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Final four are in final round

By PETER W. BRONSON

St. Johns may have a new superintendent of schools by the end of the week, according to school board president Bob Craig.

"It's going to be a very difficult decision. The candidates are all very well qualified. It's going to come down to the wire," Craig said.

The last of the final four candidates was to be interviewed Tuesday evening, and board members will be asked to submit their choices in writing to Craig after Thanksgiving, Craig said.

In the running are St. Johns Administrative Assistant Steve Bakita; Earl Gabriel, superintendent of North Dearborn Heights Public Schools; J.P. Ryan, superintendent of Holton Public Schools, north of Muskegon; and Leonard Shafley, superintendent of Airport Community Schools in Carleton, north of Monroe.

During the final round of interviews, candidates were asked how they would handle the current teacher contract negotiations, how soon they will be available and how much they are currently paid, and how they would work with the board of education, Craig said.

"As one of our standard questions, we asked what is the proper role of a superintendent and what is the proper role of the board," he said. "They all agreed that the board is the policy making body and the superintendent assumes the administrative role and implements policy."



St. Johns superintendent

If Bakita is not chosen, board members plan to visit the district of their selected candidate before negotiating. "If it's Steve, we'll just sit down and negotiate," Craig said.

Salary will be determined in negotiations, he said, but will likely be much higher than the \$37,000 currently paid to Superintendent Don Burns, who retires Jan. 31.

"Everybody indicated they expect to be the highest paid administrator in the district," Craig said of the candidates. Bakita currently is the highest paid St. Johns School District employee, earning a salary of \$39,855.

"We will be competitive with Clinton County, but also with other school districts of similar size," Craig said. That could mean a salary higher than \$40,000, he said.

In Charlotte, which has roughly the same enrollment as St. Johns, about 3,700, Superintendent Elwood Larsen earns \$50,000. "But I've been here for nearly 17 years, and that must be considered," Larsen said. "There are some bigger districts which pay lower and some smaller districts that pay higher than what I'm earning."

Other area districts of similar size are:

- Okemos, enrollment 3,057, which pays \$49,500;
- Eaton Rapids, enrollment 2927, salary \$42,000;
- Grand Ledge, enrollment of 4,993, salary of \$47,000.

The board will call a special meeting to announce its decision possibly as soon as Monday, Nov. 29, or as late as Wednesday, Dec. 1, Craig said.

"The candidates are anxious to find out where they stand," he said.

Beautiful music ... Louise Sehlke of the Vi-Accords kazoo band belts out a tune during the grand opening festivities of the Southpoint Mall last Friday. (Photo by Kemi Gaabo)



Santa is VIP during ceremony

Christmas carols, a parade and a special guest of honor will highlight "Joy to the World," a special event Friday night to kick off the 1982 Christmas season.

Sponsored by St. Johns Area Chamber of Commerce, the special annual celebration begins with a parade in downtown St. Johns at 6:30 p.m. Capping the parade will be a ceremony in which Santa Claus will be welcomed by a city official.

"Jingle Bells," "Silent Night" and, of course, "Joy to the World" will be heard when townspeople and area choirs, led by Don Valentine, sing carols on the courthouse lawn at 7 p.m.

Next, at 7:30, Santa will appear in person at the Senior Citizens Drop in Center, where he will greet children and take gift requests for delivery on Christmas Eve.

A drawing for a doll house, now on display at Southpoint Mall, will be held at the Senior Center, sponsored by the Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary.

Additional activities are planned for coming weeks. Included will be lunch with Santa at St. Johns Municipal Building Saturday, Dec. 4, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. The program includes free movies at Clinton Theatre at 1 and 3 p.m.

Santa will visit children at Mark Roberts Furniture Dec. 7 and 9 from 7-8:30 p.m., and again on Dec. 11, from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Also on Dec. 11, free movies will again be offered at Clinton Theatre at 1 and 3 p.m.

Santa returns to Mark Roberts Furniture at 118 N. Clinton on Dec. 14 and 16 from 7-8:30 p.m., on Saturday, Dec. 18 from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., and on Dec. 21.

As Christmas approaches, free movies will be offered Dec. 18 at Clinton Theatre, at 1 and 3 p.m. Free movie tickets are available at the Chamber of Commerce.

For shoppers, some St. Johns merchants will be open evenings beginning Nov. 29. Also, many stores will be open Sundays, Dec. 12 and 19, from noon to 4 p.m., Chamber of Commerce reports said.



Win a house, just \$1 a try! Well, not a big house, but a nice one, though. Ting SanJuan of the Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary holds up

raffle tickets for the miniature house, which is on display at Southpoint Mall. (Photo by Kemi Gaabo)

DeWitt strike continues; talks re-opened

By PETER W. BRONSON

New talks were set to begin Wednesday morning in an effort to end an eight-day teacher strike and re-open school for over 1,700 DeWitt students.

Teachers met with school board negotiator John Prevost for 11 hours Saturday, but teachers continued their strike Monday. The Saturday meeting was called by State Mediator George Rickey, who imposed a media freeze, forbidding both sides to discuss negotiations with the press, Prevost said.

News analysis

Meanwhile, teachers and the school board were ordered by Rickey to return to the bargaining table at 10 a.m. Wednesday morning. Teachers, represented by the DeWitt Teachers Association (DEA) and the Michigan Education Association (MEA), went on strike Monday, Nov. 15. Rickey replaced a previous mediator, Freda Mills, in the latest round of talks, Prevost said.

Following the Saturday session, both sides were non-committal, but expressed hope Wednesday's talks may bring the strike to an end.

Before their meeting Saturday, teachers insisted they would not go back to work without a contract, rejecting the board's proposal they return to work while a new contract is worked out. "Our position is the same," DEA President Leila Congleton said Monday. "I can't say anything more."

Some progress may have been made Saturday,

however, judging by comments from Prevost. Asked if the board and teachers still could not agree on terms for a return to work during negotiations, Prevost replied: "That was the position before this last Saturday. That's academic now."

Some progress was made prior to the strike, but teachers charged Prevost used foot-dragging tactics to delay negotiations in hopes another district would be forced to settle first.

DeWitt is the healthiest of five Clinton County school districts now negotiating new teacher contracts. Teachers apparently feared the board would use a settlement in a less financially-fit district as a lever to reduce their raises.

The last offer made public by the board included a five percent raise for all teachers — a significant improvement from their previous offer of step-increases amounting to an average 3.8 percent for teachers who qualified.

But the DEA, advised by the MEA's UniServ Director Tash Sogg, stood by its demand for a two-part raise: five percent the first semester and 4.5 percent the second semester.

Prevost has argued the teacher proposal is misleading because raises are larger when compounded; Ms. Sogg says the actual raise is less than the combined total of 9.5 percent because the pay-outs are for six-month periods, not for the entire year.

Ms. Sogg says the teachers' demand is a total 7.4 percent raise. But Prevost, in a statement released Nov. 18, said the teachers' proposal would amount to an 11.2 per-

cent increase at minimum, giving some teachers raises of more than \$3,000 in a single year.

Prevost also charged in the Nov. 18 release that teachers have misled the public on non-salary issues. The only remaining dispute before the strike was salary, he said.

"When it was apparent that ... a strike was imminent, the union declared that other issues to be resolved were such things as improved programs, laid off teachers, class size, etc.

"It is obvious that the union's intention was to lead citizens to believe that the strike was precipitated by issues other than salary. Such was not the case," the former DeWitt superintendent said.

A group of teachers from nearby districts, including St. Johns, and a handful of DeWitt students showed support for DeWitt teachers on picket lines last week.

In St. Johns, a strike was averted at the last minute when a 90-day cooling off period was imposed by a state mediator. St. Johns teachers are expected to return to negotiations Feb. 10, when a new superintendent of schools will have been selected.

St. Johns teachers are requesting a two-percent increase the first semester of 1982, and a four percent increase the second semester. The St. Johns school board has insisted teachers accept a wage freeze, but has offered step-increases for qualifying teachers.

Both sides in St. Johns are also under the restrictions of a state mediator-imposed media freeze.

P-W goes 'Barefoot in Park'

The Pewamo-Westphalia Community Players (PWCP) will present the Neil Simon comedy "Barefoot in the Park" on Dec. 3-5 at the Pewamo Elementary School on West Main Street. Performances are at 8 p.m. each evening.

The story centers around Corie and Paul Bratter. Corie, played by Valerie Duda of Fowler, is a vibrant, fun-loving young woman who has just moved into a New York apartment with her husband of six days. Valerie works at Lansing Community College doing secretarial work. She made her PWCP debut last summer in "South Pacific."

Paul is played by Dan Thelen of Lansing, formerly of Westphalia. Paul is a serious-minded lawyer who has only one concern — his cases in court. Dan is an insurance underwriter and has been

with the PWCP since 1977.

Others in the cast of characters are Mrs. Banks (Corie's mother), played by St. Johns' Cheryl Pell, an English teacher at Fulton High School and correspondent for the Clinton County News; Victor Velasco, the upstairs neighbor, who is played by Fowler's Jerry Wohlfert, a worm farmer and custom furniture businessman. He has been with the PWCP for eight years.

Pete Schafer of Pewamo was originally cast as the telephone repairman, but received his orders for the army and had to give up the part. The part was recast to Todd Thelen, who died on Nov. 13. Todd and his family have been PWCP members for several years. The part was recast again on Nov. 18 to Pete, who will be entering the service this January. John Fedewa of Pewamo will play the

delivery man from Lord and Taylor. He is an agriculture consultant and made his first appearance in "South Pacific" last summer.

The director, Ann Kagerer, made her first appearance on stage in PWCP's production of "Arsenic and Old Lace." She worked on costuming for two years prior to this appearance and has been

in two shows since. Ann is employed at Most Holy Trinity Parish in Fowler

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Mills sports complex decision due in Watertown

By BUDDY MOOREHOUSE

The fate of a 62-acre sports complex planned for Watertown Township will be partially decided by the township's planning commission when it meets Dec. 1. "We're still county zoned, so the only thing we can do is make a recommendation to the county zoning board,"

club news

Woman's Literary Club

By NEVA KEYS

The Elsie Trading Post, a popular project of the Woman's Literary Club, has operated every spring and fall since February, 1949, and this year was no exception.

Co-chairpersons were Janet Betts, Jill Sloat, Barbara White, Marcella Baese and Mary Jane Schoendorf. Other members of the club participated as sales personnel, cashiers, helpers, with preparation of merchandise and publicity.

