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## Fire Hall gets city approval

By SUSAN OWENS  
Staff Writer

The St. Johns Fire Department is on the move, thanks to a recent vote by the City Council to go ahead with the new fire hall project.

Fire Chief Clare Maier presented the council with some figures he compiled for the project at Monday night's City Council meeting. He added that in an effort to decrease the costs for the proposed structure and to speed up the building process, firemen and several area individuals are willing to donate their time and labor towards the building of the project.

According to Maier, the new steel structure, to be built adjacent to the police station, is estimated to cost \$77,248. That cost includes the building itself, plumbing, heating and electrical services.

City Manager Randy Humphrey added that there has been money set aside for a new fire hall for several years and that by July of this year, \$72-74,000 should be available for the project.

"Next year, the balance of that will probably be available," he said. "If the dollars come in, we should be in the ball park."

Maier indicated that he and several others will begin laying the foundation of the project by looking at other area fire halls to determine the specific needs.

Maier said he hopes to see the project completed by late summer.

In other council action, commissioners agreed to donate \$350 to help the proposed arson investigation team to buy a needed vehicle for the program. According to Maier, the vehicle is an ambulance complete with the investigation equipment.

The council also heard the annual report given by William Gramlich, superintendent of the Wastewater Treatment Plant.



MORE THAN 3000 VOTERS turned out for the special \$3.95 million bond proposal for the St. Johns school district Monday night. The proposal, monies to be used to build a new elementary school and repair facilities at five existing schools, was overwhelmingly defeated with a final vote of 2,452 against the passage and 778 in favor of it. "The people have indicated that isn't the answer," said Superintendent Earl Gabriel. "So we'll forge ahead and look into other possibilities." He added, "It looks as though there will be no major changes for the next school year."

## Farmers crop insurance encouraged this year

Pointing out that weather follows unpredictable and often unexplainable patterns, USDA officials are urging that farmers take the precaution of carrying insurance on this year's crops.

"We're certainly not predicting back-to-back poor crop years, but the reality is that this could happen and farmers would be well advised to protect themselves against the

possibility," said Merritt W. Sprague, manager of USDA's Federal Crop Insurance Corporation.

The FCIC backs as well as subsidizes crop insurance policies written by private insurance agents and companies. To encourage farmers to use the insurance, Sprague explains that the federal government pays up to 30 percent of the premium. It also pays all sales and ad-

ministrative expenses of the program.

"Farmers are always in a very vulnerable situation in a year following major crop losses," Sprague notes, "because there's been no opportunity for financial recovery. A lot of people won't be in business a year from now if they have another crop like last year's; they simply aren't in a position to handle two bad years in a row."

Officials point to recent changes that significantly increase the yields that can be guaranteed by insurance. At the same time, they add, the cost per dollar of protection has been reduced. On the average, protection per acre (the indemnity for a total loss) is almost half again higher than four years ago, with the premium rates 20 to 30 percent lower.

"The insurance now being offered is an extremely good buy," Sprague insists. "It also provides a number of ways for the farmer to tailor his

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deadline date is April 15, 1984. Early application is advised, however, to allow time to consider the various insurance options available, as well as to obtain the yield verification necessary for participation in the IYC program.

The ASCS office in Clinton has a list of local insurance agents from whom policies can be purchased. coverage to his individual

needs and budget, such as by choosing the percentage of a normal yield he wants to be guaranteed and the amount of indemnity he wants to be paid for each bushel of loss.

"A particularly attractive feature for farmers whose yields are above average for the area where they farm is the chance to purchase in-

urance based on their own production history. Under what's called the Individual Yield Coverage (IYC) program, they can qualify for additional insurance protection at no additional cost. Insurance agents can provide details."

Insurable crops are; barley, corn, soybeans, oats, and dry beans. The

### Culprits nabbed

## Ashley Bank robbed

Two men were arraigned in Gratiot County Monday on charges of armed robbery for the March 30th hold up of the Ashley Branch of the Bank of Alma.

According to the Ithaca State Police, two men armed with shot guns, entered the bank Friday at approximately 2:10 p.m. After taking approximately \$6200, the men fled the scene in a car waiting outside the bank.

Forty minutes later, the Breckenridge

Police Department recognized the automobile on Ransom Road, north of M-46, and arrested the 21- and 22-year-old suspects. The money reported taken at the robbery was recovered in full and both men were taken to the Gratiot County jail.

Names of the suspects, both Elsie and Vestaburg residents, are being withheld pending Monday's arraignment.

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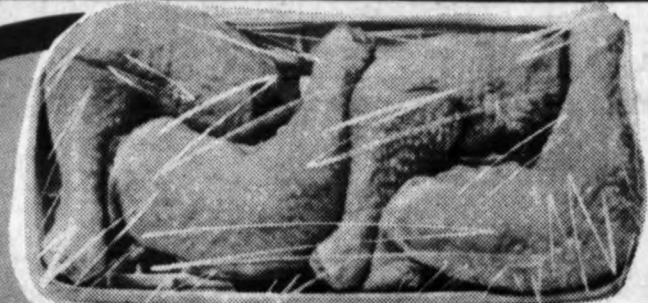
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## Letter to the Editor

### Let's fight against crime

Dear Editor:

One of the most effective tools a sheriff can have in his fight against crime is the support of the citizens in his county. On a local level, grass roots support is a strong deterrent to those who would cause harm or injury to a community or any of its people. But on the state level, our local law enforcement needs often go unnoticed, if it were not for the Michigan Sheriffs' Association (M.S.A.).

The M.S.A. is more than an association—it is a team made up of Michigan's 83 county sheriffs and more than 18,000 business and citizen members across the state. Member dues go into the Michigan Sheriffs' Educational Fund, which provides training for sheriffs and their deputies. The fund also publishes The Michigan Sheriffs' Star, a quarterly newsletter about law enforcement which all members receive.

One of the great services M.S.A. provides on our behalf is legislative involvement. Through SHERPAC, a separately supported political action arm, the M.S.A. tracks more than 120 pieces of legislation through the Michigan Senate and House of Representatives each year.

M.S.A. staff people work hard to make sure that the needs of the counties continue to be heard at the state level. They talk with state elected officials, the governor, the attorney general and other department directors to keep

criminal justice concerns in the forefront of Michigan government.

The M.S.A. is now seeking new members, and many people in Clinton County soon will get a letter in the mail. This mail solicitation for memberships in my association has my approval and is being conducted with my authorization.

I hope people will think about this and join me in taking a more active role in our fight against crime. We'll make a great team, and together we can make Clinton County a more safe and peaceful place to live and raise our children.

Sincerely,  
Anthony A. Hufnagel  
Sheriff  
Clinton County

### Evangelists featured in St. Johns

Rev. Russell Payne, pastor, of the St. Johns Church of the Nazarene cordially invites the public to attend the evangelistic services being held at the church April 4 thru April 8. The church is located at 515 N. Lansing St.

Services will be conducted each evening by David and Norma Taylor, song evangelists, beginning at 7:00 p.m. Sunday, April 8, services will begin at 11:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

## Mark Eaton named Mason of the year

Mark A. Eaton was honored at a reception March 24 at the St. Johns Masonic Temple.

