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## Urbaniak is chess champ

Ray Urbaniak was named champion of the St. Johns City Chess League for the 1980-81 season, the result of May tournaments.

Urbaniak outplayed Jack Spencer for the number one spot and received the first place trophy. Spencer was second, Henrik Dahl, third and Joe VanRooyen, fourth.

The Chess League started the season with 14 men and women, including some high school students. It is only the second year of competition for the club but the organization operated for a number of years as a casual gathering for interested players.

A new league season will start after Labor Day.

## Pewamo sets summer festival

St. Joseph Church of Pewamo will host a Summer Festival, Sunday, June 7 from noon until 11 p.m. Special features include a family style roast beef and ham dinner with serving from 11 to 4 p.m., a parade, quilt and money raffle, games and bingo. A garden tractor pull starts at 2 p.m. and a teen dance at 8:30 p.m.

## Public lunch to be served

The Senior Drop-in Center will serve a public luncheon from 11 to 2 p.m., Monday, June 8. Soup, sandwiches and pie are on the menu.

## Tennis courts close for repair

The tennis courts at the northwest corner of the St. Johns City Park will be closed the week of June 14 for repairs.

Residents are reminded that courts are available at the south end of the park and on the north side of the city on Ottawa Street across from the water plant.

Florence Acre Ewer, 82, gave the commencement address at Ovid-Elsie High School's adult education graduation ceremonies, Sunday, May 31. "I have had this dream of someday going back to school..." she explained to the audience of 320 who came to see the 21 adults grads receive diplomas.

"If I learned one thing, it is that age is no barrier. If you want something badly enough, shift into high gear and go after it," she advised. (Photo by David Olds)



## Voters decide June 8

# Schools plea for more millage

Clinton County schools are calling voters to the polls, Monday, June 8 to decided ballot proposals, all asking for additional millage for operation.

Bath, Fowler, Ovid-Elsie, St. Johns and Pewamo-Westphalia are all asking for additional mills for operation and Fowler is seeking a \$350,000 bond issue for a shop addition at the high school. DeWitt Schools staged an April election and successfully passed three extra mills for five years along with an eight mills renewal.

At Bath voters are looking at two proposals for operating millage on the ballot. Proposal B is asking them to continue for the next three years, the 23.68 mills approved for the 1980-81 year. In addition, Proposal C requests approval of an additional mill (1) for one year. A mill brings in approximately \$59,000 to the Bath district.

Fowler's board of education is asking for approval of two operating packages; a renewal on 19 mills for operation and a 1.8 mills issue for additional operation. The 1.8 mills will bring approximately \$80,000 to the Fowler district and will help avoid part of \$121,346 in anticipated cuts. Also on the Fowler ballot is the \$350,000 bond issue and according to school administrators, passing the three issues will not raise the district's millage because nearly that many mills in debt retirement expired this year.

Reductions in debt retirement also help the Ovid-Elsie taxpayer this year. With 1.7 mills expiring, the school district's request for 23 mills for operation will only mean a net increase in total school millage of 1.5 mills over the 1980 levy.

At Ovid-Elsie the millage request is in one package and includes a 20 mill renewal plus three additional mills for a period of one year. Earmarked for the district's general fund deficit, which is estimated at over \$300,000, are 1.5 mills. Passage of the two proposals will allow the district to continue operating present school programs. The replacement of programs cut this year will depend strictly on the final state aid package, according to school officials.

St. Johns voters will decide on three separate ballot proposals. The successful passage of two of the proposals will maintain the current school program and acceptance of all three will restore some programs for students that were eliminated or reduced this year.

The first ballot proposal is a request for a renewal of 18.25 mills for operating purposes for three years. A half mill is earmarked for maintenance and repair of school facilities.

School officials say the 18.25 mills will not permit the district to maintain current programs for next year and if only this proposal passes, \$700,000 will have to be cut from next year's budget.

The additional two proposals on the ballot, Proposition II for 3.5 mills and Proposition III for 2 mills are requested as supplements to avoid the \$700,000 worth of cuts. Proposition II will allow the St. Johns district to

keep its present program; Proposition III will enable the district to restore some of the \$574,000 in program reductions and other cuts made during the school year.

Pewamo-Westphalia School District voters are being asked to approve a package for 21.157 mills which includes a renewal of 18.5 mills and 2.657 additional mills. The request is for one year. P-W schools face a \$123,797 deficit for the upcoming year if additional millage is not passed.

One mill raises one dollar per \$1,000 in state assessed property valuation in Clinton County districts.

## Nurses, hospital stalled in talks

By SUE KILEY WHITE

After a day and a half of mediation, nothing has been resolved between the Clinton Memorial Hospital administration and the nurses organization, according to Sue Cleaver, the nurses spokesman. Nurses voted last week by a 37-1 margin to strike on Tuesday, June 9 if their demands are not met.

"We met all day long Tuesday and still nothing has been settled," said Mrs. Cleaver. "The nurses organization has made significant changes in what they want and we're still getting nowhere."

The spokesman indicated one of the major problems in the talks has

been getting the long-term nurses up to what they consider the proper pay scale.

"The problem comes with implementing a 'catch-up' program for the long-term nurses," she commented. "They've gone so long without any kind of increase."

The average starting pay for a RN head nurse at Clinton Memorial Hospital is \$7.08 per hour. The highest paid nurse on the staff receives \$7.91 per hour. What the nurses are asking for will bring the starting wage of nurses up to \$7.79 per hour.

"We've compared Clinton Memorial with hospitals in Carson City,

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## Candidates race for school posts

Board of Education candidates will join millage propositions on the June 8 ballot at all county schools.

In Bath only Dean N. Sweet, Jr.'s name will appear on the ballot but incumbent, Sam Palmatier has had a change of heart and is running a sticker campaign.

DeWitt School District has two positions open on their board and incumbent Clare Boughton faces two newcomers, Thomas Kamppinen and Kenneth Price.

In Fowler, Ruth Ann Feldpausch runs unopposed for a two year slot.

Other Fowler candidates, incumbent Dorothy Bertram, Alan Arbrustmacher and John C. Rademacher, are after two four-year seats.

In Ovid-Elsie two positions are open for four year terms.

Newcomers Wanita Byrnes and Robert Parker face incumbents Larry Martin and Board President Frank Rivest.

Pewamo-Westphalia voters must choose between five candidates for two four year positions. Running are incumbent Carl Pfaff and Diane Hicks, D. Eileen Smith, Joan Thelen and Mary Ann Schmitt. Louis Pline is not seeking re-election.

In St. Johns, four candidates vie for one seat. Incumbent Leonard Puetz faces Joianne Tennant, Daniel Redman and Roy J. Ebert.

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Some of the recommendations may cost very little or nothing at all. Some you may be able to do yourself. Others will require the services of a contractor. In any case, the Home Energy Analysis puts you under no obligation to carry out any of the recommendations. However, you probably will want to do at least some of these, because now you will know a great deal more about how to make your home energy efficient.

Whether or not you decide to have a Home Energy Analysis, please read

the booklet that comes with your June bill or by a separate mailing. It lists many things you can start doing right now to save energy and money. The booklet also tells you about assistance you can get from your utility to help you make your home more energy efficient—with or without the Home Energy Analysis. Lists of contractors and lenders, as well as do-it-yourself information also are available from your utility.

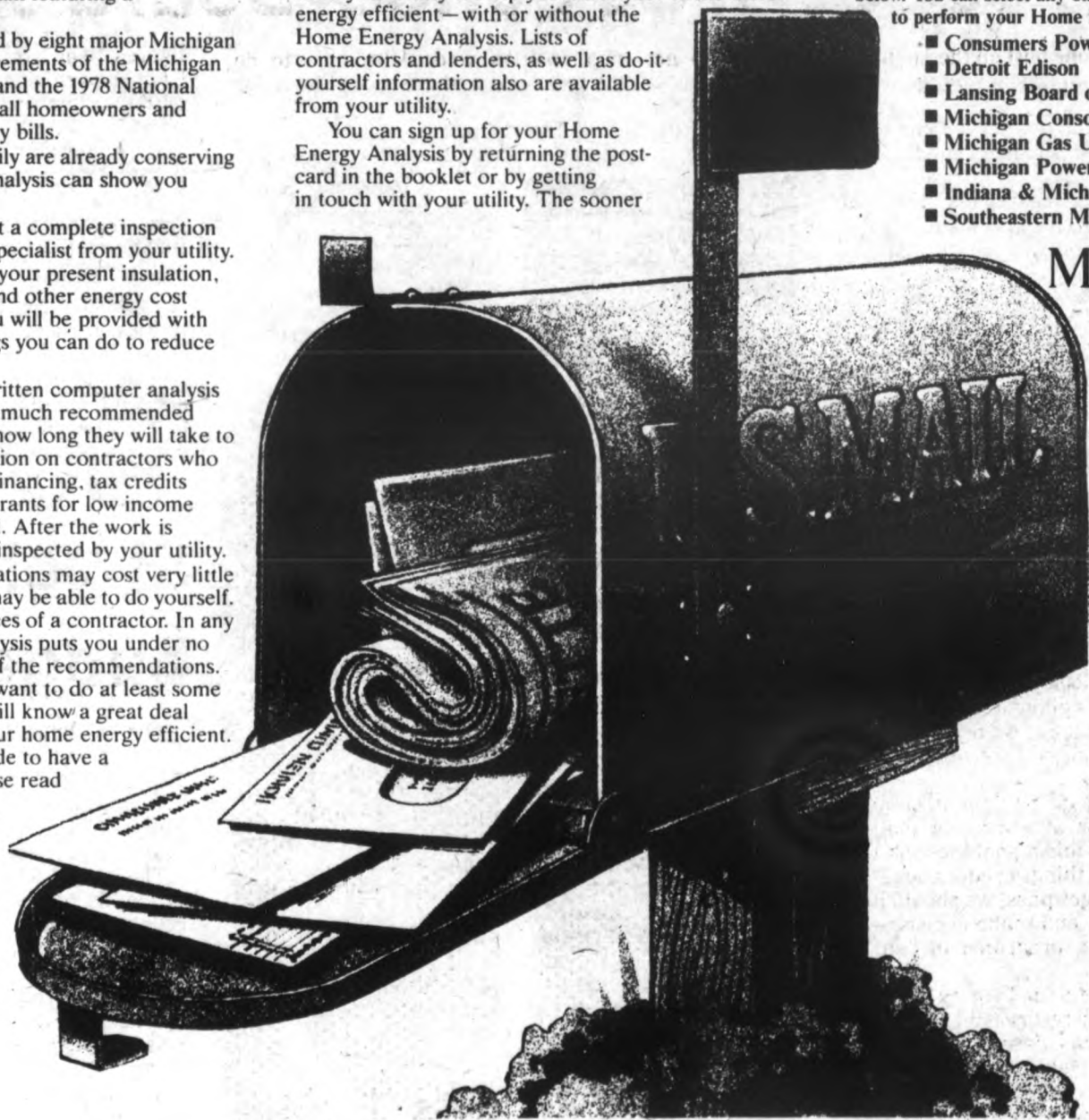
You can sign up for your Home Energy Analysis by returning the post-card in the booklet or by getting in touch with your utility. The sooner

you sign up, the sooner you can start reducing energy waste in your home.

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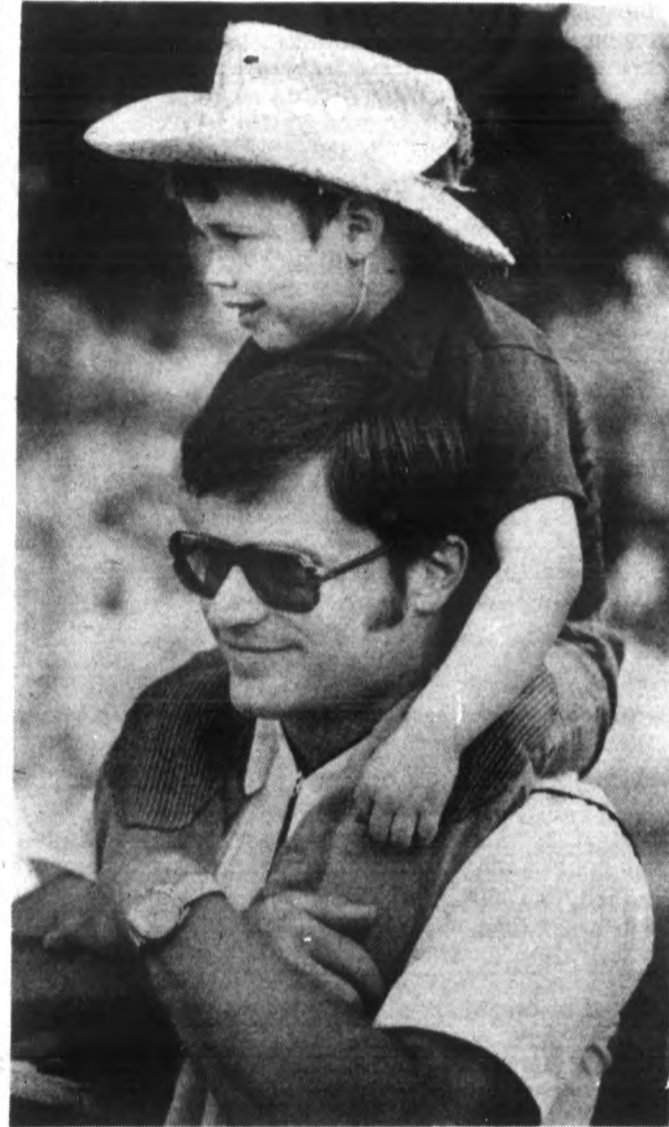
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## Everyone loves a parade

Everyone loves a parade and three-year old Ronnie Keilen is no exception. His perch on his father's shoulders (Ron Keilen) gave him a full view of the St. Johns High School Marching Band at the Memorial Day Parade, last Thursday

evening. The annual event is sponsored by the American Legion and the V.F.W. and ends in special ceremonies at the cemetery. (Photos by David Olds)



## Finances concern SJ school board candidates

Four candidates are seeking one post on the St. Johns Board of Education in the annual school election, Monday, June 8.

Incumbent Leonard Puetz, who has served one term on the board, faces newcomers, Joianne Tennant, Dan Redman and Roy Ebert.

Puetz said he seeks re-election because his "job's not done. I haven't accomplished what I had hoped to. I'm still a concerned parent and still a concerned tax payer."

As do his three opponents, Puetz supports the three millage proposals that St. Johns has on Monday's ballot. "I support the millages because I can see the need," he said. "This will be a terrible job to have if we don't get additional funds."

Puetz said that his four years on the board have been spent "fire-fighting" instead of being able to build a constructive program. "When there isn't enough money, you go from one problem to another instead of being able to build," he explained.

"I think we have a good system and a good reputation and if we are going to maintain this, I feel we need the extra millage," he said.

Puetz said that the trouble with school financing lies in state control of the State Aid formula and he feels reform in that area could do more good for local schools than tax reform. "We have to look at the formula and the state's control of it," he explained. "Schools are most definitely in trouble financially; we need the state to stabilize its support and then allow districts to pick up what more they need locally."

Speaking of priorities, Puetz said, "I think it's important for us to go back and look at where our district should be going. We should establish goals to look forward to. We have to look at new things in education," he said. "If all the millage packages pass, we should look at our total education program and make decisions on what to add. It might be new programs instead of replacing those already cut."

Puetz said he wasn't "much of a fund equity person," and opposed having too large of a reserve fund.

The incumbent is a St. Johns native, a full time farmer; father of four children. He's served on the audit and finance committee, the bargaining team and has been treasurer of the board for two years.

"We need someone on the school board who will listen," Joi Tennant said of her candidacy. "People speak out at meetings and the school board members are not really listening to what they say. If there is a deep problem, they are only looking at the top of the issue."

Mrs. Tennant feels there is a "big gap" between the people and the board of education. "Someone has to be on the board who will sit and really listen to what people are saying, if we are ever going to mend the conflict between the schools and the community." She said that she has been attending board meetings for six years, "being vocal and expressing my feelings on education. Now it

is time to get in a position where I'm able to do something about the problems and concerns I have for our district."

She said the school board must establish priorities and goals. "We need long range plans of where we are

figures," she said. "As a society we have turned over a lot of child raising to schools. If we lessen the adults in a system, children will begin to learn more from their peers."

She maintains that "the basis of our society is for mature people to give help and examples to our younger people." "As soon as we put more people into a classroom, the less time for a teacher to notice and make an influence on each child."

Mrs. Tennant feels that the community must be "responsible for the support all extra curricular activities, or choose to have none."

"We can't pick our favorite sports and ignore the students who are interested in the less popular sports," she said. "Children do not choose an extra-curricular activity because it's a money maker for the school. We can't set certain sports up as privileged."

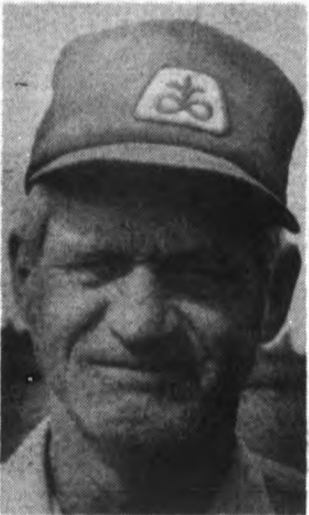
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Joi Tennant



Roy Ebert



Leonard Puetz



Dan Redman

going with education, where we would like to be in five years," she said. "We need plans for how we are going to keep up with educational trends."

"What we establish as our priorities are statements to our children, our community and all of society," she said.

She places teachers and the relationships they have with children as a top priority in a school district. "Those impressions last far longer than facts and

## St Johns city budget approved

The St. Johns City Commission approved the city's \$3,754,438 budget at a public hearing, May 26.

General fund expenditures which include administration, the police and fire departments, the Department of Public Works, parks and recreation and capital improvements, total \$1,401,040.

The budget for the 1981-82 year is based upon levying 14.1 mills, down from last year's 17.4 mill levy. The reduction is due to a .3 mill drop in debt levy and the removal of the three mills garbage service levy which has been replaced with a \$44 service fee.

City taxes this year plus the garbage service charge will keep the homeowner's total city bill close to what it was last year, according to City Manager Randy Humphrey.

The drop in mills to be levied and the drop in garbage service charges will be balanced by an 11 percent increase in value on city property which came with the county's equalization factor.

The \$3,754,438 budget includes \$195,149 for local streets and \$157,603 for major streets, covering new construction and maintenance projects. Earmarked for improvements to railroad crossings in the city is \$60,000.