The Trading Post was held at the American Legion Hall and this year, for the first time, several men assisted with set-up. They were Versal Baese, Bob Kelly, Don Huguélet and Bob White.

The club has played an important role in community life by sharing its interests, privileges and experiences. Emphasizing service and culture, club members have used profits for health drives, cancer crusades and establishing the Elsie Public Library.

Early programs focused on art, literature, travel, history, music, health, schools and higher education for women. Lately,

programs have included book reviews, art exhibits, musical events, travel talks, play productions, guest speakers and other topics. Several scholarships have been awarded, and the 59 members and 11 honorary members will return the several hundreds of dollars earned at the Trading Post to the community.

Hospital auxiliary

Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary held a regular monthly meeting Nov. 17 in the Community Room at the hospital.

Chairman Pauline Warren announced the 10th An-

ual Heart Ball will be held at the Big Apple VFW, DeWitt, Feb. 5. Jean Bartholomew is in charge of ticket sales for the dinner dance.

Marilyn Wood read a resolution making Cressie Wakefield an honorary member of the Hospital Auxiliary for years of devoted service.

The doll house, the current Auxiliary project, is on display at Southpoint Mall. A drawing will be held Nov. 26 during Chamber of Commerce Christmas Night. Tickets will be on sale right up to the drawing, which will be held at the Senior Citizens Center.

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O'Brien doesn't anticipate any major opposition to the proposal when his board considers it. "I think it would be good for the township," he said. "It will give us an additional three to four million dollar tax base. And we have no other immediate use for that property."

"I do have just one concern, though. The original proposal said they wanted to have two entrances. I would favor having just one entrance, to help keep the traffic congestion concentrated in one place."

After hearing the recommendation from the Watertown Township Board, the county zoning board will discuss the matter at its Dec. 8 meeting.

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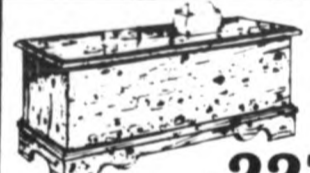
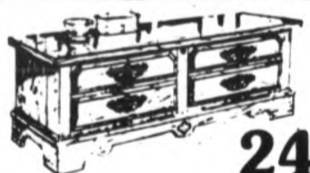


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To the Editor:

In 1980 when Granger Landfill Company requested a permit to remove sand and gravel from a 90-acre area adjacent to its landfill operation, the citizens were aware of the underlying reason for creating the hole in the ground. That being to expand the landfill. The citizens from the affected area opposed the permit because they knew it meant doubling the size of the landfill which was even then accepting hazardous waste without a properly constructed site. The citizens were not allowed to mention "landfill" in their objections before the zoning board.

Soon after the permit was granted, the Granger Landfill Company did apply for a SUP (special use permit) for this 90 acres for the purpose of expanding the landfill and to construct a toxic waste pit. Again the public was denied the right before the planning commission and the county commission to address the fact that the landfill was going to continue to mingle hazardous (toxic) waste with general refuse. This was a violation of P.A. 641.

Fortunately, the Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) denied the SUP realizing that the site was not suitable for such a landfill. The ZBA was admonished for having the audacity to overturn the decision of the county commissioners, none of whom live in the area of the landfill. Because of incomplete records of the ZBA meeting, the judge ordered a rehearing. At the rehearing, the Watertown Township attorney stated that the Granger landfill should not have been allowed to begin with. In his words it was a bad site for a landfill, but as long as it's there we might as well continue using it. Does this sound like a person with empathy for those citizens he supposedly represents? At this hearing again the attorney for the citizens was denied the right to mention that the concern of the people is the fact that there is and continues to be hazardous waste put into a landfill which was not designed for hazardous waste. This certainly has an impact on the quality of their environment now and in the future as well as the future value of their property.

At the ZBA meeting on Nov. 15, board members Yerke and Witt both admitted that they thought it would be difficult to establish a landfill in another area and they certainly wouldn't want one in their backyard. In essence they were saying 'tough break folks but somebody has to bear the pain and as long as you have been the victims for 12 years you might as well be it for another 20 years so that we don't have to tangle with folks in another area.' (Possibly that of one of the local politicians). They both voted for the SUP. Chairman Loudenbeck stated that the only way to encourage alternatives to landfilling which is part of the tri-county solid waste plan, as well as P.A. 641 is to bring pressure to bear. WHY THEN DID HE VOTE FOR THE SUP? Why is the Granger site the ONLY site in the solid waste plan?

Could it be that all of these public servants—planning commissioners, county commissioners, and ZBA members—were either directly or indirectly intimidated into making to decisions they made? TO WHICH PIPER DO THEY DANCE?

Robert Case
Eagle

St. Johns area writer welcomed by News

The Clinton County News is pleased to introduce a new local St. Johns area correspondent, Cheryl McCarty Pell. Readers may have noticed Mrs. Pell's work in recent issues.

Mrs. Pell has taught English at Fulton High School for eight years and has lived in St. Johns since 1976. She graduated from Alma College in 1975 and is married to Jayke Pell, who taught English in St. Johns schools for 17 years and is now a student at Lansing Community College.

In addition to writing, Mrs. Pell enjoys theatre and is starring in the Pewamo Players upcoming production of "Barefoot in the Park."

She has written on many topics in the St. Johns area, including school activities, local concerts, personality profiles and news. She would be glad to hear from local residents who have story ideas. Her number is 224-3413.

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Peter Bronson,
Editor



Then came Bronson

Many thanks

After a tag-team bout with a 20-pound bird, I usually feel like I've swallowed the football I've been watching all day. At times like these, I'm most thankful for Di-Gel.

There are plenty of things besides antacids to be thankful for on Thanksgiving, though.

I'm not talking about things like family, friends, good health and a roof overhead. Those are taken for granted, of course, right along with our guaranteed American birthright to overindulge at the table at least once a year. (I'm not sure how we ever picked up this custom from the Indians, who always looked heap skinny to me).

I'm referring to the little, everyday thankfuls that really get noticed. Like holidays. I'm thankful I'm not at work today, and for those of you who are, I'll drop another log on the fire and think about you.

Okay, that's enough. Back to the thankfuls.

I'm thankful for garbage disposals. In fact, I'll bet the garbage disposal was invented just about this time of year by some overstuffed bird who got tired of scraping plates.

And while we're on the subject, I'm thankful for dishwashers. (I admit I've seldom known the shame of dishpan hands,



By Buddy
Moorehouse

Reflections on the fall sports season:

...Five county football teams had winning records. Three won league championships. One qualified for the elite state playoffs. Did you miss pro football? Not me, buster.

...I think there's something funny in the water in Pewamo and Westphalia. Something that makes kids huge. All the athletes out there, boys and girls alike, are big and tall. I've never seen so many big people at one school in my life. A lot of the football players tip the scales at over 200 pounds, while the girls basketball players are all skyscrapers. I think there should be an investigation.

...Speaking of P-W, I can't understand the fans out there. I went to the first P-W vs. Fowler girls basketball game, and a strange thing happened. Fowler had the lead with about 30 seconds left in the game and the Eagles' Becky Klein was dribbling around to run the clock out. All of a sudden, the P-W fans seemed to change allegiance and started yelling "FOWLER! FOWLER!"

...What? Oh, "Foul her! Foul her!" Sorry about that. ...You have to wonder how good Bath's football team would have been with a few more players. The Bees only had about 20 guys on the squad, but they still managed to win five games. And almost beat DeWitt. If there were just a few more guys to give some of the two-way starters an occasional breather, they would have won even more games. Kudos to Bob Popp for an excellent rookie season as coach.

...Is there anything Fowler's Dave Koenigsnecht can't do? Not only is he the best long jumper in the state and one of the best sprinters, as well as a former superstar in football and basketball, but this fall he was also one of the best golfers in the mid-Michigan area. That's one dang good athlete there.

...I finally picked the two best names for athletes this fall. In football, it has to be St. Johns' Eric Slamka. Is that a great football name, or what? In girls basketball, the winner is Shelby Terpstra, a JV player from Ovid-

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but like many, I have been troubled by pangs of guilt — not to mention clattering pans — while watching the second half of a football game.)

I'm thankful for Lazyboys, Barca Loungers and any other kind of chair which tilts back. Ottomans are pretty nice, too.

I'm thankful for fireplaces. It's nice to go out and bring in some wood every hour or two, whenever the guilt-inflicting glances of the kitchen crew get on my nerves.

I'm thankful for automobiles. Can you imagine actually hassling with a horse and hitching up a sleigh everytime you wanted to go to grandmother's house? It's hard enough just putting on my shoulder harness and seat belt.

I'm thankful for commercials. Without them, I'd never get a chance to talk to my family or glance at the newspaper (if you're reading this during commercials, hurry).

I'm thankful that children take naps and that adults make the rules (I admit my position was 180 degrees different just 20 years ago).

I'm thankful for good books (during baseball season), crowds of shoppers that I'm not in, electric blankets and snowblowers.

I'm also thankful for Christmas and New Years, which mean plenty more to be thankful for. Like aspirin.

Elsie. That's the kind of name that sounds great through a PA system.

...Time now for some awards:

MOST EXCITING GAME: DeWitt's overtime win over Haslett in the season-opener.

BEST UNIFORMS (Football): P-W and DeWitt (tie.) Gotta love those maize-and-blue winged helmets.

BEST UNIFORMS (Basketball): Fowler's road uniforms. Prettiest shade of blue on earth.

BEST CHEERLEADERS: You're not going to catch me on that one. It's a six-way tie for first.

BEST QUOTE: From St. Johns' Joe Gonzales, extolling the virtues of kicker Jamie Werbish: "Jamie only missed one field goal this year, and that was a 40-yarder in the rain against the wind. But that's no excuse."

BRAVEST PERFORMERS: The DeWitt Marching Band flag corps. It's 25 degrees outside at the Panthers' playoff game, and these girls are marching on the wind-swept field in skirts. I had six layers of clothes on and I was cold. Even the cheerleaders had the good sense to wear sweatpants.

BEST HALFTIME SHOW: Of course, I didn't see every show, but I loved the Ovid-Elsie band's show in the dark at the DeWitt game. The marchers had flashlights taped to their legs. Real cute.

