25', and cost \$2.00. Call as soon as possible, at

224-6702 for more information or to reserve your garden.

LAMAZE-Lamaze preparation for childbirth classes sponsored by the Association of Shared Childbirth begin June 1. Classes meet for eight weeks for \$30. Register by calling 372-9816.

PEWAMO-WESTPHALIA COMMUNITY PLAYERS 5,000-meter run registration at noon, Sunday, June 7, at the Pewamo Elementary Gym. Race begins at 1 p.m. For more information, all Jerry at 593-3283.

CANNING CLASSES-You can still sign up for the Extension Services' Master Canner program which trains volunteers to spread safe methods of preserving summers' bounty. The series includes six, three hour classes. Call 224-3288 by June 1 to register.

MARSP will meet at noon, Monday, June 1, at the Congregational Church, St. Johns, for a pot luck lunch.

ST. GERARD CHURCH, 4437 W. Willow Highway, Lansing, will celebrate the Liturgy with an interpreter for the hearing impaired at 9:30 a.m., Sunday, May 31. This type of interpreted mass will be celebrated the last Sunday of each month.

GUEST SPEAKER Dick Allen at 12:30 p.m., Wednesday, June 10, at the Senior Center, St. Johns.

★ Building codes, ordinances being abused

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 ignored according to Nelson.

A lawsuit was initiated last year and the man was served with legal papers. He didn't answer the complaint, so he was given 30 to 60 days to answer. In the meantime the prosecutor applied for a "default judgment" (To have him remove the trash and never do it again). This was also ignored by the caretaker and he was given another 30 to 60 days to get the situation corrected.

A show cause was ordered and the court offered the man an extra opportunity to clean the property or he would go to jail. A bench warrant was finally issued and the man was placed in jail for one day. The judge gave him 10 days to clean the yard up or he would be placed in jail again.

"Due process takes a lot of time and money," said Nelson.

Previously the zoning department sought criminal prosecution for those who violated ordinances and codes. This meant a conviction and a fine. According to Koenigsnecht the better remedy is to have the junk removed and an injunction placed on the person never to let it happen again.

"We just want people to comply with the codes and ordinances," said Koenigsnecht. "There are a lot of things a person can do to seek a variance if there is good reason."

An option open to a property owner is to appear before the Zoning Board of Appeals if he thinks there is a problem or he is not being dealt with fairly. Between 45 and 50 cases are heard per year.

"We want people to call us if they see violations," said Nelson. "But they can't expect instant results. If there is a problem we'll do what we can to correct it."

★ Sheriff's dept

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spiral when the wing of the craft broke. The accident happened at Kinley and Clintonia Roads.

Jeff Lee Calkins of 9200 Cutler Rd., Eagle was injured on Wacousta Road, Friday, May 22 when a dog ran into the path of his motorcycle.

Deputies reported that Calkins tried

to miss the dog when it ran into his path but lost control and the motorcycle rolled over. He was taken to the hospital by the dog's owner Paul Camberlain, Jr. The dog was fatally wounded.



She's Number 1

Social Services' "Number One" volunteer of the year was Geri Patow who has put in more than 2,100 hours of volunteer work this year. Geri and other Social Service volunteers were honored recently at a dinner meeting.

Other top contributors were Elsie Brown, 300 hours; Myrtle Parker, 336 hours; Marilee Hall, 218 hours and Hazle Keyes, 612 hours. Volunteers help in the Parent Aide program, the clothing room, as clerical assistants, on home repair projects, and with socialization and outreach programs.

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Some commissioners objected to the language of the ordinance for the special use permit with regards to "related sales" which would be allowed to Westmac if the permit were issued.

"We were lead to believe this business was only going to deal with grain," said Harold Martin, commissioner.

Williams, answered his company will deal strictly with grain and nothing else. "In Newago where we have another elevator business, we only deal in grain, and we want this one to be the same," he said.

Jack Nelson, zoning administrator, noted that the ordinance could not be altered unless it was changed permanently.

"We are in support of this project," said David Morris, Eagle Township. "It will be good for the township and the community." He added, "There is an economic advantage and we should encourage agriculture and business within the county we live in."

Steve Clark, an Eagle Township farmer noted he hauls his grain to Ohio.

"Other elevators could have expanded at one time," he said. "This is a competitive business and the smaller operators just can't give me the price."

Commissioner Glenn Webster indicated several county co-op owners had contacted him about the project.

"The general feeling is, the co-ops don't have any objection to the building of another grain elevator. They just feel EDC financing is unfair."

A Fowler operator noted one of the main goals of EDC funding is to create employment.

"This financing might help them with employment, but it's going to take away from my business and that means I'll have to layoff at least one person."

Commissioners approved the special use permit by a nine to two vote. Commissioners Martin and Walter (Bud) Nobis cast the dissenting votes.

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Family grocery business celebrates 100 years

The Anderson family, owners of Andy's IGA store in St. Johns, is celebrating 100 years in the grocery business this month.

The family's involvement in grocery stores dates back to 1881 when Margaret Anderson Jopke's grandfather, Jacob Nienaber started a food market in New Orleans, Louisiana. Behind his corner store he featured grain and hay for carriage horses and block ice. In 1915, Margaret's father, Rudy, took over the

business.

Margaret married Dorr Anderson in 1929 in Eaton Rapids. He and his brother, Warren, also had roots in the grocery business in their mother's store, L.S. Anderson and Sons.

Dorr and Margaret continued in the grocery store business throughout their marriage. Eventually they moved to St. Johns and bought their first store in 1936 from Mrs. Glenora Burk. It was located in the

middle of the second block, downtown. Mrs. Jopke remembers that they managed to "live without a car and on \$35 a week."

In 1942, Anderson purchased Smith Food Market and named it "The Shopping Basket" establishing the first self-serve grocery store in the area.

In 1947, he built a fruit market on US-27 and later enlarged it to house the present Andy's IGA. He and Margaret raised their children in the store and today Kay and Rick remain with the family business. Kay's husband, Jerry Tiedt, is its principal operator along with a business in Ithaca that Anderson opened in 1959.

Dorr Anderson died in 1969 and Margaret operated the two stores with the help of her children and son-in-law.

In 1979, Jerry and Kay entered the partnership at the local store.

Margaret married Paul Jopke in 1971 and resides on South Oakland St.



This store window won Andy Anderson a prize in a grocery store contest when sirloin steak, tender and juicy, went for 21 cents a pound. The family owned IGA store is celebrating 100 years in the grocery business this month.

★ Permit denied

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practices would help eliminate or reduce potential conflicts and nuisances.

"I was nearly run off the road by one of Searles' trucks," claimed Jim Cleaver, Paxton Road resident. "How can you enforce all these restrictions you have suggested such as chloriding and considerate driving?"

He added, "The roads aren't going to be chlorided. Fifteen people from the road commission have been laid off. They don't have the time or money to do it regardless of what a peice of paper says."

In previous action both the department of developmental control recommended the approval of the request as did the Clinton County Planning Commission. The planning commission vote was five to three in favor of the project.

"We know how Searles' people drive," said Jack Anderson, another local farmer. "We know because they have taken loads out of the existing pits in the area. If you're on the road you'd better get off and get your kids back."

Another woman in the audience added, "It's going to take the life of a child before something is done."

Bill Searles, part owner of Searles Construction, Inc. noted that Kinley Road (where another pit is located that his crews are working on) has been chlorided.

"It is our full intent to have Paxton Road chlorided too," he said.

In other zoning action the issuance of a special use permit to allow the construction of an indoor kennel for the raising and selling of Highland Terriers by R. D. and Amelia Musser, 13855 Peacock Rd., Laingsburg was okayed by the board.

Aylsworth recognized

John R. Aylsworth, St. Johns, was recognized for his 25 years of service to the 4-H program during Spring Extension Conference at Michigan State University earlier this month.

Aylsworth, State 4-H —



John Aylsworth

Youth program leader, received the award from the Michigan Association of 4-H — Youth Staff.

He began his career in youth work in 1956 as a county Extension agent in Sandusky, Ohio. In 1966, he became a 4-H — Youth agent for Clinton, Gratiot and Shiawassee counties, a position he held until becoming a state 4-H program leader in 1977.

He earned both bachelor's and master's degrees from Ohio State University and has received a number of awards including distinguished service awards from both the Michigan and national 4-H agents associations. In 1972, he received the St. Johns Distinguished Citizen Award.

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Engagements announced



Tracy Low and Oscar Salinas
Low-Salinas

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Low of St. Johns announce the engagement of their daughter, Tracy Ann, to Oscar Salinas. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Salinas of St. Johns. A July 18, 1981 wedding is planned.

Cockrum-Tenlen

John and Elma Cockrum, 2457 N. U.S.-27, St. Johns, announce the engagement of their daughter, Julie Ann, to Karl Douglass Tenlen. He is the son of Tom and Toni Tenlen, 12896 Peacock Road, Laingsburg.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of St. Johns High School and is employed as a data processor by Parts Warehouse.

The groom-elect graduated from Bath High School and is employed as a skilled tradesman by Oldsmobile.

An Aug. 29, 1981 wedding is planned.



Deb Thelen and Mike Braun

Thelen-Braun

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Thelen of Fowler, announce the engagement of their daughter, Deb, to Mike Braun. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Braun of Fowler.

The bride-to-be is a 1977 graduate of Fowler High School and is employed by the state of Michigan.

The groom-elect also graduated from Fowler High School in 1977. He is employed by Oldsmobile.

A July 18, 1981 wedding is planned.

Fleming-Poxson

Terrence and Myra Lois Fleming, 600 E. Oak St., St. Johns, announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Ann, to Michael Keith Poxson. He is the son of Sherril Ann Poxson of Nobleton, Fla.

The bride-to-be is a 1981 graduate of St. Johns High School.

The groom-elect is a 1975 graduate of Northland High School and attended Ohio State University. He is employed by Chrysler Proving Grounds and the Chelsea Police Department.

A June 13, 1981 wedding is planned.

Thelen-Pratl

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Thelen of Fowler announce the engagement of their daughter, Terese, to James Pratl. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pratl of St. Johns.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Pewamo-Westphalia High School

and is employed by Auto-Owners Insurance.

The groom-elect is a St. Johns High School graduate and is employed by A and E Printers and Mailers.

A June 20, 1981 wedding is planned.



Suzie VanElls and Robert Schafer

VanElls-Schafer

Mr. and Mrs. Richard VanElls of St. Johns, announce the engagement of their daughter, Suzie, to Robert Schafer. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Schafer of Pewamo.

The bride-to-be is employed by Sigourney's Hair Styling. The groom-elect is employed by Quality Home Builders.

A September, 1981 wedding is planned.



April White and Lyle Ranshaw

White-Ranshaw

Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt White of Lansing, announce the engagement of their daughter, April, to Lyle Ranshaw. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Ranshaw, 4387 S. Krepps, St. Johns.

The bride-to-be is a

graduate of Mason High School. The groom-elect graduated from Sexton High School and is employed by Story Oldsmobile.

A July 11, 1981 wedding is planned.



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Kimberly Droste, William Klein speak vows in St. Mary's church

Kimberly Droste and William Klein were married in a double ring ceremony by the Rev. James Schmitt at St. Mary's Church in Westphalia on Saturday afternoon, May 16, 1981.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Droste, 118 Walnut St., Westphalia. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Klein of Stony Creek Road, Pewamo. Both the bride and groom are graduates of Pewamo-Westphalia High School. The groom graduated in 1976, the bride in 1977.

Music during the service was sung by Pam and Sue Schaefer and played by Sue Feldpausch.

The bride wore a white gown of nylon over tafetta with a high neckline trimmed in clung lace with a yoke front bodice and seed pearl design on the lace. The dress featured straight lace sleeves with pearls, an empire waistline with a pleated A-line skirt and a wide clung lace ruffle at the bottom leading into a cathedral length train. She

wore a floor length veil with stand-up crown accented with lace and pearls to match her gown.

The bride's bouquet was of blue and white cushion mums and white sweetheart roses with baby's breath and a touch of yellow statis.

Sandy Droste of Westphalia served as maid of honor. Bridemaids were LeAnn Klein and Judy Stump of Pewamo, Maureen Spitzley of Fowler and Lynn Wieber and Ruth Wirth of Westphalia. They wore dresses of white nylon over tafetta with light blue flowers and carried white fireside baskets with blue lilies, daisies, forget-me-nots, roses, and white carnations of silk. Their headresses were a single blue silk rose with baby's breath.

The mother of the bride wore a long yellow dress with a matching cape accented with pearls and a corsage of a white mum with yellow statis. The groom's mother wore a long pink gown with accordeon pleats and a corsage

Iris society holds contest

Celebrate spring at mid-Michigan's first flower show of the season as the Tri-County Iris Society presents its 16th annual show, "Iris, The Belle Of Spring," on Saturday, June 6, and Sunday, June 7, at the Frandor Shopping Center in Lansing. Show hours are from 2-8 p.m., on Saturday, and noon-5 p.m., on Sunday.

All area residents who grow iris are invited to exhibit their flowers. There is no charge for admittance or exhibiting. The main requirements are that the iris be grown by the exhibitor and be labeled with the correct name. Judges

rate individual iris according to color, size, condition of flowers, number of open blossoms, placement of buds and branches, and cultural perfection.

In addition to horticultural specimens, artistic arrangements are scheduled. There is also a youth division for young people under the age of 18 who grow iris. Exhibition entries close at 11 a.m., Saturday, June 6.

For more information, call Carol Lewis, show chairman, at 663-3754 or Glada Quinn at 351-9187. The Tri-County Iris Society is affiliated with the American Iris Society.

Schaefer's to celebrate 50th

The grandchildren of Anthony and Martha Schaefer will hold an open house for relatives, neighbors, and friends in celebration of

their grandparents 50th wedding anniversary from 2-5 p.m., Sunday, May 31, at St. Mary's Hall, Westphalia.

of a white mum with pink statis.

Larry Klein of Center Ossipee, N.H., served as best man. Groomsmen were Glen Klein of Grand Ledge, and Todd Droste, Rick Droste, Gary Smith and Randy Thelen of Westphalia.

The reception was held at St. Mary's Hall. Special guests were the bride's grandparents, Mrs. Elizabeth Droste and Mr. and Mrs. John Thelen, the groom's grandfather, Mr.

Tony Theis and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Iark Klein.

Ginny Weber, Cheryl Thelen and Teri Heiden served the bridal table, while Donna Simon, Joni Halfman, Ann Pung, Mary Piggott, Jodi Feldpausch and Darlene Thelen served the cake.

The couple will travel around Lake Erie with special stops at Niagra Falls and Toronto before returning to their home in Pewamo.

Musicale season end

The St. Johns Morning Musicale joined with the Historical Society to entertain at the annual Magnolia Tea at the historical museum on Wednesday, May 6, as part of their observance of National Music Week.

Mrs. Lloyd Campbell and Mrs. Earl Haas were chairmen of the tea. Mrs. Winchell Brown, Mrs. John Caudy, Mrs. Keith Laidler, Mrs. Eldon LeBlond, Mrs. Margaret Paige, and Mrs. Richard Jacoby served as hostesses. Music played on the antique reed organ was provided by Mrs. H.A. Peterson, Mrs. Fred Lewis, and Mrs. Kenneth Johnson.

Members and guests of the Morning Musicale met at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Jones on Thursday, May 7, for the closing

meeting of the year. After a brief business meeting conducted by outgoing president Mrs. Jacoby, Mrs. H. Manning Bross discussed the plans and program for next season. The opening meeting of the year will be Sept. 24. St. Johns will host the South Central District Convention on Oct. 15.

Mrs. Dennis Pilmore expressed the club's appreciation to Mrs. Jacoby for her fine leadership and presented her with a gift as token of thanks. Mrs. Paige conducted the installation of officers for the new club year: President, Mrs. Pilmore; Vice-President, Mrs. Laidler; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Julia Thornton; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Robert Coval; and treasurer, Mrs. Campbell.

VFW contest winners named

St. Johns winners in the VFW and VFW Auxiliary "Voice of Democracy" contest were announced recently in a special ceremony at the 36th annual Past Commanders and Past Presidents banquet.