Capital improvements total \$239,294 in the city budget and include a \$37,100 payment on the new Industrial Park property which will eventually come back to the city as land is purchased there.

Ten thousand dollars of this year's budget has been set aside for capital improvements for the Fire Hall and a similar amount put in a fire truck reserve.

# Fowler school board candidates speak out

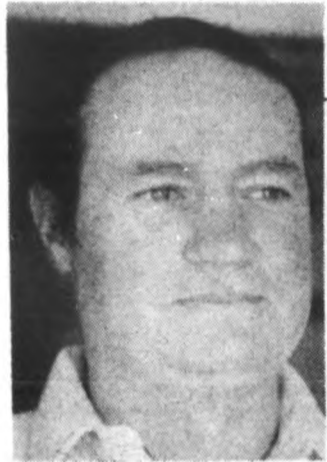
By SHARON RANDALL

In Fowler, three candidates vie for two four-year Board of Education posts and Ruth Ann Feldpausch is unopposed for a two-year post.

Incumbent Dorothy Bertram is just finishing her first term on the board. She is, however, one of the longest serving members, as the Fowler board has changed board members at each election the past three years.

Opposing her for the two spots are Alan Armbrustmacher and John C. Rademacher.

Mrs. Bertram said her feelings for running have remained much the same as they were four years ago when she first sought the position. "The children of Fowler are my main concern," she said. "I also feel we have to maintain fairness to the administration and to



Armbrustmacher



Bertram

the teachers."

She said she feels the present administration is a good one and "I would like to keep it," she explained. She said Superintendent Gary Jackson is "open and honest and fair. He also wants the board to be involved," she said.

She also said that her experience on the board has given her a background to go on. "I feel I've learned a lot in the past two years," she said. "I really feel that four years are not enough." She indicated that changing members make it difficult for a board to function. "People aren't on long enough to learn all the rules and regulations," she said.

Financially, according to Mrs. Bertram, Fowler is not as bad off as a lot of districts. "I don't feel things are going to get worse," she said, "not if we are careful. It's important to trust your administration. Our superintendent is new but he's very well informed and knows what's going on in all areas," she explained. "We really have a lot going for us at Fowler," she said. "We have an excellent teaching staff, good school help, and the greatest kids around."

Fowler is asking for renewal of its present 19 mills operating millage plus a separate 1.8 mills for operating. "The whole board supports the extra," she said. "The reason we went that way was because of feelings we picked up at a public meeting."

If the extra operation millage does not pass, Fowler will be faced with the decision to make \$131,000 in cuts. "Even without the 1.8 extra, we'll still cut \$65,000," Mrs. Bertram said.

She places education and the basics as top priority in a school district. "As much as I love sports, I feel we

must save education first," she explained.

"Students need sports or something as an outlet and for motivation," she said. "We must keep looking for ways to make cuts so the kids won't suffer."

She said that it was important for the board, the community and the school to work together.

Mrs. Bertram is employed at Realty World in St. Johns. She has four children in Fowler schools and has lived in the community for 10 years.

Alan Armbrustmacher thinks it's time for him to become involved in school activities.

He is employed as a commercial builder by the William Reichenback Company of Okemos. "I think my background in the construction industry would be helpful, especially in planning the new shop. (A \$350,000 bond issue is also on the ballot to build a shop addition to the high school).

"I figure sometimes a person should do a little extra," Armbrustmacher explained, "I grew up in the area and went to Fowler to school. Now it's time for me to take my turn and do my part."

He said that everyone in the community is concerned right now because of financial problems the school is facing. "People are concerned about taxes and everyone has less money coming in."

He said he was also concerned about the cuts that might have to be made from the school program.

He supports the bond issue for the shop, saying that he sees a real need for more room there. "Shop is quite important, especially to rural kids," he said. "I can see definite benefits to a good shop program."

Armbrustmacher supports the renewal of the 19 mills. "They've got to have that," he said. But he's uncertain about the 1.8 mills additional. "Until you get on a board, it's hard to determine need," he said. "If I was on the board and had all the information and understood that there was a need, then I would support it," he explained.

"With taxes like they are right now, it's hard to vote

for another tax raise."

He said Fowler, like other schools, have got to "review their whole program. "We are going to have to cut back more and more towards the basics," he said. "We have to make a priority list and decide what subjects are really just frills and basics really are today."

He is personally in favor of a good sports program and band and says they both help students even when they are out of school. He attributes leadership and "pulling together to achieve something" skills to these two activities.

"Most kids who do well in sports, later do well in life," he maintains.

He says he is going into the school board position "with an open mind. Once I see how things are running, I'll make the best judgements I can."

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Rademacher



Feldpausch

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# Personality Profile

## Exchange students add spice to high school

By TIM JEFFERY

After calling St. Johns home for nearly a year now, it's time for Truels Henriksen, Yoko Okino and Henrik Dahl to start gathering the memories and good times they've shared and return to families, thousands of miles away.

The past year has been one the three exchange students will carry with them throughout the rest of their lives. In fact, while they are anxious to reunite with loved ones in their native countries, the stay in St. Johns seemed much to short.

"It's been fantastic," Truels, whose home is Oslo, Norway, points out. "We've really learned a lot. I can't find a word to answer how great it has been. You may have to be an exchange student or be in another country to explain it."

Yoko, from Tokyo, Japan and Henrik, of Espergaerde, Denmark, express the same kind of feelings as Truels, although Yoko wasn't so sure when she first arrived.

"I thought American people would be more selfish, but now I don't think that way," she said. "It's quite peaceful and people are really kind. She then recalled her first few days at St. Johns High School and said, "I was really afraid to walk down the hallway among the tall people." "At home I'm not short, but here I am."

The three students have adjusted well in the classroom and are thankful for the extra time spent by teachers helping them out. However, Henrich explained, "It was difficult at first. I started taking notes in Danish and listening in English and that didn't work."

The other students in school often had a tendency to speak slowly when first meeting one of the exchange students and, Yoko pointed out, seemed suprised to learn things weren't all that different in Tokyo or the other cities abroad.

"Sometimes people are suprised when I say we eat pizza in Japan. We have TV Guide and soap operas too," Yoko said.



Yoko Okino

Henrik and Truels were encouraged to come to the United States as exchange students, but Yoko didn't receive the same kind of urging in Japan.

"When I get home they (people in Tokyo) think it will be hard for me to get married because I have seen too much here and also because I will be a year behind in school. That will make me the oldest student in my class," she said.

Thus, Yoko did most of the work on her own in coming to St. Johns. She picked up much of her English language skills by watching American television and listening to the radio back home.

For Truels, the trip to the U.S. is not his first. His sister, whom he has visited, lives in California. Ironically, she was also an exchange student some 15 years ago, in Pennsylvania, and married a classmate.

When asked if a similar occurrence might be in store for him, Truels laughed and said, "My mom told me not to look too hard."

Henrik whose family in St. Johns, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Swift, had an exchange student with them last year, has visited Florida and traveled through some of the Western United States, since becoming an exchange student. He pointed out, this has been his first time here, but certainly not the last.

Truels hopes to study physical therapy in college and would prefer to do so in the United States. He was a member of the St. Johns swimming team during the winter and may have a scholarship in the works at Utah State.

Truels also considered playing football last fall, but changed his mind. "I knew these guys here probably knew all the dirty tricks from playing for so many years, so I thought being manager of the girls swim team would be better for me."

One of the problems the trio has faced, is having to be without a driver's license. Foreign exchange students are not allowed to drive and covering distances here is much more difficult, especially when the three were used to hopping on a bus or a subway.

Yoko pointed out the driving age is 20 in Japan, while for Henrik and Truels, it's 18. Henrik's sister in Denmark recently acquired a driver's license, for which she paid \$700.

According to each of the exchange students, America has an upper leg in the music industry.

"When you listen to the radio at home, the station plays a variety of music. Here you can pick your station for a certain kind of music," Henrik said. "I like your music much better," he added.

Truels has also taken advantage of the boom, explaining he has bought over 40 albums in his year's stay.

Denmark requires males to spend at least a year in the military and Norway has a nine-month stint, which Truels may have to encounter. Both Truels and Henrik stated they felt it was good to serve their country.

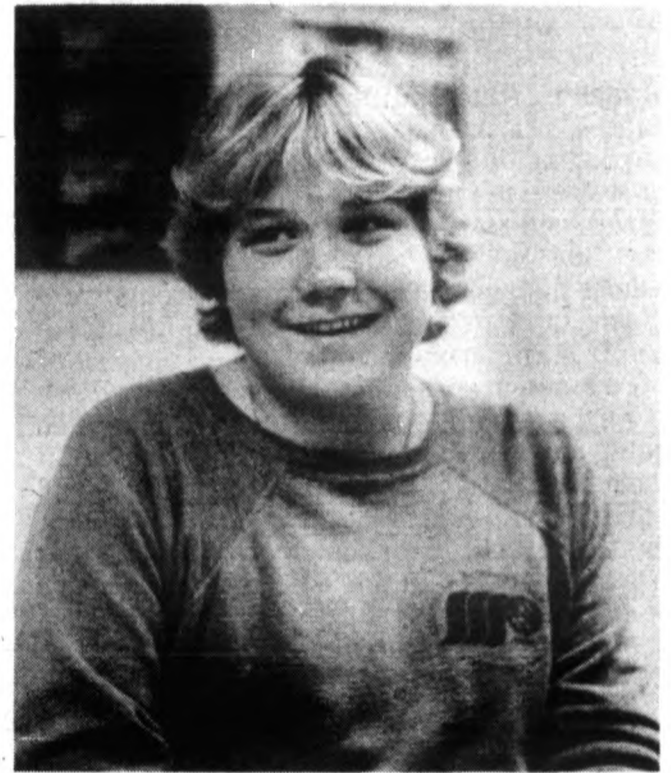
When discussing the military, an interesting topic came up. None of the three exchange students knew the words to their respective national anthems, while all three were familiar with the Star Spangled Banner.

"Everybody knows the national anthem from watching the Olympics," Yoko said. They also commented on how the Star Spangled Banner is played before sporting events, but the same does not hold true at home.

"In Denmark, you'll only see a flag if you really look for one," Henrik said. "Here you see them on buildings and in all the classrooms."

Truels is scheduled to leave for home on June 23 and he has already started shipping some belongings.

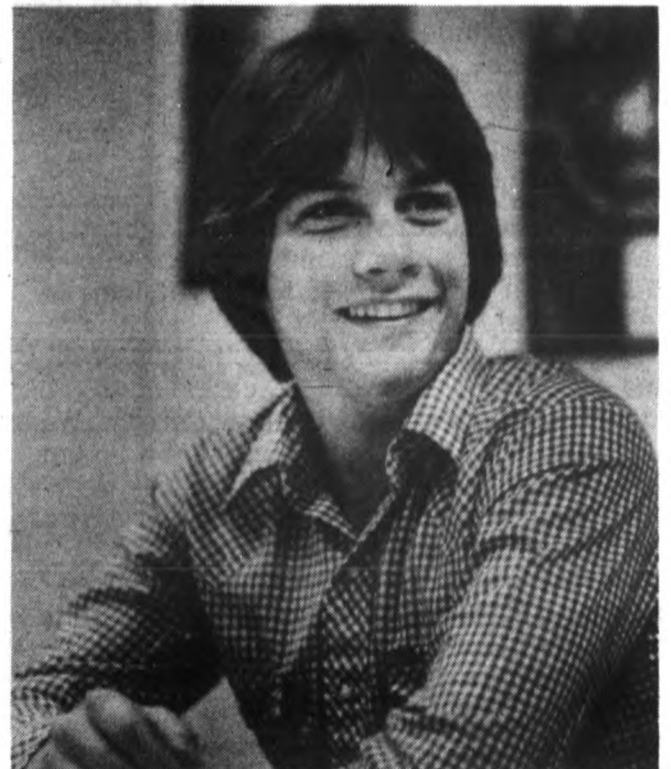
Yoko and Henrik will depart in July and for Yoko it will be a sad time. "It's hard to tell my host family (Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Phillips) about my departure. We don't talk about it yet," she says.



Truels Henriksen

Truels' stay has been with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Munger. He says he has thought a lot about leaving. "If I could take my family and friends from back home and live here, that might be nice, but Norway is my home. I guess if you could go in the middle of the Atlantic Ocean and take the best from each place, that would be perfect," he indicated.

Next year at this time, Truels, Henrik and Yoko will be readjusted to living the lives they've been accustomed to for most of their years, but in the back of their minds, there will always be a second home.



Henrik Dahl

### Looking ahead

**REGULAR MEETING** of the Clinton County Disabled American Veterans will be held at the home of Carl Light, 302 E. State on Friday, June 5 at 8:30 p.m. This group is disabled Americans helping other wartime veterans with their problems.

**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.

**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, call Jerry at 593-3283.

**CLINTON COUNTY LALECHE LEAGUE MORNING GROUP** will meet at 9:30 a.m. June 10 at 5188 N. Scott Road. The topic will be "Overcoming Difficulties." Phone 224-6084 or 224-7741 for more information.

**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.

**THE MID-MICHIGAN DISTRICT HEALTH DEPARTMENT** immunization clinic will be held in St. Johns at the Clinton County Service Building, 306 Elm St. on June 8, 15, 22, 29 by appointment only. Call 224-7772 for an appointment.

**SCHEDULE FOR THE CLINTON COUNTY DROP-IN CENTER INCLUDES:** Monday, June 8 a public lunch will be held with soup and sandwiches and homemade pies. Everyone welcome.

Wednesday, June 10, blood pressure screening will be held from 10 am to 12 noon. Dick Allen will be the guest speaker at the noon luncheon.

Friday, June 12, Gayle Nutt, a speaker from Substance Abuse will be at the noon luncheon.

**AN APPRECIATION DINNER FOR ST. JUDE'S SENIOR CITIZENS** will be held June 14 at 2 p.m. at St. Jude's Church. For St. Jude's senior citizens the dinner is free. Adults will be charged \$5 and children \$3. The dinner is being sponsored by the DeWitt Knights of Columbus.

Tickets are available for senior citizens at the church. Tickets are for sale at the Willard J. Reed Agency, DeWitt or any K of C member.

# Editorial Page

## Our opinion

### Voter approval will maintain school programs

If there's anything different about the approaching school millage elections, Monday, June 8, it's the year area schools have just put behind them.

Budget cutting, declining enrollments, severe cuts in state funding of extras like busing and special education, have caused school district personnel to go through programs and expenditures with a fine tooth comb, eliminating the fat.

To make it worse, in many schools the 1980-81 cuts are additions to cutting that has been going on for as many as five years. Some of it hasn't hurt at all. The prosperous sixties and early seventies were a growth time and an experimental time for school programs. It was a period of new buildings, better wages, more specific training. It was a time of unlimited supplies and equipment. Budgets were fat. The public approving.

But times have changed. Property taxes, the basis of school financial support, have skyrocketed putting stress and tension on taxpayers who are also being hit with the thralls of inflation in every area of their lives, often coupled with inadequate raises in personal income.

Hardest of all to understand is that rising local taxes have not necessarily been to the advantage of schools. As local monies increased, a failing state economy caused withdrawal of state aid funds.

Taxpayers are protesting by refusing requests from their local schools. In St. Johns an increase in millage has not been passed in five years. Ovid-Elsie taxpayers refused last year to bail their school district out of an unfortunate financial crisis and chose instead to make massive cuts to programs and personnel.

And while everyone admits that something must be done about property taxes, little relief has come. Antagonism towards taxation has been steadily building and rightly so. The trick comes in pointing that vengeance in the right direction. It can no longer be against local schools.

Area school districts are at the end of the line. Additional cuts will wrack havoc to the educational systems of Clinton County. We urge negative voters to ponder what it is that they are opposing in every case the additional requests for operating will only help retain present levels of programs.

In other words, the extras this year, aren't extras. They are requests for the mills necessary to keep going at the present rate.

The millage elections facing St. Johns, Ovid-Elsie, Pewamo-Westphalia and Bath come very close to being desperate situations. These districts cannot continue cutting without severely hampering children and programs. Fowler taxpayers are in a somewhat better situation because of a debt retirement and while it is just as much of a necessity that they pass their millage requests because programs there are also in jeopardy, it will be easier on their pocket-books to do so.

Fowler's ballot issues include a 19 mills package and a separate 1.8 mills package, both for operational funds. An additional proposal asks for a \$350,000 bond to build a much needed shop addition to the high school. Fowler voters should say yes to all three proposals.

Ovid-Elsie's board has chosen to lump their 20 mills renewal and three additional mills together under one proposition for operating. Of this, a mill and a half will be set aside for deficit reduction.

Pewamo-Westphalia's board also chose a single package that asks voters to support 21.157 mills for operation to prevent \$123,797

in cuts. We urge a positive vote for Ovid-Elsie and Pewamo-Westphalia schools.

In St. Johns, a gun shy board that returned to the electorate three times last year and managed only to pass a renewal, has divided its questions into three packages. Proposal I is for the renewal of 18.25 mills for three years for general operating purposes. A half mill of this is earmarked for maintenance. Proposal II is for 3.5 mills for one year and it is the passage of this package (along with Proposal I) that will insure the district's present program. We support both of these proposals. Their passage is crucial.

Proposal III, two additional mills for two years, might be considered extra operating millage. However, it's the extra necessary to replace a textbook purchase plan and assure that school libraries meet the necessary standards set by the North Central Association for school accreditation.

It will replace field trips for elementary

children and an intramural program at the junior and senior high schools. It will restore student busing to last year's level. While not as crucial to the core of the St. Johns education program, Proposition III also stands for very important expenses. We endorse Proposition III also, but not as vigorously as Proposition I and II.

Bath's board of education has two millage requests on the ballot, both of which need an affirmative vote. Proposal B will ask voters to continue the 23.68 mills approved for operating purposes in November. This time the request is being made for three years. Proposal C asks voters to support an additional mill (1) for one year. This will raise \$59,000 to help meet increased expenses.

It is our hope that voters of the county school districts will meet the challenge of the times, and despite present economic hardships, wholeheartedly support their school's millage requests.

## Letters to the editor

### Former student urges millage passage in St Johns

Dear Editor:

I am writing in regard to the upcoming general election for the school millage, and specifically to anyone who has enjoyed the privilege of a public school education or to anyone who has made use of the school system's facilities, programs, or entertainments.