BEST BUMPER STICKER: Seen on a car in St. Johns: *U-M fans are green with envy.* Right. I'm sure all us U-M fans wish our football team was 2-9.

...Speaking of which, I sure would love to see DeWitt's Jim Seagraves wearing the same uniform next year as he did this year. Down in Ann Arbor, of course. Bo, are you listening?

...Jay Jackson, editor of the Ingham County News, explaining how to get to Ovid-Elsie: "Start driving toward Ovid, and then take a left at the hyphen."

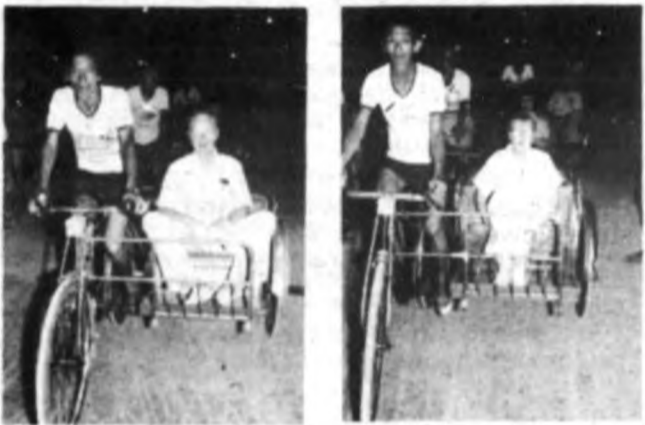
...If St. Johns ever wants to make the Class A football playoffs, it will need to get out of the Mid-Michigan 'B' conference. All the other schools there are Class B, and O-E could be dropping to C. The Redwings could be 9-0 next year and not have nearly enough points to qualify for the playoffs.

...For that same reason, DeWitt is in a very enviable position. The Panthers had more losses than any other team which qualified for the playoffs, but made it because they had a schedule with all Class B or good Class C schools.

...P-W, which plays in a relatively weak Class D league, is in the same boat as St. Johns. Aside from Fowler, no one in the CMAC is doing the Pirates any good. You just don't get many playoff points for beating schools like winless Class D Potterville.



names in the news



□ Dr. and Mrs. Nelson S. Howe Jr. of North Clinton, St. Johns, enjoyed a Trishaw ride during a recent visit to Singapore. They left St. Johns with a veterinary symposium group on Oct. 2 and returned Oct. 20 after spending five days in Tokyo, two in Singapore, three in Bangkok, three in Hong Kong and three in Hawaii before returning to Phoenix. The Cecil Joslins also recently returned to St. Johns from Phoenix after spending four weeks at the Howe residence there.

Several Clinton County students received degrees from Western Michigan University during recent commencement exercises. They are: **Jeffrey Hite Mitchell** of 14108 Myers Rd., DeWitt, MA; **Robert M. Kirkbride** of 4172 Colony Rd., St. Johns, MPA; **Rodney L. Fuller** of 302 S. Traver, St. Johns, BS; **William Joseph Vitous** of 501 E. State, St. Johns, BSZ; **Timothy Marvin Thelen** of 404 S. Victor, Fowler, BSZ; and **Edith M. Stechschulte** of 3191 Old Hickory, DeWitt, BS.

Don Keim, agency manager of Farm Bureau insurance Group, St. Johns, attended Purdue Professional Management Institute in West Lafayette, Ind., Nov. 1, a seminar sponsored by the Insurance Marketing Institute.

Navy Seaman Recruit **George A. Orth**, son of George H. Orth of 211 E. Elm St., Ovid, has completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, Cal.

Charlotte Workman has been named Fishers Big Wheel's Associate of the Month for October. Head receiver, she has worked at Fishers for two years. Married to Carl Workman, she has two children, Brent, 14, and Jarrod, 11. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Salters of 609 N. Morton, St. Johns, she lives at 4092 W. French Rd. and is a member of Duplain Church and the Sleepy Hollow Conservation Club.

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Malling around

The new Southpoint Mall held its Grand Opening celebration last week. Taking a walk around the new mall are (far left) **Mary Ann Cobb** of Elsie with **Emily**, 19 months, in the carriage, and **Nicky**, 3, tagging along. Above, the Vi-Accords kazoo band uses music and visuals to help entertain visitors. Below, developer **Gordon Long** wears the ribbon **Mayor John Arehart** (left) put on him after the ribbon-cutting ceremony last Tuesday. (Photos by **Kemi Gaabo** and **Buddy Moorehouse**)

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County basketball teams ready to bounce

By BUDDY MOOREHOUSE

One team is very small. One team in very tall. One team has one full-time starter back. One team has four full-time starters back. What it all adds up to is Clinton County boys basketball, 1982-83 model. And the only thing anyone knows for sure is that it's going to be exciting.

ST. JOHNS: Last year, the Redwings spelled offense C-A-S-L-E-R. Everybody passed the ball to Jeff Casler, who would take it and shoot. Not any more.

"We're going to have a more balanced scoring attack this year," St. Johns coach Al Werbish said. "We won't have someone averaging 24 points a game."

Part of the reason is that the Redwings lost several key players to graduation, Casler among them. The lone player back from last year who started every game is senior captain Steve Gonzales.

"Steve has the potential to score as much as Jeff did," Werbish said. "He's an excellent passer and playmaker. He's been a two-year starter for us."

Gonzales, a 5-10 guard, averaged 11 points and five assists per game last year, earning all-conference and all-county honors.

Another senior Werbish is counting on is 6-2 Scott Furry, a rebounding specialist. Furry started some games last season. Another part-time starter, 6-4 junior Kurt Thelen, is a likely starter this year.

The two other returning lettermen, 5-10 senior Jamie Werbish and 6-2 junior Chris Loucks, could also move into starting roles.

Others who could fit into the St. Johns picture are juniors Darrin Scott, Dave Klause and John Archambault, 6-5 senior Lee Martin and sophomore towers John Keenoy and Marty Martin, both 6-4. "Those two sophomores looked really good in summer ball," Werbish said.

"We've got a really good attitude on the team this year," the coach said. "We're going to have to have a lot of dedication this year. We're really going to have to control the boards."

The Redwings open the season Dec. 3 at home against Mason. The Mid-Michigan 'B' opener is Dec. 17 at Corunna, the pre-season MMB favorite.

"Corunna has four returning starters and they're going to be very tough," Werbish said. "I think we have a shot at the title, but it's going to take a lot of work."

OVID-ELSIE: Coming off their worst season since Bob Foreback became the head coach in 1968, the Marauders have four starters back to help them rebound from last year's 9-12 showing.

"Last year was definitely a rebuilding year," Foreback said. "Things are looking much better for this year. The strong point of this year's team will be our guards."

The three who played at guard last year are senior Pete Hurst and juniors Paul Horak and Wade Kioski. Hurst, a 6-1 shooter, may be moved to the forward spot this year.

"Pete is a clutch performer," Foreback said. "He'll be our key player this year. He has a good shooting eye and adequate speed."

Kioski, at 5-11, is also a good shooter, while the 6-0 Horak is "The best in an outstanding junior class," Foreback said. "Watch this kid. He's going to be a good



St. Johns basketball coach Al Werbish (back row, center) will be counting on big things from his returning letterwinners this season. Kneeling, from left, Scott Furry, Steve Gonzales and Jamie Werbish; standing, from left, Kurt Mulder and Chris Loucks. (Photo by Buddy Moorehouse)

one." Inside, the only returning letterwinner is 6-3 junior Jon Martin. "Jon has the best physical skills on the team," Foreback said. "He needs to become a dominant force on our team."

Others who could see a great deal of court time are seniors Kevin Baese (6-3), Kevin Angel (6-5) and Greg Baker (5-9) and juniors Darin Darling (5-9), John Kushnier (6-0) and Mark St. Pierre (6-4.)

FOWLER: Call them the dwarfs. Four starters are under six feet. The center towers at 6-1.

"We don't have much height," Eagle coach Denny Smith admitted. "We're going to have to rely on the running game and perimeter shooting."

And because Fowler is very good at doing both those things, the Eagles should be a very tough team to beat in 1982.

Leading the way is 5-10 senior shooting guard Glen Feldpausch. Feldpausch averaged 13.5 ppg last year, earning all-league, all-county and all-area honors. "Glen's an excellent perimeter shooter," Smith said. "He's going to have to be if we want to do anything this year."

Two other starters back are 5-8 point guard Marty Hamilton and 5-10 power forward Jim Farley. Hamilton averaged 7.5 ppg last year, while Farley came on strong at the end, averaging 7.8 ppg to help the Eagles in the playoffs.

Smith is also fortunate to have back senior Dave Koenigsnecht, who sat out last year with a knee injury. The 5-11 forward, who started as a sophomore, is a superb athlete, and Smith is hopeful he can make a comeback.

At center, the Eagles have 6-1 Mike Fox, who is shy on basketball experience but earned all-county honors in football. "He's not afraid to get physical inside," Smith said. "We're hoping that will make up for the eight disadvantage."

A spot starter and top reserve is 5-11 junior Tom Simon, who quarterbacked the football team. Others who could contribute are 6-3 Pat Feldpausch and 6-1 Dan Hufnagel.

The Eagles open Dec. 3 with Olivet. In the CMAC, Smith sees "Portland St. Pats and P-W, in that order," as the ones to beat.

PEWAMO-WESTPHALIA: Just the opposite of Fowler, these guys are big. Real big. Six-foot-eight-and-still-growing big. We're talking big.

"Yeah, we've got some height," P-W coach Steve Spitzley said. "We're not veryfast, though. We're going to have to play a pattern offense and take our time setting plays up."

The leading returners are 6-2 Jeff Spitzley (10 ppg, 10 reb.) and 6-8 Rick Arens (nine ppg, 10 reb.) "Rick did a lot of work over the summer, lifting weights and bulking up a little bit," Spitzley said. "And he grew two inches, too. He's our best shooter inside 12 feet, so we're really counting on him."

Two other returning starters in the backcourt are 6-0 Ted Droste ("Our team leader," Spitzley said) and 5-10 Dan Pohl.

"We've got a good nucleus," the coach said. "We're going to put a lot more emphasis on defense this year."

Others could see a lot of playing time are seniors Troy Noeker (6-3), Paul Smith (6-4) and Dan Blatt (6-0), and juniors Kevin Thelen (6-3), Bernie Lehmann (6-3), Jon Walter (5-10) and "the best shooter on the team", Tim Thelen (5-10), Chris Smith (6-3) and Jeff Noeker (5-10.)