A large crowd of Masonic friends and relatives paid tribute to the District Mason of the

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Year, and participated in a pot luck dinner planned in his honor.

Past Master Jon Newman acted as Master of Ceremonies. Almond Cressman reviewed Eaton's Masonic history and paid tribute on behalf of St. Johns Lodge 105. Richard Jacoby spoke on behalf of St. Johns Commandery 24, Knights Templar. Past Master John Spousta represented St. Johns Chapter 45, Royal Arch Masons, and also gave a tribute to Eaton.

Kenneth Richards, Deputy District Instructor and last years District Mason of the Year, Ralph Furman, District Deputy Instructor, and Richard Stevens, Past Master of Hubbardston Tuscan Lodge 178, presented Eaton with a beautiful



MASON OF THE YEAR NAMED: Being honored by Richard Cressman, Worshipful Master of Lodge No. 105, F and AM, is Mark Eaton (left), this year's Mason of the Year. Master of Ceremonies, Jon Newman, Past Master, is shown center.

wooden shield plaque with a brass engraved tablet on it.

Representing Radiant Chapter 79 Order of the Eastern Star, Jean De Vore gave a life review of Eaton and presented him with a unique hanging plaque depicting the various phases of his life. Jean was assisted by Wayne Gladding of the Board of

General Purposes.

Richard Cressman, Worshipful Master of St. Johns Lodge 105, made the presentation of the Honorary Award of "Mason of the Year".

Eaton received the congratulations and best wishes of the group and was wished many more years of happy service to Masonry.

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# Editorial Page

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## Letters to the Editor

### Defeated by greed?

To the Editor:

When we moved to St. Johns five years ago, having lived in many larger Michigan communities, my wife and I were immediately impressed with the warmth and friendliness of the people here, with the attitude of care and concern for each other we saw in our new neighbors. What a wonderful place to raise our children! During the five years we have lived here, countless small things people have done have continually reinforced these impressions.

But the attitude St. Johns expressed in the defeat this week of a bond issue for the schools is not one of care and concern—nor of friendliness. It is one of selfish greed at best, and real ill will toward children at worst.

It would be one thing if the age-old rift between country and town had merely reared its ugly head again to the detriment of city school children. That conflict is too bad, but might be understandable: The school district is too large, the interests of its constituents too diverse, for there ever to be much chance of agreement on principle. Besides, the country people got their shiny new schools; why should they spend money on anyone else's kids?

But it was essentially the city vote that defeated this attempt to make the St. Johns schools—two of them, anyway—physically adequate. People living, most of them, a short walk from Central School, have either pretended to themselves that the building does not need replacing—a cruel joke!—or have with less ambiguous motives decided the children of this city are not worth the modest cost of decent schools.

Over the past two months, I have listened to some of the most preposterous "reasons" for voting NO on the state DOT, and many counties, responsible for many groundwater contamination problems because they refuse to properly take care of their salt piles and road brining abuses?

The one thing I fear,

almost as much a criminal with a gun, is an ignorant man with a chainsaw and no respect for nature.

the bond issue I have ever encountered in people who have supposedly had some schooling. No criminal I've ever defended in court has offered more outlandish justification for inexcusable conduct than some of the people I've heard trying to rationalize their NO votes on March 26.

It is a shame. I wonder if in years to come the children of St. Johns will take to heart the real lesson of the election result—that the vast majority of voters here do not give a fig about them, about their educational opportunities, their safety—and leave this place, taking the future of St. Johns with them. This town does not deserve them, any more than it deserves its dedicated, highly trained staff of teachers that it refuses to pay appropriately.

Now that the dust has settled on the school bond issue, and everyone has had his say, I must say St. Johns looks a little different to me. My immediate neighbors still seem to be the open, warm-hearted people I expected to find in a small town—but the election causes me to have second thoughts about how widespread that attitude really is.

Do I regret having chosen to live in St. Johns and raise my children here? All in all, I'm afraid my answer is yes. I suspect that by the time I'm finished raising Cain about the deplorable condition of Central School, those segments of the community who brought down the bond issue will regret I did too.

How is a town that presents to the world such a relentless facade of boosterism and optimism going to square that attitude with the resounding NO it just delivered to its children's schooling? Very uncomfortably, I hope.

Sincerely,  
John Norman Scott  
400 S. Clinton  
St. Johns

Thomas R. Rielley  
Rural Route 3  
St. Johns, MI

## Badge Beat

The St. Johns Police Department recently arrested Richard James Wise, 19, of 605 W. Parks St., on two counts of breaking and entering and two counts of forgery.

Officers report that Wise was arrested March 23 in connection with the Feb. 22 breaking and entering of the Assembly of God, on the corner of Baldwin Street and US-27. He was arraigned on March 27 on all four charges. Bond was

set at \$5000.

The Clinton County Sheriff's Department answered a larceny complaint March 19, at the home of Dale Sees, of Howe Road.

According to deputies, it was reported that Sees had an estimated \$1028 worth of motocross equipment stolen from his garage, including riding boots, riding pants, a 35-mm camera, helmet, gloves and a tool box. The last time the

equipment had been seen was in the fall.

On March 20, deputies answered a complaint of larceny to an automobile belonging to Douglas Fitzpatrick, of Fowler. Fitzpatrick reported that someone had broken into his vehicle while it was parked in Fowler and had stolen a radar detector, a power booster, a speaker and knobs off the radio. Total estimated cost was placed at \$300. The case remains under investigation.

## Trees destroyed

Dear Editor:

I have noticed again that the Clinton County Road Commission, and all other counties in all likelihood, following the urgings of the state DOT, are out in force cutting down the beautiful trees lining our secondary roads. These trees do nothing but add considerable beauty and enhance the scenery for people who live along or drive on these roads.

I live in the Eureka area of northern Clinton County. I was sickened recently when I saw that the county was sending out crews to cut all trees along Hyde Road, a once beautiful stretch of road until the county sprayed herbicides and killed all vegetation last summer, so all we had to look at as we drove along was trees and bushes covered with dead and brown leaves. What a pathetic act. Now, to add even more insult to the local residents and those who drive these once beautiful stretches of road, the county is out to cut all vegetation from anywhere near the road.

Because of the vegetation along many of our roads, we could always count on them being open despite heavy drifting snow. The vegetation kept drifts from forming. This is in sharp contrast to those roads where the county or landowners have stripped bare all brush or trees. These unprotected roads are the first to drift over and continue to drift over any time we get a wind. If for no reason but this, it seems very ridiculous to cut all vegetation along roadways.

Regardless of all the other facts, it is a sickening sight to see crews of road department people cutting the trees which help make all of our lives better.

I thought that when those huge tax increases (9 cents additional per gallon of gas and nearly doubling of registration fees) took effect it was to be used to fix up our deteriorating roads. Instead they're paying people to cut down trees and destroy scenery which the public does not want destroyed. It's very ironic that the roads along which they are doing the cutting are full of potholes and in terrible shape. Once again, we were lied to. Instead of fixing the roads, all of the tax increases are going towards spraying and cutting of the trees which we, the public, do not want destroyed.