Student essays followed the theme, "My commitment to my country." Kris Tetens took first place and was awarded a \$75 savings bond and a trophy. Brent Simon placed second for a \$25 award and Karla Rademacher received \$15 for third.

Collen McCarthy was the top junior high winner and received a \$25 bond and a bracelet. Alice Puetz placed second and Saad Tarek, third.

Presenting the awards were Rose Randolph and Roger Dershem. Judges were Judge Randy Tahvonon, Dr. Clifford Lambert, Robert LaBrie and Bernard Feldpausch.

Dinner held for retired teacher

The Rodney B. Wilson Junior High School English Department entertained in honor of Mrs. Christine Brown at a dinner at Jim's Tiffany Restaurant in Lansing, recently.

Mrs. Brown retired from her teaching position in the English Department on Mar. 20, ending a career of 16 years in the St. Johns school system. She taught English at Maple Rapids High School for four years and taught five years in the Sherwood School in Greenbush Township before teaching at Rodney B. Wilson Junior High School.

A special feature of her teaching was the eighth grade Honors English Class. This year, the class wrote and produced an original play based the book, "Tom Sawyer," by Mark Twain. 34 students were involved and the play was performed twice



Cristine Brown

before the entire student body.

Attending the dinner for Mrs. Brown were Mr. and Mrs. James Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. James Durner, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Chase, Mrs. Barbara Haske, Mrs. Sue Army, Mrs. Mary Huneke, and Mr. John Brown.

Guitarist debuts at Carnegie Hall

Francis Perry, a classical guitarist and lutenist who is married to a former Fowler resident, recently made his New York debut at Carnegie Hall.

He is the husband of Yvonne Becker Perry who graduated from Fowler High School in 1967. The couple lives at Sea Girt, New Jersey. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Luke Becker of Fowler.

For his concert at Carnegie Hall, Perry selected all original music. The guitar selections were played on a rare Ignatio Fleta instrument made in Barcelona in 1958.

For the second half of the program, devoted primarily to the lute, Perry used an instrument completed in 1980 by Richard Fletcher of Pennsylvania. This historical replica was made after long and extensive research of records

pertaining to appearance of the early lute and its construction.

Perry holds a bachelor of music degree from the North Carolina School of Arts and a master of fine arts from Rutgers University. His early guitar training was with William Viola and his college study was with Jesus Silva. He was one of a select few chosen to participate in the Andres Segovia master class in Spain. Segovia called Perry an "excellent guitarist".

Perry has been a visiting artist in programs sponsored by the North Carolina Arts Council; served a residency at Duke University, and played concerts extensively on the east coast and in Italy.

At present he teaches guitar at Fairleigh Dickinson University in Madison, New Jersey.

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Births

MITCHELL: A girl, Andrea Kim, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Mitchell, St. Johns, March 28 at Carson City Hospital. The mother is the former Janet Miller. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leon Miller and Mrs. Bonnie Mitchell.

WISEMAN: A girl, Abby Charlene, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wiseman, St. Johns, March 27 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. The mother is the former Michelle Paquette. The grandparents are Patricia Wiseman, Margery Slack, and Edwin Paquette.

PITMAN: A boy, Albert James V, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pittman, Grand Rapids, Jan. 10 at St. Mary's Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Nichols of DeWitt, Mrs. Marcia Bopp of Florida, and Albert Pittman of Marion. The mother is the former Joana Nichols.

KNIGHT: A boy, Matthew Ryan, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Philip Knight, Chelsea, Feb. 9. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Aldon Knight and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Swatman. The mother is the former Lexa Swatman.

FIFIELD: A boy, Bobby Lee Harris, Jr. was born to Bonnie Lee Fifield, Lansing, Feb. 27 at Sparrow Hospital. The mother is the former Bonnie Lee Bancroft.

BARKS: A girl, Alissa Marie, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Eric T. Barks, Lansing, at Sparrow Hospital.

FIZZELL: A girl, Lindsey Tyler, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Kelvin Fizzell, 3870 Azalea Drive, DeWitt on April 18, 1981 at St. Lawrence Hospital.

RUTHRUFF: A son, Timothy Robert, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ruthruff, St. Johns, April 2, 1981, at Edward W. Sparrow Hospital. The mother is the former Debra Armstrong.

PRICE: A son, Charles Daniel, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Price, St. Johns, April 11, 1981, at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stachel and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Price. The mother is the former Mary Stachel.

BERLIN: A girl, Deidre Elise, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Steven M. Berlin, St. Johns, March 2 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Prieskorn and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Berlin. The mother is the former Judith Prieskorn.

ANDREWS: A boy, Adam Robert, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Andrews, St. Johns, Feb. 28 at Sparrow Hospital. The mother is the former Mary Ellen Breasbois.

MARECEK: A boy, Chad Mathew, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jay Marecek, Lansing, Feb. 23 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Grandparents are Everett and Janice Hathaway and Frank and Marjorie Marecek. The mother is the former Shelly Hathaway.

ROWLEY: A daughter, Deanna Lee, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rowley, Laingsburg, Mar. 31, 1981, at Edward W. Sparrow Hospital.

THELEN: A boy, Christopher Steven, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clare M. Thelen, Fowler, March 30 at Sparrow Hospital. The mother is the former Janet Halfmann. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Martin Halfmann and Mr. and Mrs. Julius A. Thelen.

FELDPAUSCH: A boy, Derik Robert, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Feldpausch, Fowler, March 30 at St. Lawrence Hospital. The mother is the former Tami Thelen. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Thelen and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Feldpausch.

CARDENAS: A boy, Justin Ervin, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Cardenas, St. Johns, March 15 at Carson City Hospital.

GUNTHER: A daughter, Meghan Leigh, was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Gunther, St. Johns, April 10, 1981, at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gunther and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Steinke, Jr. The mother is the former Shelly Steinke.

HOBERT: A son, Joshua Carl, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hobert, Jr., St. Johns, April 10, 1981, at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hobert, Sr. The mother is the former Donna Ridle.

RITTER: A son, Trent Arthur, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Ritter, St. Johns, April 9, 1981, at Sparrow Hospital, Lansing. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roland Ritter and Mrs. Violet Phinney. The mother is the former Linda Phinney.

HOLDEN: A girl, Kimberly Kay, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Mark Holden, St. Johns, March 27 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. The mother is the former Patti LaCrosse. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Holden and Mrs. Jeanette LaCrosse.

LENNEMAN: A boy, Stanley Carl, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lenneman II, 816 Call St., Lansing on April 17, 1981 at St. Lawrence Hospital.

FINNILA: A girl, Nichole Lynn, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Mark Finnilla, Fowler, Feb. 25 at Carson City Hospital.

BISSELL: A boy, Joseph Paul, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Bissell, Maple Rapids, March 9 at Carson City Hospital.

PFEIF: A boy, Dustin William, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Steven Pfeif, 3011 Arcadia Drive, Lansing on April 28, 1981 at St. Lawrence Hospital.

MACK: A boy, TaShawn Torrell, was born to Christina Mack of Lansing on May 3, 1981 at St. Lawrence Hospital.

THURSTON: A girl, Julie Patricia, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Philip Thurston, 1041 Mora Circle, DeWitt on April 28, 1981 at St. Lawrence Hospital.

SCHRAUBEN: A girl, Suzanne Kaye, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schrauben of St. Johns on April 28 at St. Lawrence Hospital.

HARLOW: A girl, Cassandra Lee, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harlow of St. Johns on April 25, 1981 at Carson City Hospital.

ROSSOW: A boy, Timothy Adam, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Douglass Rossow, 4323 E. Pratt, St. Johns on April 23, 1981 at St. Lawrence Hospital.

BOAK: A boy, Aaron Christopher, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Boak, Fowler, Feb. 24 at Carson City Hospital.

FLYNN: A boy, Justin Ethan, was born to Roxanne and Thomas Flynn, 960 Dill Road, DeWitt, on April 4, 1981.

OTT: A boy, Brian Andrew, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Mark Ott of Canton on April 20, 1981 in Ann Arbor. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ott of St. Johns and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Riley of Ohio. The mother is the former Janet Riley.

STATEN: A boy, Justin Stanley, was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Staten of Laingsburg on April 16, 1981 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Searles of St. Johns and Mrs. Claude Staten of Portland, Ore. The mother is the former Kathy Searles.

MILLER: A girl, Samantha Rose, was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Gordon Miller, 11340 N. U.S.-27, DeWitt, on April 27, 1981 at Sparrow Hospital. The mother is the former Roseanne Glomski.

NIEMAN: Twins, Kristy Lynn and Travis John, were born to Mr. and Mrs. John K. Nieman, Bannister, March 20 at Sparrow Hospital.

ROBERTS: A girl, Trisha Marie, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Roberts, 813 N. Clinton Ave., St. Johns, on April 25, 1981 at Sparrow Hospital.

FELDPAUSCH: A boy, Derik Robert, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Feldpausch of Fowler on March 30, 1981 at St. Lawrence Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Thelen and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Feldpausch. The mother is the former Tami Thelen.

SHAW: A girl, April Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Shaw, 6783 Clark Road, Bath on April 29, 1981 at Sparrow Hospital.

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Clip and Save is big business

By SUE KILEY WHITE

Couponing and refunding is becoming the rage all over the country, especially since inflation and food prices have hit an all time high while the economy continues to sag. Clinton County residents received a lesson in this new art from Mary Fullmer of DeWitt, who began the "hobby-career" about two years ago.

"I want to teach you how to turn your frustrations into production at the grocery store," said Mrs. Fullmer.

She noted there are 80 billion coupons published in newspapers, magazines, Sunday news supplements and in stores every year, but few people take advantage of them.

"This is a hobby that will save you money if you take time and organize," she said. "The key is to be aware. Your coupons can be as valuable as your checkbook."

Giving some tips, Mrs. Fullmer noted the first thing a novice couponer should do is highlight or circle expiration dates on the coupons. This avoids embarrassment and saves time at the check-out counter.

"Those coupons aren't going to help you if you stuff them in your purse or kitchen drawer," she added.

The young DeWitt woman uses a shoe box to store and organize her coupons of which she has thousands. She noted the coupon saver should organize them according to what's important to them, not someone else.

"Take all your coupons with you when you go to the store," she said. "You don't have to just use them at the grocery store. You can use them at the drug store, hardware store or even K-Mart's."

Mrs. Fullmer noted that people should try and shop at places which offer double coupon days (where coupons are worth twice the amount). They should use coupons on sale items also.

"This is a little game I play," she said. "I go to the store and see how much I'm going to save."

Stopckpiling has become commonplace at the Fullmer home. When something is on sale and there's a coupon on, you won't find Mary buying only one or two cans. She buys 10 or more.

"Non-perishable items sit on my shelf just as nice as they do on the grocery store shelf," she noted. "Give yourself a challenge and find and use more coupons."

She indicated a coupon user could save 10 to 45 percent at the check-out lane on double coupon day. For the Fullmer family, Mary saved \$40 per month on her grocery bills during the first four months of 1980.

Once a person gets more comfortable using coupons they can use what is called a "Triple Play." This is when you buy a product on sale, add a manufacturer's coupon and then mail the package in for a refund.

What is refunding?

According to Mrs. Fullmer refunding is a form of direct advertising with a consumer by offering refunds as an incentive to buy products. Over 200 companies offer 4,000 to 7,000 refunds a year as a way of saying thank you to consumers.

"When I get money back, it's like I'm ripping the grocery stores off," said one woman attending the Extension sponsored program. "We've been paying high grocery prices for years, now we're getting something back."

Mrs. Fullmer added, "It's a mild form of rebellion toward high food prices."

Mary even has her children getting into the couponing game.

"I like treating my children to free things," she said. "And then too, there is a potential earning power of up to \$1,000 a year."

She spends at least five hours a week on refunding.

Mary Fullmer of DeWitt displays a common source of coupons at a program on couponing sponsored by the Clinton County extension office.

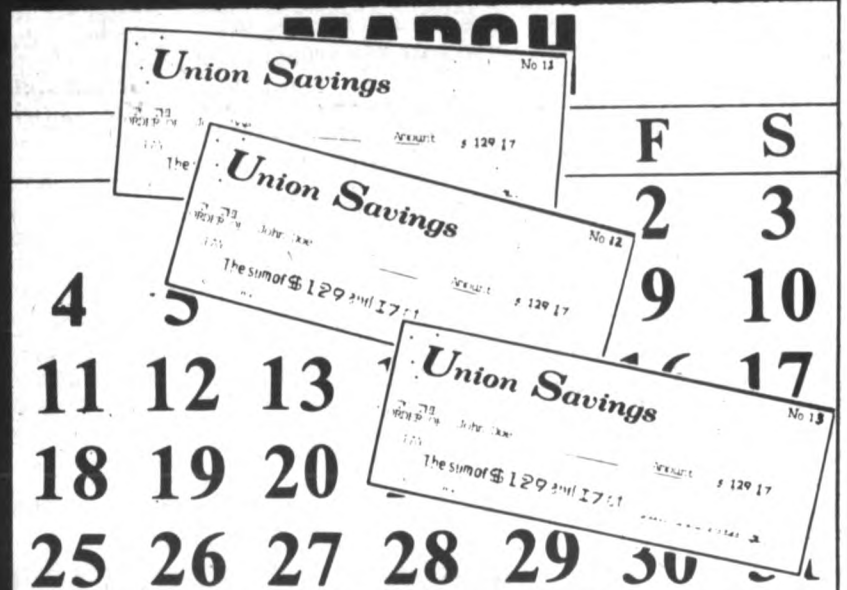


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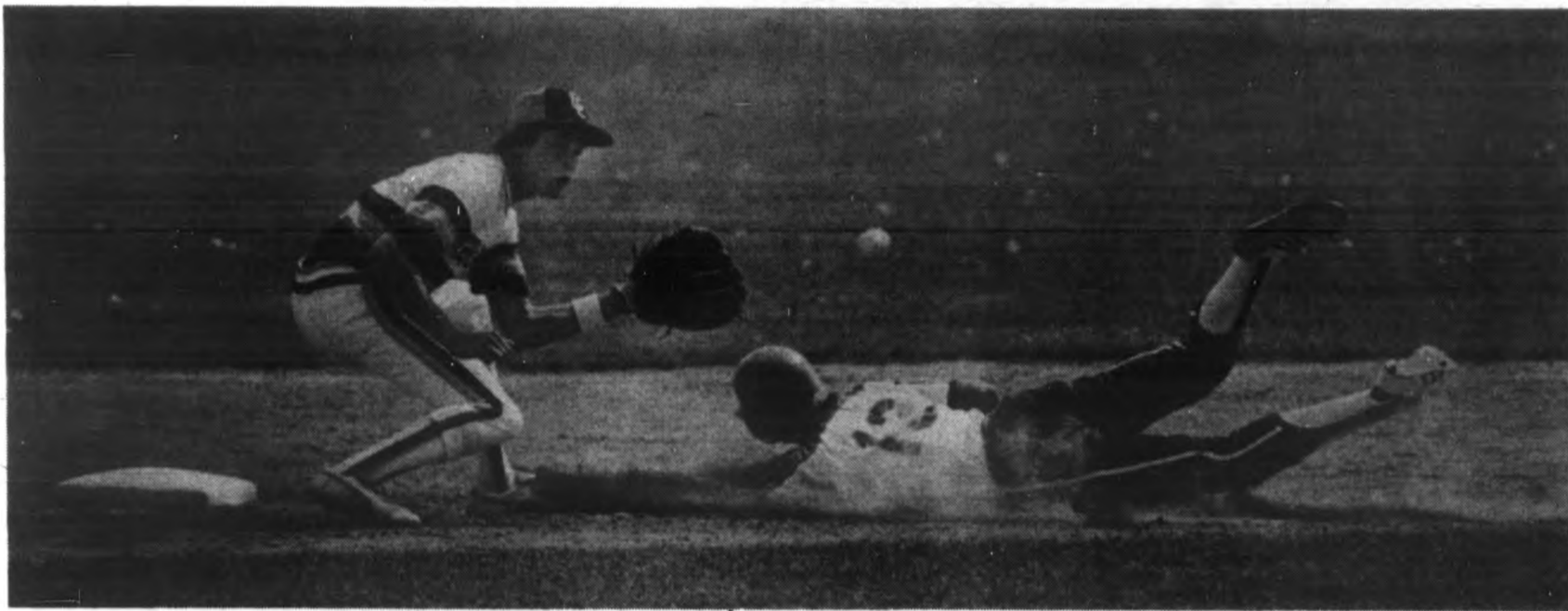
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County Sports



Roger Mann, second baseman for Grand Ledge, takes a throw from the catcher as St. Johns' Kurt Slamka slides in with a stolen base in the opening inning of Friday's pre-district clash between the two teams.