The Pirates open the season Dec. 3 at Ovid-Elsie in the battle of the hyphen schools. "We have the toughest schedule in the history of this school," Spitzley said. "Our final record might not be as good, but it will really help us when the playoffs come along."

Clinton County

Sports



Racket stars

Nobody was better in Mid-Michigan 'B' girls tennis this year than the squad from St. Johns. Winning post-season awards on the championship team were: (kneeling, from left) Odette Garapetian and Becky Brown, voted Most Improved; (standing, from left) Caren Rojas (MVP), Lauryn Escher (Captain) and Kerry Humphrey (101 percent award.) (Photo by Buddy Moorehouse)

Fowler, P-W both move to finals

The Eagles...

Talk about your ball hogs. In last Thursday's 54-35 win over Morrice in the opening round of the Class D Districts, Becky Klein and Lana Hafner told the whole story for Fowler. Klein had 24 points and 11 rebounds, while Hafner had 23 points and 11 rebounds.

In fact, it wasn't until there was 4:40 left in the game when someone else from the Eagles scored. Char Feldpausch helped with 11 rebounds.

"Becky and Lana played an outstanding game," Fowler coach Denny Smith said.

It wasn't quite as easy for the Eagles in the next game. On Monday, they squeezed past Lansing Christian, 39-33. Hafner had 14 points, while junior Patty Wieber, playing in place of the injured Peg Thelen, chipped in 11. "Patty really saved us that night," Smith said. Feldpausch added 12 rebounds.

The win upped the Eagles to 18-3 on the year and set the stage for a district final game against 21-1 Portland St. Pats. The one loss on St. Pats' record was courtesy of Fowler.

The Pirates...

It would be nice for Pewamo-Westphalia if all its games in the playoffs were this easy, but don't count on it.

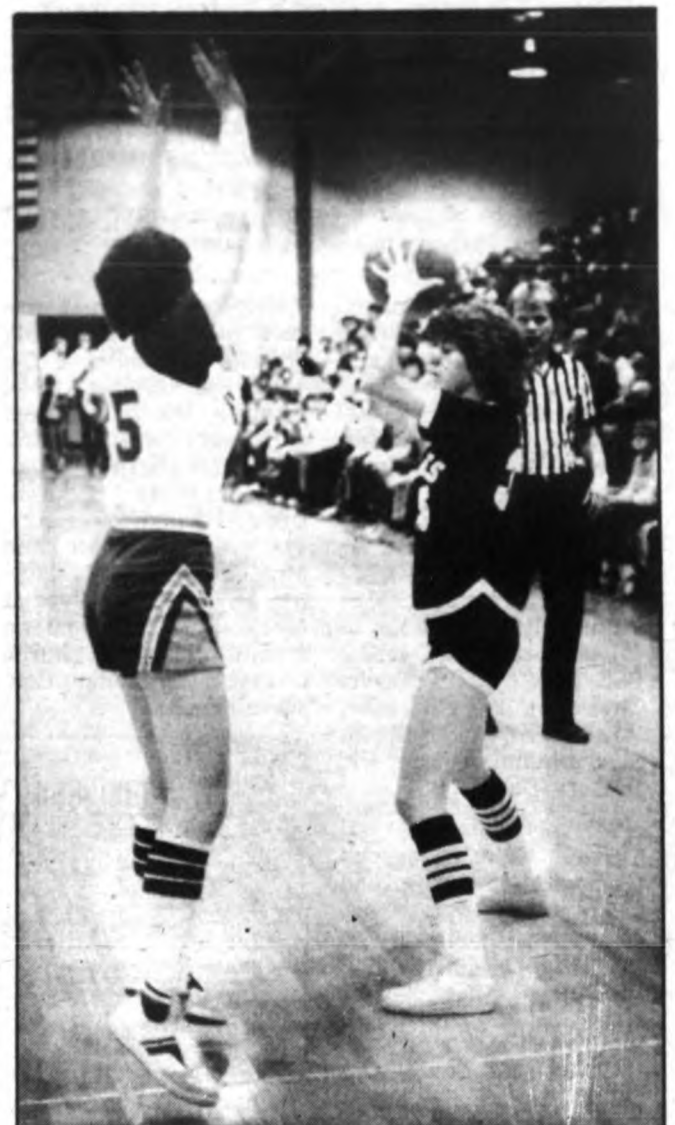
The Pirates' girls basketball team rolled over Vermontville Maple Valley, 56-41, on Friday, and pounded Olivet, 59-30, on Monday, to move into the Class C district finals against DeWitt.

"We didn't play our best games of the year," P-W coach Carol Bogard said, "but it gave us a chance to get used to the floor and the lights and everything at DeWitt's court."

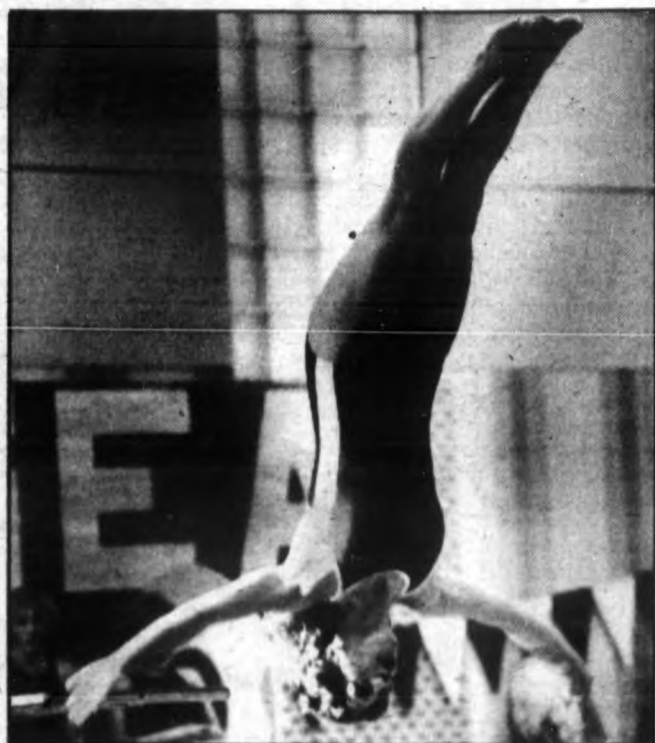
Against Maple Valley, Jackie Bauer led the way with 15 points, while Patty Theis chipped in 11 points and nine rebounds and Ann Pung nine points and eight rebounds.

In the win over Olivet, Pung had an outstanding game, getting 14 points and 13 rebounds. Theis had 12 points, eight rebounds and five steals, while Bauer added 12 points and six steals. Shawn Thelen had five assists.

"We shot real well from the line in that game (13 of 20)," Bogard said. "And I was real happy with our defense. We outscored them, 22-1, in the third quarter."



P-W's Jackie Bauer (right) looks for a pass while Fowler's Peg Thelen guards in last Tuesday's regular-season finale before the playoffs started. The Pirates smashed the Eagles to keep Fowler out of first place in the CMAC. (Photo by Buddy Moorehouse)



'Wing swimmers second

There was no way St. Johns was going to catch Okemos in the second Mid-Michigan 'B'-Capital Circuit swimming and diving championships, but the Redwings did manage to take second place in the eight-team field. St. Johns had 207 points to the first-place 367 of Okemos. DeWitt was third with 163 points.

Gloria Stratton had the only first place for the Redwings, winning the 100-yard backstroke in 1:05.8. Stratton also had a second-place finish in the 50 free (25.9.)

Monica Hayes had two second-place finishes, in the 100 free (56.4, school record) and 200 free (2:04.2, school record.)

Chris Rapelje was third in the 100 butterfly (1:08.1) and fifth in the 100 breaststroke (1:15.3.)

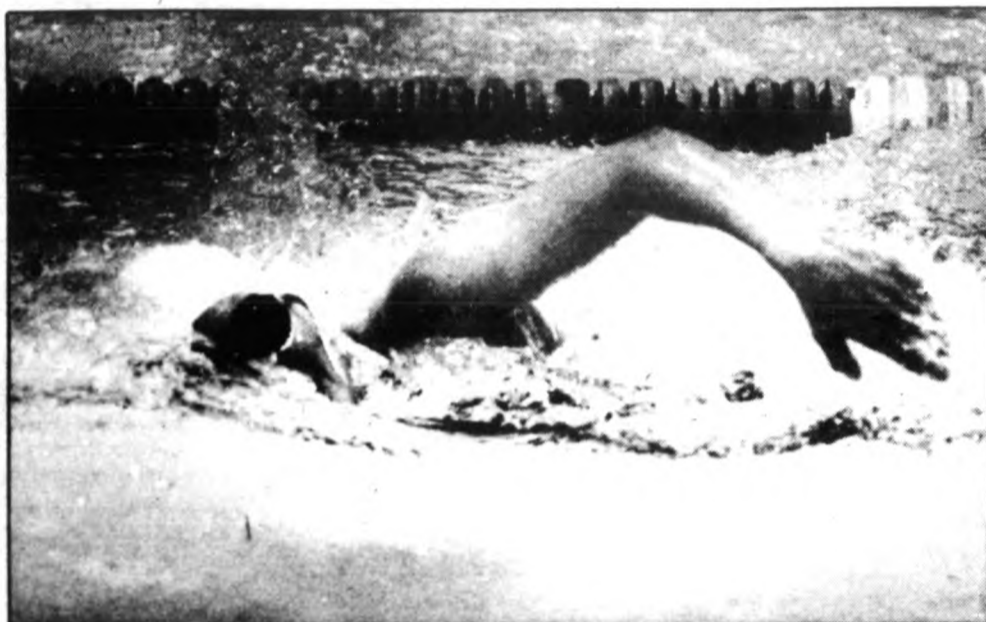
Barb VeCasey was the other individual star for St. Johns, placing fourth in the 200 individual medley (2:26.1) and fifth in the 500 free (5:56.7.)

In the diving competition, Chris Warren was second and Shawn Keisel third.

In the 200 medley relay, the team of Stratton, Rapelje, VeCasey and Hayes was second at 1:58.3. In the 400 free relay, St. Johns' Audra Peters, Connie Newhall, Anne Moore and Jenny Plowman placed fifth with a time of 4:20.3.