As many of you are aware, unless the millage passes, students are certain to face over-crowded classes and reduced hours and course offerings. This will necessarily create high student-to-faculty ratios, less maintenance of buildings, and will practically extinguish extra-curricular activities.

Programs that have been developed will be allowed to atrophy, and the high potential of the students of St. Johns will be squandered.

I am reminding the reader of the saying that with each privilege comes a responsibility. It is a right to vote in the upcoming election, but it is also a responsibility to make a careful and conscientious decision.

Throughout my junior and senior high school years I was told how apathetic Americans are about voting. I have heard that we take it lightly in the possible belief that our one vote will not really matter.

In contrast, I understand that many come out and vote in general elections such as millage proposals and view it as a chance to say "no." This is just as careless.

### Inferior training gives inferior product

To the Editor:

Parents and grandparents, do you want your children and grandchildren to have a GOOD education? Do you want them to be prepared to do a good job of taking over, when the present generation is through? Do you want them to be knowledgeable citizens, rather than hoodlums, idlers, or welfare recipients? Then, we must all provide adequate finances for successful citizens who have had adequate training during their school days.

**YOU GET WHAT YOU PAY FOR:** If you want inferior training, you'll get inferior products. We can't have superior students for nothing. The school personnel have produced some outstanding successes—academically, musically, dramatically, and in athletic achievements. We are proud of our students. But, will we be so happy if, due to heavy classloads (fewer teachers), poor equipment, limited curriculum our students are poor or mediocre—not having opportunities for broadening their scope and excelling in so many ways?

Let's sacrifice a few of OUR pleasures for our children's and grandchildren's sakes. Education costs have risen just like everything else. Teachers, who support a good share of mothers, have to earn a living. Heating costs are up; transportation is higher; supplies are more expensive. And, with all these increases, St. Johns Public School District still has one of the lowest millage tax rates of eight adjacent districts.

Let us continue to be proud of our school system's achievements. Vote "yes" to proposition I, II and III, and support our children's and grandchildren's education, as we are privileged to do.

Caroline Anderson  
St. Johns

I have heard it said that the greatest apathy and lack of interest comes from my age group, young adults 18-25 year old. Older voters with children out of the school system show in their record a tendency not to support needed school millage renewals and increases. In both cases, I find an unfortunate and careless disregard for the improvement, to say nothing of maintenance, of this vital feature of our society - the Public School System.

I say "vital" sincerely, because the things that are learned in school will form a fundamental part of each individual for the rest of his life.

Sure voting for millage means more costs to the taxpayer, but everything costs more today including education. An education is priceless.

I appeal to each of you who are able to vote to do so, carefully and conscientiously. But also regard your solemn decision in terms of a responsibility. Regard it as a responsibility like any other - full of factors to weigh, and as a decision with far-reaching implications for yourself and others.

I appeal to you to take responsibility in the future, and please remember to maintain our present programs means approval of all the propositions.

Sincerely concerned,  
Peter Witteveen  
1980 SJHS Graduate

### Sea lions are in jeopardy

To the editor:

The Sea Lions are in jeopardy.

You have, or will soon, read much publicity on the millage needs of the St. Johns Public Schools. The School Board, after much consultation with a Citizens Finance Committee, will ask the voter to approve: (1) 18.25 mills renewal, this is the same rate paid in 1980; (2) 3.5 mills additional, to maintain present programs; and (3) 2 mills to restore cuts made during the 1980-81 school year.

It is very important to the Sea Lions Program that the 18.25 mills and 3.5 mills receive voter approval.

If the voters do not approve the renewal and 3.5 additional millage, the reduction in total school program will include draining the swimming pool. This could be the end of one of the best youth programs in the community.

More than 50 percent of the high school swim team are former Sea Lions. The school record boards speak for themselves. Physical fitness, sportsmanship, companionship, and family unity are also among the benefits.

If you are regularly inclined to vote NO on millage issues, I ask you to seriously reconsider in order to keep our program intact. If you are inclined to vote YES, then I ask you to inform others of the importance of a YES vote on the future of our program.

Also in jeopardy are civic groups, church groups, and individuals of all ages who enjoy swimming in the high school pool.

Cindy Vitek  
St. Johns Sea Lions Parent Committee

# More Opinions

## Letters to the editor

### Schools can't run on air

Dear Editor,

As a parent, taxpayer, and substitute teacher, I urge that the people of St. Johns look past their pocketbooks to our kids and vote additional millage for our kids and vote additional millage for our schools. The consequences if only a renewal passes are dire.

Schools can't run on air-it takes money. And other than last years one-half maintenance mill, we've had no extra millage voted since 1976 and yet we all know how inflation has increased our fuel and food bills. The school's expenses for personnel salaries, fuel and lights have gone up too. Programs have had to be cut to pay those fixed costs because the voters, many of whom have had salary increases during that same period of time, refuse to give the schools the same advantage.

There is no money socked away someplace-the Citizens Finance Advisory Committee proved that. By using a low 9 percent yearly increase figure, they predict a deficit of \$1,404,211 in cash fund equity by the 1983-84 school year. By the end of this year our fund equity will be all but depleted. The "fat" has been cut in the last three years to the tune of three quarters of a million dollars and now the fat is teachers and programs. But aren't they what school is all about?

My biggest concern is the possible lay off of 30 teachers, 18 percent of our staff. This one cut snowballs into many others, loss of an hour of instructional time at the secondary level, loss of specific extracurricular programs, increased class size, teachers teaching in their minor areas to name a few.

It takes people (teachers) to turn students into educated, productive members of society. It seems to me to be totally counterproductive to have those teachers who remain teach classes up to 35 students-less effective teaching and more discipline problems are sure to result.

It is counterproductive to lessen a child's hours in school and put him in a study hall to waste time or to release him early with fewer and fewer choices with which to occupy him after school.

Also it is counterproductive, for example, to have an art or music teacher teach in his or her minor area such as English when that person hasn't taught anything but art or music for many years.

Our elementary program lost phys. ed. and art, years ago and the only extra thing we have now (music) will go if we only get a renewal. The kids no longer have field trips, libraries are receiving no funds for additional books or replacements, teaching materials monies have been cut and cut again-now we'll likely see much larger class sizes which will hurt more here at the secondary level. This has to result in a less than adequate job of teaching reading and math skills. Adequate teaching isn't even good enough for anyone. Our kids deserve more than middle of the road teaching where those on both ends of the spectrum lose out.

We have a fine educational system in St. Johns. Students have consistently scored well above the norm on assessment tests, our sports, music, and drama programs have more often than not come out on top and been a real source of pride to this community. I will feel cheated if I can never see another performance the equal of "The Wizard of Oz" Our children need to explore different areas of interest and participate in the healthy outlets extracurricular programs provided.

You pay for what you get and if we don't vote extra millage we may be getting a lot of things we don't want-a less than quality education for our kids, low teacher and student morale, students who feel their community has let them down, and increased discipline, drug and alcohol problems.

We can't say "I can't afford it." We must be able to afford it. For some of us, we must put education before motor homes, snowmobiles, color TV, and weekends up north. We can't afford not to educate our kids who are people too,

Sincerely,  
Jan Kirkbride

### Proposed school cuts, not scare tactics

To the editor:

During this past year I had the privilege of participating in the Citizens School Finance Committee, comprised of P.T.O. representatives and other non-school affiliates. We were charged with projecting the school district's financial needs over the next three years. To do this we were given access to the school budget, curriculum reports, state-wide statistical data, and any other material we thought pertinent.

As a result of this education in school finance, I am convinced, without a doubt, that the school system is financially troubled. The suggested reductions that will occur if additional millage is not passed are not simply scare tactics. They are reality.

The financial crisis is a result of several factors. One thing that there has been no increase in operating

millage since 1976, with the exception of the .5 mill passed last year specifically for building maintenance.

During this time, as we all know, prices have risen drastically. Our buses travel a large rural area every school day and there are numerous school buildings to heat and light. At the same time, salaries have increased in an effort to keep pace with inflation. It's true that our property taxes have risen during this time, but because of the present school aid formula, written and administered by our lawmakers in Lansing, the schools do not benefit substantially from these increases.

On the other hand, the bigger your voted operating millage, the more state aid the district receives, as the state guarantees a specific amount per pupil, per operating mill levied by the local district.

Mind boggling and illogical? Perhaps so, but that's what we're operating under for now.

A no vote on millage increases will not change the inequities in the system. It will only hurt out school district's educational program.

Seventy-five per cent of the budget is spent on salaries. This is no different than other school districts. The heart of any school system is its teachers. In 1977, we had 188 teachers. As of now we have 166. A decrease of 22 teachers in three years. Average class size in the elementary is now 26. If 30 more teachers are released because of lack of funds, it's reasonable to assume that at least 10 elementary positions will be lost. If so, the average class size in the elementary will increase to 34.7.

This isn't a healthy ratio for teaching the basics, particularly when disciplinary problems are on the rise.

Another reason our school system is financially strapped is that many state mandated programs are no longer being paid for by the state as was their stated intention when these programs began. The state began by reimbursing school districts 75 per cent of the full cost of mandated special education programs. This reimbursement has decreased to approximately 20 per cent in 1980-81.

Again, a case of state government letting us down. But a no vote on increased millage won't change this either. The children will bear the brunt of our indignation, not the state government. At Present we have the lowest per pupil expenditure in the county and the lowest voted operating millage. Please consider carefully what we will lose if this isn't changed.

Marilyn Newman  
St. Johns

### Vote to continue programs

Dear Editor:

On May 21, I attended a meeting of parents of St. Johns students, who are concerned about the passage of the millage, June 8. I only wish that more citizens had attended, because there was much to be learned.

Perhaps most important was that the cuts which have been publicly announced are indeed facts, not threats, and that the proposed cuts have been made across the board, not merely in highly emotional areas such as busing or athletic programs.

Also, I was reminded that this year, renewal of the 1980-81 program requires the passage of both Proposition I and Proposition II. The passage of all three propositions will help to restore some of the cuts that the Board of Education has been forced to make over the past several years because of repeated no votes, including busing of the country elementary children.

For the past eight years I have been privileged to work closely with students at the St. Johns junior and senior high school as a voluntary accompanist for instrumentalists. Consequently the proposed cuts of 50 percent of the Music Department budget are particularly upsetting to me, because our Music Department is highly respected and admired throughout the state.

## Senior Citizen Update

By Ruth Delo

What an exciting month June is. So many things are planned for this month, and most of them are really enjoyable.

June is the time for weddings. There are more weddings in the month of June than there are in any other one month in the whole year.

How exciting a wedding can be. It is a whole new way of life for the two who are getting married. It is the breaking away from the old ties, perhaps from a mother and father. Sometimes it means moving to a new locality where new friends must be made and new ideas and thoughts entertained.

It is not only exciting for the newlyweds. What about the families?

Many times relatives are invited who have not seen each other for a very long time.

It means everyone dressing in their finest. It means flowers everywhere. And of course, there is the food. When it is over everyone goes back home, tired but happy.

I have always felt tremendous pride in the fact that a town of this size could produce such outstanding musicians, and have been extremely grateful for the opportunity that our children have had in the instrumental and vocal areas.

To renew the existing educational program in St. Johns will cost everyone money, but we all know that public education costs money, whether it be for a good education or a passable one.

People contributed tax monies in the past to enable people of my generation and older to be educated, and I'm grateful that they did. I believe it is up to us now to give the children of our community the same change.

We're not talking about cutting out the fat and frills in these proposals. We're talking about cutting programs and personnel vital to a minimal education.

Sincerely,  
Diantha Witteveen

## Chamber notes

By Jody Smith

Don't call the truant officer if you see a high school student in a store or other business on a school day. During May, high school students and cooperating businesses have been part of the activities to promote Youth Employment Month throughout our area.

The Michigan Department of Labor has funded a joint project in Clinton, Gratiot, and Isabella counties with the objective of promoting a working relationship between businesses, schools, and other public agencies. In our area this project becomes reality through the Work Education Council (W.E.C.) and the St. Johns Chamber of Commerce is a member of this council. In short, the council fosters collaboration between businesses, local agencies, and educational facilities.

As a member of the council, the chamber has been very active in planning and encouraging employers to talk with young people in Career Day programs and by opening their places of employment to students (job shadowing) in an effort to better explain business careers. Several area chamber business people spent Wednesday morning introducing students to other businesses and explaining the new placement office to local employers. The placement office is located in the

shared time building and students hand out brochures explaining the service provided there. The job shadowing and introductions also gave the students themselves the opportunity to speak with employers and explain programs such as a co-op, as well as to check on possibilities for the future.

In our area the emphasis is on all people an not only students. In May, the chamber hosted an Employability Skills Workshop where Lansing Community College personnel and local employers spoke on different aspects of searching for a job and polishing the skills needed to get a job. The Community Room at Capitol Savings and Loan was filled with participants from all over this county.

Anyone who would like more information about job shadowing, or high school co-op, or the placement office, call Sandy Bisson at 224-8194.

Kids, don't forget the Fathers Day Essay Contest for grades kindergarten through sixth. All entries must be turned in by June 12. Call the chamber at 224-7248 for details.

(Jody Smith, manager of the St. Johns Chamber of Commerce, writes this weekly column about what is happening in the business and community sectors of St. Johns.)

Graduation is another big event in life. Sometimes this happens at the end of May, but even then, the receptions and celebrations continue on into June.

These young people are certainly starting a new life. Many of them will go on to college, and this in itself is quite a big step.

It is a time when big decisions must be made. Some already know what they would like to do in the future, but many must feel their way along until this decision is made.

There are many young people who will start their careers in business at this time. They also may take more time to decide what they want to do for their life's work. Everyone has to start somewhere.

As long as June is such a month for weddings, then it is also a month for anniversaries.

When you put together graduation, weddings, anniversaries, and all, I would say it is quite a month.

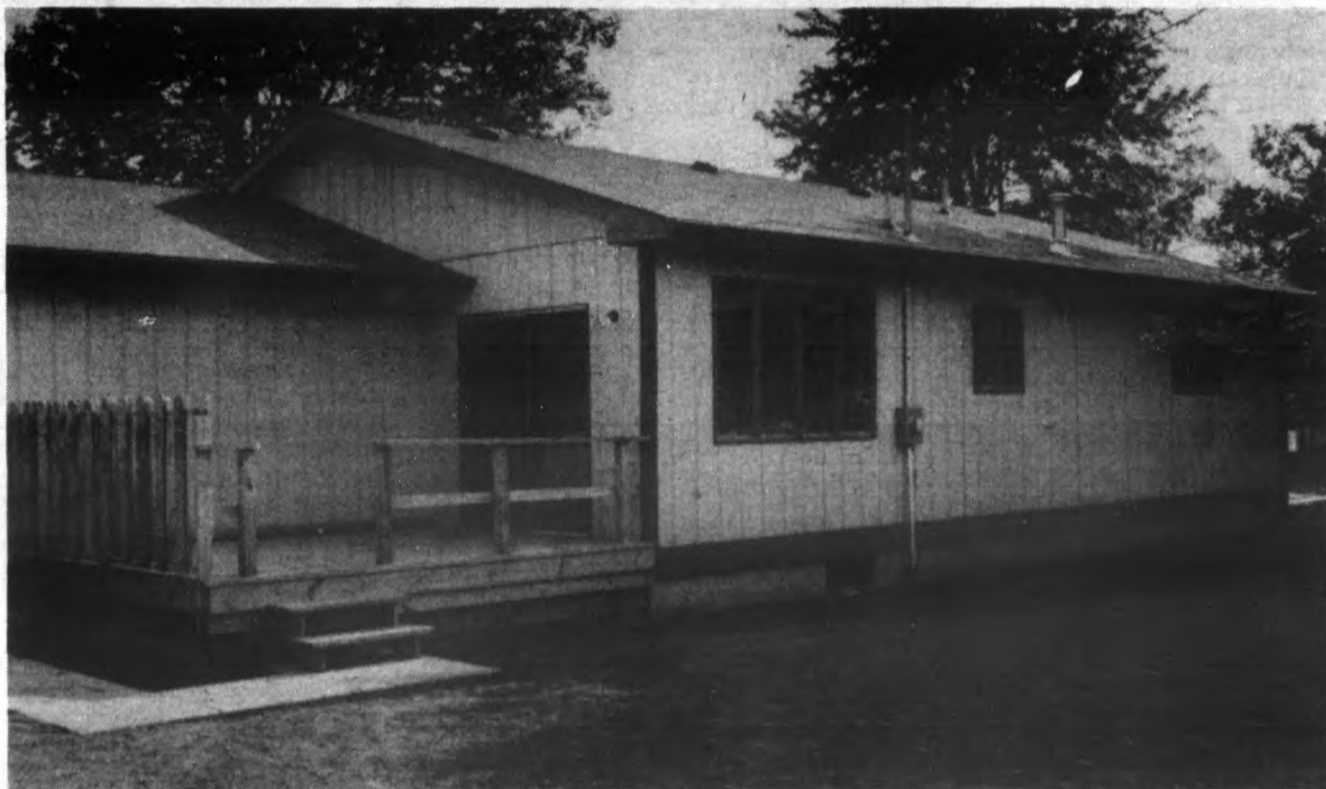
So.....until next time.

# St. Johns High School vocational class



The 1980-81 house at 405 W. Sickles Street is the 11th project of the St. Johns High School Building Trades program. An open house will be held Saturday and Sunday, June 6 and 7, from 2 to 6 p.m. Two classes of students were responsible for the complete project and gained practical knowledge in every building trades from block laying to landscaping.

This year's building trades classes included a deck on their home project, gaining another experience. The home at 405 W. Sickles Street also sports a large backyard which has been seeded through a donation by the St. Johns Co-op. Sliding glass doors from the family-dining room open onto the deck.



## OPEN HOUSE

Saturday and Sunday  
June 6 and 7, 2-6 p.m.  
405 W. Sickles St., St. Johns

### Smith Plumbing & Heating

2668 E. Wildcat Rd.  
St. Johns

Plumbing & Heating Materials  
and Technical Assistance

### Karber Block Co.

817 Church, St. Johns

224-2327  
Masonry Materials

### Richard Kingsbury

5606 N. US-27, St. Johns

224-2893  
Masonry Work and  
Technical Assistance

### Community Electric

1804 W. Kinley, St. Johns

224-2981  
Electrical Materials and  
Technical Assistance

### Clinton Home Center

108 E. Railroad, St. Johns

224-3082  
Cabinets, Floor Covering  
and Painting Materials

# completes 11th Building Trades home

St. Johns High School Building Trades students will be showing off their newly completed home at 405 W. Sickles Street, Saturday and Sunday, June 6 and 7 from 2 to 6 p.m.