Instead of paying these men with our tax dollars to destroy our roadsides, why isn't this money being used to fix up the present roads, as promised? Why also is

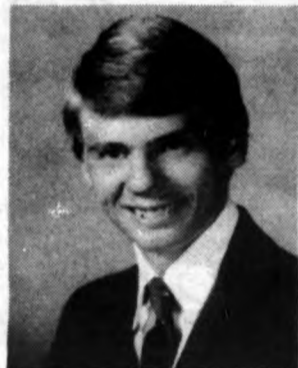
## Marten named scholar

St. Johns High School is proud to announce that John Marten, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Marten, of 2265 W. Parks Road, is a 1984 Merit Scholarship Finalist.

This accomplishment distinguished Marten in a very select group, representing less than one-half of one percent of American High School Seniors.

There are 13,500 finalists and 5300 from among this group will be Merit Scholars. One thousand, eight hundred of these Merit Scholars will receive

a one-time \$1000 scholarship, and 3500 will receive four-year Merit Scholar-



ships. Winners of Merit Scholarships will receive offers in March and early April.

Recognition is not only recognized through the academic achievement, but also extra curricular accomplishments and contributions to the school and community, two sets of test scores, the school's recommendation, and the student's biographical information and self-description. All of these contributions, attributes and abilities are combined and are judged by the committee.



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## names in the news

Clinton County Probate Judge, Marvin E. Robertson, was recently appointed by the Michigan Supreme Court to a nine-judge Juvenile Court Rules Committee.

Robertson observed that "this committee should have a unique opportunity to further improve juvenile justice procedure, since it will have a direct line to the Supreme Court."

The Probate Judges Association has also re-

appointed Robertson as editor of its judicial newsletter, The INTERCOM.

Robertson has also recently received two teaching re-appointments. Thomas M. Cooley Law School has re-appointed him to teach Juvenile Law for the summer term. In addition, Robertson will teach Advanced Juvenile Law for court staffs at a Michigan Judicial Institute course scheduled at Central Michigan University.



## Volleyball teams announced in area

The Mid-Michigan B All Conference Volleyball teams were announced this week. They are as follows.

First team: LeAnn Crowe a senior from Corunna; Malynn Manausa a senior from Corunna; Alicia Honke a senior from Corunna; Tammy Gewirtz a senior from Chesaning; Kristi Hudecek a senior from Ovid-Elsie; and Brenda Eiseler a sophomore from St. Johns.

Second team: Kelly Cruz a senior from Alma; Lisa Franks a senior from Corunna; Doris Ruhl a senior from Chesaning; Charlotte Gengler a senior from Chesaning; Kelly McCue a senior from Ovid-Elsie; and Kim Heyer a senior from St. Johns.

Honorable Mention: Heather Kurrle a junior from Corunna; Shelly Behring a senior from Alma; Jean Chludil a senior from Chesaning; Dyanna Shook a junior from Alma; Candy Cowling a junior from Ionia; Connie Hettinger a senior from Ovid-Elsie; and Teri Woodbury a junior from Ovid-Elsie.

Final standings for all teams were: Corunna, 5 wins and 0 losses; Ovid-Elsie, 4 wins and 1 loss; Chesaning, 3 wins and 2 losses; St. Johns, 2 wins and 3 losses; Alma, 1 win and 4 losses; and Ionia, 0 wins and 5 losses.

The winning coach was Dick Osborn.

## Swim Club offers program

Do you like to swim? Do you own a swim suit? Do you enjoy winning ribbons? Do you want to make new friends? Do you get hot in the summer?

If you answered yes to one of the above, then the DeWitt Swim Club wants you!

On Monday, May 7, at 6 p.m., the club will be conducting their first meeting to discuss the upcoming summer swim program. All interested parties and newcomers, including per-

sons outside of the DeWitt area, are invited to bring their swim suit and at least one parent to the DeWitt High School pool to learn about the program and meet with coach Todd Briggs.

If you can't attend the meeting, please call Sue Kemler, at 669-5006, to learn about the program.

Regular practice begins at Tuesday, May 8, at 6 p.m., at the DeWitt High School pool.

## Campers increase

Camping seems to be in America's blood. Always a favorite outdoor activity, it will be enjoyed by upwards of 60 million people this year, according to a recent study by the A.C. Nielsen Company. Nielsen predicts the number of campers will increase to 61.6 million by 1985 and will swell to 64.4 million by 1990. The study also shows that about 40 percent of the campers use recreational vehicles.



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# Sports

## B-ball teams announced

The Mid-Michigan B All Conference Basketball team was announced this week. Members of the teams are as follows.

First team: Eric Emith a senior from Alma; Matt Householder a senior from Corunna; Darin Darling a senior from Ovid-Elsie; Jon Martin a senior from Ovid-Elsie; and Kurt Thelen a senior from St. Johns.

Second team: Dan Bitterman a senior from Chesaning; Jack Skoog a sophomore from Ionia; Wade Kioski a senior from Ovid-Elsie; Marty Martens a junior from St. Johns; and Steve Ernst a sophomore from St. Johns.

Honorable mention: Scott Martin a junior from Alma; Mike Maskal a senior from Alma; Chris O'Brien a senior from Alma; Brett Zuver a freshman from Ionia; and Marc St. Pierre a senior from Ovid-Elsie.

Final standings for all

teams were: Ovid-Elsie, 9 wins and 1 loss; St. Johns, 8 wins and 2 losses; Alma, 7 wins and 3 losses; Corunna, 4 wins and 6 losses; Ionia, 2 wins and 8 losses; and Chesaning 0 wins and 10 losses.

The winning coach was Bob Foreback.

## Gartside honored

The new officers of DeWitt Booster's Club planned a surprise salad luncheon for Dona Gartside for March 22. The new and old officers who honored Dona were: Sherry Tefft, vice president; Judy Renz, treasurer; June Russell, secretary; Char Busby, member at large; Sandy Tarrant, Evelyn Waller, Vi Pennington, Lin Koster, Bev Puffer, Louise Cook and Judy Lansing.

## Diaz places

Matt Diaz, a fourth grade student at Bath Elementary School, recently represented the DeWitt Swim Club at the Michigan-United States Swimming Championships.

The meet was held at Oakland Community College in Farmington, Michigan, on March 23-25.

Diaz swam in four events; the 100 yard butterfly, 100 yard freestyle, 50 yard butterfly and 200 yard freestyle. He also attained 'AA' qualifying times in the 200 yard individual medley, 50 yard freestyle and 100 yard breaststroke.

Out of a total of 1812 entries, Diaz finished 10th in his age group for the 100 fly, 13th for the 50 fly, 19th for the 100 free and 22nd for the 200 free.

His time of 1:20.6 in the 100 yard butterfly showed

an improvement of 40 seconds since the beginning of the season.

The DeWitt Swim Club is open to all five to 18-year-old swimmers in the surrounding communities. The only prerequisite for membership is the desire to swim better and have the ability to swim at least one length of the pool.

The summer swim season begins with a 6 p.m. meeting May 7, at the DeWitt High School pool. During the meeting, interested swimmers and parents will have the chance to talk with coach Todd Briggs about the goals and purposes for the program, the practice schedule, the meet schedule and the costs.