Despite, pounding out 11 hits, the Redwings were victimized by 10 runners left on base and were eliminated from the state tournament. (Photo by David Olds)

Comets eliminate St. Johns

Old nemesis strikes again

By TIM JEFFERY

St. Johns has seen all it wants to of the Grand Ledge baseball team this year, thank-you.

After opening the year by dropping a pair of one-run decisions to the Comets on a chilly and drizzling evening back in early April, the Redwings were victimized once more by the Capital Area Conference champs, Friday afternoon.

Although the stakes were much higher this time around, the third time was certainly not a charm for St. Johns.

A total of 10 base runners were left stranded as the Wings collected 11 hits, but scored only twice in dropping a 3-2 decision in the pre-district game.

Trailing 2-1 entering the fifth inning, St. Johns loaded the bases with one out, but Grand Ledge forced a runner at home and proceeded to get out of the inning unscathed.

The loss went to Rod Rojas and capped a season of many disappointments for the left-hander junior. He fell to 3-4 for the year, despite a miniscule earned run average of 1.68.

The Comets defeated Rojas in the earlier meeting between the two teams, but Rojas managed 11 strike outs. Friday, he had a season-low of five in the strike out department.

The Redwings took a 1-0 lead in the opening inning. Rojas singled, then took second when pitcher Jeff

Stevens tried to pick him off first. Dean Sharick sacrificed Rojas to third and a single by Kurt Slamka produced the run.

The first two Grand Ledge batters were retired in the bottom of the opening inning, but John Dyer and Stu Coss worked Rojas for consecutive walks. Then Roger Mann delivered the first of his two doubles on the afternoon, tying it at 1-1.

The Comets came right back to score again in the second on singles by Dave Graham and Tim Simon and a sacrifice fly by Joe Maceroni.

After the Redwings left the bases loaded in the top of the fifth, Grand Ledge made it 3-1 in its half of the frame.

Maceroni walked and stole second and scored on a base hit by Tim Baker.

St. Johns scored in the sixth on a bunt single by Scott Chamberlain, a stolen base and a single by Scott Palmer, but Stevens hung on in the seventh to put an end to the Redwing season.

The 3-2 setback matched the final score of game one of the April double header between the two teams. Grand Ledge took the night cap that day, 4-3.

St. Johns closes its season with a 5-12 mark overall and a 3-5 slate in the Mid Michigan B Conference.

Grand Ledge, the early favorite to win the Diamond Classic, moved to 19-2 with the victory over the Redwings.



One Man's Views

By Tim Jeffery

Why do I keep reading and hearing how Grand Ledge will easily polish off DeWitt should the two schools meet in the Diamond Classic?

Maybe I'll become a believer if the Comets do prevail, but the pressure will rest on the shoulders of the Grand Ledge team. DeWitt may cherish the underdog role and pull off a big win....Can there possibly be a last hour settlement to the pending baseball strike, much like the one that occurred last year? It looks pretty bleak and think of players such as Montreal's Tim Raines. He appears to be a sho-in for breaking Lou Brock's record of 118 stolen bases, but should a strike occur, the chance may evaporate.

On the coaching scene, Dennis Smith replaces Melody Sowers as the Fowler girls basketball leader. Steve Spitzley will likely assume the boys varsity basketball job at P-W. Waverly High School elected to hire within the school district, passing over Gary Grady, the ex-Bath football coach. Meanwhile, the football vacancy at Bath still remains.

Cable television viewers in St. Johns and around the Lansing area, will get a first hand opportunity to see what the Pistons do about their future, on June 9. The USA Network has announced it will televise the first two rounds of the NBA Draft. Now about that noon deadline I have to meet that day. There must be a way....The upcoming all-star game between high school football stars from around the state will take place August 8. Bath's Chris Foote, the toughest and best-hitting linebacker in the county last year, will apparently play tight end. That alone, says something about Foote's athletic ability. It also says something about the fellows who've been selected to play linebacker - ouch.

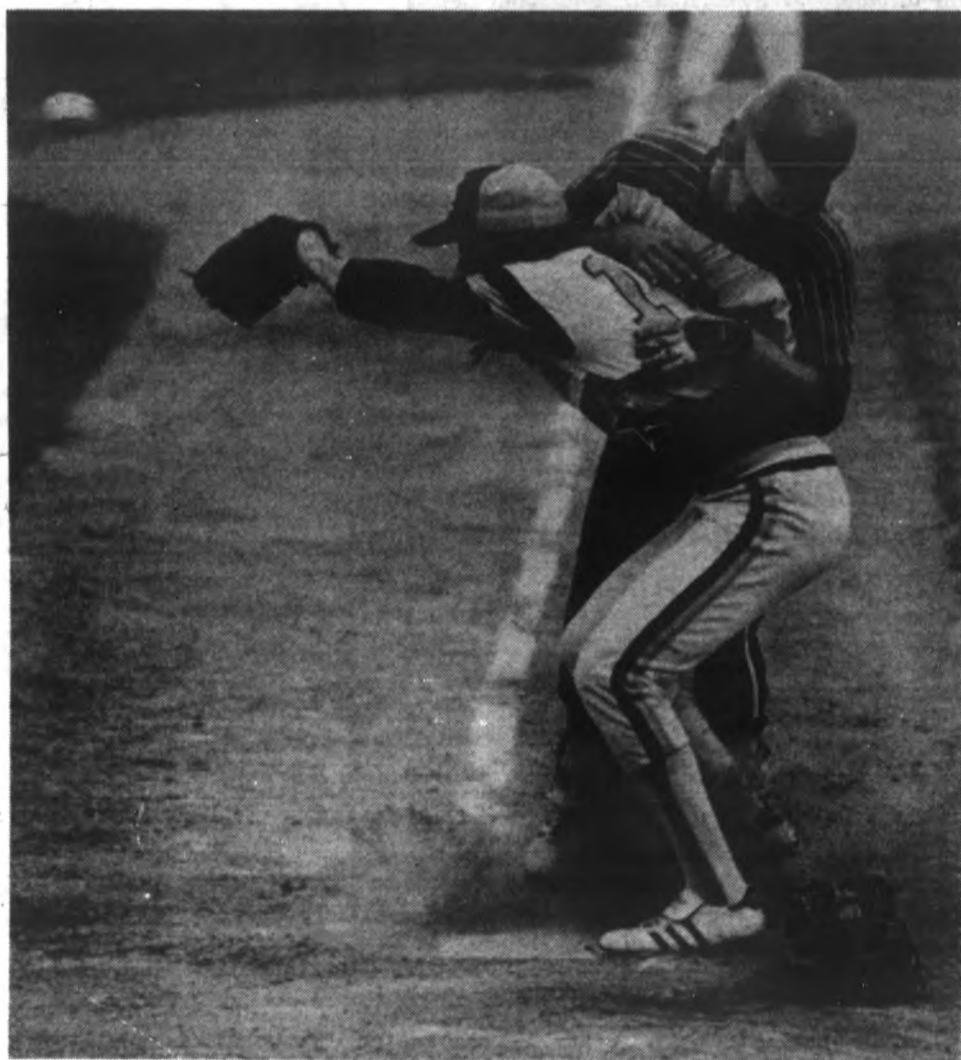
Why is it that I've seen Fernando Valenzuela pitch in each of his last two outings and he's failed to pitch a two-hit shutout? Doesn't he know he should save his best for television....And did you see Mark Fidrych on NBC's pre-game show Saturday, offering advice for the Dodger phenom?

Are Doug and Linda Noch staging a battle to claim bragging rights for the 'best pitcher in the family' award? Doug, only a sophomore had eight wins for the DeWitt baseball team, going into his start Tuesday night against Harry Hill in the Classic. While Linda has lost a few, she too has been superb through most of the year....Did Bobby Unser really think he could get away with passing cars like he did in the controversial Indy race? TV cameras had the whole thing on film, so why did he do it? Anything to win, huh.

Diving classes set

You may enjoy swimming, but have you ever thought about increasing your skills in the water? The Lansing Central YM-CA is offering Springboard Diving classes, Syn-

chronized Swimming and Scuba classes for kids and adults. Come have fun at the "Y." It is a great idea. Call 489-6501 for more information.



Scott Chamberlain of St. Johns collides at home plate with Jeff Stevens, the Grand Ledge pitcher.

The Redwings were turned back by the Comets for the third time this year and saw their season come to a close. (Photo by David Olds)

P-W wins 3-1 in pre-district game

By TIM JEFFERY

Pewamo-Westphalia's baseball team dropped two of three last week to close out play in the Central Michigan Athletic Conference, however the Pirates received a fine pitching performance from Guy Walter on Saturday morning and came away with a 3-1 pre-district win to remain alive in the Class C state tournament.

The big win came at the expense of Bellevue, against fireballing left hander Brian Wine.

P-W collected eight hits and played superlative defense, particularly Mike Pohl, the all-state catching candidate.

Earlier in the week Pohl banged out his 10th straight hit, but it was his strong arm that gave Bellevue fits.

The Broncos trailed 3-1 entering the bottom of the sixth, but the first two batters reached safely and Walter appeared to be in trouble.

Pohl responded by picking a runner off second for the first out of the inning, then he nailed the other runner off first. The senior backstop also caught a napping Bronco at first in the third inning and picked off four altogether.

Walter helped his own cause by driving in the game's first run. Dan Hanses doubled to leadoff P-W's third. He moved to third on a single by Lee Klein and scored on a base hit by Walter.

Bellevue tied it with an unearned run in the fifth. After a dropped third strike by Pohl, he made the play at first to get the batter, but a Bronco runner raced home.

The winning rally took place in the sixth. After Chris Thelen had reached on an error and Brian Stump drew a free pass, Dave Smith delivered a double to score two.

The hosts collected their second and final hit of the contest in the seventh inning, but Walter managed to retire the side.

The Pirate victory sets up a district game Saturday against Lansing Catholic Central.

P-W enjoyed a field day last Wednesday, downing Potterville 25-1. The contest was stopped after the Vikings batted in the fifth as P-W scored each time it batted.

Pohl was perfect in five trips, getting two doubles, two singles and a home run. He also scored four runs.

Smith enjoyed a perfect day as well, going four for four with a double. Gary Hengesbach had four hits, while Walter and Thelen each added a couple to the total of 20.

Freshman John Walter went the distance to gain the win. He scattered four hits and walked only two, both coming in the final stanza.

The following afternoon, Portland St. Pat's freshman hurler Greg Schrauben pitched a complete game, limiting P-W to three runs, in a 7-3 victory.

The Pirates took an early 2-0 lead on a single by Dan Pohl, a triple by his brother Mike and a Shamrock throwing error.

Doug Kramer erased the lead in a hurry though, as he unloaded for a second inning grand slam. He later added a two-run shot for his fifth and sixth RBI's of t ball game.

After the pre-district win over Bellevue, P-W took the short ride to Olivet to close out the regular season.

The Screaming Eagles, needing a win to stay in the title chase, scored six times in the bottom of the fifth and went on to post a 7-4 triumph.

The Pirates scored twice in the third on a two-run double by Stump and twice more in the fifth on an RBI single off the bat of Smith and a two-out bases loaded walk to Klein.

Mike Pohl had three hits, while Klein and Hengesbach had two apiece in a losing effort.

Fowler shuts out Potterville 5-0

By TIM JEFFERY

Neil Hoffman's Fowler baseball team needs nine outs to win a conference championship.

After last week's action in the Central Michigan Athletic Conference, the Eagles were one game ahead of Olivet and Laingsburg. Fowler and Laingsburg must now conclude a suspended game from earlier in the season to determine the final outcome in the standings.

The game will be picked up this afternoon in the top of the fifth inning with Fowler leading 5-3.

The Eagles managed to keep their hold on first place last Thursday with a 2-1 win over Bellevue.

Mark Halfman worked six and one-third innings, before getting relief help from Tom Weber for the final two outs.

Halfman scattered five hits, struck out five and walked only one in gaining his third win in five decisions.

Brian Wine was the tough-luck loser for the Broncos. He surrendered a run in the first when Kurt Thelen walked, Doug Cook singled and a pair of wild pitches brought Thelen around.

The battle remained 1-0 until Bellevue scored an unearned run in the bottom of the sixth to tie it.

Like so many other occasions this year, Fowler pulled it out in the seventh inning. Jim Pung and Steve Schneider had singles, then Jim Farley's sacrifice bunt pushed the runners into scoring position for Dave Taylor. He delivered a base hit to drive in Pung.

Cook for Fowler and Wine for Bellevue, were the game's only players to collect two hits.

The Eagles had little time to cherish the win at Bellevue as they came right back on Friday in a pre-district game.

Ron Simon held Potterville to three singles and allowed just two walks in leading Fowler to a 5-0 victory. The triumph raised Simon's pitching slate to 4-0.

Steve Sweet suffered the loss, despite hurling a strong ball game. He gave up eight hits and was touched for a pair of runs in the fourth and three in the fifth.

A walk to Lloyd Feldpausch and a single by Cook, put runners at the corners in Fowler's fourth inning. Then Weber came through with a sacrifice fly and Schneider belted a three-bagger to score the runs.

Taylor reached safely on an error to begin the uprising in the following stanza. He rode home on Farley's triple.

Cook singled, driving in Farley and Weber doubled to

PSP downs Eagles

Hopes of returning to the regionals vanished Friday afternoon for the Fowler softball team. The Eagles were dealt their fourth loss of the year and it was Portland St. Pat's playing the role of spoiler for the third time this season.

The Shamrocks, who had already edged out Fowler for the top spot in the conference, rode the five hit pitching of Jane Rogers and emerged with a 4-3 triumph in the pre-district clash.

Becky Klein's RBI single pulled Fowler into a 1-1 tie in the third inning, but the Shamrocks went in front with two in the bottom of the inning.

Rogers held Fowler in check until the sixth when Mae Farley and Patty Wieber pieced together back-to-back doubles for one run, then sacrifice bunts by Connie Feldpausch and Julie Pung brought Wieber home with the tying run.

Once again, the Shamrocks responded to the challenge. Karen Kramer walked to open the home half of inning six. She proceeded to steal second and scored what proved to be the winning run on a passed ball.

Fowler mounted a mile threat in its final attempt, but a great play by the shortstop Kramer, ended the game.

After Diane Klein had walked and was forced out at second on a grounder off the bat of Becky Klein, Kramer went high in the air to spear a line drive. She quickly fired to first to nail the base runner, who had no chance to get back.

Jane Goerge, despite allowing just two hits, suffered the loss. The setback was her fourth against nine wins. The Eagle pitching ace will leave big shoes to fill upon her graduation in June, as indicated by a 1.40 earned run average.

Fowler completed the CMAC regular campaign on Thursday with an 8-3 win over Bellevue. The victory was the 12th in 14 conference outings for the Eagles and left them in second place in the final standings.

Farley, with a double and two triples and Becky Klein with a pair of hits and two runs batted in, led the attack against the Broncos.

The Eagles had spotted Bellevue a three-run lead in the opening inning by committing three errors.

Pung survived the rocky start and went on to post the win. She gave up four walks in the first inning, but allowed only three more the rest of the way.

Fowler was scheduled to close out the season yesterday with a double header at DeWitt.

produce the fifth run.

Once again, Cook paced the winners with two hits in three trips. Bill Stiver had two of Potterville's three safeties.