The handsome six room house features a large foyer, a sunken living room, three bedrooms, a family-dining room (which is also sunken) and two and a half baths. A large two car attached garage is finished with plaster.

Situated on an 85 by 186 foot lot, the home boasts 1,348 square feet of living space and a full basement. The exterior of the home is rough sawn cedar with brick and aluminum siding. Windows are energy efficient thermopane casements. All the home's woodwork is stained.

A large deck is situated off the dining and family room area and over looks an expansive back yard. The front yard is shaded with mature trees.

Students are proud of the home's special features which include a washer and dryer hook-up both upstairs and downstairs. a dishwasher and a range hood. The master bedroom features large closets and a double shower in the bathroom. The home's foyer is extra large and one end of the living room sports an expansive shelf unit.

The kitchen provides for a snack bar and also features a desk area.

The heating is provided by a gas fired hot water system with three separate zones.

The St. Johns vocational skill training program began in 1969 when the first house was constructed on South Lansing Street by the first class of Building Trades students. This year's home is the 11th to be built by local students.

Other vocational classes are involved with the home building project. Terry Adams, drafting and design instructor, assigns the home project to his students who each complete working drawings for a home. The plan selected this year was drawn by Tom Vitous.

Grace Ormston, instructor of the Home Furnishings Class, has her students involved in the interior selections of paint, wallpaper, light fixtures and carpeting.

This year's students chose subtle earth tones for the interior of the home, an appropriate compliment to the home's rough sawn cedar siding and the woodsy setting of the front yard. Their choices of carpet and wall colors accent the open feeling of the home which comes from large window areas.

Home Furnishings students are: Linda Alcaraz, Chris Argersinger, Julie Badeaux, Tracey Barber, Kellie Doss, Ranae Douglass, Nancy Droste, Karla Grubaugh, Lori Harrington, Renee Holmes, Debra Labar, Venus Montry, Mary Salazar, Margaret Scharnweber, Sharon Shafer, Lisa Staten, Mary VanEtten and Beth Walker.

Instructor Bob Niemi said community businesses have contributed to the success of the building trades programs, many through donations of time and materials. The motor for this house was donated by the Aetna Cement Company in cooperation with Karber Block Company. Grass seed came from the St. Johns Co-op and shrubs from Nick's Fruit Market.

Assisting with the open house are Mark Roberts and Kurt's Appliance who are putting furnishings on display. CTC Farms and DeWitt Floral also assisted.

This year's class were exposed to 12 different trades. "Most of the work we do ourselves," Niemi said, "but some of it we help with, like the cement work of the drive-way and sidewalks. We also help with the painting and decorating." Students are involved with block laying, framing, insulation, roofing, siding, plumbing and heating, electrical wiring, wall board application, finish trim and landscaping. The plastering is professionally done.

This year's home has been appraised by Briggs Company Realtors and Capitol Savins and Loan. It is listed for sale for \$70,000. Interested buyers should contact the school.

The vocational education curriculum at St. Johns Public Schools is extensive. It includes Industrial Education featuring metal technology, auto body, auto mechanics, building trades, carpentry and wood technology, cosmetology, drafting and design and food service.

Agriculture Education features conservation, basic agriculture and agriculture mechanics.

Homemaking classes are family living, homemaking, child development, foods, clothing and home furnishings.

Business Education offers a secretarial-office block, clerical-clerk typist and office machines.

There are classes in sales, advertising and health assistance.



**BUILDING TRADES I** students are Chris Ballinger, Bryan Bellingar, Chuck Bensinger, Stephen Droste, Kenneth Faivor, George Farrier, Myron Farrier, Gary Lewis, Israel Lozano,

Gregg Madar, Dennis Martens, Salvador Martinez, Steven Mudget, Jeff Schueller, Brian Simon and Dave VanEtten. Student Chris Reha is not pictured.



**BUILDING TRADES II** students are Glenn Brown, Jeff Brown, Rick Brush, Gary Chant, Peter Faivor, Jeff Farrier, Don Healy, David Higgins, Michael Makara, Michael Martin, Blake

Pierman, Jeff Pioszak, Tim Rayman, Ken Sheldon, Doug VanBelkum, David Witt, Kevin Young and Martin Zuker. Student Rich Mathias is not pictured.

### Westphalia Builders

S. Grange Rd., Westphalia  
587-3571  
Building Materials

### Ray Schneider

1124 Wildcat Rd., St. Johns  
224-2743  
Painting and Technical Assistance

### Bancroft Plastering

1760 N. Shepardsville Rd., Ovid  
Ed Bancroft Joe Bancroft  
834-2786 834-5114

### Central Michigan Lumber Co.

407 N. Clinton Ave., St. Johns  
224-2358  
Building Materials

### Searles Construction Inc.

2265 W. Parks Rd., St. Johns  
224-7011  
Excavating and Grading

### The Roary Corporation

1325 E. Jolly, Lansing  
393-4000  
Eavestrouging

# Lifestyles



**Mr. and Mrs. William Parker**

## Williams, Parker marry in Texas

Shaula Lynn Williams and William Joseph Parker were married in ceremonies at Carswell Air Force Base on Saturday, May 9, 1981. The Rev. James Cook, chaplain at Carswell Air Force Base, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of retired U.S. Air Force Col. and Mrs. Jack McDaniel of Willow Park, Texas.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Parker of St. Johns. He is a 1971 graduate of Ovid-Elsie High School and a 1977 graduate of Western Michigan University. He is employed by General Dynamics of Fort Worth, Texas, and is doing graduate work at Texas Christian University.

The couple resides at 209 Crown Road, Willow Park, Texas.

## Young, Barnum speak vows in California

Carmon Ann Young and Emerson William Barnum Jr., were married on Sunday, May 17, 1981 in San Bernardino, Calif.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Young of St. Johns and the groom

is the son of Janet Barnum of DeWitt. The groom is in the Marine Corps stationed at Camp Pendleton, Calif. The bride is currently working for the state of Michigan and will join her husband in July.

**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.

## Martins to celebrate 50th

Mr. and Mrs. John Martin will be honored at a 50th anniversary buffet open house on Saturday, June 20, from 2-6 p.m., at the Knights of Columbus Hall.

Lifetime Clinton County area residents, John married the former Frances Pouch on June 23, 1931 at St. Josephs Church. Mr. Martin has been associated with the Carrier-Stephens Company since 1935 and although retired, serves as

Chairman of the Board.

Their family includes two daughters and sons-in-law; Pat and Gene DePuy of Lapeer, and Barb and Bill Wiseman of St. Johns; and five grandchildren, Marty, Shelley, and Mike DePuy, and Diane and Julie Rann.

Friends and relatives are cordially invited to share this special occasion, but the family requests there be no gifts.



**Mr. and Mrs. John Martin**

## Engagement announced

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.

## VanBelkums to celebrate 35th

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Nick VanBelkum announce their parent's 35th wedding anniversary.

Nick and Dolores were

married on June 5, 1946 at St. Francis Xavier Church in Conklin. Cards may be sent to 107 N. Scott Road, St. Johns.



**Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Walker**

## Walkers to celebrate 50 years of marriage

In honor of the 50th wedding anniversary on June 25, 1981 of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Walker their family will host an open house on Sunday, June 28, from 2-5 p.m., at 4816 Doane Highway, Potterville, located between Potterville and Grand Ledge

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Mrs. Walker taught in the St. Johns school system from the time of the annexation of the rural schools until she retired in June, 1974. The family requests there be no gifts.



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## County OES elects officers

Elsie No. 69 O.E.S. was host to the 74th Clinton County Association on May 4, at the Masonic Temple in Elsie.

Officers elected and installed were: Elisabeth Levey, president; Shirley Craner, first vice president; Nancy Saxton, secretary-treasurer; Ruth Chamberlain, chaplain; and Virginia Ackerman, marshal. Jeanne DeVore will be installed as second vice president at the regular meeting of Radiant No. 79, St. Johns, on June 3.

The following worthy matrons of Clinton County

and their respective county officers were presented in the east and introduced: Donna Couling of DeWitt No. 30 introduced Mary Weston, president; Dawn Levey of Elsie No. 69 introduced Elisabeth Levey, first-vice president; Geraldine Sills of Maple Rapids No. 76 introduced Shirley Craner, second vice president; Phyllis West, assoc. matron, Radiant No. 79, St. Johns, introduced Geraldine Workman, acting secretary-treasurer; Shirley Waldron of Wacousta No. 133 introduced Margaret Trommater,

chaplain; and Calista Reed, past matron, Morning Star No. 279, Ovid, announced Margaret Potter, Marshall.

Grand officers and past grand officers present and introduced were Jewell Cook, Vernon Royer, Helen Milbourne, Rosemary Andradi, Shirley Endicott, Barbara Binkley, Evelyn Morrow, Louise Everett, and Edwin Koerner.

Past grand appointive officers introduced were Floy Miller, Nora Hatfield, Beulah Garey, Nan Plane, Kathy Erb, and Thelma Warren.

## Former St. Johns graduate named to post in Montana

Dr. Max Deibert, P.E., formerly of St. Johns, is joining Northern Tier Pipeline Company in Billings, Montana as director of technical and environmental quality assurance.

Deibert's responsibilities include establishing a maintaining programs which will insure the billion dollar pipeline is designed, constructed, and operated in compliance with the best available

technical and environmental standards. In this capacity, he will work closely with the Montana State office of the Bureau of Land Management, also located in Billings, which has the responsibility for administering Northern Tier's federal right-of-way grant.

He was graduated in 1955 from Rodney B. Wilson High School. He was awarded a scholarship to

Cornell University and graduated with honors with the class of 1960. He then earned his Doctor of Science degree from M.I.T. in 1964.

He is the son of Mrs. H.A. Peterson. His father, Basil Deibert, died in St. Johns in 1968.

Dr. Deibert and his wife, Kathy, and their three sons, Mark, Alan, and Christopher live in Billings.

## Rebekahs gather for 56th annual meeting

Truth Rebekah Lodge No. 157 hosted the 56th annual session of the Rebekah Association District No. 22 met May 6, in the Congregational Christian Church of Maple Rapids.

District President Beverly Baker presided over the meeting. The President's project this year was donation for the

Oddfellow-Rebekah home in Jackson and the Big Star Lake in Baldwin of \$181.

During the year, the Rebekahs of District No. 22 worked on many local community projects in addition to supporting the Visual Eye Research Program, the home in Jackson, the camp, and the Educational Foundation.

## Addresses sought by class of 1966

The St. Johns High School class of 1966 is holding its reunion on July 11, 1981 and is seeking the addresses of several classmates. Anyone with information about the following people, call Roger Beebee at 224-6072 or Janet Foland at 224-7951.

Addresses are needed for

Mickey Finn, Matilda Martinez, Jim Upham, Sandy McCoy, Martin Kingman, Gloria Haynes, Alma Huntley, Cora Huntley, Robert Howe, Terralee Glenn, Susan Diehl, Arthur Cardy, Jim Bartshe, Dennis Boncha, Dave Bushre, Gale (Buz) Devereaux and Peggy Hilley.

## Dakers inducted

Julie Dakers, daughter of Karlis Dakers of St. Johns, was recently inducted into the Ferris State

College circle of Omicron Delta Kappa, a national leadership honor society.

## Falor graduates

Lisa Falor, 2835 E. M-21, St. Johns, completed requirements for an associate's degree in ap-

plied science in Accounting from Ferris State College during the winter quarter.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hill

## Couple speak vows in Catholic church

Sue Keilen and Jay Hill were married in a double ring ceremony on April 4, 1981 at St. Johns in East Lansing with the Rev. Edwin Polack officiating.

The bride is the daughter of James and Cornelia Keilen of Portland. She is a 1971 graduate of Pewamo-Westphalia High School and attended Lansing Community College for two years.

The groom is the son of Arthur and Margeurite Hill of Hastings. He is a 1970 graduate of Battle Creek Central High School and attended Ferris State College for two years.

Lavender mums decorated the altar, while Dave and Lee Lantz provided songs and music during the service.

The bride wore a Qiana knit gown with Queen Anne neck, Bishop sleeves, silk venice lace, sunburst pleated in front panel and Watteau train. She wore a walking length veil detailed in matching silk venice lace.

Her bouquet was made of white carnations and daisies, pink roses, lilac orchids, purple violets, baby's breath and her grandmother's rosary.

Joyce Pung, sister of the bride, of Grand Ledge served as maid of honor. Linda Keilen, sister of the bride, of Grand Ledge; Diane Davarn, sister of the bride, of Pewamo; Kate Keilen, sister of the bride, of Westphalia; and Linda Hayden, sister of the groom and Nyla Hill, sister of the groom, both of West

Bloomfield were bridesmaids. Heather Hayden of West Bloomfield was flower girl and Joey Keilen of Westphalia served as ring bearer.

The attendants wore lilac dresses and carried bouquets of daisies, white and pink mums and pink roses.

The bride's mother wore a blouse with seacrest deep inset yoke of silk venice lace and a pleated skirt. The groom's mother wore a dress of beige Qiana knit with an attached cape of chiffon.

Jerry Hill, brother of the groom, of Flint served as best man. Groomsmen were Dean Hill, brother of the groom, of Hastings; Robert Gault of Battle Creek; Jim Whalen of Saginaw; Mike Goodreau of Traverse City; and Bob Keilen, brother of the bride, of Fowler.

The reception for 300 dinner guests was held at St. Michaels in Grand Ledge. Special guests were Mrs. Walter Keilen, grandmother of the bride, of Westphalia, and Mrs. Lillian Hetmansperger, grandmother of the groom, of Mendon.

Barb Simon, Lisa Schafer, Ann Thelen, and Jony Keilen served the bridal table, while Karla Clark and Pat Seasock served at cake cutters and Debi Hill and Donna Schmitt pinned on flowers.

The couple honeymooned in Nokomis, Fla., for three weeks and now resides at 2907 Lafayette Ave., Lansing.

## Births

**KRET:** A boy, Marcus Robert, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Terry Kret of LaVeta Colo., on April 12, 1981. Mrs. Kret is the former Beth Fox of Fowler.

**BLEMASTER:** A girl, Robin Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blemaster of Ovid on April 18, 1981 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Grandparents are Stanley Straub of Ovid, Ernestina Nance of Cubot, Ark., and Mr. and Mrs. Gale Blemaster of Florida. The mother is the former Carolyn Straub.

**BAILEY:** A boy, Andy Edward, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Brent Bailey of St. Johns on April 4, 1981. The mother is the former Kathy Smith.

**STEFFEN:** A boy, Michael David, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Steffen, St. Johns, May 25, 1981 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. The mother is the former Sandy Rademacher.

**WICK:** A girl, Patricia Marie, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wick of Francis Rd., DeWitt, on April 15, 1981. Grandparents are Norman \* Arlene Marten and Ronald and Joyce Wick.

**GOFF:** A girl, Jessica Lynn, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ted L. Goff, DeWitt, May 17, 1981 at Sparrow Hospital. The mother is the former Michelle Jerree Olger.

**FORSYTHE:** A boy, Joshua Paul, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Mark Forsythe of Owosso on April 21, 1981. The mother is the former Mary Jo Kayanek.

**BAILEY:** A boy, Andy Edward, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Brent Edward Bailey, 7828 Essex Center Road, St. Johns on April 4, 1981 at Sparrow Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Orrison Edward Bailey. The mother is the former Kathy Smith.

**LOWE:** A son, Benjamin Joseph, was born to Tammy Lowe, St. Johns, April 1, 1981, at St. Lawrence Hospital.

**SCOTT:** A girl, Joy Rose, was born to Cindy Scott of Lansing on April 6, 1981.

**PATRICK:** A girl, Amanda Lee, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Steven Patrick of Portland on April 16, 1981. The mother is the former Rita Pohl.

**BURCH:** A girl, Nichole Lynn was born to Mrs. Julie Burch of Bath on April 23, 1981.

**SOBER:** A girl, Morgan Lee, was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Sober of 12305 Chandler Rd., Bath.

**PUNG:** A girl, Dawn, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pung of Kimball Road., Pewamo, on April 17, 1981.

**BARRETT:** A girl, Lyndsay Kay was born to Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Barrett of DeWitt on April 2, 1981.

**TEEMS:** A girl, Shannon Marie was born to Mr. \* Mrs. Roger Teems of Elsie on April 5, 1981.

**BROWN:** A boy, Jacob Alton, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack A. Brown of Lansing on Mar. 13, 1981 at Sparrow Hospital. The mother is the former Dawn Alward.

**LAMACCHIA:** A boy, Anthony Michael, was born to Thomas and Bridget LaMacchia, 429 Franklynn, Lansing, on March 9, 1981. The mother is the former Bridget Brogan.

**MAHANAY:** A girl, Leslie Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Mahanay of St. Johns on April 11, 1981. The mother is the former Connie Lietzke.

**HOWARD:** A boy, Joshua Stephen, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Craig Howard of 1107 W. Price Road., St. Johns on April 10, 1981. The mother is the former Leslie Vermeersch.

**HIGBIE:** A girl, Sharon Lea, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Higbie, 732 S. DeWitt Raod, DeWitt on April 14, 1981 at St. Lawrence Hospital.

**JENSEN:** A girl, Stephanie Marie, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jensen of Lansing on April 8, 1981. The mother is the former Susan Wilcox.

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## ★ St Johns school board candidates speak

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Mrs. Tennant is co-owner and teacher at Meadowland Nursery School and acts as its program director. She is a graduate of Western Michigan University. She is active on boards at her church.

Dan Redman's motive for running has to do with his two young children and his desire to "help insure we have a good school system." While his children attend St. Joseph School, he said now is the time to get involved. "I think that as a resident of the community, I should be involved. These are troubled times for school systems, not just here, but everywhere."

He said he feels there is a lack of credibility between the school system and the public. "Personally, I feel that once a board makes a statement about cuts or anything, then they must follow through and do it," he said. "I don't want anything cut, but if the board says they must, then they must. You can't mislead the people."

Redman said he supports the millage proposals and feels they are all needed. "If they don't pass, then cuts will be made," he said. "If we have to decrease teachers, I feel we must also decrease administrators."

He considers extra-curricular activities important to school programs. "And I mean everything," he said, "sports, band, drama. They are a good learning tool. Students learn to work together and they learn responsibility. These things also involve parents in school."

He said that the elementary level should not be cut anymore than it already has. "If a child doesn't learn at that level, we can't ever make it up again," he said.