If there are any questions regarding the meeting or the swim club, please call Sue Kemler at 669-5006, or Donna Diaz at 669-4366.

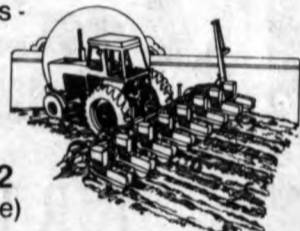
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# Births

A boy, Michael Richard, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John A. Swagart of 207 S. Clinton Ave., St. Johns, on March 26 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 6 lbs. and 8 1/2 ozs.

Grandparents are Darlene and Gary Lawrence and Donald and Rosalie Swagart. The mother is the former Lisa Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Boulton are happy to announce the birth of their daughter, Tiffany Rose. She was born March 28 in Youngstown, Ohio.

Grandparents are Lynwood and Charlotte McGonigal of 5197 Clise Rd., Bath.

A boy, Brian Robert, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rasdale of Middleton on March 25 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 6 lbs. and 3 ozs.

Grandparents are Spud and Betty Heathman and Charles and Joan Rasdale. The mother is the former Sandy Heathman.

Carl and Pam Pitchford of 8751 S. Krepps, Laingsburg, became the parents of a baby boy, Benjamin Jacob, at Saint Lawrence Hospital, Lansing, on March 9. He weighed 6 lbs. and 6 ozs.

The baby has two brothers, Jason, age 11, and Joshua, age 5.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Christensen of Laingsburg and Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Pitchford of Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamonte T. Lator of 1875 E. Round Lake, DeWitt, are proud to announce the birth of their son, Philip Lamonte was born March 19 at Sparrow Hospital in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald W. Hough of 2016 Blue Lake Dr., Haslett, are happy to announce the birth of their son, Matthew David was born March 19 at Sparrow Hospital in Lansing.

A girl, Suzanne Marie, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wade Jr. of 11815 Burke Hwy., Dimondale.

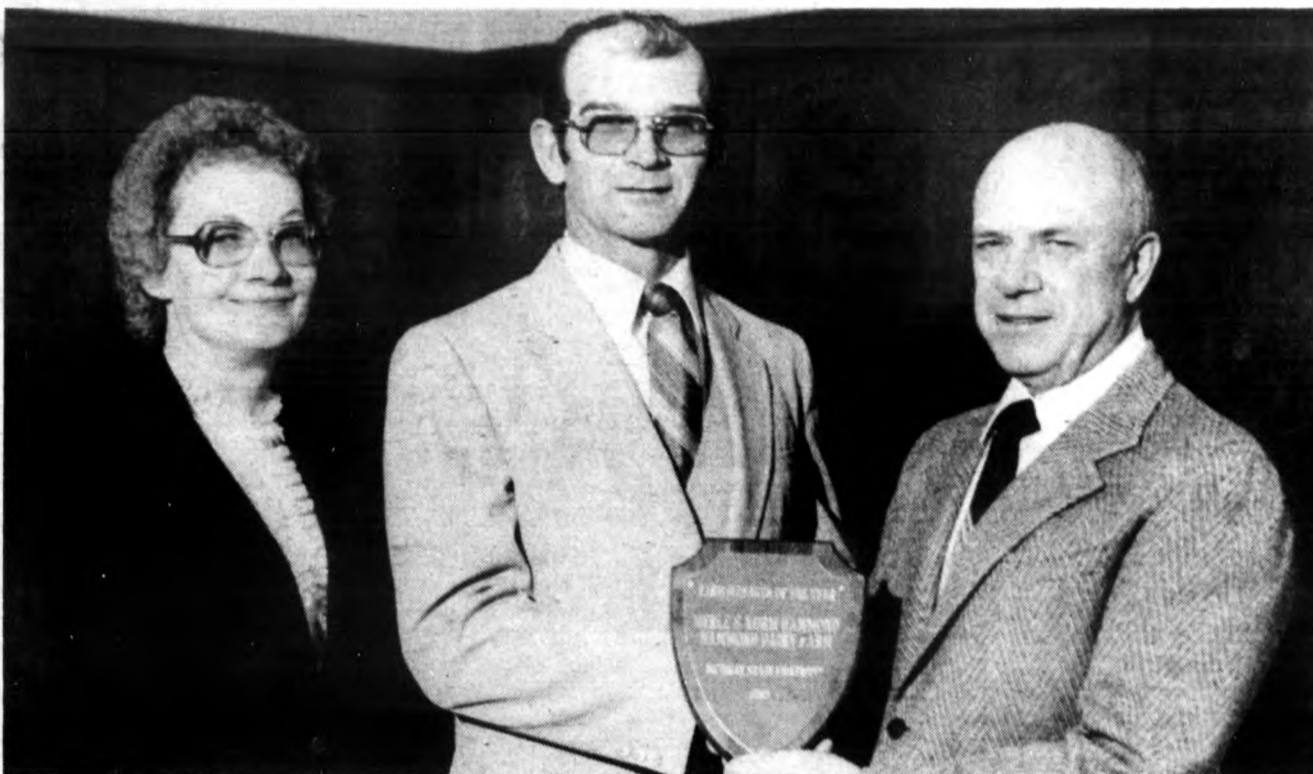
Suzanne was born on March 14 at St. Lawrence Hospital in Lansing. She weighed 7 lbs. and 10 ozs.

Grandparents are Marjorie Wade of Lansing, Audrey Pierce of Lansing and Albert Pierce of Florida. The mother is the former Brenda Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Goff of 2273 W. Herbison, DeWitt, announce the birth of their son, Jordan Lee was born March 9 at Sparrow Hospital in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Golota of 15621 S. Chandler Rd., East Lansing, announce the birth of their daughter, Jennifer Eileen was born March 11 at Sparrow Hospital in Lansing.

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**FOWLER DAIRYMAN HONORED:** The manager of a dairy operation near Fowler was one of 10 to receive the Farm Manager of the Year Award March 22 at Michigan State University. The recipients are (left to right): Juanita and Jerome Spitzley, shown with George McQueen, Clinton County Extension director. Spitzley operates a dairy farm of 50 cows that have produced a five year average of 755 pounds of butterfat. The awards are given each year by the MSU Department of Agricultural Economics. Each of the candidates are enrolled in the MSU Telfarm record-keeping system and are judged on the basis of their efficient organization and operation of their farm during the past three years.

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# Community Calendar

**TUESDAY, APRIL 3** .....

Clinton County Senior Citizens potluck dinner, 1 p.m. Bring dish to pass and your own table service. Mixed games following.

Farmer's Legislative Trip leaves for Washington, D.C., to discuss issues with congressmen and senators. For more information, call John Urka, 616-477-5537.

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4** .....

The St. Johns Womens Club will be having their meeting at Dee Morriss's home. They will be having a white elephant sale.

Senior Citizens Nutrition Lunch, 12:30 p.m., featuring crispy baked chicken. Bingo following.

Euchre Club meets at the Clinton County Senior Center, 7:30 p.m. Anyone 55 years old or older may come.