Helping St. Johns to a second-place finish in last Saturday's league meet are, at right, Anne Moore in the 500-yard freestyle; at left,

diver Beth Coger. (Photos by Kemi Gaabo)



Redwings stopped in playoffs

The road finally ended for the St. Johns girls basketball squad on Nov. 20, when the Redwings lost to Flint Southwestern, 50-42, in district competition.

That ended St. Johns' highly successful season at 14-6, and marked the end of a fabulous four-year career for standout Sue Pearsall. The 5-11 all-stater had 18 points and 18 rebounds in the loss to Southwestern, tops on her team. Brenda Eiseler added 13 points and 17 rebounds for the Redwings.

St. Johns advanced to the game against Southwestern by nipping Swartz Creek, 52-51, on Nov. 18. It took two clutch free throws by freshman Lisa Thelen with 26 seconds left in the game to get the win. Thelen had just been called up from the junior varsity squad before the game.

"It was a case of super team play and unselfishness," St. Johns coach Beth Swears said about the win.

Pearsall had 18 points and six assists, while Eiseler added 13 points and 13 re-

bounds. Thelen had nine points and seven assists coming off the bench.

The Redwings ended the regular season Nov. 16 with a 56-53 win over Lansing Eastern.

On Nov. 12, St. Johns clinched the Mid-Michigan 'B' title with a 58-45 win over Chesaning.

Not to be outdone, the St. Johns junior varsity squad, under coach Terri Brown, finished the season last week with a 10-8 overall record, 8-2 against MMB teams. That was the best record in the conference.

The Redwings were led all season by Thelen, Amy Hartstuff and Chris Crowell, who were all called up to the varsity in time for the playoffs. Four freshmen, Mary Murphy, Cheryl Rademacher, Cindy Armbrustmacher and Brenda Yallup, were called up from the ninth-grade team to the JV squad and were big contributors, Brown said.

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Lifestyle

Annette DeMarais is wed

A double-ring ceremony at Pilgrim United Methodist Church, conducted by Rev. Brian Sheen, united Annette Sue DeMarais and Bradley Allen Lintemuth at 4 p.m., Sept. 25.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip DeMarais of 1883 Krepps Rd., St. Johns. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs.

Keith Lintemuth of 3811 N. Krepps Rd., St. Johns.

The bride's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Pearson, hosted the wedding ceremony, which was attended by 400 guests. Special music was sung by Ann Wawczyk to the accompaniment of Eleanor Williams on the organ. The bride and groom were escorted down the aisle by

their parents.

The bride wore a white organza over acetate taffeta gown with a stand-up collar, ruffle trimmed yokes front and back, an empire waistline, lace-trimmed long illusion sleeves and a chapel train. Her three-tier veil was attached to a cap of seed pearls.

She carried a colonial-style bouquet of white carnations, apricot rosebuds and baby's breath, and wore her mother's garter.

Maid of Honor was Mrs. Gary Campbell of St. Johns, a friend of the bride. She wore a long, apricot taffeta gown with a lace overskirt, and wreaths of apricot rosebuds and baby's breath. She carried a fan of lace, decorated with flowers.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. Eric Ferden and Lori Chmiko, both friends of the bride; Lyn DeMarais, sister of the bride, was

junior bridesmaid.

The mother of the bride wore a long gown of teal; the mother of the groom wore a long gown of apricot, and both wore apricot corsages made by the groom's mother. Flowers for bridal attendants' were arranged by Mrs. Roger Campbell.

Amy Schomisch was flowergirl and Douglas Taylor was ringbearer.

Best Man was Gary Campbell of St. Johns, a friend of the groom. Groomsmen were friends Eric Ferden, Herry Myers and junior groomsman Darin May. Ushers were brother of the bride Kevin DeMarais and brother of the groom Bryan Lintemuth, both of St. Johns.

A reception and buffet dinner was held at Smith Hall, which was decorated in brown and apricot. Hosting the reception were Oak and Joyce Lintemuth

and Joe and Phyllis Trefil. Cake cutters were Betty Count, aunt of the bride, and Joyce Adleman, a friend of the groom's mother. The buffet was prepared by Ardith Taylor, Debbie Rhines, Rose Vanells, Phyllis Trefil and Bea DeMarais.

Special guests were grandparents of the bride Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pear-

son and Beatrice DeMarais; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Casey, the bride's great aunt and uncle, and their family, from Canada; and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Jones and family of Ohio, the groom's aunt and uncle.

Following a honeymoon at Lake Victoria, the couple returned to live at St. Johns Mobile Home Park.



Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Lintemuth

births

MILLER: To Mr. and Mrs. David J. Miller of 915 Banghart, Lansing, Oct. 28 at Sparrow Hospital, a daughter, Dusty Lynn. The mother is the former Diana Lynn Brush.

O'CONNOR: To Mr. and Mrs. Stephen J. O'Connor of 1412 E. Mt. Hope, Lansing, Nov. 9 at Sparrow Hospital, a son, Matthew Stephen.

DROSTE: To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Droste of 11041 Parks Rd., Pewamo, Oct. 26 at Clinton Memorial Hospital, a son, Adam Michael. Adam joins one sister. Grandparents are Bob and Helen Simon of

Pewamo and Jim and Deanna Droste of Westphalia. Great-grandparents are R.G. and Florence Becher of St. Johns. The mother is the former Amy Simon.

BAUMGRAS: To Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Baumgras of 8565 W. M-21, Ovid, Nov. 5 at Sparrow Hospital, a daughter, Rebecca.

CRAMER: To Mr. and Mrs. James M. Cramer of 4278 Sleight Rd., Bath, Nov. 9 at Sparrow Hospital, a daughter, Stephani Lynne. The mother is the former Miss Kimberly D. Ricker.



Wendy Huguelet engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Huguelet of 4603 W. Jason Rd., DeWitt, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Wendy, to Keith Potts of 803 1/2 E. State St. Potts is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Potts of 449 S. Liberty St., Rushville, Ill. Miss Huguelet is a 1981 graduate of St. Johns High School and is employed as a nurse's aide in St. Johns. Potts is a 1978 graduate of St. Johns High School, and works as a meat cutter at Beck's Farm Market. A July 30 wedding is planned.

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looking ahead

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THE STEINER CHORALE, a 20-voice choir from Lansing, will present a concert of unusual holiday music at Pilgrim United Methodist Church, W. Parks Rd., at 4 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 28. Mrs. Robert Rice of St. Johns will be one of the soloists. All are invited.

THE SECOND ANNUAL PANCAKE AND SAUSAGE BREAKFAST will be held Nov. 28, 7 a.m. to 1 p.m., at Waldron Elementary School, Fowler, sponsored by Fowler Athletic Boosters to benefit girls softball and track uniforms. Tickets are \$2.50 adults, 5-12, \$1.25, under 5, free.

"BAREFOOT IN THE PARK" will be presented by the Pewamo-Westphalia community Players Dec. 3, 4 and 5 at 8 p.m. at Pewamo Elementary School on W. Main St., Pewamo. For more information, call 593-3296 or 593-3268.

SIX AREA BOWLING LANES, including Fowler Bowl and Portland Meadow Bowl, will participate in the annual Cystic Fibrosis Bowl for Breath Friday and Saturday, Nov. 26 and 27. Prizes will be awarded. For more information, call 372-5744.

HANGING OF THE GREENS takes place Sunday, Nov. 28, at several area churches. Following a potluck meal, children at Redeemer United Methodist Church will help to decorate their Sunday School classrooms, while adults decorate the narthex and sanctuary. DeWitt Community Church has scheduled Hanging of the Greens for 3 p.m. Sunday, with potluck supper and music night to follow.

ST. JUDE CHRISTIAN SERVICE COMMISSION will hold its annual Thanksgiving clothing drive the weekend of Nov. 27-28. Clothing may be dropped off at St. Jude Church on Saturday and Sunday.

MARYGROVE COLLEGE ALUMNI are invited to the fall meeting of the Greater Lansing Area Chapter on Wednesday, Dec. 1, at 7:30 p.m. in the home of President Jean Dalton, 1801 Kingswood Dr., Lansing. Information or directions may be obtained from Jean, 487-0385, or treasurer Virginia Martin, 593-3492.

THE 1982 DHIA ANNUAL MEETING and banquet will be held Thursday, Dec. 2, at 7:15 in Smith Hall in St. Johns. This year's meeting features a speaker from Madison, Wis., Paul Ashbrook, speaking on the topic "Keep Your Fork." Reservations can be made by calling 224-3288.

THE MICHIGAN SHEPHERDS' WEEKEND will be held Friday and Saturday, Nov. 26-27, at MSU. For more information, call 224-3288.

THE MAPLE TWIRLERS SQUARE DANCE will be held Friday, Nov. 26, from 8-11 p.m. at the St. Johns Municipal Building, Wendell Law, caller.

A SIGHTMOBILE SPONSORED by the St. Johns Lions Club will be at Goff's on Dec. 10 from 3-9 p.m. and Dec. 11 from 9 a.m. to noon. Anyone can have their eyes screened free of charge. For more information, call 224-7884.

"VICTORIAN CHRISTMAS," a family treat sponsored by the Paine-Gilliam-Scott Museum in St. Johns, will open Dec. 8 at St. Johns High School with "Choralairs," from 7-8 p.m. Also, the museum is now offering Christmas exhibits. Hours on Dec. 5-Jan. 5 are Sunday 1-5 p.m. and Wednesday 2-8 p.m.

A CHRISTMAS WORKSHOP sponsored by the Cooperative Extension 4-H Youth Program at Smith Hall in St. Johns will be held Nov. 27. Recipes, handouts and crafts will be featured.

THE CLINTON COUNTY 4-H FAIR BOARD will be sponsoring a dance at Smith Hall in St. Johns Saturday, Nov. 27 from 9 p.m.-1 a.m., with music by the Mello Tones. Tickets are \$10 a couple or \$5 single.

GREEN THUMB IS SEEKING WORKERS among the elderly, for people 55 or older. Wages are at the federal minimum and hours are 21 a week. Call Ernie Bustillo at (616) 243-2450 for more information.

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TEACHERS REUNION CHRISTMAS PARTY will be held Nov. 29 at 6 p.m. in the Capital Savings and Loan room in St. Johns. Gift exchange not over \$2. Open to all MARSP members.