Fowler takes a 13-2 mark into today's completion of the suspended game. Saturday at 10 a.m., the Eagles take on Lansing Christian in a district game.

Track Meet Results

MMB Boys Track Meet Results
 1. Alma 67.5, 2. Chesaning 58.5, 3. Corunna 49, 4. St. Johns 48, 5. Ionia 30.
 May 20, 1981

Shot put-Persons (Ch) 49-11.	Mile run-Rittinger (A) 4:28.19.
Discus-Persons (Ch) 144-8.5.	440 relay-Alma 44.6.
High jump-Jennings (A) 6-4.	440 dash-Jennings (A) 51.1.
Long jump-Coon (A) 22-10.	220 dash-Coon (A) 22.6.
Pole vault-Bartos (Co) 14-0.	880 run-Rittinger (A) 2:01.5.
High hurdles-Ron Patrick (SJ) 15.3.	330 low hurdles-Welte (Co) 39.7.
880 relay-Chesaning 1:33.3.	Two mile run-Paul Ploszak (SJ) 10:03.6.
100 dash-Coon (A) 9.8.	Mile relay-Corunna 3:32.0.

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Redwing season ends

A ball game that had the makings of being an outstanding pitcher's battle turned into a nightmare for St. Johns Friday afternoon as Everett scored all of its runs in the fourth inning en route to a 13-3 pre-district victory.

The contest was scoreless entering the fourth inning. Redwing pitcher Sue Howe breezed through the first and third innings and surrendered only a harmless single in the second, while Lori Swanson, the Viking hurler, was also moving along in fine fashion.

Everett's uprising occurred with two outs and a runner on first in the fourth.

St. Johns failed to get the third out of the inning when Jayne Hyzer's throw to second was too late to nail the lead runner, after the Redwing third sacker had fielded a ground ball. The next batter walked to fill the bases.

Becki Tarbell then doubled in two runs to break the scoreless tie.

Howe issued four more walks and hit a batter, the first one she's hit all year, and Darla Wells and Diana Lovell added two-run doubles as 17 Viking batters came to the plate during the stanza.

St. Johns scored once in the bottom of the fourth on a singleby Sue Pearsall

and a triple by Anne Stafford.

The final two runs of the contest and the Redwing season, came in the fifth. Denise Thelen's triple to right center drove in one and Hyzer singled in the other.

Despite losing by 10 runs, St. Johns was out hit by only a seven to six margin.

St. Johns coach Jan Szymczak was obviously disappointed with the loss, but took time to reflect on a fine season. "I was happy with the season. Officially we should've been in a rebuilding year," he said. "I give the girls credit. They hung in there the best they could under the circumstances. We faced a couple of real tough teams right at the end."

The Wings wouod up 6-2 and in second place in the MMB and 8-6 overall.

The regular season ended for St. Johns on Tuesday of last week. Mt. Pleasant rolled over Szymczak's girls 13-4 and 23-7 as several of the younger players saw action.

Irenna Garapetian had two hits for St. Johns in the opener, while in game two Lisa Henning and Lisa Mazzolini each collected their first varsity hits.

Sue Pearsall, Hyzer and Kelly Kloeckner had two hits apiece for the Redwings in game two as well.

CMAC Track Results

CMAC Boys Track Meet Results
1. Olivet 154, Fowler 110, Pottsville 74, Fulton 66, Laingsburg 62, Bellevue 14, Portland St. Pat's 0

May 20, 1981
Shot put-1. Harris (O) 44-8.25, 4. Schmitz (Fo) 42-2 (Personal best).
Discus-1. Waldron (Fu) 128-7.
High jump-1. Winsor (Fu) 6-7 (meet record), 5. Armbrustmacher (Fo) 6-1.
Long jump-1. Koenigsknecht (Fo) 19-11, 2. Armbrustmacher (Fo) 19-9.75.
Pole vault-1. Herder (L) 13-6.75 (meet record).
120 high hurdles-1. Koenigsknecht (Fo) 14.6 (meet and school record), 2. Winsor (Fu).
100 dash-1. Brämer (O) 10.1 (meet record), 2. Hufnagel (Fo) 10.4.
880 relay-1. Olivet 1:34.1, 2. Fowler (Koenigsknecht, J. Thelen, Luttig, Armbrustmacher) 1:34.6.
Mile run-1. Miller (P) 4:35.3, 5. Schmitt (Fo) 4:47.5.
440 relay-1. Olivet 45.1 (meet record), 2. Fowler (K. Thelen, Farley, J. Thelen, Luttig) 46.9.
440 dash-1. Hufnagel (Fo) 51.5, 2. J. Thelen (Fo) 53.7.
330 low hurdles-1. Winsor (Fu) 39.4, 2. Koenigsknecht (Fo) 39.8 (school record), 4. Fox (Fo) 42.1 (Personal best).
880 run-1. Robinson (L) 2:04.3.
220 dash-1. Brämer (O) 22.7 (track record), 2. Hufnagel (Fo) 23.2, 5. Luttig 23.6.
Mile relay-1. Fowler (D. Thelen, J. Thelen, K. Thelen, Hufnagel) 3:33.5.

CMAC Girls Track Meet Results
1. Fowler 126, 2. Olivet 98, 3. Fulton 74, 4. Laingsburg 64, 5. Pottsville 60, 6. Bellevue 22, 7. Portland St. Pat's 6
May 20, 1981
Shot put-1. Johnson (P) 33-8.5, 3. Farley (Fo) 29-1.5.
Discus-1. Murphy (O) 98-1, 3. Farley (Fo) 89-11.
High jump-1. Peters (O) 5-5 (track record), 2. Co. Feldpausch (Fo) 5-3, 3. Hafner (Fo) 5-3 (both jumps of 5-3 set school record).
Long jump-1. Murphy (O) 15-2, 3. Hafner (Fo) 14-7.5, 5. Witgen (Fo) 13-3.
110 hurdles-1. Koenigsknecht (Fo) 16.2.
100 dash-1. Palmer (L) 11.9, 2. Kresge (Fu).
880 relay-1. Fowler (Snyder, Weber, Schmitt, B. Klein) 1:50.3 (school record).
Mile run-1. Batchelder (P) 5:42.5, 2. E. Feldpausch (Fo) 5:43.3 (school record).
440 relay-1. Fulton 54.2, 3. Fowler (Snyder, Witge, Braun, Armbrustmacher) 54.5.
440 dash-1. B. Klein (Fo) 59.3 (league and school record), 3. Hafner (Fo) 1:01.42, 4. Schmitt (Fo) 1:01.46.
220 hurdles-1. Palmer (L) 31.1 (track record), 2. Koenigsknecht (Fo) 32.2, 5. Armbrustmacher (Fo) 34.8.
880 run-1. King (O) 2:28.5.
220 dash-1. B. Klein (Fo) 26.5 (league record).
Two-Mile run-1. Batchelder (P) 12:36.3, 2. E. Feldpausch 12:38.4.
Mile relay-1. Fowler (Hafner, Snyder, Schmitt, B. Klein) 4:11.1 (League and school record).

MMB Track Results

MMB Girls Track Meet Results
1. Corunna 76, 2. Chesaning 50, 3. Alma 49, 4. St. Johns 42, 5. Ionia 20.
May 20, 1981
Shot put-1. Peska (A) 36-4.
Discus-1. Peska (A) 104-8, 3. Pope (SJ) 101-11.
Long jump-1. Honke (Co) 17-0, C. Koenigsknecht (SJ) 16-4.
High jump-1. DeYoung (I) 5-0, 2. Badaux (SJ) 4-11.
100 dash-1. Honke (Co) 11.5, 2. C. Good (SJ).
110 low hurdles-1. M. Honke (Co) 15.1, 5. Rojas (SJ) 16.4.
880 relay-1. Corunna 1:49.5, 2. St. Johns (Blasen, C. Good, Peck, Koenigsknecht) 1:50.2 (School record).
440 relay-1. Corunna 52.2, 3. St. Johns (Blasen, C. Good, Peck, Koenigsknecht) 53.2.
Mile relay-Corunna 4:15.9, 4. St. Johns (Back, Koenigsknecht, Rojas, S. Good) 4:34.13.
Mile run-1. Koviack (Ch) 5:28.1, 5. Moore (SJ) 5:48.9.
220 low hurdles-1. M. Honke (Co) 31.3, 4. Rojas (SJ) 33.3.
440 dash-1. A. Honke (Co) 1:02.5.
880 run-1. Koviack (Ch) 2:27.3.
220 dash-1. Zielinski (Co) 26.8, 2. Peck (SJ) 27.2 (School record), 4. C. Good 27.5.

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Anyone can find a job; you have to learn how

By NANCY ZEIMEN

How to get a job you like and would enjoy doing for many years isn't impossible say career counselors at Lansing Community College. At a Job Search Seminar on May 14, in St. Johns, sponsored by the local Chamber of Commerce, LCC experts showed Clinton County residents the steps to finding, preparing for, and getting a career.

LCC Counselor John Bogner began the seminar with the Michigan Occupational Information System (MOIS) Search Worksheet. Seven questions are answered and recorded by the job searcher on this sheet; personal interests, work interests, physical type of work desired, working conditions wanted, educational level desired, and job emphasis.

Answers to these questions form a letter and number code on the worksheet like "PHLCB8A." After job searchers have their code, finding a job that fits it is as easy as leafing through a list of jobs which also have the MOIS letter and number code. A job with the same code as the job searchers' reflects the same interests if not

current skills.

"It gives you a chance to think of doing something that you would enjoy doing for a long period of time," said Bogner.

After finding a job that interests you, the next step is to research that job, said Bogner. Talk to people who have a job you want, check the libraries and talk with counselors, he added.

Most people get jobs through their own efforts, friends, and relatives, said Steve McEnaney, director of LCC's career planning and placement office. Employers screen applicants through resumes and applications, but the interview is where you get the job, he said.

"You have to prepare yourself to go out and get a job," McEnaney said. "How well you prepare will

determine how you are treated by an employer."

Employers know what skill and abilities they are looking for and they want to know if your skills and abilities will meet theirs, he said.

A resume includes a summary of previous employment experience and education along with personal background and employment goals.

Resumes and job applications help employers develop mental pictures of the applicant and may give the job searcher the edge needed to be selected for an interview.

LCC offers classes and seminars in career planning. For more information about career planning at LCC, call 373-9970. The local Community Education office at Teresa Merrill School will also provide interested citizens with a MOIS test and career planning help.

French named top agent

Thomas French, 507 S. Swegles, St. Johns, local agent for Farm Bureau Insurance Group, was named of the company's top agents for 1980 for his excellent production and service record during the year.

As one of the company's top agents, French received Farm Bureau Insurance Group's "All American" award in recognition of his 1980 sales and service achievements.



Tom French



Young bowlers do well

Young bowlers from St. Johns did well in the recent state contests, competing against 200 other bowlers. Tom Abbott, left, and Lori Strickland took first places in singles events. "The Pin Pushers", Kim Lance, Connie Skorna, Lori Barras, Alice Cox

and Jackie Mueller were first in the state in the major girls category. Youth Bowling in the city is coordinated by Eileen Strickland at Redwing Lanes. (Photo by David Olds)

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Creditors of the Deceased are notified that all claims against the Estate must be presented to the Personal Representative, who is to be appointed by the Court, and one (1) copy shall be filed with the Court, by or before Monday, August 3, 1981.

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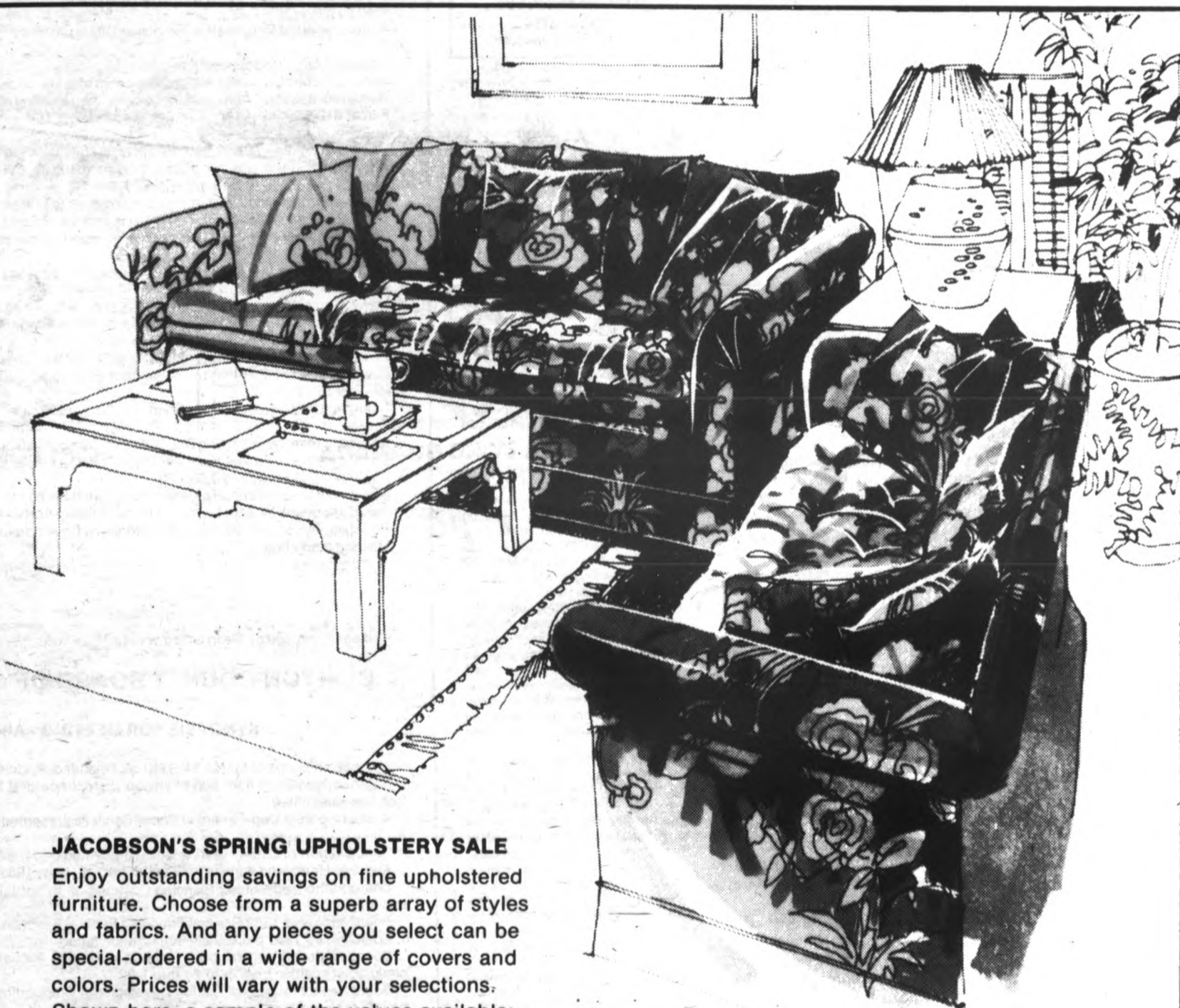
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to see our taxes do not become exorbitant due to lavish and unnecessary spending; and more important (2) to see our children, the future citizens of this state, get a strong educational foundation for their future.

When lack of voter approval for a millage increase results in elementary students being crowded 35-40 children in a classroom and junior and senior high school students losing one hour of class time to be replaced with study halls of 100 students, as is the case in St. Johns, then the education of our youth is at stake.

It is imperative the voters of the St. Johns school district support additional millage in the June 8, election if they wish to carry out their responsibility not only to the youth, but to the whole community.

If the voters of this state abdicate their responsibility by letting their educational systems become inadequate, eventually their right to determine how much money their local districts can spend will be lost. There can be no rights without responsibilities, and responsibility requires clear thinking and sound judgement.

Jenny McCampbell
St. Johns

★ Grain operators

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unloading, drying, storage and rail loading and shipping during the zoning portion of the meeting.

Some commissioners objected to the language of the ordinance for the special use permit with regards to "related sales" which would be allowed to Westmac if the permit were issued.