Hispanic Handicapper Informational Seminars, 1 p.m., Cristo Rey Community Center, 1314 Ballard, North Lansing. Topic: Barrier Free Design Law and its requirements.

**THURSDAY, APRIL 5** .....

Senior Citizens Nutrition Lunch, 12:30 p.m., featuring beef patty with cheese sauce. Doug Peck, from WVGO radio station, will be the guest. Bingo following.

Senior Bowling at the Redwings Bowling Lanes, 1:30 p.m.

Diet Workshop, 7 p.m., at the Senior Center

**FRIDAY, APRIL 6** .....

Senior Citizens Nutrition Lunch, 12:30 p.m., featuring tuna noodle casserole.

Senior Community Forum, 1 p.m., Senior Citizens Drop-In Center. Speak on issues that concern you as an older adult.

**MONDAY, APRIL 9** .....

Public Luncheon, 11 a.m., at the Senior Citizen Drop-In Center. Everyone welcome. All proceeds go to the center for maintenance and support of the center. Soups, sandwiches and pies are featured.

Adult Foster Care Socialization Program, 1:30 - 3:30 p.m., at the senior center.

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11** .....

Potluck Dinner, 1 p.m., at the senior center. Bring dish to pass and your own table service. Mixed games follow.

Hispanic Handicapper Informational Seminars, 1 p.m., Cristo Rey Community Center, 1314 Ballard, North Lansing. Topic: March of Dimes.

**FRIDAY, APRIL 13** .....

A Family Style Fish Supper will be served by the Wacousta Masonic Lodge No. 359. Serving will be from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. Take out dinners are available at reduced prices. To find Wacousta, go five miles west of Airport Road, on Grand River Avenue, to Wacousta Road. Then north, two and a half miles.

A spring craft sale, sponsored by DeWitt Charter Township Parks and Recreation Commission, will be held from 6 - 8 p.m., at the DeWitt Township Hall, 4700 Brook Road. Any questions, call Diane Szewczyk at 482-1291.

**SATURDAY, APRIL 14** .....

A spring craft sale, sponsored by DeWitt Charter Township Parks and Recreation Commission, will be held from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the DeWitt Township Hall.

**May 7** .....

DeWitt Swim Club to hold informational meeting about the summer program, 6 p.m., at the DeWitt High School pool. Meet coach Todd Briggs and learn about the club as a whole. Bring your suit!

**MAY 8** .....

DeWitt Swim Club's summer program begins at DeWitt High School pool, 6 p.m.

**AUGUST 31 - SEPTEMBER 2** .....

Marine Corps Tanker Association is holding their annual reunion in Oceanside, CA. Any Marine or ex-Marine who has served in a Tank Bn., can join our mailing list of over 700 names. Contact John Cornelius, Marine Corps Tanker Association, 1619 California St., Oceanside, CA., 92054.

## Christians to hold annual art show

More than \$2,000 in prize money is available in connection with the 23rd. Annual Christian Art Show being sponsored by Ascension Lutheran Church, 2780 Haslett Rd. in East Lansing, April 15-29.

The first prize will be a purchase award made available by Mr. and Mrs. William Celio and Mr. and Mrs. D.J. Celio in memory of Jeanette Celio and Louise Kroggel. The work chosen for this award will become a part of the permanent collection of the Christian Art Show in Ascension Church.

Six \$100 awards will be given. Four were made available by Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Gessert, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Patenge, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Moore, and Mr. Nicholas Stringer. The fifth, given by Mr. and Mrs. Emil Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. William Glick, will be awarded to a piece of soft sculpture or stitchery. The sixth, given by Mr. and Mrs. Donald Severance, will go to a piece of stitchery or a banner.

Six \$75 awards were made available by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Boos, the Estes-Leadley Funeral Homes, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Schoenberger, the Gorsline-Runciman Company, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Allen.

Ten \$50 awards were made available by University Service Center and Campus Standard Service, Barker-Fowler Electric Company, Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Ahti, East Lansing State Bank, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hirt, Ms. Susan Zimmerman in memory of Richard D. Zimmerman, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Gable, Mr. and Mrs. James Falk, Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Kunze, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Freiberg.

All the winners will be chosen by Dean Bowman, Professor Emeritus at Concordia College in Moorhead, Minnesota. He will also select from the anticipated 450 entries the approximately 125 works which will be exhibited.

Mr. Bowman has been a college art instructor for over twenty-five years. His own works have won prizes in such categories as sculpture, painting, drawing, printmaking, and photography.

Each artist is limited to three entries. Acceptable

media include painting, watercolor, sculpture, mosaic, ceramics, glass, printmaking, drawing, photography, weaving, stitchery, and metal. Assemblages, textiles, hangings, banners, jewelry, and scale models may also be submitted. Entries must be original works and must have a Christian motif, that is, express a Christian thought or idea.

Entries will be received at Ascension Church April 6-8 between 10:00 a.m. and 4:30 a.m. The awards will be presented to the artists at the Artists' Reception on Saturday, April 14, at 8:00 p.m. The exhibit will be open free-of-charge at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, April 17.

The works chosen for the exhibit may, but need not, be offered for sale. Ascension Church will not sell the works nor expect a commission but will put interested purchasers in contact with the artists who wish to sell.

## DeWitt

The DeWitt City Parks and Recreation has recently announced its "Basics of Cake Decorating" course to be offered at DeWitt High School.

Beginning April 16, from 5 to 7 p.m., Dee Robertson will be instructing individuals on making flowers, borders and other decorative ideas to help make cakes more attractive.

A registration fee of \$22 will cover the costs of all material. Interested parties must register before April 11 at the City Hall or by mail: 414 E. Main St., DeWitt, Mich. 48820.

The class will run every Monday evening until May 21.

# Obituaries

Edna Whittemore, 78, of 337 W. Front St., Ovid, died Sunday, March 25, at her home. She was well known in Clinton County for her work with the Clinton County Historical Society, as well as the educational system.

In 1967, she was commissioned by the Village of Ovid to author a book about the village's history. Then again, in the later 1970's, she wrote a brief history of Ovid for the Clinton County History Book, which was then a Bicentennial project. It was published in 1980 by the Historical Society.

Mrs. Whittemore was a teacher in the Ovid elementary schools for 37 years before retiring in 1965. She received her life-teaching certificate from Eastern Michigan University.

Mrs. Whittemore was a member of the United Church of Ovid and active in several of its societies.

Services were held Tuesday, March 27, at 1 p.m., at the Houghton Chapel in Ovid. Burial was at Stilson Cemetery in Victor Township, the rural area where she was born.

Her husband, James, preceded her in death. She is survived by her son, Lee, of Grand Rapids; three grandchildren, two great grandchildren, and a sister, Lureta Bauerle, of DeWitt.

Ronald D. Orvis, 49, of 107 Denver St., Lansing, passed away March 15 in Lansing. He was born Oct. 5, 1934, in Lansing to

James and Hester (Luce) Orvis and was employed at Quality Dairy.

He was married in 1956 to Elaine Bergin in Lansing.