Showin' spirit

They look proud, don't they? As well they should. The Pewamo-Westphalia cheerleading squad shows off the seventh-place trophy it won at the Dynamic Cheerleading Association camp Nov. 6 at Central Michigan University. The girls were judged on a variety of things at the one-day

competition, in which over 30 teams participated in the Class C division. Pictured here are (from left) Becky Kramer, Therese Pohl, Sherry Pfaff, coach Tina Smith, Arleen Smith, Annette Trierweiler, Lynne Pohl and Amy Thelen. (Photo by Buddy Moorehouse)

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Crafty students

Teacher Clarisa Suarez-Miller helps Jennifer Parker and David DePaape, special education students at the Clinton Intermediate School District, work on crafts for the Special People's Christmas Bazaar. The bazaar will be held Dec. 3 from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. (Photo by Buddy Moorehouse)

SYNOPSIS FOR PROCEEDINGS OF THE CLINTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

MEETING HELD: June 29, 1982

Meeting of the 6/29/82 was called to order at 9:00 a.m. with all members present. Prayer and pledge of allegiance. Minutes of the May 25, 1982 meeting were approved as corrected.

The agenda was approved as printed. Board approved Farm Land Applications under PA 116 No. 82-83 thru 82-99 and 81-101 thru 82-148. Board approved commissioners expense accounts for June.

Board referred back to County Planning for additional wording of ZC-4-82 Text Amendment to OR-1-78, Home Occupations.

Board accepted and placed on file the annual Friend of Court report as presented by Colleen Steinman.

Board approved audited bills in the amount of \$112,254.24 plus payrolls for June in the amount of \$158,849.76 for a total of \$271,104.00.

Board approved proposed costs for computer proposal for the Register of Deeds Office and transferred \$4,573 from Contingency to the Data Processing budget.

Board approved transfer of \$532.58 from Contingency, \$200 to Equalization budget and \$332.58 to CFC Tax Processing budget.

Board approved request of County Clerk to transfer \$200 within her budget.

Board approved the Circuit Court Reporter's request to transfer \$50 from line item, office supplies to line item, equipment repair and maintenance.

Board approved the reclassification of the District Court-Assistant Court Administration to the M-03 level and retitle the position District Court-Clerk Administrator beginning the first of the year.

Committee recommends that the position of District Court Probation Officer remain at P-03 level.

Committee recommends that the Assignment Clerk Circuit Court position remain at the TOPS 08 level and the Judicial Secretary Circuit Court remain at TOPS 06 level.

Board approved reclassification of Director of Juvenile Court Services to the M-07 level.

Committee recommends retitling Assistant to the Drain Commissioner position to Deputy Drain Commissioner and remain at the TOP 07 level.

Board approved reclassification of Account Clerk II-Payroll Clerk to the TOP 07 level as Administrative Aide-Data Systems Coordinator.

Committee approved transfer of \$1,236 from Contingency to District Court budget for a temporary employee for 6 weeks.

Committee discussed with Drain Commissioner Harry Harden, the action necessary to set the lake level at Park Lake. No action recommended.

Committee put the specifications of District Court parking lot out for bid.

Committee authorized selling of the addressograph in the Equalization Office back to the company for a minimum of \$50.

Committee approved payment of \$1,194.00 from the Public Improvement Fund for the shelving in the Circuit Court Judges Office.

Committee authorized the following: railing at front entrance of the Court House; painting the Board of Commissioners Room; and disposal of sections of old steam pipe no longer used.

Board adjourned. Complete minutes on file in office of County Clerk.

Jane Swanchara
Clinton County Clerk



With her puppet pal helping, Barbara Cook (right), the director of the Pewamo Reading is Fundamental (RIF) program, reads "Bedtime for Frances" to Mrs. Hattis' third-fourth grade class at Pewamo's St. Joseph Elementary School.

Mrs. Cook was at the school last Friday to tell the children about the RIF program. Each student will get to select a book courtesy of RIF. (Photo by Buddy Moorehouse)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Clinton County Planning Commission will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday, December 8, 1982, at 7:30 p.m. in the Clinton County Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan 48879.

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

Case ZC-34-82 Duplain Township - Special Use Permit - Cable Television Tower

At this hearing the following described property which generally lies, on the North West corner of Hollister and Colony Roads, on property owned by the Ovid-Elsie School District, will be considered as the site for the issuance of a special use permit to allow the construction of a cable television tower, microwave antenna (dish) and assorted equipment building(s).

The applicant is: J. Dorn Communications Co., Inc., 3638 Trade Center Drive, Ann Arbor, MI., 48904

The description of the affected property is:
The South 3/8 of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 26 T8N-R1W, Duplain Township, Clinton County, Michigan.

Case ZC-35-82 Watertown Charter Township - Special Use Permit - Outdoor Commercial recreational establishment.

At this hearing, the following described property which generally lies on the South side of Grand River avenue, East of Francis road will be considered as the site for a special use permit which if approved would allow the construction of outdoor commercial recreational establishment which will consist of outdoor tennis courts, soccer fields, football fields, baseball diamonds, archery range, basketball courts, ice skating, cross country skiing etc., open refreshment stands, concession counters, a restaurant, showers, maintenance building, retail shops selling or leasing sport or recreational items, such as pro-shops and rental stores.

The applicant is: John W. Ujaky, 5025 W. Saginaw St., Lansing, Michigan, 48917.

The legal description of the affected property is as follows:

Parcel 1: Part of the NW 1/4 of Section 34, T5N-R3W, Watertown Township, Clinton County, Michigan described as follows: Com. in the c/1 of US 16 at a point 362.0 feet south of the NW corner of said Sec. 34; th. SE 1/4 along the c/1 of US 16 678.0 ft., th. S 771.5 ft., th. W. to a pt. on the W. sec. line of sec. 34, 80 rds. S of NW corner of Sec. 34, th. N. to the POB.

Parcel 2: Part of the SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Sec. 34, T5N-R3W, Watertown Township, Clinton County, MI. described as follows: Com. 80 rd. S. of NW cor. of Sec. 34 on the W. In of sd. Sec., th. S. along sd. W. In of Sec. 34 to the W. 1/4 cor. of Sec. 34, th. E. along the E-W 1/4 line 330 ft., th. N. 1320 ft., th. W. to POB.

Parcel 3: Part of the NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 34, T5N-R3W, Watertown Township, Clinton Co., MI., described as follows: Com. at the W 1/4 corner of Sec. 34, th. S. 812 ft. along the W. sec. line, th. E. 960 ft., th. N. 812 ft., th. W. 960 ft. to the POB.

Parcel 4: That part of the NW 1/4 of sec. 34, T5N-R3W, Watertown Township, Clinton County, MI., beg. at a pt. on the E-W 1/4 line of said sec. 34, S88deg.09'40" E 330.52' from the W 1/4 corner thereof and cont. along said 1/4 line S88deg.09'40" E 737.9', th. N2deg.16'12" E 1988.31 ft. to the survey c/1 of (old US 16) Grd. Riv. Ave. (now shown as BR I-96), th. N73deg.22'W 420.50' on said c/1 to the W. line of E 1/2 of W 1/2 of NW 1/4 sec. 34, th. S2deg.16'12" W on said W. line of E 1/2 of W 1/2 of the NW 1/4 777.66' to the E-W 1/8 line of NW 1/4, th. N88deg.01'03" W 329.80' on said E-W 1/8 line, th. S2deg.18'05" W 1318.86' to the POB. Except NE cor. comprising approximately 9 A. is not to be included in this property.

The Application(s) for Special Use Permit(s) and OR-1-78, the Clinton County Zoning Ordinance are available for public inspection in the Department of Development Control located at 1003 S. Oakland St., St. Johns, MI. 48879 between 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. Interested persons are requested to attend the hearing and voice their opinions in respect thereto or written comments may be forwarded to the Department. Please call 224-6761 Ext. 221 for further information.

J. Anthony Nelson, Director
Department of Development Control

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

CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK OF ST. JOHNS,

vs. Plaintiff,
NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

BEVERLY ANN NEWELL, Defendant.

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain Mortgage made by BEVERLY ANN NEWELL of 603 West Williams Street, Ovid, Michigan, 48866, Mortgagor, to CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK OF ST. JOHNS, Clinton County, Michigan, Mortgagee, which Mortgage is dated the 16th day of October, A.D., 1980, and recorded in Liber 312, Page 845-848, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan, being recorded the 30th day of October, A.D., 1980.

That said Mortgage is claimed to be due and payable the date of this Notice, with principal and interest thereon in the amount of SEVENTEEN THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED SIXTEEN and 89/100 (\$17,416.89) DOLLARS.

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Friday, the 17th day of December, A.D., 1982, at 10:00 a.m., said Mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public auction to the highest bidder on the front steps of the Courthouse located in the City of St. Johns, County of Clinton, State of Michigan, that being the place for holding Circuit Court in the County of Clinton State of Michigan, and that being the County in which the premises described in said Mortgage is located, and so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amounts due as aforesaid on said Mortgage, with interest thereon at the rate of 14.5% per annum, together with all legal costs, charges and expenses, delinquent taxes, interest, penalties due thereon, if any, and any attorney fees as allowed by law, also any sums which may be paid by the Plaintiff herein to protect its interest in said premises, which premises are legally described as follows:

Part of the NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 12, T7N, R1W, Ovid Township, Clinton County, Michigan, described as: Beginning at the intersection of the South right-of-way line of Williams Street and the North-South line of said SW 1/4, running thence South along said 1/8 line 154 feet, thence West along the North line of the Grand Trunk Railroad right-of-way 76 feet, thence North 154 feet, thence 76 feet East to the point of beginning.

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

Dated at St. Johns, Michigan, this 11th day of November, A.D., 1982.

CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK OF ST. JOHNS
PAULA A. MAPLES (P17063)
Attorney for Central National Bank of St. Johns
306 North Clinton Avenue
St. Johns, Michigan 48879
11-18-82
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MORTGAGE SALE

Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by FREDERIC J. O'NEILL (A/K/A FREDERICK J. O'NEILL), a single man to FIRST FEDERAL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION OF DETROIT, a United States corporation, now known as, FIRST FEDERAL OF MICHIGAN, a United States corporation, Mortgagee, dated 19th June, 1981, and recorded on 19th June, 1981, in Liber 315, on page 721 Clinton County Records, Michigan, and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of ONE HUNDRED SIXTY SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED SIXTY and 24/100 DOLLARS (\$167,560.24), including interest at 15.00% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the North Door of the Court House in St. Johns, Michigan, at 11:00 o'clock a.m. on 7th January, 1983.