Redman also feels that the school district needs a set of goals. His own priority is a good strong program in basics. He also feels administration cuts could be made by utilizing teaching principals at the elementary schools. "If we have to reduce expenses, let's look at administration and other employees, let's cut where it

won't hurt the kids," he said.

Redman, who is a vice-president at Central National Bank, said a school system should be run like a business. "Our own business has had to make cuts and I think it can be done at the school."

Roy Ebert, treasurer-manager of the St. Johns Michigan Federal Credit Union, said he became a candidate because "the St. Johns School district is on the course of economic disaster."

He feels that his budgeting background and financial experience could be an advantage to the board. "I feel I'm the most qualified candidate to handle the difficulties of these times," he said. His experience also includes seven years on the city commission, including the mayor post.

While Ebert feels that the method of financing schools is the main reason "we are having these problems," he said, "there are ways to 'live with what we have and do the very best we can.'" He has studied the past year's budget and the Citizens Finance Committee report and is looking at the school's situation from strictly a financial light, "not if I like band or whatever." He said his study indicates that the renewal and a 2.4 mills increase would support what he projects the district will need. "I'm tying my support into what I think we need," he said. "I support some increase, but I'm not sure how I will go."

He thinks fund equity should be used as an investment and "never be used to balance the budget."

He said that a budget is a school district's list of priorities. "Through the budget, the board puts a dollar figure on these programs." "They should be reviewed each year, and cuts and additions made as needed."

He said he sees good reason for elementary physical education and that students need the opportunity to express themselves through music and art. "They need the opportunity to see what their inclinations are," he said.

## ★ Nurses negotiate

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Alma and Lansing and we (Clinton Memorial nurses) are the lowest paid," commented Mrs. Cleaver. "So far our employer has not given any rational for the hospital not being able to give us what we are asking for."

Three years ago a dispute between the nurses and the hospital ended in a vote to extend the present contract. The three year contract included a total wage increase of 17 percent.

"Unfortunately, at this

late date the hospital is dealing with preceptions not reality," she said. "Therefore, as an organization we encourage the board of directors to participate to see where the difficulties exist."

The Clinton Memorial Hospital Nurses Organization (CMHNO) does not want to strike according to Mrs. Cleaver. However, they are upset by "management's failure to negotiate a responsible package on wages and conditions."

Mediation talks will resume on Sunday, June 7.

## ★ Fowler board speaks

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Armbrustmacher has two sons, both enrolled in Fowler schools.

John Rademacher has strong opinions about Fowler schools, mostly centered around the desire to "make sure the school continues." He has a broad background in service on other community boards and worked for Clinton Bank and Trust for 12 years. Today he raises hogs in the Fowler area.

"School is a very important part of a small community," he said. "I feel that we need a good mixture of different kinds of people on the board."

He said his financial experience will be beneficial, "especially with the budget cuts that are having to be made."

Rademacher said he doesn't want any cuts and that if they have to be made it should be "across the board." He thinks schools of today need broad programs. "Education is getting more expensive every year as we get into more things, but that's good, too," he said. He is against cutting the school day and is a strong supporter of the athletic programs.

"It's not dribbling the basketball," he said. "It's what you learn in the locker room, from the coach. You learn about life, you learn discipline." He considers sports to be 50 percent of what education is all about.

"It's even more important in today's society than it was years ago," he said.

He thinks honesty is important in running a school district. "I believe in being open," he said. He also said

he will keep prepared for school board meetings and keep his eye on the overall program.

"Times were hard years ago when people dug into their pockets to keep a school in Fowler," he said. "Now it's time for my age group to take up the responsibility and support the schools even if it's hard to do so."

Mrs. Feldpaush said she is excited about the challenge involved in her sure in position on the Fowler School Board. "I have been thinking about it for some time," she explained. While she has never been involved in community service from a board level, she has been in regular attendance at school board meetings for some time.

She is concerned about the millage election and about the cuts that have to be made even if both operating proposals pass.

She said that Fowler has a lot of pride in its school. "I'm looking forward to serving on the board and I'll do my best," she said.

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## County Sports

# Fowler takes 2nd, 3rd in track final

By TIM JEFFERY

Becky Klein turned in an eye-popping performance Saturday in the Class D track state championships in Caro, and when one considers Klein will be on hand for two more years, plenty of the school and state records appear to be in jeopardy.

The talented sophomore played a vital role in leading her Fowler team to a second place finish in the final team point totals. Ann Arbor Green Hills was first with 48 points, while the Eagles finished with 41.17.

Klein won the 400 meter dash and set a state record in the process. She clocked in at 58.55. Teammates Lana Hafner and Jan Schmitt were sixth and seventh respectively, as Fowler displayed an awesome dominance in the quarter-mile event.

Klein took second in the 200 meter dash, finishing with a time of 26.2, and was part of the 800 and 1600 meter relay teams which both wound up first.

Kay Snyder, Hafner and Schmitt teamed with Klein for a Class D state record time in the 800 meter event. They clocked in at 1:46.97, but they saved the best for last.

Despite, the fact all four of the girls had competed in at least three other events, Snyder, Hafner, Schmitt and Klein managed to better the old state mark by six seconds in the 1600 meter relay. The foursome turned in a time of 4:05.5.

Connie Feldpausch was Fowler's lone competitor to place in the field events. With a strong wind blowing directly into the faces of the high jumpers, the task became much tougher. Feldpausch wound up in a six-way tie for third as she cleared four-feet 10-inches.

Saturday wasn't Klein's only stellar performance last week. She set a school record in the 400 meter dash on Wednesday at the State Journal Honor Roll Meet.

The time was even better than the one which gave her the state title Saturday. She ran a 58.0, which was good for second behind Holt's Yvonne Matthyson, who clocked in at 57.8.

Hafner took a sixth place finish in the Honor Roll 400 meter event. She was a last minute addition to the field after one runner scratched.

Feldpausch and Hafner both cleared five feet in the high jump. Hafner wound up fourth, while Feldpausch finished sixth.

Klein took sixth in the 200 meter dash, running a 26.4 and ran a split of 57.5 as the 1600 meter relay team finished third.

Fowler's boys team wound up third in the state meet Saturday. Again, it was a sophomore, Dave Koenigskecht, leading the way.

He broke the state record in the long jump, soaring 22-feet, nine and one-quarter inches, to finish first. Teammate Dale Armbrustmacher took sixth with a jump of 20-feet, nine inches.

Koenigskecht ran a torrid 14.72 in the 120 high hurdles, which left him second, behind Greg Henderson

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## Fatal seventh buries DeWitt

By TIM JEFFERY

You've heard of highway robbery before. East Lansing's baseball team has too, for the Trojans pulled off a remarkable rally in the final two innings of Friday night's Diamond Classic game, to advance with a 5-4 win over DeWitt.

The Panthers took a 4-1 lead into the bottom of the sixth, then tried desperately to hang on, while the 'heart and soul' of the ball club was on its way to the auditorium at DeWitt High School for a rendition of the play "Oklahoma".

Scott Kinney, Chip Rennaker, Mark White and Dean Carroll all had parts in the school play and Kinney's one-hitter through five innings was left in the hands of the relief corps.

DeWitt had mounted its early lead against Pat Potter, East Lansing's highly touted hurler. Kinney walked and stole second, then came home on a double by Rennaker in the opening inning.

The margin reached 3-0 the following inning. Tom Deak had a two-out single and his brother Tim also singled, setting the stage for Kinney.

He came through with a base hit, which brought Tom in to score and when the throw from the outfield went to third base, which nobody was covering, Tim raced all the way home.

The Trojans got one back in the bottom of the second when Dave Duncan's fielder's choice grounder brought Chad Rohman home.

In the top of inning five, Kinney singled, stole second

and third, then scored on a passed ball to record DeWitt's fourth run. He proceeded to mow down East Lansing one more time, before exiting.

Tim Deak came on to pitch the sixth inning for the Panthers. He was roughed up by Kevin Egnatuk's run-scoring double and an RBI single by Duncan, which narrowed the gap to 4-3.

Frank Deak elected to go with his sensational sophomore, Doug Noch, in hopes of getting the final three outs.

Noch retired the first two batters quickly, but ran into a streak of wildness as the next two hitters received free passes.

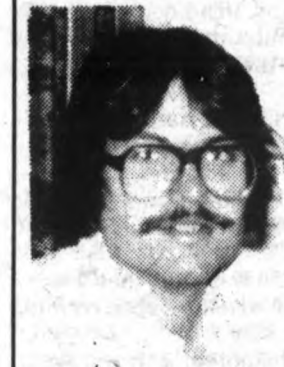
Egnatuk, then came through with a soft-line drive into left-center which dropped in front of Kevin Slider, the center fielder, and the ball game was suddenly tied at 4-4.

Noch still needed the one out to send the contest into extra innings, but he fired a pitch into the dirt and it eluded catcher Tom Deak.

Dave Heeke, the base runner at second, moved over to third easily and when Deak turned a couple of pirouettes in search of the baseball, Heeke kept churning for home. By the time, the young catcher finally spotted the ball it was too late, Heeke was crossing home with the winning run.

DeWitt outhit the Trojans nine to five, but was left with what Frank Deak called the toughest defeat he's ever experienced as a coach.

Noch suffered the loss, his first after eight straight wins, while Potter gained the victory.



## One Man's Views

By Tim Jeffery

I was not in attendance at DeWitt High School's rendition of "Oklahoma" Friday night. Unfortunately, I did take in the earlier act, "Playing without a full deck", which was staged at Lansing's Municipal Park, precisely the same time as the curtain was lifted for Oklahoma.

The records show DeWitt lost a baseball game 5-4 Friday evening, they also show "Oklahoma" was a big hit.

Four seniors on the DeWitt baseball team had parts in the play and at 20 minutes before eight, had to scurry away from the baseball diamond for the culmination of their Musical-Drama Class.

The Panthers also happened to be in the midst of applying an outstanding culmination to an already outstanding baseball season, as they appeared to be nearing the semi-finals of the Diamond Classic.

When DeWitt grabbed an early 3-1 lead, a possible showdown with Grand Ledge appeared to be waiting in the wings. It seemed the only concern DeWitt might have was beating the rain and getting an official game in against East Lansing.

Scott Kinney, Chip Rennaker, Mark White and Dean Carroll were the four who had to leave the ball game. All Kinney did was limit East Lansing to one hit in five innings of work and Rennaker's booming bat had produced another double.

The sixth inning was troublesome for DeWitt as the Trojans climbed back into the game with a pair of runs, but the seventh was an absolute nightmare.

There was a base hit which dropped into shallow left-center field. Taking nothing away from Kevin Slider, Rennaker, an all-state center fielder, would've likely been pounding his glove as he prepared to put away the final out, had he not left for the play.

Doug Noch, who took an 8-0 mark into the ball game, tried to save the win for Kinney, but his wild pitch allowed the winning run to score.

Nothing is certain. DeWitt may have lost even with the players who left, but it would've taken a complete reversal from the first five innings. Kinney has problems going the full seven innings, so he may have needed relief help. We'll never know what might've been.

The Diamond Classic has it all, TV cameras, plenty of newspaper coverage and college and even pro scouts. I realize there is team work involved in a play, with each individual having a role, but I think I have a pretty good idea of where the players would've rather been.

Friday's game was originally scheduled for 8:30, but Ron Mead, the DeWitt Athletic Director was able to get the time switched to 6:30. That move occurred Tuesday evening, May 26, which seems ample time for moving the play back an hour.

It never happened though and Frank Deak, the Panther Coach, was left with an hour and 10 minutes of time in which he could have used his best players, the team that had gotten to the Diamond Classic in the first place.

"I was not involved in a compromise. I was told what to do and I did it," Deak explained after the incident.

And so he did. He never argued or tried to persuade the play director, Lynn Kressler. In fact, Kressler talked to the players involved, early Friday and told them they could leave at 7:40 p.m. instead of 7:15 as was originally planned. But why wasn't the time of the play changed, so that the players could finish the game first, then go to the play?

It's an absolute shame to think East Lansing advanced by beating a team which was severely hampered. And it's an even bigger shame for Frank Deak.

Class C ball clubs don't often win the Diamond Classic, but his might've been that good.

The Panthers still have the state tournament to compete in and that would be an even bigger accomplishment should they win it, but the loss Friday night was a bitter disappointment and one which should've been avoided.



A dejected Doug Noch (right) walks back toward the DeWitt dugout while the East Lansing players celebrate in the background.

Dave Heeke (4) jumps into the arms of a team-

mate after he scored the winning run on a wild pitch in the Trojans' Diamond Classic win over the Panthers. (Photo by David Olds)

# Eagles win CMAC but season ends

Fowler chalked up a pair of wins last Wednesday against the potent DeWitt baseball team, then carried the momentum into Thursday, where the Eagles broke open a suspended game with Laingsburg by scoring four times in the sixth inning to sew up the Central Michigan Athletic Conference championship.

Neil Hoffman's ball club didn't get much time to cherish the crown, however. Saturday started on a high note for the Eagles as they buried Lansing Christian 12-1 in the district opener, but in the battle to advance to the regionals, Fowler fell to Dansville by an 8-2 count.

The loss to the Aggies ended an outstanding season for the Eagles. They were 12-2 in the CMAC and 17-3 overall.

In the opener at DeWitt, Mark Halfman and Tim Carey battled through five innings, before Fowler exploded for six runs, to break up a 1-0 ball game.

Jim Pung singled and eventually scored on a passed ball in the top of the fourth to give the Eagles the 1-0 lead they held until the sixth.

Doug Cook ignited the rally with a base hit, then Tom Weber doubled, leaving runners at second and third for Steve Schneider.

He grounded out to score Cook. Another run crossed on a bases loaded walk to Dave Taylor, while Kurt Thelen, Lloyd Feldpausch and Cook all singled in runs as well.

Fowler added two more in the seventh to make the final 9-2. Halfman limited DeWitt to three hits in gaining the win.

In game two, Cook, Weber and Jim Farley had three hits apiece to lead a 16-hit attack. Weber and Cook also had three RBI's apiece. Don Simon and Feldpausch each picked up two safties in Fowler's 9-7 triumph.

Ron Simon gained the victory, with relief help from Mike Ulrich in the fifth and Weber in the seventh.

The game with Laingsburg was picked up in the fifth inning with Fowler leading 5-3. The Eagles made it 6-3 in the bottom of inning five, then iced the win on a three-run triple by Weber in the sixth.

Feldpausch paced the winners with three hits. Cook, Weber and Farley all had two.

Halfman turned in another pitching gem against the over-matched Lansing Christian team in Saturday's district opener. He limited the Shamrocks to three hits, all singles, in the six-inning contest.

Fowler banged out nine hits and took advantage of seven errors by scoring in every inning.

Don Simon provided most of the spark with three hits and five runs batted in. He tripled in the second, doubled in the fifth and singled in the sixth.

Weber started the contest against Dansville and was roughed up for a couple of runs in the opening inning.

Feldpausch got one back with a solo home run in the bottom of thenning and Don Simon's single in the second brought Schneider home with the tying run, but Fowler was unable to do any further damage against Mark Kaufman and reliever Brain Clery.

Dansville took a 3-2 lead in the third and scored six runs in the sixth to eliminate the Eagles.

Schneider was the lone Fowler player with two hits, while Jim Brooks, Steve Tink, Jamie Prater and Ben Smith all had a pair for the Aggies.



Fowler's Ron Simon pitches a pitch to the plate in the seventh inning of the Eagles' loss to Dansville Saturday afternoon.

The Eagles were 8-2 losers and were thus eliminated from further post season play. Fowler won the opener on Saturday, turning back Lansing Christian by an 11-1 score. (Photo by David Olds)

## DeWitt dumps Fowler twice

While some of the girls were busy at the State Journal Honor Roll Track Meet, the rest of the Fowler softball team closed out the season Wednesday afternoon.

The Eagles lost twice to DeWitt as Betsy Smith shuffled her lineup, allowing each girl to play at least seven innings.

DeWitt won a 10-8 slugfest in the opener, giving Linda Noch her 19th win of the year.

Jane George was the victim of three-run outbursts in the first, second and fourth innings by DeWitt as her record fell to 9-5.

After falling behind 6-1, the Eagles rallied for three runs in the top of the third, but DeWitt made it 9-4 in the fourth and Fowler was never able to get closer than the final two-run deficit.

George had a couple of doubles and an RBI, while Ginger Bozung collected two hits as well, to pace Fowler.

DeWitt's Tami Newman banged out three hits and Noch added two.

The Panthers took a 1-0 lead in the first inning of game two, but Fowler quickly tied it with a run in the second.

Becky Kohagen walked, stole second, took third on a passed ball and came across on a single off the bat of Dar Schmitt.

Fowler was unable to muster any further attack as DeWitt erupted for six runs in the fourth inning to back Suzi Dalman's five-hit, 8-1 triumph.

Julie Pung suffered the loss for the Eagles.

Mae Farley and George both received first-team berths on the recently released all-league team. Diane Klein and Cindy Weber received second team nods and Pung, Becky Klein and Patty Wieber were tabbed as honorable mention selections.

Becky Klein led Fowler in hitting with a .526 mark, followed by Wieber at .500 and Farley with a .490 average. Farley's 21 RBI's paced the team in that category.

George wound up with a 9-5 record on the mound and a 1.40 earned run average.

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# LCC dumps Pirate nine

## ★ Fowler Track

(Continued from page 14A)

Pewamo-Westphalia's baseball team started off Saturday's district game with a bang, but 11 walks and eight Lansing Catholic Central hits spelled a season ending defeat for the Pirates.

P-W jumped on Chris Nelson for three quick runs in the first inning. Guy Walter walked and after stealing second, rode home on a double by Mike Pohl.

Brian Stump then singled, moving Pohl to third. Stump stole second and Gary Hengesbach followed with a line-shot singled to score both runners.

The lead looked even better when Dan Hanses came across on a double by

Walter in the bottom of inning two.

Todd St. John and Steve Repichoski helped get the Cougar attack rolling in the third. St. John had a double to score a run and Repichoski's three-bagger brought home two more, pulling LCC within a run.

Walter, the starting pitcher for P-W, managed to retire only one batter in what proved to be a fatal fourth inning for the Pirates. He was relieved by his brother John, who finally put out the steam after LCC had scored five runs.

Jim Coulter and Seebolt both drove in with singles and a base ... by Repichoski which also

resulted in a two-base error brought home three more.