He is survived by his wife Elaine; two daughters, Leann and Leslie Anne of Lansing; two sons, Ronald II and Daniel also of Lansing; his father, James LeRoy Orvis of Lake City; two sisters, Wava (Maxine) Mosier and Shirley Box both of Florida; one brother, James Orvis of Greenville; and one grandson, Camron.

Funeral services were held at the DeWitt Area Chapel on Monday, March 19, at 1:00 p.m. with Rev. Brent Jerome of the Delta Haven Free Methodist Church officiating. Burial in Glendale Cemetery, Okemos.

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The Family of Elda Simon wishes to express their sincere thanks and appreciation to the relatives, friends and neighbors for prayers, masses, memorials, flowers, cards, food and many other acts of kindness during her illness and death. A special thank you to the ladies who prepared the dinner, the priest, nuns and the Neller Funeral Home for their comforting words.

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## Chatter by Char

By Charlene Robertson  
Bath area correspondent



### New officers for tops

At a Salad Supper on Tuesday, March 13th, new officers for the Bath Tops were elected to officially take their offices on April 3rd. The officers are: Sandy Bagley, leader; Patsy MacCowan, co-leader; Agnes Miller, secretary; Diane Slocum, treasurer; Shirley Schegel, weight ins; Linda Jones, weight recorder; Paula Hartsuff, historian. A special thank you to all out going officers. Secret pals will be selected April 17th, so be sure to be there. For further information, call Patsy MacCowan at 337-7514 before 9 p.m.

### Bath Business Association

The new officers for the Bath Business Association are: John Carter, president; Dick Wizner, treasurer; Sandy Carter, secretary; Jim Spagnulo, vice-president; and Ron Rose, Sergeant of Arms. If you are interested in the association, contact one of the above people.

### Bath fifth graders

The Bath fifth grade classes each spent a day visiting Gunnisonville School during the week of March 5. They had a great time and it was a wonderful opportunity for the students to understand the educational process in a one room school house at the turn of the century.

### Methodist youth fellowship

The Bath United Methodist Church youth fellowship held their elections for new officers on Sunday, March 25. The officers for this year are: David Sansote, president; Garth Gilbert, vice-president; Stephanie Hamill, secretary; Paula Sansote, treasurer; Andy Brookman, youth representative to administrative board. Congratulation on being in office and we wish you a good year!

### Bath Cub Scouts

The Bath Cub Scouts Pack No. 267 held their pack meeting Thursday, March 22. At this pack meeting, they had a surprise inspection and all the boys passed with a total of 50 points or more. One of the Dens sang Scouts songs and had the parents join in. The other Den did masks of life on other planets. The boys all did a very nice job.

There were some boys that earned badges and awards and they are: Bobby Hatfield earned his Wolf Badge, along with Chris Evans and Craig Ackerman, Scott Duncan and Jim Harbensi both earned their Gold and Silver Arrows.

The meeting ended with a reminder about the Scout popcorn sales kickoff, dates being April 2nd and 3rd. The Scouts will be selling a three pound bucket of popcorn for \$4 and \$1 of this stays in the Scout organization. So be sure to order your popcorn today and help the Scouts.

### Winners

The Bath Pharmacy celebrated its first anniversary by having a drawing. The following ladies of Bath won: Marcia Kibby won the \$25 Gift Certificate from the Bath Shop-Rite; Margaret Williams won the Norelco Coffee Maker; and Anne Kenny won the hanging Plant. Congratulations to these winners and special congratulations to Brian and Debbie Stoddard for their stores' first anniversary!



CENTRAL NATIONAL HONORS RETIREES: In a recent commemorative gathering at Walnut Hills Country Club near Bath, Central National Bank of St. Johns honored two retiring members of the bank's board of directors. Pictured presenting awards to retiring directors Richard Myrnsberg and Gordon McCormick are Harold Wellman, president of Central National Bank (left) and Harold Holland (right), chairman of the bank board of directors. Myrnsberg and McCormick are from Middlebury and Nappanee, Indiana, respectively. The evening also included a private dinner at which past and present directors and their spouses attended.

### Education Foundation

We now have an area representative for Education Foundation. Anyone interested in hosting a Foreign Exchange Student or of a student wants to go to Europe, the person to contact is Debbie Swartz, at 5827 High Street, or call 641-4265. This is a nice way to get to know a person from a different country.

### Special people

Marilyn Harwood, Bath Elementary Kindergarten teacher, is recuperating nicely at home following a recent operation. We are glad the surgery went so well and we hope you can be back to school soon!

Mrs. Linda Gyles, special education teacher at Bath Elementary, is back at work after an extended illness. Welcome back Linda, we are glad you are feeling better.

In my column two weeks ago, there was an article about Kaci Hartsuff and her last name was spelled wrong. I am sorry about that Kaci. We wish you all the best in the 1984 North Michigan National Little Miss Pageant!

There are some Bath seniors that are celebrating April birthdays. Charles Steidinger's birthday is April 2nd; Forest Bass' is April 6th; Ila Shepard's and Charlotte Allen's birthday is on April 11th.

### Reminders

Thursday, April 5, the Bath Lions will meet for dinner at Mijo's at 7 p.m. This is a Lions - Ladies dinner with the Lioness invited.

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Monday, April 9, the Bath Lioness will have their board meeting at the home of Lioness first vice-president Debbie Swartz. The meeting starts at 7 p.m. and all Lioness are welcome.

Wednesday, April 11, the Bath Police and Fire Board will have their meeting in the Township Hall at 7:30 p.m.

Now that the DeWitt - Bath Review is out on Tuesdays, items will have to be in my drop box at the Bath Shop-Rite on Tuesdays and the item will appear in the paper the following Tuesday. Thank you for your cooperation. 'Til next week - Char

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## Joan's recipe corner



Hello and welcome to your recipe corner. This is going to be a weekly column dedicated to supplying you with interesting recipes and cooking tips. I would like to make this column a sharing experience between myself and all other chief cooks and bottlewashers.

Home economics taught me that the easiest way to keep a family from turning up their noses at the dinner table is to provide a varied number of meals.

Each week I will feature a recipe from my own files and in addition, I would like to invite participation from our readership. So, dig through your old cookbooks and recipe files and send me some of your families favorite recipes!

Address them to: Joan's Recipe Corner, The Clinton County News, P.O. Box 10, St. Johns, 48879. Please be sure to include your name, address, and phone number in case there are any questions concerning ingredients or cooking time.

This week's recipe is a make-ahead casserole.

### Broccoli and Rice Casserole

1 1/2 cups of Minute Rice  
1 stick of butter  
1 medium onion, chopped  
1 small jar of Cheez Whiz  
1 can of cream of mushroom soup  
1 pkg. of frozen broccoli

Cook rice according to package instructions. Set aside. In large skillet, saute onion in butter. Add Cheez Whiz and mushroom soup. Stir until creamy. Add broccoli and rice. Pour into casserole and bake for 30 minutes at 350 degrees. Serves six.

This casserole freezes well for later use.

## Karber attends course

Pam Karber of Clinton Home Center, St. Johns, recently attended a one and a half day course in interior decorating for employees of Armstrong Floor Fashion Center stores held in Lansing.