Said premises are situated in the Township of Eagle, Clinton County, Michigan, and are described as:

The South 53.97 acres of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 5, Town 5 North, Range 4 West, Eagle Township, Clinton County, Michigan;

ALSO, that part of the Northwest fractional 1/4 of Section 5, Town 5 North, Range 4 West, Eagle Township, Clinton County, Michigan, lying Northeasterly of the Looking Glass River described as follows: Beginning on the North-South 1/4 line of said Section 5 at a point South 2097 feet from the North 1/4 corner thereof and running thence South 219 feet, more or less on said 1/4 line to its intersection with the shore of the Looking Glass River, thence Northwesterly 188 feet, more or less, along said shore to its intersection with an old existing fence line, thence Northeasterly 69 feet, more or less, along said fence line to the point of beginning.

And ALSO, that part of the Northwest fractional 1/4 of Section 5, Town 5 North, Range 4 West, Eagle Township, Clinton County, Michigan, lying Southeasterly of the Looking Glass River described as follows: Beginning at the center of Section 5, said point being 2551 feet South of the North 1/4 corner of said Section 5, running West 44 feet, more or less, on the East-West 1/4 line to its intersection with shore of the Looking Glass River, thence Northeasterly 112 feet, more or less, along said shore to its intersection with said North-South 1/4 line, thence South on said North-South 1/4 line to the point of beginning.

EXCEPT: Starting at the Southeast corner of South 53.97 acres of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 5, Town 5 North, Range 4 West, thence North along section line 200 feet, thence Westerly parallel with the South line of said 53.97 acres to a point which shall be enough to include 3.97 acres where description is closed, thence South to the South line of said South 53.97 acres, thence East to the point of beginning.

The redemption period shall be twelve month(s) from the date of such sale.

Dated: 8th November, 1982
FIRST FEDERAL OF MICHIGAN
a United States corporation
Mortgagee

Peter E. O'Rourke
Attorney
1320 First Federal Bldg.
Detroit, Michigan 48226

In the sport of flyball, it's as easy as ABC

By BUDDY MOOREHOUSE

Come home, Lassie. And bring your tennis ball with you.

Members of the St. Johns Showoffs 4-H club, a dog-obedience group, got a treat on Monday, Nov. 15, when the ABC Dog Obedience School from DeWitt came to Perrin-Palmer Elementary School for a demonstration. It was a display of flyball, a relay race competition among dogs.

In flyball, four hurdles are set up, with the hurdles being only as high as the smallest dog in that lane. The gym at Perrin-Palmer was too small, so only three hurdles were used for the display.

At the start of the race, the dogs jump over each of the hurdles to get to a box at the end of the lane. The dog steps on a pedal at the front of the box, which throws a tennis ball into the air. The canine catches said ball in his or her mouth and runs back over the hurdles, at which point the next dog takes off.

The kids in the Showoffs club were fortunate, because they were watching the best flyball team in the world.

"We won the World Series competition in Detroit last summer, beating two American and one Canadian team," said Tulla Miller, director of the ABC school.

Flyball might not be as popular yet as, say, competitive lawn mowing, but it's still a fun sport to watch. The 4-H kids watched the demonstration from the sideline with their dogs, who found it more fun to bark than watch anything.

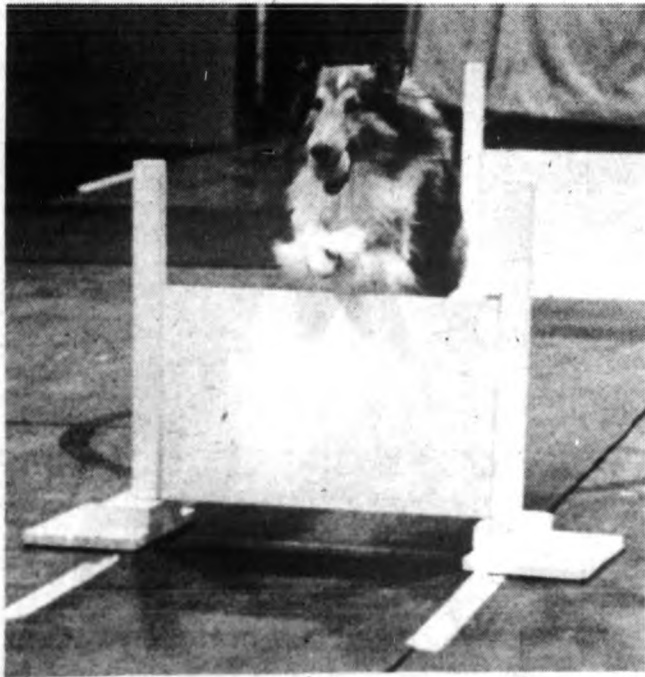
After the demonstration, the ABC members fielded questions from the 4-H'ers.

"Is there any particular breed which is better for this sort of thing," one youngster inquired.

"You're looking at the breed," Ms. Miller said, pointing to the wide variety of dogs from the ABC club. "It doesn't matter one bit. Any dog can be trained to do this."

"After the question-and-answer session, the kids decided to try teaching their pets to master the art of flyball.

"Grab your dog by the leash and lead him over the hurdles," Ms. Miller said. "And then put his paw on the



With the tennis ball he got from the flyball box firmly in his mouth, this collie from the ABC Dog Obedience Club in DeWitt runs back over the hurdle. The club was entertaining the Showoffs 4-H group in St. Johns last week. (Photo by Buddy Moorehouse)

pedal so he sees how to make the ball fly up."

Most of the 4-H members' dogs didn't seem to be enjoying this part of the program. Some knocked over hurdles as they went. Some refused to chase the tennis ball.

One harried dog decided to take a potty break on the flyball box.

"That happens a lot, too," Ms. Miller said.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Roger G. Ling, Sr. and Eleanor A. Ling, his wife to Mid-States Mortgage Corporation, Mortgagee, Dated August 16, 1978, and recorded on August 17, 1978, in Liber 300, on pages 391-393, Clinton County Records, Michigan, and assigned by said Mortgagee to Foundation Capital Corporation, by an assignment dated August 22, 1978, and recorded on September 26, 1978, in Liber 300, on page 989, Clinton County Records, Michigan, and further assigned by said assignee to Greenwich Savings Bank, by an assignment dated December 24, 1979, and recorded on September 4, 1980, in Liber 311, on page 960, Clinton County Records, Michigan, and further assigned by said assignee to the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, by an assignment dated June 30, 1980, and recorded July 17, 1980, in Liber 311, on page 402, Clinton County Records, Michigan, and further assigned by said assignee to The Lomas & Nettleton Company, by an assignment dated August 20, 1982, and recorded on September 30, 1982, in Liber 394, on page 166, Clinton County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Thirty-three Thousand Four Hundred Fifty and 92/100 Dollars (\$33,450.92), including interest at 9 1/2% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the North door to the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., Local Time, on December 9, 1982.

Said premises are situated in the Township of Watertown, Clinton County, Michigan, and are described as:

Commencing 20 rods South of the NE corner of Section 25, T5N, R3W, Watertown Township, Clinton County, Michigan, thence South 1/2 rods; thence West 22 rods, thence North 7 1/2 rods; thence East 22 rods, to the place of beginning.

During the six months immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed.

Dated: October 12, 1982

THE LOMAS & NETTLETON COMPANY
Assignee of Mortgagee

RONALD O. HAERENS
Attorney
30500 Van Dyke, Ste. 301
Warren, MI 48093

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MORTGAGE SALE

DEFAULT having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain Mortgage made by Joseph J. Blandina & Barbara Blandina, Inc., a Michigan Corp., whose address is 13071 Farm Lane, DeWitt, Michigan 48820 as Mortgagor(s), to George VanGheluwe and Leona VanGheluwe, his wife whose address is 31336 Elodie, Fraser, Michigan 48026, as Mortgagee, dated June 13, 1980 and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Clinton, State of Michigan on 6/18/80, in Liber 311, Pages 89-90, Clinton County Records on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal and interest the sum of Ninety-one Thousand Seven Hundred Forty-Nine and 71/100 (\$91,749.71) DOLLARS;

No suit or proceedings at law or in equity have been instituted to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof. Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Thursday the 9th day of December, 1982 at 10:00 o'clock a.m. Local Time, said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the north door of the court house in St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton is held) for the premises described in said Mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said Mortgage, with interest thereon as specified in the Mortgage Note incorporated by reference in and made a part of the above specified Mortgage, and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises, which said premises are situated in the Twp. of DeWitt, county of Clinton and state of Michigan and legally described as:

Lot 136, Country Meadows Estate, as recorded in Liber 5, Pages 37, 38, 40 and 41 of Plats, Clinton County Records.

Commonly known as 13071 Farm Lane

Dated at Harper Woods, Michigan, October 14, 1982

During the six month period immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed.

George Van Gheluwe & Leona Van Gheluwe, his wife, Mortgagee

Ronald T. Barrows, Attorney for Mortgagee

19925 Vernier Road
Harper Woods, Michigan 48225
Phone: (313)884-7575

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NOTICE

In accordance with Act No. 451, Public Acts of 1976, Part 11, Sections 951 through 953, a meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. on the 29th day of November, 1982, at the Ingham Intermediate School District, 2630 West Howell Road, Mason, MI 48854. The Clinton County Intermediate School District Board of Education and the Ingham Intermediate School District Board of Education will meet to conduct a public hearing regarding the petition to transfer certain territory from the Bath Community Schools to the Haslett Public Schools. The territory petitioned for transfer is described below:

Mr. & Mrs. James Phillipich
15875 Upton Road
East Lansing, MI 48823

Beginning at the southwest corner of east 1/2 of southwest 1/4 section 26, T5N R1W, said point being 1332 feet west of S 1/4 post, then north 740 feet, east 600 feet, south 741.22 feet, west 600 feet to beg. Bath Twp., Clinton County.

Owners of the property together with members of the Boards of Education of the school districts involved and such others as may be interested, are invited to attend this meeting.

Ingham Intermediate Board of Education
2630 West Howell Road
Mason, MI 48854

Dated: November 8, 1982

Frederick S. Gable, Assistant Superintendent

676-295

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obituaries

Agnes M. Snyder

Agnes M. Snyder, 77, of 3740 Northdale Rd., Lansing, died Nov. 15.