Four straight walks gave the Cougars one more run in the top of the seventh, then Nelson mowed down the Pirates in the bottom of

the inning to sew up the 9-4 victory.

The Pirates managed only six hits off Nelson, who fanned 11 hitters. Guy Walter and Stump collected two hits apiece for P-W.

## P-W girls honored

Therese Simon and Donna Heckman, a pair of standouts for the Pewamo-Westphalia volleyball team last winter, were recently named to the Class C all-state volleyball

team.

Simon, a senior was tabbed as a second team choice, while Heckman, a junior was selected as honorable mention.

## Race results given

Jimmy Aldrich of Ovid was the winner Saturday Night in the Late Model Division at Owosso Speedway.

Owosso's David Ward was the second place winner, followed by Gayle Hines of Mt. Morrice in third and Russ Fisher in fourth place.

In the Street Stocks,

Dave Kurka of Ovid, finished first. Second place went to Junior Daniels of Bancroft.

Laingsburg's Bud Donaldson took third in the Street Stocks and Ron Parrish of Okemos finished fourth.

In the Spectator Drag, Kurt Shumaker of Waterford, took first.

of St. Martin DePorres, the state championship team. Henderson edged Koenigsnecht with a time of 14.71.

Luke Hufnagel broke the school record in the 400 meter dash. The senior sprinter finished third with a time of 50.99. He also took fifth in the 200 meter dash, clocking in at 23.6.

Fowler did extremely well in the relay events, taking third in the 800 and 1600 meter events.

Koenigsnecht, Hufnagel, Larry Luttig and Armbrustmacher ran a 1:32.2 in the 880, while Jeff Thelen and Kurt Thelen teamed with Armbrustmacher and Hufnagel for a mark of 3:30.9 in the 1600 meters.

Koenigsnecht broke school records in both of the hurdle events in Wednesday's Honor Roll Meet.

He ran a 14.5 in the highs, good for third place, and a 39.4 in the lows, which was good for fifth.

Armbrustmacher took a third in the Honor Roll long jump competition, while Koenigsnecht was fourth.

Finally, for Fowler, Hufnagel took fifth in the 400 meter dash.

## Students excel

Todd Bakita and James McQueen of St. Johns both received a 4.0 or "straight A" grade point average during winter term at

Michigan State University. Bakita is a freshman in Engineering Sciences and McQueen is a graduate student in Education.

## Walker graduates

Airman Michael Walker, son of Francis Heany of Maple Rapids, recently graduated from the instructor training course at Altus Air Force Base,

Okla. He studied lesson planning, teaching techniques, public speaking, and human behavior and will teach in his Air Force specialty at Altus.

## Teams needed

A tournament is being sponsored by the Olivet Men's Softball League on June 13-14 for slow-pitch teams, Class B and below. Games will be held at

Kedron Park in Olivet. Entry fee is \$65 plus two new balls. For more information contact Steve Vedder at 616-749-9488.

## 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

## 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

# County gets new employment program

(editor's note: This is the second in a weekly series of employment related articles.)

By NANCY ZEIMEN

If you are 18-years-old or older and unemployed and need job training, a new federal program can help, said Keith Peterson of the Clinton County Manpower Office.

Peterson said Clinton County CETA was recently awarded a pilot On The Job Training program designed to place workers with employers, but has met with limited success.

"It's a very new program," said Peterson. "We're having problems since everyone thinks CETA is dead."

Peterson said the federal government is in favor of this type of program.

"The federal government is pushing programs like

this," he said. "Hopefully these will be the programs of the future."

Employees under this program must qualify for Title IIB CETA, Peterson said. Employee requirements for this program are age 18 or older and be either underemployed or unemployed. Interested people need to fill out an application at the CETA office in the gray building on the corner of State and Brush Streets in St. Johns, he said. CETA will then check the economic background of applicants on a individual basis and if

eligible will refer the applicant to a IIB agency like the On The Job training program, Peterson explained.

Interested employees will then be matched with employers responsible for training. CETA will pay up to one half of the employees wages while he is being trained, Peterson said.

The training varies in length, but Peterson said the average is 2-16 weeks. Wages vary too, but the program requires the employee to receive \$3.75 per hour by the end of the training program.

## Allen to speak

State Senator Richard Allen will be guest speaker at the 12:30 p.m. nutrition luncheon, Wednesday, June 10 at the Senior Drop-in Center.

## Placement service opens in city

A personnel placement service, free to employers, has opened in St. Johns and is canvassing the area for jobs and people in search of jobs.

Job Express, with offices at 102 N. Clinton, is a private employment job listing service according to its manager Joe Tucker. "Our purpose is to pre-qualify people for employment," he said. "We find out what they can do best, what they are qualified for, and save employers time and money."

"We're really very simple," Tucker explained. "We aren't a percentage type of business, instead we charge a small service fee (\$45) to help people find the types of openings they are qualified for."

The St. Johns office is the second to be opened in the last five months by Tucker and his associates. The first, in Mt. Pleasant, has a 30 percent success rate in placing people in jobs for the first five months of operation.

Tucker said that a survey of the Clinton County area showed a need for

his type of service. "There's a lot more

employment here than people realize," he said.

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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STATE OF MICHIGAN  
PROBATE COURT  
COUNTY OF CLINTON

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE  
OF:

NETTIE E. GUTE, Deceased.  
Social Security No. 382-05-1145  
Date of Death: March 29, 1981  
Last Known Address: 113 Bran-  
dywine Place, Lansing, MI  
File No. 20409

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Herbert N. Canfield has been appointed Personal Representative of the above estate on May 15, 1981.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented to HERBERT N. CANFIELD, c/o MICHAEL Y. SANDBORN, Attorney at Law, 834 North Capitol Avenue, Lansing, Michigan 48906, and proof thereof with copies of the claims filed with the Court on or before July 30, 1981. Notice is further given that the estate will thereafter be assigned to persons appearing of record entitled thereto.

Dated: May 27, 1981

MICHAEL Y. SANDBORN P25878  
Attorney for the Estate of:  
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REZONING OR SPECIAL USE  
CLINTON COUNTY  
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Clinton County Board of Commissioners will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday, June 17, 1981 at 7:00 P.M. in the auditorium of the Rodney B. Wilson Junior High School located at 101 West Cass Street, 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" E 1377.50' a distance of 1380.96' th. S 66°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 S 50°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 NF 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" W 1774.96' 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" W 1654.94', N76°45'31" W 1083.81', N76°49'55" W 263.56' to the intersection of sd. c/l and the W 1/8 in. th. N00°22'07" E alg. sd. W 1/8 in. 576.69' to POB. The above described lands contain 180.99 acres, are subj. to rights of the public over the N 1/2 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 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.

Jane Swanchara  
Clerk, County of Clinton  
Roger Overway  
Chairman, Clinton County Board of Commissioners

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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  
Joianne 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. - Pompeii, 1.16 mills
	Extra voted - Street Lights - Spec. Assmt. - .50 mills
By Elba Township:	None
By Washtington Township:	None
By the school district:	None

Julie A. Luneack  
Treasurer  
Gratiot County, Michigan

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

R. Lee Ormston  
Secretary, Board of Education

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## Fowler church founded in 1881

# Homecoming starts Holy Trinity's celebration

Most Holy Trinity Parish of Fowler launches a centennial celebration, Sunday, June 14, that will last through the summer and fall months.

Trinity Sunday will mark a homecoming for priests and nuns who have served in the 100 year old parish and who were raised in the parish and went on to serve

elsewhere. Other centennial activities include festivals in August and October. In conjunction, a 144 page Parish History book has been published and will

be available at all the celebrations.

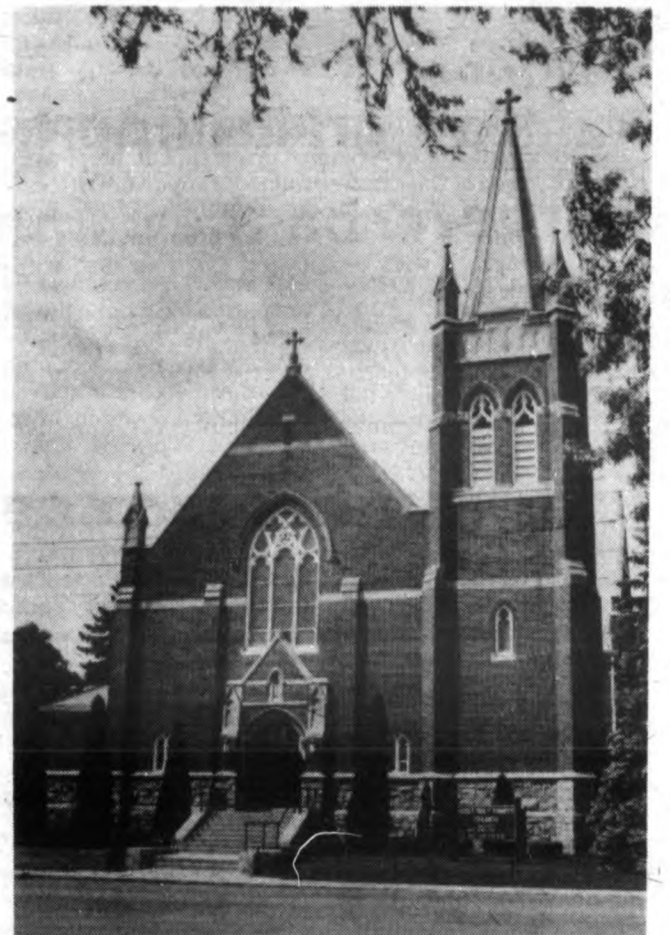
The June 14th program will start with a Celebrated High Mass with Bishop Kenneth Povish attending at 2 p.m. A special dinner for invited guests follows at 4 p.m.

A Solemn Benediction has been set at 7 p.m. in the church with an open house at the parish hall following the service.

The August celebration will be the annual Parish Festival, slated for the 9th. The 100 years will be marked with a Centennial Parade and an antique display. A family style ham and roast beef dinner starts at 11:30 a.m. Open air entertainment is planned for the evening and a teen dance will follow.

The two day Octoberfest will start with a Friday night teen dance on the 9th and follow with "Kiddy's Day" on Saturday, which features games and entertainment for youngsters. Saturday evening plans include two live bands for adult dancing along with refreshments.

The Century Club is working on a raffle that



Enjoying their afternoon centennial celebration Friday were Dale Goerge, left and Neil Koenigsknecht, doing a little seesaw on the teeter-totter. Children came to school dressed in costumes of the one-room school house period.



Holy Trinity students went back 100 years last Friday in celebration of the church's 100th anniversary. Fifth grade students, dressed in period costumes, found a shady place to eat

lunch. Left to right are Tricia Spicer, Amy Goerge, Lisa Farley, Vicki Snyder, Becky Feldpauch and LuAnn Pung. (Photo by Sharon Randall)

will feature Savings Bonds for prizes.

The Holy Trinity Parish began as a mission in 1857. The Rev. Goerge Godez, pastor of the St. Mary's Westphalia Church, traveled by horseback to serve the Catholics in Fowler at regular intervals. From 1874 until 1880, Father DeSmedt of the Hubbardston Parish attended Catholics using area homes as a place of worship.

On October 20, 1879, the first meeting was held to discuss the possibility of building a Roman Catholic Church in Fowler. Approval was received from the Most Rev. Bishop Caspar H. Borgess of Detroit and the project commenced, June 6, 1881. The church was completed, December 3, 1881. When the parish outgrew this first church, the present church was built in 1916.

The community's first Catholic School was organized in 1888. Called, St. Joseph School, it was taught by Dominican Sisters of Racine, Wisconsin.

Irish and German Catholic descendants of Fowler have been served

by 10 pastors over the 100 years. Two priests, Monsignor George J. Esper and Father Albert J. Schmitt, served 57 of the 100 years.

Today's pastor is the Rev. Father Denis Spitzley.

Steve Fedewa, chairman of the centennial committee, said many blessings have been bestowed on the parish over the last century. "Spiritual growth has been significant," he said. Twenty sons of the parish have been ordained priests or brothers and one is a Permanent Deacon. Forty-three parish members have become nuns.

"The centennial year is being dedicated to the greater honor and glory of the Most Holy Trinity," Fedewa explained, "to God the Father who created us in his own image; to God the Son who suffered and died for our salvation, and to the Holy Spirit of God who is love."

"It is the wish of the people of the parish that the next 100 years will be as fruitful as the last," he said, "and we extend a welcome to all our neighbors to come and help us celebrate."

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### CITY OF ST. JOHNS

#### LEARN TO PLAY TENNIS FREE LESSONS

The City of St. Johns will be offering free tennis lessons this summer for anyone 8 years of age and up. The lessons will run for two week sessions, Monday thru Friday on the following dates.

1st Session	June 15 - June 26
2nd Session	June 29 - July 10
3rd Session	August 3 - August 14

The times are as follows:

Ages 8-11 yrs	9 - 10 a.m.
Ages 12-15 yrs	10 - 11 a.m.
16 yrs - Adults	11 a.m. to 12 Noon
Adults	Mon. & Wed. evenings 6-7 p.m.

Sign up now at City Hall 121 E. Walker Street, St. Johns for the session or sessions you want.

You will need to furnish your own racket and a can of balls.  
**INSTRUCTORS:** Ellen Witteveen and Michelle O'Connor.

**Diane M. Edwards**  
 Administrative Assistant

# Clinton County 4Her awarded trip to England

Melissa Jablowski has an exciting experience in store for this summer. She will be one of 25 4-H members from Michigan to travel to England as

part of the 4-H International Equestrian Exchange.

Missy and the other Michigan 4-Hers and their chaperones will fly from

Detroit, arriving in London, July 19.

During their three week stay in England, this group will visit Canterbury Castle and Saddlery; Leeds Castle and Eyehorne Manor; Hastings on the Rye and the Royal Military Tournament. They will attend "Hickstead," the biggest jumper show in the country and also spend some time in London.

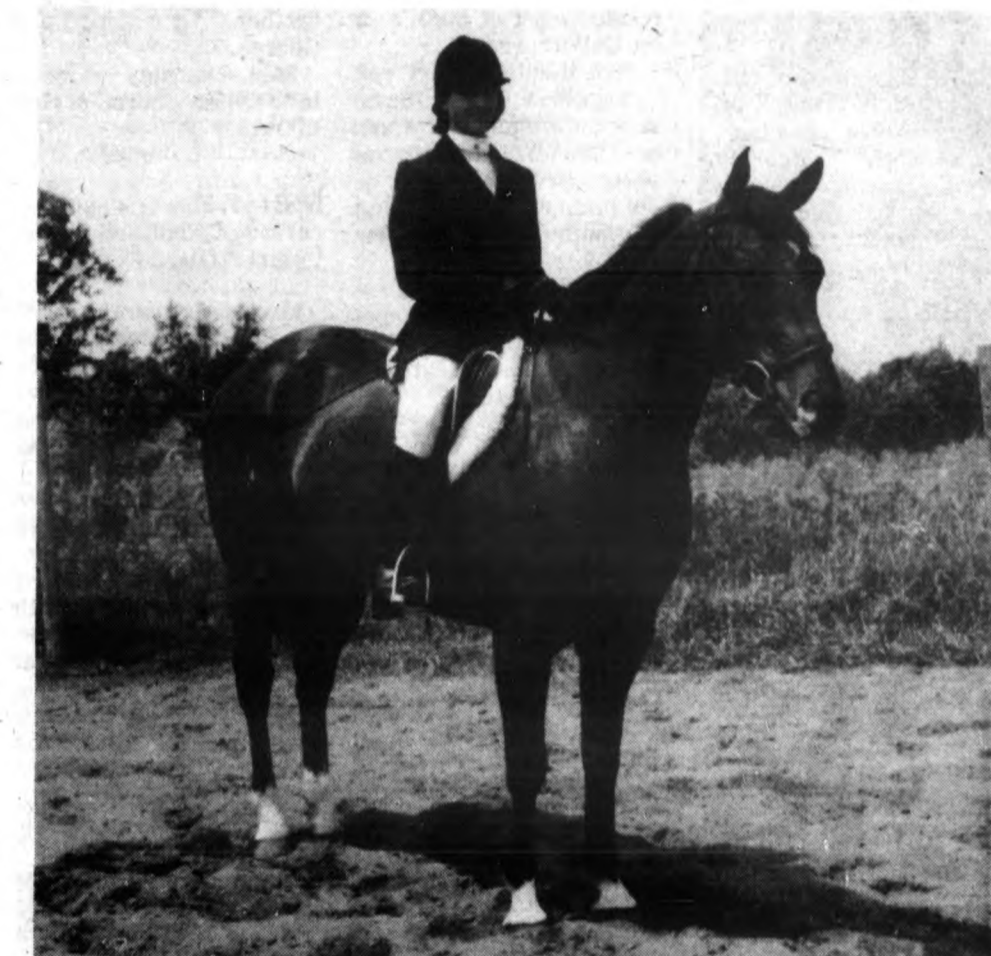
Each member will also receive two hour riding instruction sessions.

Missy will return to the United States with the rest of the group, Aug. 8, just in time to share experiences with friends at the Clinton County 4-H Fair.

The Ovid-Elsie High School student will be a junior next fall. She is in her sixth year of 4-H, a member of the Foxy Trotters and the Ovid Village Elves. Her parents are Stan and Doris Jablowski and the family lives on East Kinley Road, St. Johns. Missy's father is employed by Research Tool and Die in Ovid. Mrs. Jablowski is a nurse at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

"I'm excited, and a little bit nervous," Missy said about her upcoming trip to England. "I know I'll have a good time." She is especially interested in attending the big horse shows there.

This is not the first honor for this young woman with a love for horses. In 1978, Missy was selected as one



of two young people in Michigan to receive a Quarter Horse colt donated by Bob Evans Farms. In 1980, she won the county medal for horses and also earned the high point trophy in the Williamston Horse Show at Michigan State University. She has been chosen to represent Clinton County at the State Horse Show for the past three years.

## Russian grain imports will never be the same

By GEORGE MCQUEEN  
Extension Director

The USSR grain embargo has been lifted, but don't expect a return of the lucrative pre-embargo sales.

John Ferris, MSU Cooperative Extension Service agricultural economist, says that it is difficult to fully assess the effect of the lifting of the embargo, but it is doubtful the United States will again supply 75 percent of Russia's grain imports.

Under the current agreement, which expires Sept. 30, the Soviets will buy at least six million metric tons (MT) annually. They are allowed to buy up to eight million MT annually without consulting the US government.