"We were lead to believe this business was only going to deal with grain," said Harold Martin, commissioner.

Williams, answered his company will deal strictly with grain and nothing else. "In Newago where we have another elevator business, we only deal in grain, and we want this one to be the same," he said.

Jack Nelson, zoning administrator, noted that the ordinance could not be altered unless it was changed permanently.

"We are in support of this project," said David Morris, Eagle Township. "It will be good for the township and the community." He added, "There is an economic advantage and we should encourage agriculture and business within the county we live in."

Steve Clark, an Eagle Township farmer noted he hauls his grain to Ohio.

"Other elevators could have expanded at one time," he said. "This is a competitive business and the smaller operators just can't give me the price."

Commissioner Glenn Webster indicated several county co-op owners had contacted him about the project.

"The general feeling is, the co-ops don't have any objection to the building of another grain elevator. They just feel EDC financing is unfair."

A Fowler operator noted one of the main goals of EDC funding is to create employment.

"This financing might help them with employment, but it's going to take away from my business and that means I'll have to layoff at least one person."

Commissioners approved the special use permit by a nine to two vote. Commissioners Martin and Walter (Bud) Nobis cast the dissenting votes.



It takes half an ounce of gas to start the average car.

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For preliminary conversation**

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain indenture of Mortgage made on June 1, 1979, by WILLIAM R. SHANAHAN and L. MICHELE SHANAHAN, husband and wife, as mortgagor, given by them to AMERICAN BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, a Michigan banking corporation, of One Washington Square, Lansing, Michigan 48933, as mortgagee, and recorded on June 12, 1979, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, in Liber 305, Page 243; on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid as of the date of this Notice, the sum of \$78,967.53, inclusive of accrued interest; and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt or any part thereof secured by said indenture of Mortgage, and the power of sale in said indenture of Mortgage contained having become operative by reason of such default;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Friday, May 29, 1981, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front entrance to the Clinton County Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan 48879, that being one of the places for holding the Circuit Court for Clinton County, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder or bidders at public auction or vendue, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid on said Mortgage, together with all allowable costs of sale and includable attorney fees, the lands and premises in said Mortgage mentioned and described as follows:

The SE ¼ of the SW ¼ and part of the SW fractional ¼ of the SW ¼ of Section 30, T5N, R2W, DeWitt Township, Clinton County, Michigan, described as: Beginning at the SW corner of said SW ¼, thence running East 80 rods, thence North 60 rods, thence West 26-2/3 rods, thence South 24 rods, thence West 53-1/3 rods to the West section line, thence South 36 rods to the point of beginning; also the East 7 ½ acres of the said SW fractional ¼ of the SW ¼ of Section 30, T5N, R2W, DeWitt Township, Clinton County, Michigan.

The period within which the above premises may be redeemed shall expire one (1) year from date of sale.

Dated: April 29, 1981
AMERICAN BANK AND TRUST COMPANY
A Michigan Banking Corporation,
Lansing, Michigan, Mortgagee
FOSTER, SWIFT, COLLINS & COEY, P.C.
Attorneys for Mortgagee
313 South Washington Square
Lansing, Michigan 48933
224-151

Workshop offers canning tips

By CAROL A. BUTLER
Extension Home
Economist

Canning Time, the words evoke vivid memories for people who dwell in apartments and "eat out" often, who no longer have the time or inclination to preserve foods for their own consumption.

Not long ago, in countless Michigan households, the canning season began with rhubarb

and berries and ended only when the last green tomatoes were plucked from the vines before the first killing frost.

The memories recall more than pride and accomplishment. Canning was hard work and a matter of family economics. Inflation, ecology and nostalgia have led many modern homemakers to reconsider the question: "Is home canning of fruits and vegetables cheaper to-

day than buying canned goods?"

The answer is, it depends. It depends in part on weather conditions, use of pesticides, the amount of water needed by crops and equipment costs.

For persons interested in learning food preservation techniques or updating their present skills, "Master Canner" is worth looking into.

For more details, contact me at 224-3288.

CLINTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

SYNOPSIS FOR MEETING - MARCH 31, 1981

- Approved board minutes of 2-24-81 as printed.
- Approved agenda as amended.
- Adopted resolution changing date of Volunteer Recognition Day from April 27, 1981 to April 29, 1981.
- *Resolution on amending drain code referred to the Finance and Personnel Committee.
- Referred request of Clinton Development Corporation for a \$25,000.00 appropriation to continue drain maintenance personnel to Finance and Personnel Committee.
- Annual report of Probate Court presented by Judge Robertson. Report placed on file.
- Zoning ZC-1-81, Granger Land Development Company, Watertown Township, request for a special use permit to allow extraction of sand. Motion to comply with the recommendation of the Watertown Township Board and deny the permit failed. Motion to concur with the County Planning Commission recommendation and approve the special use permit carried.
- Zoning ZC-6-80, Text Amendment to OR-1-78, Clinton County Zoning Ordinance, Construction of Mobile Home Parks in Clinton County. Motion approving text amendment carried.
- Motion carried approving a revised department financing and staffing plan for Mid Michigan District Health Department and to proceed to obtain approval from Gratiot and Montcalm Counties.
- Chairman Overway opened public hearing on resolution to amend the Michigan Liquor Control Act - PA 433 of 1980. Motion carried adopting resolution approving the sale of spirits for consumption off the premises on Sunday after 12 noon.
- Annual report of Community Mental Health was presented by Tom Ennis and placed on file.
- Annual report of Department of Public Works was presented by Richard Hawks and placed on file.
- Annual report of Tri County Regional Planning Commission was presented by Herb Maier and placed on file.
- Annual report of Cooperative Extension Office presented by George McQueen and placed on file.
- Approved farm land applications under PA 116 1981-5 and 1981-7 thru 1981-13.
- Approved commissioners expense accounts for March as presented.
- Approved transfers from contingency to the following departments: \$400 to Development Control; \$10,500 to Administrative Services; \$3,160 to Data Processing; \$1,020 to Prosecutor's Office.
- Approved reimbursement for mileage on county travel to 22¢ per mile effective 7-1-81.
- Approved audited bills for March in amount of \$63,546.03 plus payroll for March in the amount of \$167,012.40 for a total of \$230,558.43.
- Approved transfer of \$32,020 from contingency to retirement budget for 1981.
- Appointed Ernest Carter to County Tax Allocation Board for 1981.
- Soil Conservation District 1980 activities report presented by Robert Moore and Dave Conklin.
- Board approved resolution allowing Victor Township to participate in the National Flood Insurance Program.
- Hawks and Martin reported on the NACO conferences held in Washington, D.C.
- Board rescinded action on moving Circuit Court Probation to District Court and authorized move to lower west wing in the Court House.
- Board authorized disposal of old incinerator located in back of the Court House.
- Board appointed Enid White as member-at-large to Community Mental Health Board for a three-year term.
- Board authorized reimbursement of \$50.00 to an inmate for clothing lost during incarceration at the jail.
- Board approved reimbursing Sheriff Posse members \$8 of the \$10 for gun permit fees.
- Board approved transfer from contingency to the following accounts: Historical Commission - \$189.00; Transportation - \$8,560.00.
- Board approved purchase orders to be initiated by July 1, 1981.
- Board appointed William LeFevre to the Building Authority.
- Board appointed Don Lowell to the Economic Development Corporation for a four-year term.
- Meeting adjourned.

**Jane Swanchara,
Clinton County Clerk**

Complete minutes on file in Office of County Clerk.

CLINTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

SYNOPSIS FOR MEETING - APRIL 20, 1981

- Approved minutes of March 31, 1981 as amended. Approved agenda as amended.
- Referred resolution from Mid-Michigan District board of Health opposing PA 522 to Human Services committee.
- Annual report of Department of Social Services presented by George Eberhard was placed on file.
- Annual report of County Clerk's Office presented by Jane Swanchara and placed on file.
- Approved farm land applications under PA 116, Nos. 1981-14 thru 1981-39.
- Board authorized County Planning Commission to not take action on farm land applications under PA 116.
- Board approved 1982 General Fund and Federal Revenue Sharing budgets as presented.
- Board tabled 1981 preliminary equalization report.
- Board approved transfer from Child Care Fund to Probate Court budget to cover wages of clerk-typist position from 4-20-81 thru 1-82.
- Board denied request of Clinton Development Corporation to provide 25,000 front money for county drain work to continue.
- Board approved hiring of temporary help in the Friend of the Court Office to complete work of inputting computer data.
- Board approved reduction of Friend of the Court budget from \$72,783 to \$55,548 and to establish a Friend of the Court Cooperative Reimbursement budget in the amount of \$25,061.
- Board approved modifying the County Personnel Policy, Section 10.1 to allow laid-off employees to purchase at their own expense county insurance not to exceed two additional months.
- Board adopted by-law changes, 1-8 for Mid-Michigan Health Department.
- Board supported HB 228 & HB 230 Re: general assistance payments to individuals.
- Meeting adjourned.

Complete minutes on file in Office of County Clerk.

**Jane Swanchara,
Clinton County Clerk**

Congratulations, Class of '81



Rosemary Wieber



Luke Hufnagel

Top students named

Heading the graduating class at Fowler High School are valedictorian Rosemary Wieber and salutatorian Luke Hufnagel.

Rosemary's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wieber. She plans to attend Lansing Community College to major in accounting and will eventually transfer to Michigan State University.

She was active in class offices, serving as treasurer this year. She was vice-president for her freshman and junior years. She is Student Council president this year.

Rosemary was a member of the band and a cheerleader. She was a member of the National Honor Society.

Luke's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hufnagel. He will attend Michigan State University to study computer science.

Luke participated in varsity football and basketball and was a member of the Fowler Band. He was president of the Varsity Club and treasurer of the Student Council. He also served as president of the National Honor Society.

Fowler students graduate May 31

Commencement: Sunday, May 31 at 2 p.m. at the Fowler High School Gym

Baccalaureate: Sunday, May 31 at 8:30 a.m. at Holy Trinity Church

Dale Armbrustmacher
Jeffrey Armbrustmacher
Ronald Armbrustmacher
Curt Becker
Michele Braun
Douglas Cook
Mae Farley
Ruth Fedewa
Keith Feldpausch
Lloyd Feldpausch


Mary Feldpausch
David Fox
Jane Goerge
Sandra Goerge
Steven Goerge
Mark Halfmann
Luke Hufnagel
Timothy Jandernoa
Cindy Klein
Denise Koenigsknecht

Joni Koenigsknecht
Marry Kramer
Janice Martin
Michael Middleton
Julius Motz
Gary Mueller
Beth Myers
Betty Myers
Kelly Paksi
Bruce Pohl

James Pung
Daniel Schafer
Sharon Schafer
Daniel Schmitt
Michael Schmitt
Dennis Schmitz
Julie Schmitz
Robert Schneider
Steven Schneider
Jeffrey Simmon

Ronald Simon
Sharon Simon
Stanley Simon
Kay Snyder
David Taylor
Joseph Theis
Dennis Thelen
Kurt Thelen
Laurie Thelen
Steven Thelen

Brenda Vance
Synthia Weber
Dale Weber
Sandra Weber
Thomas Weber
Kenneth Wieber
Rosemary Wieber
Patricia Wirth
Amy Jo Wohlert

A. J's Market 140 S. Main, Fowler 593-2115	Becker Furniture 123 S. Main, Fowler 593-3500	Goerge Plumbing Bauer Rd. 593-3520		
Becker's Bridal & Men's Wear 155 S. Main, Fowler 593-2595	Clinton Bank & Trust 124 N. Main, Fowler 593-2225	Fowler Auto & Farm Supply 10910 E. Second, Fowler 593-3343		
	Fowler Gas & Oil 10850 E. Second, Fowler 593-2155	Fowler Plumbing & Heating 248 N. Main, Fowler 593-2300	Fowler Portland Veterinary Service 10684 E. M-21, Fowler 593-9989	
	Hafners Electric 616 S. Main, Fowler 593-2188	William W. Jordon, D.O. L. John Osborn, D.O. 11017 W. 3rd, Fowler 593-2525	Matthews Elevator Co. 135 N. Bath, Fowler 593-2111	
At the top of the class Fowler High School named 12 top students for the 1981 graduating class. They are: Rosemary Wieber, Luke Hufnagel, Mary Feldpausch, Julie Schmitz, Michele Braun, Doug Cqok, Denise Koenigsknecht, Joni Koenigsknecht, Ken Wieber, Mae Farley, David Fox and Steve Goerge.		McNamara Welding & Machining 11041 Wayne, Fowler 593-9944	Parrs Pharmacy 128 N. Main, Fowler 593-2606	Roy N. Pung & Sons Excavating Inc. R. 1, Box 68 Kinley Rd. 593-2135
		Simon Bros. Trucking Inc. 468 Maple, Fowler 593-2377	Simon's Planing Mill Inc 268 Henderson, Fowler 593-2000	RSI Home Improvement 307 Oak, St. Johns 224-4021



Congratulations, Class of '81



Brent Simon



Irenna Garapetian

Commencement:

Sunday, June 7 at 2 p.m. at the Frank Buck Athletic Field



Carol Huguelet

St. Johns announces 3 top students

St. Johns High School has co-valedictorians this year with a grade point average of 3.9. Sharing the honor are Irenna Garapetian and Brent Simon. Carol Huguelet is salutatorian with a 3.86 grade point.

Irenna is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Herand Garapetyan. She was active in inter-scholastic gymnastics, tennis and softball. She was treasurer of the National Honor Society and active in the Drama Club. She also works at Clinton Memorial Hospital as a Candy Striper and has been active in 4-H.

She will attend Alma College, majoring in history as part of a pre-law program.

Brent's parents are Eugene and Lynda Simon. He has enrolled in the college of engineering at the University of Michigan.

Brent played baseball, basketball and football during his high school years as well as city league basketball and Pony League baseball. He was drum major of the Redwing Marching Band and also performed with the stage band and orchestra. He was class president his freshman year and has been a member of the National Honor Society for two years. He is an usher at St. Joseph Church.

Carol will attend Michigan Technological University to study metallurgical engineering. She was a National Merit Scholarship winner. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Dale Huguelet.

She was active in Drama Club and the National Honor Society. She received the DAR award this year.

Ten are at top of class

The top ten students for the 1981 graduating class at St. Johns High School are Charles Coleman, Irenna Garapetian, Carol Huguelet, Lisa

Ingalls, Sandra Schlarf, Jane Schueller, Brent Simon, Kristan Tetens, Kristin Valentine and Tom Vitous.