The course was conducted by experts from Armstrong World Industries' Design Center, which is well known for its magazine advertisements showing beautiful rooms. The company started the ads in 1917.

More than 3,000 people have attended the course to date. Armstrong's nationwide network of independent Floor Fashion Center stores offers shoppers a broad range of services, including attractive shopping environments, trained sales staffs, complete product selections and guarantees for materials and installation.



TRACY ERVIN, 7, OF ST. JOHNS had a 'quail' of a good time recently when her bird, princess, flew the greatest distance (107 feet) at the Coturnix (Japanese Quail) Olympics at Michigan State University. Princess also placed third in the beauty contest, where HE dressed as a clown. ("We thought he was a girl!") Nine children from Peg Feeman's second grade class, at Perrin-Palmer elementary school, attended the olympics and competed against more than 150 other area school children. The olympics were part of Farmer's Week and Natural Resource Days at MSU and were filmed by PM Magazine.

## Tornado horn to be tested

The St. Johns Police Department reports that beginning April 7, at noon, the tornado horn will undergo a one minute test. These tests will occur on the first Saturday of every month until August.

## Foreign oil

### Kick the habit, scientist urges

America's growth as an electrically powered society is a prime opportunity to kick its dependence on foreign oil, says one of the nation's most celebrated scientists.

The switch to electricity from other, more expensive power sources is "one of the most striking changes in our pattern of energy use," says Dr. Alvin M. Weinberg. Electricity today accounts for more than 32 percent of U.S. primary energy, almost double what it was just 15 years ago.

"We should push oil out of every sector of our society except transport, where it's genuinely needed," he says. "Only then can we truly be self-sufficient in energy."

Dr. Weinberg's comments on American energy appear in the current issue of *Focus: Views on Energy*, a magazine published by Consumers Power Company. Dr. Weinberg, often called "the grandfather of nuclear energy," is director of the Institute for Energy Analysis. He was director of the Oak Ridge National Laboratory for 18 years, and is past president of the American Nuclear Society.

Replacing oil-dependent energy with electricity, says Dr. Weinberg, is a smart move that America is already making. "The price of electricity has gone up, to be sure," he says, "but not nearly as steeply as the price of oil and gas. As a consequence, electricity is pushing into many areas where it hasn't been used previously. For example, 30 percent of the steel in the United States is being made electrically today. That's far



Dr. Alvin M. Weinberg

more than ever before. It's happening in the automobile industry, too."

Where will all of this electricity come from? Coal and nuclear power are Dr. Weinberg's answers.

"I think the use of nuclear power is going to expand in a major way during the next generation," he says. "I'm convinced that the present malaise we're suffering with respect to nuclear energy will pass and we'll get back on course again. Soon."

"The fact is nuclear energy is both cleaner and safer than most other forms of energy." Already, he says, nuclear power is "a fantastic success. Just think. It's less than 50 years since fission was discovered and by 1990 it will be producing almost 10 percent of all the energy the world needs."

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# Obituaries

**Debra Jean Morelan**, 20, of 8537 West Howe Road, Eagle, passed away March 26, 1984, in Florida. She was born Feb. 28, 1964, in Lansing, to John and Betty (Pearson) Morelan. A 1982 graduate of Grand Ledge High School, she had also attended Ferris State College and Lansing Community College.

She is survived by her parents of Eagle; on brother, Duane, at home; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Morelan, Osawatomie, Kansas; maternal grandfather, Adolph Pearson, Holden, Massachusetts; and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Funeral services were held on Friday, March 30, at 1 p.m., at the DeWitt Area Chapel. The Rev. Murl Eastman, of the DeWitt Community Church, officiated.

**Pearl Stella Carpenter**, 88, of 204 Webb Road, DeWitt, passed away March 26, 1984, in East Lansing. She was born

May 9, 1895, in Fowler, to Archie S. and Rosa (Sherman) Parks. On May 4, 1952, she was married to Melvin J. Carpenter, in DeWitt.

She is survived by her husband, Melvin; one brother, Hershall Parks, DeWitt; one sister, Fern Pratt, Grand Ledge; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Thursday, March 29, at 1 p.m., at the DeWitt Area Chapel. The Rev. Floyd Hughes, of the First Baptist Church of DeWitt, officiated. Burial was in the DeWitt Cemetery.

**William J. Pioszak**, 52, of 505 E. Higham, St. Johns, died March 27, 1984, at his home. He was born May 28, 1931, in Ludington, Mich., to William Joseph and Joanne (Pasinska) Pioszak. On June 6, 1953, he married Patricia Tobin, in Alma Mich. He graduated from Central Michigan University in 1957, and later went on to receive his Masters of

Education at Michigan State University.

Mr. Pioszak was a teacher at Lansing Everett school and lived the past 26 years in St. Johns. He was a member of St. Joseph Church and an army veteran.

He is survived by his wife, Patricia; five sons, William, of St. Johns; Timothy, of East Lansing; Thomas, Jeffery and Paul, all of St. Johns. He also had three sisters, Mrs. Lorraine Massey, of Baltimore, MD; Mrs. Phyllis Cross, of Mt. Pleasant; and Mrs. Jeannette Greenwald, of Ludington;

and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the St. Joseph Catholic Church, on Thursday, March 29, at 1 p.m., with the Rev. Fr. William Hankerd officiating. A rosary was recited Wednesday, at 7 p.m., at the Osgood Funeral Home. Burial took place at Mt. Rest Cemetery.

**Herbert Wesley Osborne**, 51, of 603 N. Ottawa St., St. Johns, died March 25, 1984, at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He was born Jan. 14, 1933, in Flint, Mich., to John R. and Irene Osborne. On Feb. 5, 1955, he married

Jo Anne Stevens, in St. Johns.

Mr. Osborne was a construction worker for the Brown Brothers in Lansing and was also a veteran of the Korean War. He lived most of his life in the St. Johns area.

He is survived by his wife, Jo Anne; two sons, Jeff, of Athens, Greece; and Patrick, of Ft. Hood, Texas; one daughter, Mrs. Tamara Woods, of St. Johns; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, March 28, at 1:30 p.m., at the Osgood Funeral Home, with the Rev. Keith Laidler officiating. Burial took place at Union Home Cemetery.

**Mary Ilene Nementz**, 74, of 225 N. Franklin St., St.

Johns, died March 28, 1984, at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She was born April 6, 1909, to Jesse Kellogg and Anna Belle Richards, in Eureka, Mich.

Mrs. Nementz is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Betty Mabie, of St. Johns; and Mrs. Joan Davis, of Maple Rapids; three sons, Larry Auer, of Holt; Henry Nementz, Jr., and William Nementz, both of Maple Rapids; three sisters, Carrie Kellogg, of St. Johns; Mildred Thompson and Dorothy Parish, both of Lansing; 16 grandchildren, nine step-grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in by one son, Walter Auer, Sr., and one brother, Asa Kellogg.

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# Ovid Angel flies high for Navy

Angels are a select group. Just ask Ovid's Tim Hehrer. He's one of the hand-picked few who wear the insignia of the Navy's Blue Angels Flight Demonstration Squadron.