The Russians have already procured most of the imports needed for the current crop year, however, so little of the 17 million MT of US grain denied them by the embargo will likely be purchased.

After the embargo was lifted, US grain markets

declined. This not a good indication for what's ahead since: the markets had already largely discounted the effect of the embargo termination, which was widely expected; the USDA upped its estimate of ending US feed and grain carryover stocks on the same day the embargo ended; and, the effect of the embargo lifting may be long-run rather than short-run.

The end of the embargo does remove the uncertain element that has kept downward pressure on prices and does provide some psychological support for the grain markets. But it will take some time before its full effect will be registered.

It should be noted that the USSR recently concluded a pact with Argentina to buy about \$1 billion worth of beef (about 100,000 pounds annually) over the next five years. This is viewed as a major shift in Soviet policy and somewhat of an admission that their domestic agriculture cannot fulfill their meat requirements.

### Employee honored

Elaine Miller, of Fowler was recently honored by the Fishers Big Wheel organization as an Associate of

the Month for the work she does in the Men's Department at the St. Johns store.

### CITY OF ST. JOHNS PLANNING COMMISSION AGENDA JUNE 4, 1981

1. Call to Order
2. Approval of Previous Minutes
  - a. May 7, 1981
3. Wheel Inn Mall Request
4. North Scott Road Truck Traffic
5. Master Plan
6. Other Business, if any
7. Adjournment

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## NOTICE RESIDENTS CITY OF ST. JOHNS

The City will pick up all grass clippings and yard rakings that are placed in plastic bags and set at the curb.

Brush will also be picked up at the end of each month. The following schedule will indicate the day designated in your area.

North of State St. and West of Clinton - last Monday of each month

North of State St. and East of Clinton - last Tuesday of each month

South of State St. and East of Clinton - last Wednesday of each month

South of State St. and West of Clinton - last Thursday of each month

Diane M. Edwards  
Administrative Assistant

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### CITY OF ST. JOHNS NOTICE OF BIDS LAWN TRACTOR AND MOWER

The City of St. Johns will accept sealed bids for a lawn tractor and mower until 3:30 p.m., Wednesday, June 17, 1981 in the office of the City Clerk, 121 E. Walker Street, St. Johns, Michigan 48879.

Bids must be sealed and bear the name of the bidder on the outside of the envelope and be plainly marked "Lawn Tractor and Mower Bids".

Bids will be publicly opened and read at this time and referred to the City Commission for their approval or rejection at their Regular Meeting to be held June 22, 1981 at 7:30 p.m. in the City Commission Chambers, City Hall, 121 E. Walker Street, St. Johns, Michigan.

Bid forms and specifications may be picked up at the Office of the City Clerk, 121 E. Walker Street, St. Johns, Michigan.

Richard L. Coletta  
City Clerk

224-207

### ORDINANCE NO. 332

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND PORTIONS OF TITLE X - TRAFFIC, CHAPTER 126 GENERAL TRAFFIC REGULATIONS OF THE ST. JOHNS CITY CODE.

THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS ORDAINS:

**Section 1.** That the following denoted subsections of Title X, Chapter 126 General Traffic Regulations of the St. Johns City Code, shall be amended, deleted and supplemented as hereinafter specifically set forth.

**Section 2.** All sections hereinafter referred to are a direct reference to the existing section numbers of Title X, Chapter 126 - General Traffic Regulations.

**10.1 Code Adopted.** The Uniform Traffic Code for Cities, Townships, and Villages, promulgated by the Commissioner of State Police on February 14, 1958, as subsequently amended and more particularly as amended and published by the Michigan State Police pursuant to Act No. 62 of the Public Acts of 1956, published and dated March, 1981, is hereby adopted by reference as in this Chapter set forth.

**Section 3.** That all other references in Chapter 126, in conflict therewith, are hereby deleted and the provisions of the March, 1981, Uniform Traffic Code for cities, townships and villages are thereby effective upon the effective date of the within ordinance.

**Section 4.** Except as herein set forth, Title X, Chapter 126 - General Traffic Regulations, of the St. Johns City Code, shall stand as first enacted or otherwise amended.

**Section 5.** This Ordinance shall take effect twenty (20) days after its passage. **PASSED, ORDAINED AND ORDERED PUBLISHED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS AT A REGULAR MEETING HELD THE 26th DAY OF MAY, A.D., 1981.**

Adoption of the above Ordinance was moved by Commissioner Roesner and supported by Commissioner Starck.

Yeas: Commissioners Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre

Nays: Commissioners None

Absent: None

THE ORDINANCE WAS DECLARED ADOPTED.

224-209

### CITY OF ST. JOHNS

#### NOTICE OF BIDS BRUSH CHIPPER

The City of St. Johns will accept sealed bids for a brush chipper until 3:00 p.m., Wednesday, June 17, 1981 in the office of the City Clerk, 121 E. Walker Street, St. Johns, Michigan 48879.

Bids must be sealed and bear the name of the bidder on the outside of the envelope and be plainly marked "Brush Chipper Bids".

Bids will be publicly opened and read at this time and referred to the City Commission for their approval or rejection at their Regular Meeting to be held June 22, 1981 at 7:30 p.m. in the City Commission Chambers, City Hall, 121 E. Walker Street, St. Johns, Michigan.

Bids will be for a gasoline powered, tractor mounted, brush chipper. Specifications and Bid Sheets may be picked up at the City Offices, 121 E. Walker Street, St. Johns, Michigan.

Richard L. Coletta  
City Clerk

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### ORDINANCE NO. 331

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND PORTIONS OF CHAPTER 24, WATER AND SEWER RATES OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS CITY CODE AS PREVIOUSLY AMENDED.

THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS ORDAINS:

**Section 1.** That the following denoted subsections of Chapter 24, Water and Sewer Rates of the St. Johns City Code, as previously amended, shall be deleted and/or amended and supplemented as hereinafter specified.

All sections hereafter referred to are a direct reference to the section numbers of Chapter 24, Water and Sewer Rates of the St. Johns City Code, which are affected by this amendment:

**Section 2.124 Sewage Disposal Rates**

Schedule A - Service Charge, shall be amended to read as follows:

SCHEDULE A - SERVICE CHARGE					
Meter Size Inches	Allowance *(K-Gal)	Fixed Charges Debt	I/I&R	Commodity Charge	Total Service Charge
5/8 & 3/4	5	\$ 3.41	\$ 3.05	\$ 3.25	\$ 9.71
1	16	5.46	4.88	10.40	20.74
1 1/2	33	11.25	10.07	21.45	42.77
2	53	18.07	16.17	34.45	68.69
3	100	34.10	30.50	65.00	129.60
4	160	54.56	48.80	104.00	207.36
6	330	112.53	100.65	214.50	427.68

\* K-Gal equals 1,000 gallons.

For sewer usage above the allowance, there is an additional charge of \$.65 per 1,000 gallons.

**Section 2.** Except as herein set forth, Chapter 24, Water and Sewer Rates of the St. Johns City Code, shall stand as first enacted or otherwise amended.

**Section 3.** This Ordinance shall take effect twenty (20) days after its passage.

**PASSED, ORDAINED AND ORDERED PUBLISHED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS AT A REGULAR MEETING HELD THE 26th DAY OF MAY, A.D., 1981.**

Adoption of the above Ordinance was moved by Commissioner Hannah and supported by Commissioner Brockmyre.

Yeas: Commissioners Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre

Nays: Commissioners None

Absent: None

THE ORDINANCE WAS DECLARED ADOPTED.

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# Obituaries



## Richard Kiebler

Richard J. Kiebler, prominent DeWitt businessman passed away suddenly on May 30, 1981 in Grayling.

He was a member of the DeWitt Business Association, DeWitt Masonic Lodge and an active member of Alcoholics Anonymous. He was also very active and generous in supporting community affairs.

Mr. Kiebler was owner and chief executive officer of Kiebo Foods, Inc. in DeWitt which he founded in 1958 with his father LeRoy and brother Ron.

Funeral services for Richard J. Kiebler, 52, of 1106 E. Geneva Dr., DeWitt were held at the DeWitt Community Church on Tuesday, June 2 at 1 p.m. Burial was held in the DeWitt Cemetery with the Rev. Murl Eastman officiating.

Mr. Kiebler was born in Lansing on April 16, 1929 the child of LeRoy and Helen (Rowan) Kiebler. He attended DeWitt High School and graduated from Ferris State College. Mr. Kiebler also served in the United States Army. He

resided most of his life in the DeWitt area

Dick Kiebler is survived by his widow, Nancy; three sons, Christopher, Cash and Chip all of DeWitt; one sister, Gretchen Coco of Wilmington, Delaware and his mother Helen Kiebler of DeWitt.

Memorials may be given to the DeWitt Area Chapel for the DeWitt EMTS or the DeWitt Senior Citizens Community Room.

## Lester Harrington

Funeral services for Lester Harrington Sr., 128 E. Front St., Ovid, were held Wednesday afternoon, June 3, in the Houghton Chapel at the Osgood Funeral Home with the Rev. Edward Schweikert officiating. Burial was at Maple Grove Cemetery.

Mr. Harrington, 61, died Sunday, May 31, 1981 at Owosso Memorial Hospital after an extended illness.

He was born to Arthur and Elizabeth Harrington on Oct. 9, 1919 in Gratiot County. He was a graduate of Riverdale High School and served in the U.S. Army during World War II.

Mr. Harrington married Dorothy Guild on Sept. 12, 1942 in Tulsa, Oklahoma. He was employed by the Melling Forge Company in Lansing and was resident of Ovid since 1953. He was a member of the First Church of God in Owosso.

Surviving are his wife, Dorothy; two sons, Lester Jr., of St. Johns and Ray of Owosso; two daughters, Mrs. Ruth Woodruff and Pat, both of Ovid; nine grandchildren; and one

brother, Lyle of Lake George.

Memorial may be made to the First Church of God in Owosso.

## Martha Isenhower

Martha Isenhower, 1207 N. Hollister Road, Ovid died Sunday, May 24, 1981 at Owosso Memorial Hospital. She was 74 and an Ovid area resident for 40 years.

Funeral services for Mrs. Isenhower were held Wednesday afternoon, May 27, at the Carter Funeral Home, Elsie with the Rev. Ray Wilson officiating. Burial is at Riverside Cemetery, Elsie.

Mrs. Isenhower was born to Truman and Effie Scott on May 31, 1906 in Cheboygan County. She married Dale Isenhower in Lansing. He died in 1969.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Betty Stackwell of St. Johns, Mrs. Goldie VanAlstine of Corunna, and Mrs. Darlene Miller of Taylor; one son, Ernest Isenhower of St. Johns; two step-sons, Robert Isenhower of Hudson and Richard Cook of Adrian; 25 grandchildren; and 36 great-grandchildren.

## Sipriano Villareal

Sipriano Villareal, 789 W. High St., Ovid died May 28, 1981 at Owosso Memorial Hospital after a long illness. He was 59.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon,

May 30, at St. Joseph Catholic Church in St. Johns with the Rev. Louis Martin officiating. The rosary service was held Friday evening, May 29, at the Osgood Funeral Home in St. Johns. Burial was at Mt. Rest Cemetery.

Mr. Villarreal was born to Timoted Villarreal and Petra Cantu Villarreal on Sept. 16, 1921 in New Brownfield, Texas. He and Eluteria Gonzales were married on Jan. 3, 1944 in Texas. They moved to the Ovid area in 1948.

Mr. Villarreal retired as a press operator for the Motor Wheel Corporation in 1980.

Surviving are his wife, Eluteria; four sons, Sipriano Jr., of Lansing, Richard, Robert, and Fernando of Ovid; two daughters, Mrs. Beatrice Olsen of Middleton and Mrs. Vicki Goodwin of Corunna; 14 grandchildren; five brothers, Pedro of Chicago, Joseph, David, Raul and Joaquin of New Brownfield, Texas; and two sisters, Mrs. Librada Bustoz and Mrs. Hortencia Trejo, both of New Brownfield, Texas.

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# College Week offers variety

Adults from throughout the state can learn from a variety of educational seminars offered during College Week, June 22-25 on the Michigan State University campus.

From the 50 classes offered, participants can choose sessions to help them cope with the changing labor market, better handle interpersonal relationships both in and out of the home, improve their physical and mental health, preserve food and make their homes more energy efficient.

Past participants have ranged in age from 17 to 86 and have come from both urban and rural com-

munities. This variety of ages and lifestyles broadens the whole experience for many.

Each person can participate in three classes that meet each day. There are also several optional seminars, including workshops on eliminating self-defeating behavior, personal and property safety, and other topics. Tours of campus, the MSU dairy barn, dorm kitchens and the Capitol will also be offered.

A brochure with a complete description of all the classes and a registration form is available from the County Extension Service

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# St Johns names honor students, award winners

More than \$40,000 in scholarships and awards were presented at the St. Johns High School Awards Assembly, May 21. Students were also honored for special achievements.

The winners included; Carol Huguelet, the Bausch and Lomb Science Award; Linda Aurand, Clinton County Business and Professional Women's Business Student Award; Teresa Hudson, Amy Engel Award; Tom Vitous (first place) and Darcy Holstein (second place), L.C.C. Architectural Design Competition.

College Awards went to Irenna Garapetian, Tom Vitous and Brent Simon as University of Michigan Regents Alumni Scholars; Michelle Chiunti, Kris Tetens and Kris Valentine for Michigan State University Academic Excellence; Lori Hufnagel for Central Michigan University Academic Excellence; Lori Hufnagel and Marcia Lusk for Eastern Michigan University Academic Excellence; Sandy Schlarf as a Michigan Business School Association Scholar; Irenna Garapetian for Alma College's Trustee Honor's Scholarship and Bruce Fedewa, Alana George, Marcia Lusk, Deb Phillips, Tammy Willett for Alma College's Presidential Scholarships.

Alana George, Marcia Lusk, Kris Tetens, Kris Valentine and Tom Vitous were National Merit Commendation Winners; Carol Huguelet was the National Merit Finalist - Scholarship recipient and also the Legislative Merit Scholarship recipient from the State of Michigan.

Ushers Club certificates and pins were presented to

Lisa Ingalls, Deb Krumm, Stephanie Lawson, Chris Pung and Tammy Willett. Outstanding Business Students were Bill Henning and Dean Mazzolini for distributive education, and Lisa Ingalls and Karla Rademacher for office education.

Davenport College Business Olympics went to Lisa Ingalls for a first place in Machine Transcription; Karla Rademacher for second place in Typing II; Betty Schultz for third place in Typing Proofreading and Karla Rademacher for honorable mention in shorthand.

Beth Eberhard and Anne Moore were co-winners of the Donna Carter Award.

The outstanding senior mathematician was Carol Huguelet. Mike Fox received the Hustin Scholarship and Mick Sweeney received the Urie Outstanding Auto and Clinton Auto Tool Award.

The High School Tool Award went to Gerald Hine and the Gertrude Buehler Scholarship was presented to Sue Federeau.

Alumni Scholarship Awards were to Jane Schueller (senior), Michelle Bower (junior), Sandra Burkhardt (sophomore) and Cheryl Summer (freshman).

Instrumental Music presentations winners included; Scott Fitzpatrick, John Philip Sousa Award; Charlie Chapko, Concert Band Award; Kendra Paksi, Service Award; Gretchen Banninga, Donald Tatroe Memorial Award; Brent Springgay and Donald Laidler, Outstanding Freshman Award and Scott Fitzpatrick, Marine Corp Award.

The Vocal Music presentations were given Kristin Valentine and Mark Humenik, "Voice Musica" Award.

Orchestra Awards went to Kris Valentine, Beethoven Award and John Musolf and Kris Tetens, Co-Orchestra Win and Percussion Award.

Acting, Technician Award winners included; Tim Dickman as the best actor of 1980-81 for Dr. Van Helsing in "Dracula"; Gae Cobb as the best actress for 1980-81 for the Cat in "Story Theater"; Gene Turcotte as the best supporting actor of 1980-81 for Judd in "Oklahoma"; Irenna Garapetian as best supporting actress of 1980-81 for Renfield in "Dracula" and Carol Huguelet as technician of the year for 1980-81 for Properties in "Dracula".

Jerry Peters received the Brent Law Award. Julie Bennett and Jeff Maples won the Lancaster Award and the outstanding athletes were Bruce Fedewa and Denise Thelen.

Kim Jappinga and Debbie Phillips received the Binda Scholarship and Wilson Scholarship Awards went to Bruce Fedewa, Mark Humenik, Tom Vitous, Chuck Coleman (alternate), Irenna Garapetian, Lori Hufnagel, Marcia Lusk, Kris Tetens, Tammy Willett and Jane Schueller (alternate).

Stella Arias was named the outstanding Student Council member for 1981.

Academic medals were presented by the Student Council to sophomores who compiled a 3.5 average for three semesters. Winners included; Lauryn Escher, Nancy Thelen, Joy Overley, Maureen Asher, Angelia Chiunti, Scott Furry, Tracy Shutes, Lisa Blundy, Sandy Burkhardt, Monica Hayes, Brad Massey, Deb Yallup, Ken Lounds, Ann Boynton, Jean Henning, Connie Bast, John Thelen, Jim Thelen, Karen Grost, Cheryl Carrol, Barb VeCasey, Brian Trefil, Malinda Lott, Gloria Stratton, Karen Wood, Elizabeth Buckwalter, Patricia Burkhardt, Jenny Plowman, Caren Rojas, Carla Huguelet, Deb Mosier, Dolly Bryde, Kimberly Stoddard, Shelly Hughes, Lorett Huhn, Mark Pung, Steve Gonzales, Roda Hughes, Sara Tetens and Tami Moore.

Academic medals presented by the Student Council to juniors who compiled a 3.5 average for five semesters went to; Darlene Cerny, Gretchen Banninga, Tod Bensing, Michelle Bower, Debra Hufnagel, Mark Egres, Betty Schultz, Jeff Bunn, Deb Armbrustmacher, Ellen Witteveen, Milissa Martis, Shelli Heibeck, Lori Goerge, Brian Ziegler, Doug Vandemark, Karin Valentine, Tamara Argersinger, Justin Escher, Judith Fedewa, Ken Eiseler, Margaret Klein, Julie Rann, Kellie Bissell, Barbie Downing, Gay Cobb, David Maples, Paul Ackley, Teresa Bellingar, Lisa Lawrence, Amanda Martindale, Patrick Fitzpatrick, Day Zuker, Alan Carroll and June Pearson.

## Adults graduate from Ovid-Elsie

Twenty-one adult students received Ovid-Elsie High School diplomas, Sunday in special ceremonies at the school.