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	Roberts Ceramics 107 W. Railroad 224-4021	S & H Farms 1930 W. French Rd. 224-3264	St. Johns Ford-Mercury 1410 S. US-27 224-6711	
Searles Mobile Home Park 2265 Parks Rd. 224-7707	Treasure Chest 221 N. Clinton 224-2719	Mei Warren Agency 1515 N. US-27 224-4051	The Wheel Inn 1825 S. US-27 224-4263	Wildwood Pets & Plants 123 N. Clinton 224-8512
Carol Ann Shop 104 N. Clinton 224-4703	Strouse Oil Co. 603 E. Steel St. 224-3875	Bee's Chevrolet & Oldsmobile Inc. 2100 S. US-27 224-2345	Krogers 900 S. US-27 224-6841	Union Savings S. US-27 224-8991
St. Johns Michigan Federal Credit Union 201 E. State St. 224-4220	Julie K 110 N. Clinton Ave. 224-7345	Montry's Pizza & Sub Shop 210 N. Clinton Ave. 224-6708	Kentucky Fried Chicken 701 N. US-27 224-8355	Chris & Tom's Independent Garage 909 E. State 224-4603

★★★CLASS OF 1981★★★

St. Johns graduates 319

Julie Abbott
Linda Alcaraz
Robyn Anderson
Christina Argersinger
Thomas Argumedo
Linda Aurand
Julie Badeaux
Lynette Bailey
Susan Baker
Chris Ballinger
Julie Bancroft
Scott Bancroft
Tracy Barber
Patricia Barnes
Steven Baxter
Dean Beckner
David Belbeck
Michele Bellinger
Timothy Bellinger
Laurie Benner
Julie Bennett
Ramona Bergdolt
James Bertoldi
Gary Blasen
Sandra Boling
Jay Boyle
Kendra Bradley
Melinda Brock
Mary Kay Brockmyre
Colleen Brown
Glenn Brown
Jeff Brown
LuAnn Brownlee
Mary Bruin
Rick Brush
Cyndy Brya
Beth Buckley
Carolyn Buggs
Sally Burgis
Lori Burns
Kurt Bushre
Gary Campbell
Scott Chalmers
Scott Chamberlain
Gary Chant
Christine Chapko
Michelle Chiunti
Lori Chmiko
LaJeana Coan
Charles Coleman
Ronald Compeau
Loren Conklin
Kevin Cook
Lisa Cox

Jeffrey Cressman
Todd Cressman
Rodney Crowell
Timothy Curtis
Henric Dahl
Jeffrey DeBrabander
Annette DeMarais
Lisa Dewey
Timothy Dickman
Christine Dietz
Michael Dietz
Michele Doerr
Kellie Doss
Renee Douglass
Suzanne Downing
Nancy Droste
David Ebert
Eric Ebert
Brenda Eisler
Eric Esch
Chris Fairchild
Peter Favior
Chester Farrier Jr.
Jeffrey Farrier
Sue Ellen Federau
Bruce Fedewa
Dan Fedewa
Scott Fitzpatrick
Elizabeth Fleming
Paul Flower Jr.
Ann Fox
Michael Fox
Kenneth Frechen
Irenna Garapetian
Traci Gardner
Cathy Gavenda
Thora Geiger
Alana George
Geoffrey George
Todd Gilroy
Teri Gladden
Michelle Goodknecht
Mark Gove
Julie Western Gregory
Debra Groenke
Karia Grubaugh
Daniel Halfmann
Edward Hallenbeck
Denise Halstead
Craig Hankins
Craig Hardman
Lori Harrington
Kenneth Harris III
Kurt Hayes

Donald Healy Jr.
Michael Henning
William Henning
Truls Henriksen
Melanie Herendeen
David Higgins
Gerald Hine
Sandra Hollis
Renee Holmes
David Holstein
Michelle Houska
Teresa Hudson
Wm. Todd Hudson
Lori Hufnagel
Carol Huguelet
Wendy Huguelet
Mark Humenik
Thomas Hunt
Robert Hurst
Jayne Hyzer
Lisa Ingalls
Leah Jakus
Kimberly Japinga
Shelly Jelinek
Christopher Johnson
Diane Johnson
David Johnston
Elizabeth Jorae
Michael Jorae
Annette Juhala
Michael Keeler
Robert Kelley Jr.
Richard Kiel
David Kingsbury
Richard Kingsley
Kimberly Kloeckner
Ronald Koeppen
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Debra Krumm
Lori Kus
Debra LaBar
Todd Laskosky
Mark Latchaw
Stephanie Lawson
Mary Lopez
Tracy Low
Michelle Ludwick
Berlinda Lumbert
Marcia Lusk
Gregg Madar
Dave Magell
Gloria Maier
James Makara
Michael Makara

Jerry Malek Jr.
Donald Manke
Jeffrey Maples
Becky Marten
Debra Marten
Deborah Martin
Michael Martin
Marty Martinez
Salvador Martinez
Julie Marton
James Masarik
Richard Mathias Jr.
Dean Mazzolini
William McCarthy
Christopher Mee
James Mehney
Joseph Menovski
Jane Miller
Karen Miller
Terry Minarik
Venus Montry
Bryan Moore
Dave Morrison
Jon Musolf
Darlene Myers
Abraham Nemcik
Cindy Neuhardt
Alisha Niswonger
Eric O'Connell
Kevin O'Conner
Yoko Okino
Brian O'Shaughnessey
Patrick Osborne
Kendra Paksi
Shelley Pardee
Michael Parker
Jeffrey Pearsall
Krasheida Pease
Tammy Pease
Jeffrey Peck
Kimberly Peck
Jerald Peters
Larry Peterson
Deborah Phillips
Susan Pickworth
Blake Pierman
Jeffrey Pioszak
Russell Pitchford
Daniel Plowman
Lynette Price
Christine Pung
Stephen Pung
Ann Marie Purtil

Dianne Quick
Pamela Race
Karia Rademacher
Brenda Ralston
Ruth Rasdale
Tim Rayman
Penny Redmond
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Jay Richards
Michael Riley
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Kathleen Russell
Bruce Rutter
Mary Ann Salazar
Tony Salazar
Joel Salinas
Susan Sample
Gary Santrucek
Sharon Schafer
Sandra Schlarf
Janet Schmid
Sharon Schomisch
Jane Schueller
James Schutzenhofer
Cynthia Seagraves
Rhyne' See
Sherrie Sehlke
Rex Sevenski
Kenneth Sheldon
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Michael VeCasey
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Douglas Wise
David Witt
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Lori Woodbury
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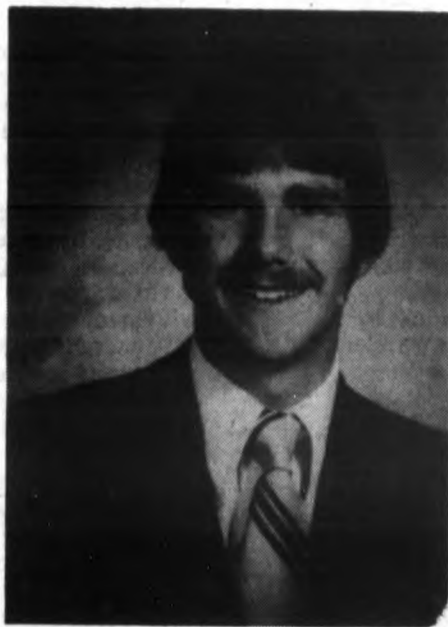
Class of '81

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Congratulations, Class of '81



Allen Martin



Bonnie Clark

O-E's top students report future plans

Ovid-Elsie High School's top two students are Allen Martin with a 3.91 grade point average and Bonnie Jean Clark with a 3.90.

Valedictorian Martin is the son of Larry and Margo Martin of Ovid. He plans to attend ITT Institute of Technology in Ft. Wayne, Indiana to major in electronics.

Salutatorian Clark is the daughter of Donald and Marilyn Clark of Elsie. She plans to attend Central Michigan University to major in computer science.

Top 10 announced

At Ovid-Elsie High School the top ten students in the 1981 graduating class were Bonnie Clark, Chris Horak, Brenda Hughes, Allen Martin, David Rood, Vicki Sehlke, Susan Somers, Wendy Truax, Angela Unterbrink and Kenda Winkler.

Commencement:

Sunday, June 7 at 3 p.m. at O-E football field

Baccalaureate:

Friday, June 5 at 8 p.m. in high school auditorium



Ryan Ackels
Walter Ackels
Cathy Adams
Edna Arnst
Michele Baese
Joena Baker
Heidi Barclay
Scott Bates
Brian Batora
Mary Jane Bearup
Douglas Behrens
Kevin Behrens

Dean Bendt
Sandra Billsbrough
Matthew Black
Lynn Bosom
Jennifer Bovan
Gary Brook
Bradley Byrnes
Mark Carter
Patricia Castle
James Chapko
Ronald Chapko
Bonnie Clark

Paula Clark
Brian Clock
Kip Coleman
Sheryl Conklin
James Craven
Karl Dahlke
Daniel DeVlieger
Jennie Ellis
Cindy Fent
Angelo Fogarty
Jeffrey Fowler
Darcy French



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	Bancroft's Clothing 105 S. Main, Ovid 834-2267	Canfield Photography 2499 N. Ovid, Ovid 834-5995	Carter Funeral Home 221 E. Main, Elsie 862-4311	
Cermak's TV Service 116 N. Ovid, Elsie 862-5440	Chamberlain Building Supply 218 E. Williams, Ovid 834-2300	Clinton Machine 1300 S. Main, Ovid 834-2235	Ovid Trucking, Inc. 431 W. Williams, Ovid 834-2480	Darling's 200 S. Main, Ovid 834-2252
Dutch House of Beef 5556 E. M-21 834-5575	Elsie Automotive 116 W. Main, Elsie 862-4431	Frolka & Wilson, Inc. Winfield Rd., Ovid 834-2450	Gene's IGA 120 S. Ovid, Elsie 862-4220	ITT Hancock Industries 1 Park Ave., Elsie 862-4293
Dick Hallead Ford 300 W. Main, Elsie 862-4286	Jenks Drugs 111 S. Main, Ovid 834-5640	Ka Rhon Campers, Inc. 7577 N. Hollister Rd., Elsie 862-5340	Levey's Jewelry 125 E. Main, Elsie 862-4300	Love's Upholstery 1164 S. Warren, Ovid 834-2442

O-E Seniors graduate, June 7

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Thomas Galecka
Paul Garcia
Paula Garcia
Dean Gilbert
Brenda Gingrich
Mark Ginther
Michael Ginther
Troy Ginther
Dale Greenhoe
Richard Griffin
John Grinnell
Lisa Hammond
Mary Harmon
Dennis Heinze
Jeffery Hettinger
Jeanette Hibbler
Donald Hier
Scott Himes
Rebecca Hincka
Shella Hindall
Bret Holton
Christopher Horak
Jerry Horn
Kevin Howard
Cherie Hrymecki
Benjamin Hubbard

Brenda Hughes
Martha Humble
Joseph Hurst
Albert Huss
Christopher Jones
Adriane Jordan
Scarlett Kaminski
Lyman Keesler
Betty Jane Kusnier
Michael Kusnier
Lori Kavalevog
Brenda LaLonde
Brian Lambert
Kevin Lance
Beth Latz

Jamie Lawrence
James Leland
Jennifer Litomisky
Christy Losey
Cheryl Lundquist
Barry Lyon
Mirja Makela
Allen Martin
Kathy Maynard
Robert McCue
Dayna Miller
Mark Miller
Terry Mitchell
Randy Montague
Barry Moore

Harold Morence
Donald Morgan
Cynthia Nicholas
James Nixon
Lonnie Nixon
Kathy O'Dell
Lisa Peck
Kenneth Peters
Kathleen Pierce
Michael Pierce
Janelle Price
Tamara Rann
Luann Redmond
Colleen Reha
Richard Rexin

Kenneth Reynolds
Maurice Roberts
Deanna Robinson
Angela Unterbrink
Bruce Valentine
Luch VanEffen
Michele Walker
Connie Warfle
Sherri Welch
Kevin Wilson
Eric Winkler
Kenda Winkler
Helen Wonsey
Mark Young
Jeffery Zemla

Christina Roldan
David Rood
Jeffery Ross
Robin Russell
Carl Salander
Mark Schoch
Victoria Sehlke
Brenda Sipka
Rebecca Slocum
Lisa Smith
Teresa Smith
Thomas Smith
Ralph Soliz
Douglas Somers
Susan Somers
Jamie Staley
Mark Staser
Jeffery Steavens
Jaeleen Swarhout
Shella Swarhout
Lisa Theriac
Douglas Thering
Allen Thompson
Carl Thornton
Kirk Tobey
Wendy Truax
Albert Trujillo

Fulton scholars named

Bradley Glazier and Nancy Kresge have attained top honors in the Fulton High School Class of 1981. He is valedictorian with a 3.96 grade-point average and she is salutatorian with an average of 3.95.

Bradley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Glazier of Perrinton. He plans to attend Davenport Business College in Grand Rapids.

Nancy's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kresge of Perrinton. She will attend Grand Rapids Baptist College.



Bradley Glazier



Nancy Kresge



Commencement: Sunday, June 7 at 3 p.m. in high school gym

Baccalaureate: Thursday, June 4 at 8 p.m. in high school gym



	<p>Min-A-Mart 9800 E. M-21, Ovid 834-5653</p>	<p>Nemanis Electric 201 N. Main, Ovid 834-2200</p>	<p>Ovid Air Service Max A. Miller 8664 Kinley Rd., Ovid 834-5191</p>	
<p>Ovid Oil Co. 108 N. Mill, Ovid 834-2828</p>	<p>Ovid Roller Mill 304 W. Front, Ovid 834-5111</p>	<p>Ovid Service Agency 104 N. Main, Ovid 834-2288</p>	<p>Owosso Speedway J B Sports Enterprises M-21, Ovid 834-2249 (313)727-2229</p>	<p>Research Tool Corp. 1401 S. Main, Ovid 834-2246</p>
<p>Riverside Laundromat 420 S. Main, Ovid 834-9632</p>	<p>Serviss Equipment Sales 307 W. Pearl, Ovid 834-2500</p>	<p>Sheldon Packing 657 Front, Ovid 834-2218</p>	<p>State Farm Insurance Harold Green, Ovid 834-2238 Frank Bernath, Elsie 862-4834</p>	<p>Steve's Refuse 4007 Carland, Elsie 834-5539</p>
<p>T & M Party Store 106 N. Main, Ovid 834-5803</p>	<p>Tri-Ami Bowling 9801 E. M-21, Ovid 834-2205</p>	<p>Carter Melvin Insurance Agency 122 W. Main, Elsie 862-4227</p>	<p>Loznak Auto Service 114 E. Main, Elsie 862-4330</p>	<p>Smith Party Store 109 E. Main, Elsie 862-4439</p>

Best Wishes to the Seniors of Pewamo-Westphalia



Pewamo-Westphalia High School chose to honor five top students this year. Graduating with high honors are: (left to right) Al Fox, Terry George, Sandy Thelen, Jane Cotter and Chris Thelen.

P-W has five top scholars

Pewamo-Westphalia Community Schools choose five top graduates.

Valedictorian is Sandra Thelen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Thelen. She plans to attend Central Michigan University.

Sandra's interest include outdoor activities, knitting, crocheting and cooking. She was class secretary and active in the high school play, serving one year as student director.

Jane is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Cotter. She was senior class vice-president, class council member and active in high school plays. She played softball, basketball and volleyball. Her interests are outdoor sports. She also will attend CMU.

Allen's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Fox. He was a senior class representative, a member of the Western Michigan Rifle and Pistol Club and Michigan Bowhunters Association. He likes all outdoor sports, especially bowhunting.

He plans to attend General Motors Institute and work in the Fisher Body cooperative education program.

Terry's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Edward George. He scored in the top four percent of the Michigan Mathematics Prize Competition test. He also likes archery and hunting. His future plans are to attend GMI, working for GMC at Pontiac through the cooperative education program.

Chris Thelen's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Thelen. He was class president his sophomore year, a student council member his junior year and student council vice-president this year. He lettered two years in football, basketball and baseball. His hobbies are golf, softball and fishing. He plans to attend Michigan State University to major in engineering.

All five top students were members of the National Honor Society for two years.