Born in Clinton County March 26, 1905, she lived in the Lansing area since 1927. She was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church and was church organist for many years.

A licensed practical nurse, she worked at the Capital City Convalescent Care Center until her retirement in 1982. She served as president of the Sheridan Road School Board and was very active in developing 4-H programs in Clinton County. She was also a member of the National Daughters of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Surviving are her husband, Clayton H. Snyder, with whom she celebrated 60 years of marriage May 21, 1981; four sons, Jack D. of Tempe, Ariz. and Gaylord H. of Utica, and Wendell and Roland, both of Lansing; three daughters, Mrs. Estol (Betty) Swem of Madison Heights, and Mrs. Everett (Lois) Downing and Mrs. Tom (Karen) Domanski, both of Lansing; 19 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Florence Ewer of Elsie; two nieces and one nephew.

Services were held Thursday, Nov. 18, 11:30 a.m. at Gorsline-Runciman Lansing Chapel with Rev. Errol Jameson. Burial was in Mt. Rest Cemetery, St. Johns.

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT CLINTON COUNTY

CLAIMS NOTICE File No. 20653

Estate of Horace B. Farley, Deceased. Date of Death: November 5, 1982; Social Security No.: 364-20-5338

TAKE NOTICE: Creditors of Horace B. Farley, Deceased, whose last known address was 213 N. Pine, Fowler, Michigan 48835, are notified that all claims against the decedent's estate are barred against the estate, the independent personal representative, and the heirs and devisees 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 following independent personal representative at the following address:

James G. Farley
Rt. 1, Box 237
Fowler, MI 48835
William C. Kemper
241 E. Saginaw, Suite 207
P.O. Box 794
East Lansing, Michigan 48823
Telephone: 517-337-1617
Attorney for Independent Personal Representative

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STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF CLINTON

PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF HEARING

Estate of HAZEL M. ALLEN, DECEASED, File No. 20626

TAKE NOTICE: All purported creditors of said Deceased, Hazel M. Allen, who died September 7, 1982 and resided at 3820 Valley Estates, DeWitt, Michigan, 48820, Social Security No. 368-22-2079, are required to prove their claims. That a Last Will and Testament, dated March 11, 1976 has been admitted to Probate. Creditors must file sworn claims to the Clinton County Probate Court and serve a copy thereon upon Robert Hill, 402 W. Main Street, DeWitt, Michigan, on or before January 26, 1983, that being the last day for filing claims against the Estate of Hazel M. Allen, Deceased. That the Estate will be assigned to the persons entitled to it.

Dated: November 18, 1982

Robert Hill, Petitioner
402 W. Main Street
P.O. Box 25
DeWitt, Michigan 48820
Phone: 669-6795

Robert H. Wood
Maples & Wood P-22531
306 North Clinton Avenue
St. Johns, Michigan 48879
Phone: 224-3238

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births

FORD: To Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Ford of St. Johns, Nov. 9 at Carson City Hospital, a daughter, Amanda Irene.

SCHAFFER: To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schaffer of Pewamo, Nov. 14 at Carson City Hospital, a son, Brett Richard.

MYERS: To Mr. and Mrs. Mark Myers of Fowler, Nov. 14 at Carson City Hospital, a son, Brad Joseph.

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF CLINTON

PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF HEARING

Estate of GORDON RUFUS PERRY, DECEASED, Social Security no. 340-05-5348. File No. 20619.

TAKE NOTICE: On March 2, 1983 at 9:00 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 Albert Schulz, that a will of July 15, 1971, be admitted to probate and the administration be granted to Albert Schulz, personal representative named in the will, who resides at 10313 DeWitt Road, DeWitt, Michigan 48820, and that the heirs at law of the deceased be determined.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Probate Court Rule 106, that names and locations of some heirs at law are unknown, including three half sisters of the Decedent (daughters of his father).

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented to Albert Schulz at 10313 DeWitt Road, DeWitt, Michigan 48820, and proof thereof be filed with the Court on or before March 2, 1983. Notice is further given that the estate will be thereupon assigned to the persons appearing of record to be entitled thereto.

Dated: October 22, 1982

Albert Schulz
10313 DeWitt Road
DeWitt, Michigan 48820
Daniel C. Matson (P-17210)
Suite 6, 13109 Shavey Road
DeWitt, Michigan 48820
Phone: (517)669-2095

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VANDERSTOW: To Mr. and Mrs. Douglas A. Vanderstow of 1119 W. Miller Rd., Lansing, Nov. 6 at Sparrow Hospital, a daughter, Sarah Nicole. The mother is the former Miss Michelle Pettit.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage made on the 6th day of August, 1979, between MARIA A. SERNA, a single woman, Mortgagor, and CAPITOL FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, formerly CAPITOL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, Mortgagee, and recorded with the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan, on August 7, 1979, in Liber 306, Pages 243-246, on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this Notice the sum of \$22,548.90 principal and interest, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the debt or any part thereof secured by said Mortgage;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, on Friday, December 10, 1982, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon at the main entrance to the Clinton County Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton is held, the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, together with interest at 12% per annum and all allowable costs of sale and attorney's fees, the land and premises in said Mortgage described as follows:

LOT 5 & 2 FT. OF LOT 6, BLOCK 18, VILLAGE OF OVID, CLINTON COUNTY, MICHIGAN, ACCORDING TO THE RECORDED PLAT THEREOF IN LIBER 21, PAGE 367, SUBJECT TO EASEMENTS, RESTRICTIONS AND RIGHTS OF WAY OF RECORD.

The redemption period shall expire 6 months from the date of sale.

DATED: November 11, 1982

CAPITOL FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

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Chamber hosts ad sales expert

John Berg of Capitol Federal Savings & Loan was guest speaker at the St. Johns Area Chamber of Commerce luncheon meeting Nov. 18.

Berg spoke on advertising and told chamber members how to get the

most for their advertising dollar. He provided hints on ad campaigns for small businesses, and tips on various types of advertising, including newspapers, radio, direct mail, sponsorships and work with charitable organizations.

Band sets fruit sale

Citrus fruit will be sold by the Redwing Marching Band and Freshman Band until Nov. 29.

Profits from the sale will be used to purchase needed additional instruments, music and materials, band directors Walter Cole and Robert Koger say.

"Each year, the band takes on this project to help earn monies to continue its program at St. Johns High School," they said.

"We've been recognized as having a superior band program and need to carry out projects like this to help support it financially. Not all of our support can come from local school funds."

This year, the citrus fruit sale features oranges, tangelos and red grapefruit. Fruit may be purchased from Redwing band members or by calling the high school bandroom, 224-9341, ext. 124. Fruit may also be obtained by calling the directors at home: Cole, 224-7523, and Koger, 224-6091. Fruit will arrive around Dec. 10 or 11, and buyers should plan to pay for fruit when ordering. Checks are preferred, reports said, and should be made out to "St. Johns High School Band."

Prices are: small oranges (24-40), \$9; large box or navel oranges (48-60), \$14; small box of tangelos (40-60), \$8; large

box tangelos (80-120), \$12; small box grapefruit (16-24), \$7.50; large box (32-48), \$12.

Births

PETERSON: To Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Peterson of 8406 Island, Elsie, Nov. 8 at Sparrow Hospital, a son, Paul Robert.

KELLY: To Mr. and Mrs. Kim A. Kelley of 3214 Felt, Lansing, Nov. 10 at Sparrow Hospital, a son, Sean Derek. The mother is the former Miss Gale Ryel.

REED: To Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Reed Jr. of 906 Bensch St., Lansing, Nov. 7 at Sparrow Hospital, a daughter, Alexandra Elizabeth. The mother is the former Miss Kathy Jean Green.

CORNWELL: To Mr. and Mrs. Richard D. Cornwell of 710 N. Mead, St. Johns, Nov. 12 at Clinton Memorial Hospital, a son, Cole Richard. Cole joins one sister, Richelle. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seconsky, Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Cornwell and Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert. The mother is the former Miss Marlene Seconsky.

BADGLEY: To Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ross Badgley of 12440 US-27, DeWitt, Nov. 13 at Clinton Memorial Hospital, a son, Buck William. Buck joins three brothers and four sisters. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth C. Badgley and Mr. and Mrs. Fayette Dickinson. The mother is the former Miss Mary Lou Dickinson.

City raises fees

Referees and scorekeepers in the St. Johns basketball league will be getting a raise, the city commissioners decided at their meeting Monday, Nov. 22.

After hearing a recommendation from the Park Board, the commissioners voted to raise the referees' salary from \$10 to \$12 a game. Scorekeepers will get a raise from \$5 to \$6 a game.

"The board recommended that this increase be paid for by a combination of raising registration fees and revenue from the city," City Clerk Rick Coletta said. "But since the teams have already registered, the city will cover the costs this year."

Earlier in the meeting, the commissioners heard a letter from the Clinton County Historical Society. The letter said the society was no longer interested in leasing the house in the City Park for its archives. The society will instead locate its archives in DeWitt Township.

The city received three bids for the drilling of well 11, and the commissioners voted to accept the low bid of \$28,016.95 from the Hart Well-Drilling Co. of Mason.

Dec. 1 PATTON

Dec. 2 REBEL WITHOUT A CAUSE

Dec. 3 ROOSTER COGBURN

Dec. 4 MSU BASKETBALL

Dec. 5 RED SUN

Dec. 6 SUMMER OF '42

Dec. 7 PEARL I

Dec. 8 PEARL II

Dec. 9 INDISCREET

Dec. 10 WINNING

Dec. 11 KLUTE

Dec. 12 CAMELOT

Dec. 13 THE CANDIDATE

Dec. 14 MISTER ROBERTS

Dec. 15 ARCH OF TRIUMPH

Dec. 16 THE GETAWAY

Dec. 17 PLAY MISTY FOR ME

Dec. 18 MSU BASKETBALL

Dec. 19 BEAU GESTE

Dec. 20 HIGH NOON

Dec. 21 MSU BASKETBALL

Dec. 22 BELLS OF ST. MARY'S

Dec. 23 THE QUIET MAN

Dec. 24 GOING MY WAY

Dec. 25 HOLIDAY INN MERRY CHRISTMAS

Dec. 26 IT'S A WONDERFUL LIFE

Dec. 27 THE WILD BUNCH

Dec. 28 DIRTY HARRY

Dec. 29 WHO'S AFRAID OF VIRGINIA WOOLF?

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