Eighty-two year old Florence Acre Ewer gave the student address testifying that "age is no barrier."

"If you want something, shift into high gear and go after it," she advised. Thanking the adult educa-

tion staff, headed by Jan Amsterburg, Mrs. Ewer also thanked the school for "its fine facility and especially the wonderful library" that she said she "used and used with such delight."

Graduating with Mrs. Ewer were:  
Judith Bendt  
Sherry June Coon

Beverly Jean Delong  
Duane Dickenson  
Ano Lee Elwood  
Barbara Finch  
Linus Paul Fox  
Kay Hamm  
Linda Lake  
Brenda Jean Panik  
Pracy Patrick  
Judith Ann Perrien  
Betty Anne Saylor  
Douglas Jay Smith

Barbara VanEffen  
Bonnie Vincent  
Dana Lee Walker  
Ardith Kay Weeks  
Susan Kyle Wilhelm  
Julia Evelyn Worden

Adult scholarships were presented to Kay Hamm, Barb Finch, Linus Fox, Benda Panik and Judy Perrien.

## Kids contest praises dads

The St. Johns Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a "My Dad is someone to cheer about," contest for children in grades kindergarten through sixth.

Children will write essays titled: My Dad is someone to cheer about because... that must be at least 25 words long.

Entry forms are available in the Monday Green Sheet shopper. The contest started June 1 and will end June 12. Entries should be turned into the Chamber of Commerce Office located in the Clinton County News Building or at the Mark Robert's store in St. Johns.

Seven prizes will be awarded to seven lucky dads, fathers of winners from each grade category. They are being provided by

Rehmanns Men's and Boy's Wear; Bennett's Jewelry; Harr's Jewelry; Town and Country Ped-

ler; Kentucky Fried Chicken; Norm Henry Shoes and Fishers Big Wheel.

### Bike-a-thon is Saturday

The St. Jude's Bike-a-thon in St. Johns has been rescheduled for Saturday, June 6 from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. with prizes and free give-aways for everyone.

Chairman Shirley Rasmussen said participants will meet in front of the depot on

Clinton Avenue to parade up mainstreet and ride to the City Park where the rides will begin. Laps will be counted out at the park and late comers should meet there, she said.

Proceeds from the Bike-a-thon go to research projects at St. Jude's Hospital.

### RESIDENTS WATERTOWN CHARTER TOWNSHIP

#### NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING

A PUBLIC HEARING HAS BEEN SET FOR JUNE 16, 1981, at 8:00 p.m. at the Township Complex for the purpose of a Flood Insurance Study which has recently been completed for Watertown Charter Township. This study includes Flood Plain maps showing the areas that would be inundated by a 100 year Flood, flood elevation profiles, and flood insurance rate maps for the use of financial institutions and insurance agents in determining who must purchase flood insurance and the cost of the insurance.

Final issuance of this study will mark a change in the Watertown Charter Township status in the National Flood Insurance Program from the "Emergency Phase" to the "Regular Phase".

At that time the amount of Flood insurance now available to homeowners and businessmen in Watertown Charter Township will increase. The additional amounts of insurance will be subject to actuarial rates rather than the federally subsidized rates which are presently available.

In addition the Township of Watertown will be required to adopt and enforce a flood plain management ordinance to regulate all new construction and substantial rehabilitation in the flood hazard areas designated in the report.

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# P-W Players looking for community support

By CHRIS THELEN  
Special writer

The Pewamo-Westphalia Community Players begins its 11th season this summer with an all out effort to increase membership and community support, which have been on the decline in recent years.

Efforts include sponsorship of a 5,000 meter race as a money making project and plans for a summer production of the elaborate musical "Sound of Music."

The race, Sunday, June 7, is being held in conjunction with St. Joseph's annual church picnic in Pewamo. Registration starts at noon at the Pewamo Elementary School and the race starts at 1 p.m.

According to Jerry Wholfert, publicity chairman of the players group, the fund raiser is intended as a way to boost community involvement with the club and "to encourage future fund raisers for specific areas of production." Money from the race has been earmarked for improvements to the stage lighting.

The club was originally formed to help support the William Steinke Scholarship fund, in memory of a former Pewamo-Westphalia school superintendent. Wholfert said the club has experienced financial difficulties the last couple of years and contributions to the scholarship fund have been lower. "Most income has gone to keep the Players

afloat from one year to the next," he said.

Financial matters played a role in helping to select the summer production, "The Sound of Music," Wholfert said. "It's a very popular production and that should increase audience participation."

"The play itself is a definite challenge to stage," he said. It demands 40 players, including 22 speaking (singing and talking) parts, and 18 nonspeaking parts. The roles offer a wide segment of characters including children.

"There's plenty of positions for people interested in acting as well as the production end," Wholfert said. "It's an excellent op-

portunity for the public to get a feel of the stage either in front of the audience or behind the scenes," he explained. "The more support the community gives us, the more we'll be able to sup-

port the scholarship fund. It's an opportunity to enjoy the arts while helping support the future of our scholarship winners."

Tryouts for the summer play are Friday, June 5, from 7 to 9 p.m. and Satur-

day, June 6, from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Pewamo Elementary School.

Further information on the musical and the race can be obtained by calling Wholfert at 593-3283 or Steve Kimball, 371-5188,



Lisa Martin, Rosemarie Rademacher and Jerry Wholfert discuss promotion of the upcoming "Sound of Music" production being staged by the Pewamo-Westphalia players. (Photo by Chris Thelen)

## Fowler school meeting changed to June 8

The regular meeting of the Fowler Public School's Board of Education will be held June 8 instead of June 15. It will be held in the Waldron Elementary staff room at 8:30 p.m.

### SAVE ENERGY

#### STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF CLINTON

Estate of GARY L. HUMMEL, Deceased, Date of Death: February 16, 1981, Social Security No. 377-42-3148

**TAKE NOTICE:** Creditors of GARY L. HUMMEL, Deceased, whose last known address was P.O. Box 537, DeWitt, Michigan 48820, are notified that on the petition of JOHNNIE L. HUMMEL, the administration of the estate was granted to ALFRED H. HUMMEL.

All claims against the decedent's estate are barred against the estate, the independent personal representative, and the heirs of the decedent, unless within four months after the date of publication of this notice or four months after the claim becomes due, whichever is later, the claim is presented to the independent personal representative. Notice is further given that the estate will thereafter be assigned to the persons entitled thereto.

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Olivet, Michigan 49076

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Lansing, Michigan 48933  
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Lawyers for Estate  
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#### STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF CLINTON

#### PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF HEARING

Estate of LILAH R. SIBLEY, Deceased, File No. 20416

**TAKE NOTICE:** On Monday, June 15, 1981 at 11:00 a.m., in the probate courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan, before Hon. MARVIN E. ROBERTSON Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Russell Sibley, praying that the purported Last Will and Testament of the Deceased be admitted to probate and that administration of said Estate be granted to the Personal Representative therein named.

**FURTHER TAKE NOTICE** that all purported creditors of the Deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn proofs of claim with the Clinton County Probate Court and serve a copy thereof upon Russell Sibley, 1240 West Cutler Road, DeWitt, Michigan 48820, on or before August 7, 1981, that being the last day for filing of claims against the Estate of Lilah R. Sibley, Deceased.

Dated: May 29, 1981

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DeWitt, Michigan 48820

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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.

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Dated: May 4, 1981

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By: Victor Lotycz  
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James A. Moore  
Attorney at Law  
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St. Johns, MI 48879  
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#### ST. JOHNS CITY COMMISSION MINUTES - MAY 11, 1981

The Reg. Mtg. was called to order by Mayor Arehart at 7:30 p.m.  
COMM. PRESENT: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre.  
COMM. ABSENT: None.

STAFF PRESENT: R. L. Humphrey, City Mgr.; R. L. Coletta, City Clerk; P. A. Maples, City Atty.; D. M. Edwards, City Assessor.

Motion by Comm. Hannah supported by Comm. Roesner that the Mins. of the Apr. 27, 1981 Reg. Mtg., the Apr. 28, 1981 Special Mtg. and the May 8, 1981 Special Mtg. of the St. Johns City Comm. be approved as presented.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Starck that Warrant Nos. 1181 thru 1279 be approved in the amt. of \$1,019,916.66 as presented.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre.  
NAY: None. Motion carried.

Mayor Arehart asked for any additions or deletions to the Agenda. There was one addition. Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Brockmyre that the Agenda be approved as amended.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Hannah supported by Comm. Roesner that the request of Ed Schmitt for the VFW to have a Memorial Day Parade on May 28, 1981, starting at 6:30 p.m. be granted.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Starck that the request of the VFW to sell poppies in the City of St. Johns on May 14, 15 and 16, 1981 be approved and that all fees be waived.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Brockmyre that the City Comm. authorize the City Clerk to write a letter to the County Clerk stating the City has no objections to the Andrew's Farmland Preservation Act Ap.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Brockmyre supported by Comm. Hannah that the St. Johns City Comm. adopt the following Proclamation and Proclaim May 23, 1981 as St. Jude Children's Research Hospital Day in the City of St. Johns.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Roesner that the City Comm. authorize the purchase of an overhead door and opener from Overhead Door Co., installed at the Water Dept. maintenance building for the sum of \$1,054.00.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Hannah supported by Comm. Roesner that the Public Hearing for Ord. No. 328 be opened.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried. There was no one present wishing to present testimony.

Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Starck that the Public Hearing on Ord. No. 328 be closed.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Roesner that the City Comm. adopt Ord. No. 328.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Roesner that the City Comm. authorize the purchase of one radar unit through the State Extended Purchasing Program.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Brockmyre supported by Comm. Hannah that the Public Hearing on the Giles St. Special Assessment Project be opened.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Fred Neilson, Jim Schweigert, Dan Ritter, Jack Plowman, Ernie Lance, Veronica Rozen, Ken Blonshine, Bill Andrews, Walter Blizzard, Rollin Huard, RJ Plowman, and Lawrence Motz were present to present testimony.

Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Hannah that the Public Hearing on the Giles St. Special Assessment Project be closed.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Comm. Hannah offered the following (Resolution of Intent) and moved its adoption whereof, which was supported by Comm. Brockmyre.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Hannah that the City Eng. be authorized to draw up plans and specs. for bidding the Giles St. Project.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Brockmyre that the City Comm. refer the request to close N. Scott Rd. to trucking to the Planning Comm. for their study and recommendation and further that the City Mgr. be authorized to send letters to the petition signers about the Planning Comm. study and further that the City Mgr. be authorized to post the 25 mph speed limit on the section of N. Scott Rd. in question.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Starck that the request to eliminate the fence provision in Ord. No. 309 be referred to the City Atty. and that he be authorized to work with reps. of Union Savings and Loan and the adjacent property owners to work out a suitable language for the screening and landscaping of the north property line.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Starck that Ord. No. 329 be removed from the Table.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Brockmyre supported by Comm. Starck that the City Comm. adopt Ord. No. 329.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Roesner supported by Comm. Starck that the City Comm. accept Change Order No. 10 and accept the WWTP Supt. and City Mgr's. recommendation that the cost of item no. 7 be deducted from HR&C's payment.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Roesner that the City Comm. accept the recommendation of the St. Johns Planning Comm. and approve the Agreement with Williams and Works for the updating of the City's Master Plan and authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to sign.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Hannah supported by Comm. Brockmyre that the City Comm. accept the City Mgr's. presentation of the proposed 1981-9182 Fiscal Year Budget and that it be laid on the Table until a Public Hearing and that the Public Hearing be set for May 26, 1981 at 8:00 p.m.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Starck supported by Comm. Roesner that the City Atty. be authorized to draft a Public Works contract for the installation of a sanitary sewer on Scikies St. and that it incorporate the recommendation presented by the City Clerk.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Hannah supported by Comm. Brockmyre that the mtg. be adjourned.

YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Hannah, Brockmyre. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Mayor Arehart adjourned the Reg. Mtg. at 9:35 p.m.

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## Officers named

The Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary elected new officers for the approaching year at a recent meeting. Karen Soffin was named president.

Left to right are Nancy Lashaway, second vice-president; Marilyn Wood, secretary; Dorothy Schoals, corresponding secretary; Mary Libey, treasurer; Mrs. Soffin, and Melane Humphrey, past-president. The Auxiliary is involved in many volunteer projects at the hospital including the gift shop and the television program.

## Clinton featured in history magazine

A chronical of Clinton County and its agricultural beginnings and continued strength, is featured in the May-June issue of "Michigan History" magazine as part of a series on the state's 83 counties.

Also of interest to county residents is an article on the 1927 Bath School disaster which includes excerpts from Grant Parker's "Mayday" book.

The magazine, in its 65th year, is published six times a year by the Department of State's Michigan History Division.

An attractive publication, with beautiful photographs, "Michigan History" features articles on historic preservation, popular history, archaeology and other historical features. It also highlights one of Michigan's 83 counties in each issue and provides a "history happenings" section and reviews books about the state's history.

In the present issue, the history of Clinton County is recounted starting with George Campau's Indian trading post near present-day Maple Rapids in 1826. Readers learn about Clinton's second settler and its first farmer, Captain David Scott, who purchased land near what is now DeWitt, in 1833.

The county was officially organized in March of 1839 and the county seat established at DeWitt, named after New York Governor DeWitt Clinton. In 1857 the governmental seat was transferred to St. Johns which was booming because of the railroad's development.

The article tells of Rochester Colony, established in 1836 in the county's northeastern corner, as well as Zachariah Chandler's "experimental farm" in the southeastern part of the county, where the first drain ditches were engineered to reclaim wetlands for farming.

Also chronicled is the

county's peppermint farming in the 1930's when some 16,700 acres of mint were harvested and refined near St. Johns.

In a separate article, pictures and excerpts from Grant Parker's "Mayday," recount Michigan's worst mass murder at Bath in 1927 when the school board treasurer bombed the new Bath Consolidated School.

Parker's work, published in 1980, retells the story of the Bath disaster using the transcript of the inquest into the explosion, interviews and other sources.

"Michigan History" is not available at newstands, except in the Ann Arbor and Lansing areas. Yearly subscriptions are available for \$9.95 by writing to the Editor, "Michigan History," Department of State, Lansing, Mich. 48909. Subscription envelopes are also available at local Department of State offices, and accompany driver license applications. Back issues are available for \$2 each.

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
PROBATE COURT  
COUNTY OF CLINTON

PUBLICATION AND  
NOTICE OF HEARING

Estate of Helen F. Schmitz,  
Deceased, File No. 18175

TAKE NOTICE: On June 19, 1981 at 9:00 A.M., in the probate courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan, before Hon. Marvin E. Robertson Judge of Probate, hearing will be held on the petition of Clinton National Bank & Trust Company of St. Johns, Michigan, to determine the heirs-at-law of Helen F. Schmitz.

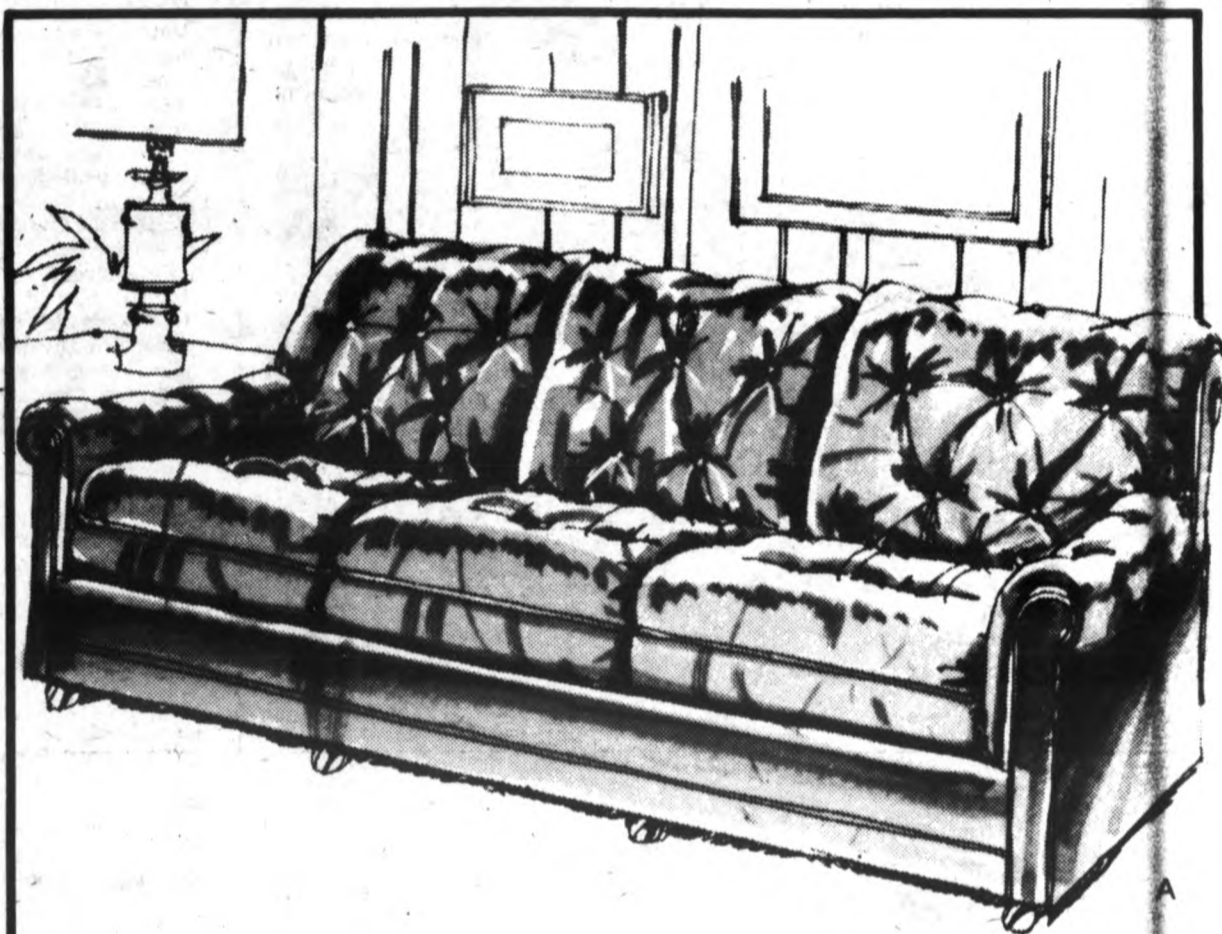
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