P-W students graduated May 27

Lori Arens
Sue Bengel
Kimberly Bissell
Janine Bower
Jeffrey Cassel
Denise Carter
Martha Coble
Daniel Cook
Joseph Cook

Mark Cook
Sandra Cook
Timothy Cook
Jane Cotter
Jonathan Cummins
Robert Davarn
Christopher DeMarco
Doreen Fedewa
Patti Fedewa
Kevin Fedewa
Allen Fox
Terry George
Edward Golupski
Bruce Hanses
Phillip Hanses
James Harmon
Darwin Hengesbach
Gary Hengesbach
JoAnn Hengesbach
Ruth Hengesbach
Steven Hengesbach
Leah Hill
Frederick Hogle

Dixie Hoskins
William Irrer
Charles Jegla
Kevin Jegla
Judy Kellogg
Bradley Kilchermann
Mark Kimball
Carol Klein
Daniel Klein
Lee Klein
David Klein
Lee Klein
Teresa Lawens
Angela Lipinski
Allan Martin
Duane Martin
James Martin
Melinda McQueary
Sharon McQueen
Terry Miller
Mary Nurenberg
Patti Nurenberg
Benita Palmateer
Brian Pfaff
Bruce Platte
Cynthia Platte
Laurie Platte
Martin Platte
Cynthia Pline
Gina Pline
Roger Pline
Kenneth Pohl
Laura Pohl
Michael Pohl
Daniel Pung
Ruth Pung
David Rademacher

Dianna Rademacher
Roxanne Rademacher
Jon Riley
Jon Riley
David Rockey
Robert Schaar
Brenda Schafer
Dean Schafer
Diane Schafer
Geraelyn Schafer
Jack Schafer
Kurt Schafer
Marcia Schafer
Nancy Schafer
Torie Schafer
Ann Schmitt
Craig Schmitt
Glen Schmitt
Kimberly Schmitz
Michelle Schneider
Ronald Schneider
Donna Simon
Therese Simon
Wanda Simon
Carol Smith
David Smith
Debra Smith
Gail Smith
Kevin Smith
Marilyn Smith
Robert Smith
Thomas Smith
Patricia Spencer
Kevin Spitzley
Luke Spitzley
Troy Spitzley
Brian Stump
Bonnie Stump
Brenda Stump
Thomas Theis
Brenda Thelen
Brenda Thelen
Charles Thelen
Chris Thelen
Daniel Thelen
Donna Thelen
Jan Thelen
Karia Thelen
Linda Thelen
Nita Thelen
Sandra Thelen
Thomas Thelen
Michael Trierweiler
Guy Walter
Kenneth Weitzel
Keith Wieber

Fedewa Builders, Inc. 6218 Wright Rd., Fowler 593-2101 or 587-3811	A.L. Smith & Son, Inc. Plumbing 201 A. W. Main St., Westphalia 587-3184	Adgates Supermarket 106 Main, Westphalia 587-3451
Duane Blatt State Farm Insurance 401 E. Main, Fowler 587-3051	Dick Cook T.V. 15437 Price Rd. Westphalia 587-3071	Davarn Equipment 137 W. Main, Pewamo 593-3363
	Devereaux Saw Mill 2872 Hubbardston, Pewamo 593-2552	Heinold Hog Market Bluewater Hwy., Pewamo 593-2180
	Miller Upholstering 111 N. State, Pewamo 593-3411	Pewamo Elevator 133 N. State, Pewamo 593-3330
		Maynard Allen State Bank Portland, Westphalia, Sunfield 587-3111
		Schafer Heating & Air Conditioning 110 N. State, Pewamo 593-3666
	B. Schafer Petroleum Inc. 346 E. Main, Pewamo 593-3550	Smith's Towne Hardware 113 W. Main, Westphalia 587-4361
		Westendorff Ready Mix 3344 Hubbardston, Pewamo 593-2488
	Westphalia Bldg. & Supply Co. Box 25, Westphalia 587-3571	Westphalia Electric, Inc. 119 W. Main, Westphalia 587-3983
		Westphalia Milling Co. 310 W. Main, Westphalia 587-4531



Competition decides cosmetology awards

The Clinton County Shared-Time Cosmetology Program's Annual Spring Competition was held May 5.

Cosmetology student performed a haircut on a live model. Winners were: first place, Lori Wey, model Ken Keener, DeWitt; second place, Patty Wirth,

model Mike Wirth, Fowler; and third place, Sally Burgis, model Jeri Ann Burgis, St. Johns. Honorable mention was given to Shelly Gladstone, model Kent Webb, DeWitt.

awarded to Shelly Gladstone with model Shelly Kruger of DeWitt. Honorable mention was given to Denise Carter with model Nancy Schafer of

Pewamo-Westphalia. All first, second, and third place winners received engraved silver charms showing the categories of competition. Judges were:

Ann Palmer of Ann's Coiffures, St. Johns; Sharon Acino of Acino's Studio One, Lansing; and Tom Cleland of The Gazebo, Lansing.



Val Ouderkirk

Val Ouderkirk of DeWitt displays the hair style that won first place in the Junior Hair Styling division at the Clinton County Shared-Time Cosmetology Program's Annual Spring Competition. Val also won first place in the creative styling competition.

The junior Cosmetology students created their own wet roller sets and comb-outs on mannequins. Awards were won by Val Ouderkirk, first place; Shelly Greenhoe, second place; and Kim Gill, third place. All are from DeWitt. Darla Redmond of St. Johns received honorable mention.

Both junior and senior students competed in the Creative Styling category. Each student created her own style, ranging from wet sets to French braids on live models. First place was taken by Val Ouderkirk of DeWitt with model Jane Greenhoe of Ovid-Elsie. Second place was won by Mary Stevens with model Donna Feldpausch, both of St. Johns. Third place was



Winners of the logo contest sponsored by the Community Development Committee at Clinton Memorial Hospital were announced last week. First place winner, Kellie Doss, center won a \$100 savings bond; second place winner, Kelly Rolfe, \$50, and third place winner Mary Schneider, \$25. Ken Moore, left, represents the St. Johns Industrial Group who gave the third prize and Brandon White II, right, Clinton Bank and Trust, second place donor. Art Halfman, second from left, chaired the event. (Photo by Sue Kiley White)

ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF FOWLER PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT CLINTON COUNTY, MICHIGAN TO BE HELD JUNE 8, 1981

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Annual Election of the School District will be held on Monday, June 8, 1981, in the multi-purpose room of the Waldron Elementary-Middle School Building, in the Village of Fowler, Michigan.

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

At the Annual School Election there will be elected two (2) members to the Board of Education of the district for full terms of four (4) years, ending in 1985; and one (1) member for an unexpired term of two (2) years, ending in 1983.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCIES:

FOUR YEAR TERMS	TWO YEAR TERM
Allan Armbrustmacher	Ruth Ann Feldpausch
Dorothy Bertram	
John C. Rademacher	

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

I. MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSITION

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Fowler Public School District, Clinton County, Michigan, be increased by 19 mills (\$19.00 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation for the year 1981, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes (this being a renewal of 19 mills for operating purposes which expired with the 1980 tax levy)?

II. BONDING PROPOSITION

Shall Fowler Public School District, Clinton County, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Three Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$350,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefor, for the purpose of erecting, furnishing and equipping an industrial arts addition to and partially remodeling the high school building; and developing and improving the site?

III. ADDITIONAL MILLAGE PROPOSITION

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Fowler Public School District, Clinton County, Michigan, be increased by 1.8 mills (\$1.80 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation for the year 1981, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes (this being a separate proposal in addition to the increase submitted in Proposition I at this same election)?

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT THE BONDS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, IF APPROVED BY A MAJORITY VOTE OF THE ELECTORS AT THIS ELECTION, WILL BE GENERAL OBLIGATION UNLIMITED TAX BONDS PAYABLE FROM GENERAL AD VALOREM TAXES, SAID BONDS TO MATURE OVER A PERIOD OF APPROXIMATELY SIXTEEN (16) YEARS.

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

I, Gerald E. Shepard, Treasurer of Clinton County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of March 19th, 1981, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Fowler Public School District, Clinton County, Michigan, is as follows:

By Clinton County:	None
By Bengal Township:	1 Mill, 1981
By Dallas Township:	None
By Essex Township:	None
By Lebanon Township:	None
By Riley Township:	None
By the school district:	None

Gerald E. Shepard
Treasurer, Clinton County, Michigan

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

Dorothy Bertram
Secretary, Board of Education

ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF PEWAMO-WESTPHALIA COMMUNITY SCHOOLS IONIA AND CLINTON COUNTIES, MICHIGAN TO BE HELD JUNE 8, 1981

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Annual Election of the School District will be held on Monday, June 8, 1981, in the Pewamo-Westphalia High School Building.

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

At the Annual School Election there will be elected two (2) members to the Board of Education of the district for full terms of four (4) years ending in 1985.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCIES:

Diane Hicks
Carl Pfaff
Mary Ann Schmitt
D. Eileen Smith
Joan Thelen

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

TAX RATE LIMITATION INCREASE PROPOSITION FOR OPERATING PURPOSES

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Pewamo-Westphalia Community Schools, Ionia and Clinton Counties, Michigan, be increased by 21.157 mills (\$21.157 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation for the year 1981, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes (18.5 mills of the above increase being a renewal of 18.5 mills for operating purposes which expired with the 1980 tax levy and 2.657 mills being additional operating millage)?

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

I, Lucille Heppe, Treasurer of Ionia County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of May 1, 1981, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Pewamo-Westphalia Community Schools, Ionia and Clinton Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Ionia County:	.00125 Unlimited
By Lyons Township:	None
By North Plains Township:	None
By Portland Township:	.0005
By the school district:	None

Lucille Heppe
Treasurer
Ionia County, Michigan

I, Gerald E. Shepard, Treasurer of Clinton County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of May 1, 1981, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Pewamo-Westphalia Community Schools, Ionia and Clinton Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Clinton County:	None
By Bengal Township:	1 Mill 1981
By Eagle Township:	None
By Lebanon Township:	None
By Dallas Township:	None
By Riley Township:	None
By Westphalia Township:	None
By the school district:	None

Gerald E. Shepard
Treasurer
Clinton County, Michigan

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

Donald S. Walter
Secretary, Board of Education

Obituaries

Richard Meinke

Richard W. Meinke, 69, of 326 W. Main St., Maple Rapids died May 20, 1981 at Carson City Hospital.

He was born in Detroit, December 26, 1911, the child of Charles and Ida (Jacks) Meinke. He lived most of his life in the Warren and Roseville area, moving to Maple Rapids three years ago.

He was retired from the Udyllite Corporation of Warren where he had worked in the maintenance department.

He was married to Isabelle Miller in Detroit, August 1, 1936. She survives him as do a daughter, Barbara Knight of Maple Rapids, two grandchildren and three sisters, Mrs. Virginia Green of California, Mrs. Viola Elle of Mt. Clemens and Mrs. Dorothy Wisner of Farmington.

Funeral services were held Saturday, May 23 at the Duross Funeral Home, Warren with burial in White Chapel, Troy. The Rev. Kenton Gottschalk officiated.

Richard Jenks

Richard Jenks, 113 E. High St., Ovid, died Thursday, May 21, 1981 at Owosso Memorial Hospital. He was 55 and a lifelong Ovid resident.

Mr. Jenk's body was cremated and private graveside services were Sunday afternoon, May 24, at Maple Grove Cemetery.

Mr. Jenks owned and operated Jenks Drug Store since 1950. He was born to Howard and Florence (Boyd) Jenks on July 6, 1925 in Ovid. He graduated from Ovid High School in 1943 and in 1950 graduated from Ferris State College as a registered Pharmacist. He and Evelyn Mogg were married Aug. 1, 1947 in Lansing. Mr. Jenks was a member of the Ovid Business Association, the

VFW, and served with the U.S. Coast Guard during World War II.

Surviving are his wife, Evelyn; son, Richard of Ovid; two daughters, Mrs. Suzanne Moore of Chesterton, Ind., and Mrs. Sally Glowney of Laingsburg; and five grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the Department of Medicine, Michigan State University, in Richard Jenks name. Envelopes are available at the Houghton Chapel.

Blanche Emmert

Funeral services for Blanche Emmert, 89, of 325 N. Ovid St., Elsie were held Sunday afternoon, May 24, at the Carter Funeral Home, Elsie. The Rev. David Mills officiated and burial followed at Riverside Cemetery, Elsie.

Mrs. Emmert died Friday afternoon, May 22, 1981 at the Ovid Convalescent Manor. She was the child of James and Almeda Wooley, born May 22, 1892 in Laingsburg. She married Oliver Emmert, who died in 1940.

Mrs. Emmert resided in Detroit 35 years and the past several years in Elsie. She was a member of the United Methodist Church in Elsie. Surviving are several cousins.

Melvin Crowner

Melvin Crowner, 3580 W. Howe Road, DeWitt, died Wednesday, May 20, 1981 at the age of 71.

Funeral services for Mr. Crowner were held Saturday morning, May 23, at the DeWitt Area Chapel with the Rev. Floyd Soper and the Rev. Lavern Bretz officiating.

Mr. Crowner was born in Clinton County on May 31, 1909 to Arthur Crowner and Adah Sturgis Crowner. He and Veda Bessinger were married on June 12, 1931 in Lansing. Mr. Crowner resided most of his life in

DeWitt.

He was a member of Iron Union Church, Masonic Lodge No. 272 of DeWitt.

STATE OF MICHIGAN
CIRCUIT COURT
COUNTY OF SHIAWASSEE

NOTICE OF HEARING
File No. 81-00-109 CZ

IN THE MATTER OF THE
MAPLE RIVER INTER-COUNTY
DRAIN

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a PUBLIC HEARING will be held in the Courthouse in Corunna, Michigan, before the Circuit Court for the County of Shiawassee on Thursday, June 11, 1981, at 9:00 a.m. or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard for the purpose of determining whether or not proceedings calling for the cleaning out, relocation, construction of dams and pumping stations in the drain known as the Maple River Drain shall be continued in its present form or shall be altered or terminated.

The Petition regarding said hearing has been brought by the Maple River Inter-County Drainage Board for Shiawassee, Clinton and Gratiot County and the Directors of the Departments of Agriculture in charge of drains. The Board has filed a petition asking the Circuit Court for the County of Shiawassee for instructions plus to give an opportunity for all and any interested property owners to be heard on the manner to proceed in the future as the costs involved in the project are now far in excess of those originally contemplated.

ALL INTERESTED PARTIES may appear and be heard on said matter.

Dated: May 21, 1981

Inter-County Drainage Board
W.J. Drillock P12960
Attorney for Inter-County Drainage Board
3030 Gurdon T. Wolfe Avenue
Marlette, Michigan 48453

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CONSTRUCTION BOARD OF APPEALS NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Clinton County Construction Board of Appeals will conduct a Public Hearing on Tuesday, June 2, 1981 in the Courthouse Annex located at 1003 S. Oakland Street, Lower Level St. Johns, Michigan.

The subject of the Public Hearing will be the consideration of the following cases:
Case CBA-1-81 - Watertown Township - Appeal

An application for appeal has been filed by Mr. Glen George, contractor on behalf of Franchino Mold and Engineering located at 5867 West Grand River Avenue, Lansing, Michigan. The appeal is filed pursuant to Section 15, Rule Number 125.151 of the State Construction Code. The appeal requests a variation to Article 12, Section 1202.8, Table 305 and Table 214 of the 1978 edition of B.O.C.A., as amended. Relief, if granted, would allow the construction of an addition to the above referenced facility which would exceed the square footage allowed by the above denoted sections.

The proposed addition is located on the following legally described parcel of property:

Beg: 1752' S of NW cor to Hwy. of Sec. 35, T5N-R3W, Th S. 75° 30' E 754', Th S 4°W 1357', S 1150' to PM RR Th W 631' to W sec. In Th N 2612' to beg. Exc. 1 Ac in NW cor. thereof also exc. beg. S 75°30'E 424'. E of NW cor. thereof, Th Se'ly 197', S 16°, W 188', S 322', W 124', N 554' to beg. Wa 516.

The application for appeal and the Michigan Construction Code are available for public inspection in the Department of Development Control located at 1003 S. Oakland Street, St. Johns, Michigan 48879 between 8:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M., Monday through Friday. Interested persons are requested to attend the hearing and voice their opinions in respect thereto or written comments may be forwarded to the Department. Please call 224-6761, Ext. 221 for further information.

J. Anthony Nelson, Director
Department of Development Control

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Eastern Star of DeWitt and the Oldsmobile Quarter Century Club. Mr. Crowner was employed as a master electrician by Oldsmobile, retiring after 41 years of service.

Surviving are his wife, Veda; two sons, Jack of Louisville, Ky., and Robert of Dallas, Texas; and five grandchildren.

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ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION

**NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF
ST. JOHNS PUBLIC SCHOOLS
CLINTON AND GRATIOT COUNTIES, MICHIGAN
TO BE HELD
JUNE 8, 1981**

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Annual Election of the School District will be held on Monday, June 8, 1981, in the School District.

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

At the Annual School Election there will be elected one (1) member to the Board of Education of the district for full term of four (4) years ending in 1985.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCY:

Roy J. Ebert
Leonard Puetz
Daniel Redman
Joanne Tennant

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

I. MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSITION

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in St. Johns Public Schools, Clinton and Gratiot Counties, Michigan, be increased by 18.25 mills (\$18.25 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation for a period of 3 years, 1981, 1982 and 1983, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes (17.75 mills of the above increase being a renewal of 17.75 mills for general operating purposes and .50 mill for maintenance and repair of school facilities all of which expired with the 1980 tax levy)?

II ADDITIONAL MILLAGE PROPOSITION

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in St. Johns Public Schools, Clinton and Gratiot Counties, Michigan, be increased by 3.5 mills (\$3.50 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation for the year 1981, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes (this being a separate proposal in addition to the increases submitted in Propositions I and III at this same election)?

III. ADDITIONAL MILLAGE PROPOSITION

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in St. Johns Public Schools, Clinton and Gratiot Counties, Michigan, be increased by 2 mills (\$2.00 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation for a period of 2 years, 1981 and 1982, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes (this being a separate proposal in addition to the increases submitted in Proposition I and II at this same election)?

THE VOTING PLACES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

PRECINCT NO. 1
Voting Place - Auditorium of the Rodney B. Wilson Jr. High School.

PRECINCT NO. 2
Voting Place - The East Essex School.

PRECINCT NO. 3
Voting Place - Eureka School

PRECINCT NO. 4
Voting Place - East Olive School.

PRECINCT NO. 5
Voting Place - Riley Elementary School, 5935 W. Pratt Road.

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

I, Gerald E. Shepard, Treasurer of Clinton County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of April 24, 1981, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in St. Johns Public Schools, Clinton and Gratiot Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Clinton County:	None
By Essex Township:	None
By Greenbush Township:	None
By Duplain Township:	None
By Bengal Township:	1 Mill 1981
By Bingham Township:	None
By Ovid Township:	None
By Riley Township:	None
By Olive Township:	None
By Victor Township:	None
By Watertown Township:	None
By Westphalia Township:	None
By the school district:	None

**Gerald E. Shepard
Treasurer
Clinton County, Michigan**

I, Julie A. Luneack, Treasurer of Gratiot County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of March 24, 1981, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in St. Johns Public Schools, Clinton and Gratiot Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Gratiot County:	(Gratiot-Isabella Spec. Ed. No. 2-1980), .75 mills
By Fulton Township:	Extra Voted/Spec. Assmt. - Middleton, 2.05 mills
	Extra Voted/Spec. Assmt. - Pompi, 1.16 mills
	Extra voted - Street Lights - Spec. Assmt. - .50 mills
By Elba Township:	None
By Washington Township:	None
By the school district:	None

**Julie A. Luneack
Treasurer
Gratiot County, Michigan**

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**R. Lee Ormston
Secretary, Board of Education**

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Dogs need spring check says local veterinarian

By NANCY ZEIMEN

After a cold winter spent keeping warm, your dog may love nothing better than frolicking in the great outdoors. To keep your pet safe from life-threatening airborne viruses prevalent in warm weather a spring check-up complete with boosters is recommended.

Parvo virus and heartworm are two diseases expected to be on the increase this year, but simple procedures and vaccinations can prevent them, as well as rabies and distemper.

Dr. J.M. Hinson of the DeWitt Veterinary Hospital and Hinson Veterinary Hospital said bulletins from both the U.S. Department of Agriculture and the Center for Disease Control in Atlanta, Ga. report parvo virus is on the increase.

"Parvo virus is expected to be much, much worse than last year," said Hinson.

Parvo virus causes per-

sistent vomiting and diarrhea and can kill a dog within in 72 hours, Hinson said.

A plentiful supply of the vaccine for the virus is available, Hinson said. Treatment of the disease is possible, he said, but it must be caught early. A dog never before vaccinated needs two doses, two weeks apart. A booster shot, needed every year thereafter, can be combined with boosters for distemper and rabies.

Dr. Hinson said the virus is concentrated in areas with a high dog population and is seen at a greater rate in puppies and older dogs.

Along with yearly boosters, a check for heartworm is an important part of your dog's spring check up.

Heartworm is spread totally by mosquitos and can be detected immediately from a blood test.

To prevent heartworm,

owners give their pets a daily pill or liquid from April 15 through Nov. 15.

Dr. Hinson said the treatment for heartworm once the dog has contracted it is

tough on the dog.

"It's hard on its system," he said. "The dog has to spend four to seven days in the hospital for the treatment."

Dr. Hinson warned the preventative medication for heartworm should not be given to your dog without first getting a negative blood test. If the preventative medication is given to a dog with heartworm it could prove fatal. Spring check-ups are just for dogs, cats should

also be checked since airborne viruses can cause harmful upper-respiratory diseases.

STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT
COUNTY OF CLINTON

PUBLICATION AND
NOTICE OF HEARING

Estate of Hazel D. Mead, Deceased, File No. 20308.
TAKE NOTICE: On June 2, 1981 at 9:30 A.M., in the probate courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan, before Hon. Marvin E. Robertson Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the Petition of Gale H. Mead, Personal Representative, for the allowance of his Final Account.

Dated: May 19, 1981
S/Gale H. Mead
120 E. Clinton
Ovid, Michigan 48866

Robert H. Wood, Maples & Wood P-22531
306 N. Clinton
St. Johns, Michigan
Phone: 224-3238
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CLINTON COUNTY
PLANNING COMMISSION
REZONING OR SPECIAL USE
PLANNING COMMISSION

Notice is hereby given that the Clinton County Planning Commission will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday, June 10, 1981 at 7:30 P.M. in the auditorium of the Rodney B. Wilson Junior High School, 101 West Cass St., St. Johns, Michigan 48879.

The subject of the Public Hearing will be the consideration of the following case:

Application of a special use permit to permit the expansion of the Granger Sanitary Landfill.
Case ZC-41-80 - Watertown Charter Township - Granger Land Development Company.

At this hearing, the following described property which generally lies within an area bordered by Grand River Avenue to the south, I-96 to the north, and adjacent to the east of the existing Grand River Sanitary Landfill located at 8550 West Grand River, will be considered as the site for the issuance of a special use permit to permit the expansion of said landfilling operation.

The following legally described parcel of property entails the existing site and the proposed expansion which entails 93.54 acres.

Com. at a pt. on the E-W 1/4 In. dist. S89°58'41" E 1316.40' from the W 1/4 cor. of Sec. 29, T5N-R3W, Watertown Township, Clinton Co., MI, th. N00°19'38" E alg. the W 1/8 In. 2278.35' to a pt. on S r/o/w In. of I-96, as now located, th. alg. sd. S limited access r/o/w on arc of a curve to the right sd. curve having a delta angle equal 14°03'45" radius of 5626.58' long chord bearing & distance equal S77°29'16" E1377.50' a distance of 1380.96' th. S66°05'38" E 153.95' to the P.C. of a curve to the right sd. curve being the S. limited access r/o/w in. of I-69 Eastbd. turning roadway as now proposed & having a delta angle of 31°08'16" radius of 2784.79' long chord bearing & distance equal S50°25'03" E 1494.86' a distance of 1513.41' th. S. 34°50'55" E 545.20' to a pt. on S In. of the N. 4/5 of NE 1/4, Sec. 29, th. N89°42'41" W alg. sd. S. In 85.60' th. S34°50'55" E 73.21' th. S00°21'03" W1774.96' to a pt. on c/l of Grand River Ave. (formerly US-16) sd. c/l being the c/l of the 100 foot being 50' either side of the c/l, r/o/w th. alg. sd. c/l the following courses: N74°53'07" W1654.94' N76°45'31" W 1083.81' N78°49'55" W 263.56' to the intersection of sd c/l and the W 1/8 In. 576.69' to POB. The above described lands contain 180.99 acres, are subj. to rights of public over the N'ly 50' of Grand River Ave. & all other easements and restrictions of record, if any.

The application of special use and OR-1-78, The Clinton County Zoning Ordinance are available for public inspection in the Department of Development Control located at 1003 S. Oakland St., St. Johns, Michigan 48879 between 8:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M., Monday through Friday. Interested persons are requested to attend the hearing and voice their opinions in respect thereto or written comments may be forwarded to the Department. Please call 224-6761, ext. 221 for further information. J. Anthony Nelson, Director Department of Development Control

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CLINTON COUNTY
PLANNING COMMISSION

Notice of Amendment
OR-1-78, The Clinton County
Zoning Ordinance

To whom it may concern:

Pursuant to the provisions of Act 183 of 1943, the County Rural Zoning Enabling Act as amended, notice is hereby given that the Clinton County Board of Commissioners has adopted Ordinance numbers OR-7, 8 and 10-81 which amend OR-1-78, The Clinton County Zoning Ordinance, in the following manner.

OR-7-81 Rezones from B-3, Highway Service to A-1, Agricultural, the following described parcels of property:

Legal Property Description: Com. 264' E of the SW cor. of SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 21, T7N-R1W, th. N 330', th. E 132', th. S 330', th. W132' to POB.

Com. at the SW cor. of SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Sec. 21, T7N-R2W, th. N 330', th. E 132', th. S 330', th. W 132' to POB.

Com. 132' E of SW cor. of SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Sec. 21, T7N-R2W, th. N 330', th. E 132', th. S 330', th. W 132' to POB.

OR-8-81 Transfer and/or Expiration of Special Use Permit.

Amending Article 7, Section 7.1.9(A) in the following manner:
The language delineates parameters which would permit the transfer of a valid special use permit from a present landowner or operator to a subsequent owner or operator. The proposed amendment is an expansion and a clarification of existing text language.

OR-10-81 Text Amendment Lot Division.

Amending Article 4 by adding a new section. The supplement will permit the County to allow lot divisions in recorded plats upon approval from the Clinton County Zoning Board of Appeals, contingent upon compliance with the dimensional requirements of the Clinton County Zoning Ordinance for that zone district.

Ordinance numbers OR-7,8 and 10-81, become effective the day following its approval by the State of Michigan, Department of Commerce. The effective date is May 14, 1981.

Copies of OR-1-78, The Clinton County Zoning Ordinance, as well as the amendments are available for purchase or inspection in the Department of Development Control, located at 1003 South Oakland Street, St. Johns, Michigan between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M., Monday through Friday. Please contact Mr. Jack Nelson at 224-6761, ext. 221 for further information.

Mr. Roger A. Overway
Chairman, Clinton County Board of Commissioners
Mrs. Jane Swanchara
County Clerk

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage made on the 6th day of September, 1972, between John H. Ammarman and Candace J. Ammarman, husband and wife, Mortgagors, and CAPITOL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION, Mortgagee, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Clinton, State of Michigan, on September 8, 1972, in Liber 267, Page 282, said Mortgagors' interest having been subsequently assumed by JOHN R. HOWELL and VIVIAN L. HOWELL, husband and wife, by way of Warranty Deed dated August 16, 1974, and recorded in Liber 352, Page 220, Clinton County Records, on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this Notice for principal, interest and taxes, the sum of ELEVEN THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED THIRTY-TWO AND 18/100 (\$11,332.18) Dollars and an attorney fee of SEVENTY-FIVE (\$75.00) DOLLARS allowed by law, as provided in said Mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the monies secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, on the 5th day of June, 1981, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the North entrance of the Clinton County Courthouse, in the City of St. Johns, County of Clinton, State of Michigan, that being one of the places where the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton is held, sell at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in the said Mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount as aforesaid due on said Mortgage, with Seven (7%) percent interest, and all legal costs, together with said attorney fee, which said premises are described as follows in said Mortgage:

The West 60 feet of Lot 12, AND the North 10 feet of the West 60 feet of Lot 11, all in Block 12, Village (now City) of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan, according to the recorded Plat, thereof, in Plat in Frame on Wall in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan. Subject to easements, restrictions and rights of way of record.

The length of the redemption period as provided by law is Twelve (12) months from the time of sale.

Dated: May 6, 1981

CAPITOL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION

CUMMINS & CUMMINS
400 Capitol Savings & Loan Bldg.
Lansing, Michigan 48933
Attorneys for Mortgagee

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WATERTOWN CHARTER TOWNSHIP

SYNOPSIS OF REGULAR BOARD MEETING May 11, 1981

Synopsis of regular board meeting. All board present except Syver Thingstad, who was excused.
Pledge given to our Flag.

Agenda accepted as added to.
Minutes accepted as corrected. Treasurer's report accepted.

Bills read and ordered paid.
County Commissioner reported on matters at county level.
Parks and Recreation discussed Labor Day Chicken-Bar-Q, details, stating that beer tent will be closed at 10:30 p.m. and dance will end at 11:00 p.m. Much vandalism at parks.

Sewer bid for Haussman project let to J. P. Glaeser & Sons.
Public Comment time: Questions asked about sand and gravel being removed from Granger Landfill. Attorney will be present at May 18th hearing in St. Johns.

Gary Zimmerman variance request discussed. Moved to grant request.

Petitions signed by 249 citizens to request Township go their own zoning were turned in after April meeting. The Township Board, in response to these petitions, have appointed a Task Force to study ramifications of own zoning, costs, implementation, etc. Committee consists of Don Garlock, Tom O'Bryant, Leon Clark, Jr. Don Lowell, Dan Gorman, Jane Smith and Duane Ellis.

John Fox hired to mow grass and maintain property at Francis Road.

Township Board voted to rezone Township Complex property from A-1 to R-1A.

Meeting adjourned.

Mildred F. McDonough, Clerk

Wm. Vaughn Montgomery, Supervisor

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STATE OF MICHIGAN
CIRCUIT COURT
COUNTY OF CLINTON

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL
ESTATE ON FORECLOSURE
File No. 79-2645-CH

FRANK GAZDA and HELEN GAZDA,
Husband and Wife, Plaintiffs,

vs.

WILLIAM E. ROY and FRANCES O. ROY,
Husband and Wife, Defendants.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Order of Sale entered by the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton, State of Michigan, on the 25th day of March, 1981, in favor of Frank Gazda and Helen Gazda, Husband and Wife, against William E. Roy and Frances O. Roy, Husband and Wife, Defendants, the following-described premises shall be offered for sale to the highest bidder at public auction to be held by the Sheriff for the County of Clinton or his Deputy at the front entrance of the Courthouse, City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan, on the 8th day of June, 1981 at 11:00 a.m.:

Land in the Township of Ovid, County of Clinton and State of Michigan, described as: Commencing at a point 309.9 feet East of the Northwest corner of the East 1/2 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 17, T7N, R1W, in Michigan, thence South 235 feet, thence East 278.1 feet, thence North 235 feet, thence West 278.1 feet to the place of beginning, containing 1.5 acres of land more or less.

Redemption-Period: Six Months

Dated: May 4, 1981

ANTHONY A. HUFNAGEL
Sheriff of Clinton County, MI

By: Victor Lotycz
Deputy Sheriff

James A. Moore
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117 E. Walker Street
St. Johns, MI 48879
Phone: 517-224-3241

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Obituaries

Otis VanOstran

Otis VanOstran formerly of Bath died Tuesday, May 26, 1981 at Lansing Hospital. He was 93.

Funeral services for Mr. VanOstran were held Wednesday afternoon May 28, at the DeWitt Area Chapel with the Rev. Thomas VanDyke officiating. Burial is at Pleasant Hill Cemetery in Bath.

Mr. VanOstran was born Oct. 20, 1887 to Loren and Ida (Haggerty) VanOstran in Bancroft. He married Frieda Gutzki. She died several years ago.

Mr. VanOstran was a retired farmer and resided most of his life in Bath. He was a member of Capitol Lodge F and AM No. 266.

Surviving are one son,

Loren of Holt; five grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Christopher

Weiderer

Christopher Wayne Weiderer, infant son of Michael and Deborah (Tillman) Weiderer, 215 W. First St., Ovid, died seven hours after birth on Friday, May 22, 1981 at Sparrow Hospital, Lansing.

Gravesida services were Wednesday morning, May 27, at Hillcrest Memorial with the Rev. Earl Copelin officiating.

Surviving are his parents, Michael and Deborah; brother, Michael Shawn at home; grandparents, Mrs. Georgiana Weiderer of Ovid, Gloria Ann Collins of Baltimore, Md., and Fletcher Tillman of Hawthorne, Fla.

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