"I help maintain and repair electrical equipment on board the demonstration jets," says Hehrer, an aviation electrician's mate. "That includes lighting and indicating systems, navigational equipment, and flight instruments."

Hehrer, the 24 year old son of Harold and Nancy Hehrer, 865 Warren Rd., Ovid, says, "Because all six jets must be in perfect condition and ready to go for each air show, I have to stick with an electrical problem until it's fixed. That's challenging."

It is due to 38 years of maintenance excellence that the Blue Angels have never canceled a flight demonstration because of maintenance difficulties.

"Troubleshooting electrical systems in itself is challenging because you often can't see what's wrong," says Hehrer. "You have to really think to solve the puzzle—it takes a lot of brainwork."

Hehrer, a petty officer second class, says "When I was stationed at Pensacola with a training squadron, I watched the Blue Angels' maintenance people change an engine. I was impressed by the teamwork, how everybody from different shops was pitching in to get the job done. I decided I wanted to be part of that."

After applying and being accepted, Hehrer reported to the Blue Angels in November of 1983.

"I wanted to see if I could make it," he says. "They accept only the best, and the duties are varied. It sounded like it would be good experience."

In addition to their exacting maintenance duties, men like Hehrer play an important role in the public activities of the squadron. While working approximately 45 air show sites annually, they often go to hospitals, high schools, orphanages and various community relations events to talk with the public about the Navy.

This schedule of demanding duties and travel continues for more than nine months year year. The Blue Angels team moves here for two months each winter to train and prepare for next year's air show season.

"This winter, I've learned the job of



OVID SERVICEMAN KEEPS THE ANGELS FLYING: Tim Hehrer serves with the Blue Angels Flight Demonstration Squadron, home based in Pensacola, Fla. The 24 year old aviation electrician's mate second class is the son of Harold and Nancy Hehrer of Ovid.

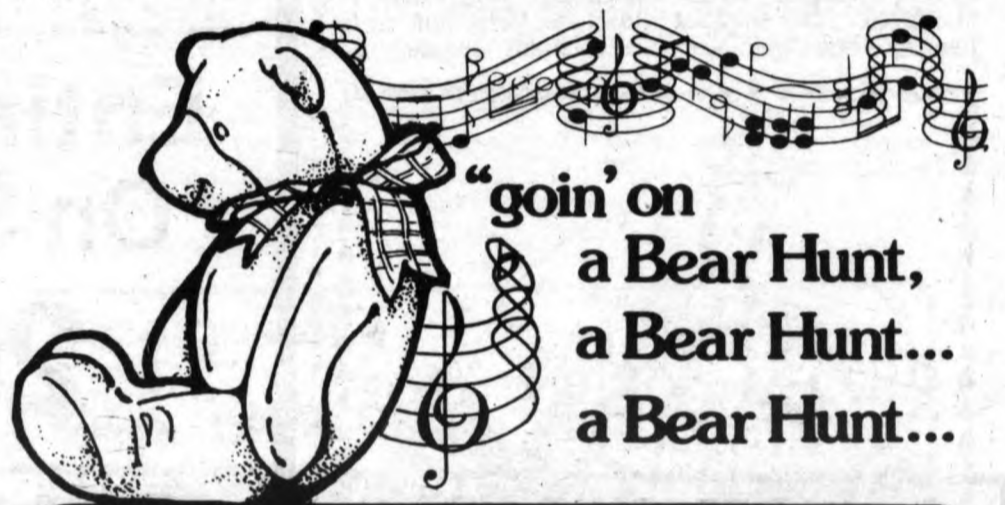
first mechanic," says Hehrer. "I help perform pre-flight inspections of the aircraft and participate in the air show launch and recovery routines, doing such things as checking flight controls, helping start the engines and pulling the chocks and landing gear pins before take off."

"This is a close-knit outfit with a lot of pride and spirit. I'm really looking forward to the air show season, meeting people and answering their question, and doing my part to keep those planes flying."

The Navy pilots of the Blue Angels have now demonstrated their aerial artistry to more than 161 million spectators.

A 1977 graduate of Ovid-Elsie High School, Hehrer joined the Navy after graduation, "for the training and the travel," he says.

After boot camp at the Great Lakes Naval Training Center north of Chicago, Hehrer received specialized training as an aviation electrician's mate at a Navy school in Memphis, Tennessee.



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# In the Service

Airman Victoria Sehlke, daughter of Darwin F. Sehlke of DeWitt, and Betty M. Garlock of Williamston, N.C., has been assigned to Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas, after completing Air Force basic training.

During the six weeks at Lackland Air Force Base, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree in applied science through the Community College of the Air Force. The airman will now receive specialized instruction in the medical services field.

She is a 1981 graduate of Ovid-Elsie High School.

Army Pfc. Byron Riebow, son of Clayton and Ruth Riebow of DeWitt, has participated in Ahuas Tar (Big Pine) II, an exercise involving U.S. and Latin American forces in Honduras.

According to Pentagon officials, the exercise tested plans and procedures for operations, command and control of joint operations with the armed forces of nations in the Caribbean basin and Central America. The exercise also demonstrated the deployment and sustainment capability of U.S. forces to unfamiliar terrain.

Big Pine II is the latest in a series of combined exercises that began in 1965.

Riebow is a medical specialist with the U.S. Army Medical Activity at Fort Benning, Ga.

He received an associate degree in 1980 from Lansing Community College.

Army National Guard Pvt. Ronald Kish, son of William Kish Jr. of Ovid, and Margot Kish of Colorado Springs, Colo., has completed basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

Marine Lance Cpl. Jerald Peters, son of James and Joyce Peters of St. Johns, has been promoted to his present rank while serving with the 3rd Marine Aircraft Wing, Marine Corps Helicopter Air Station, Tustin, Calif.

Army National Guard Pvt. Daniel Porter Sr. has completed basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

His wife, Camilla, is the daughter of Donald and Fran McCusker of DeWitt.

Airman Kenneth Sexton, son of Kenneth Sexton of Ovid, and Marge Sexton of Owosso, has completed Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base,

Texas.

The airman, who is remaining at Lackland for specialized training in the security police field, studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations.

Completion of this training earned the individual credits toward an associate degree in applied science through the Community College of the Air Force.

Marine Pvt. Bradley Mikulka, son of Johnny Mikulka of DeWitt, has completed recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

During the 11-week training cycle, he learned the basics of battlefield sur-

vival. He was introduced to the typical daily routine that he will experience during his enlistment and studied the personal and professional standards traditionally exhibited by Marines.

He participated in an active physical conditioning program and gained proficiency in a variety of military skills, including first aid, rifle marksmanship and close order drill. Teamwork and self-discipline were emphasized throughout the training cycle.

Navy Seaman Apprentice Kenneth W. Washburn, son of William Washburn of 2265 W. Parks Rd., St. Johns, is currently participating in "Team Spirit 84."

He is a crewmember aboard the U.S.S. Hector, homeported in San Francisco.

"Team Spirit 84" is an exercise involving the

military forces of the United States and the Republic of Korea. More than 210,000 people from all branches of the U.S. Armed Forces and from the Republic of Korea are participating in the month-long exercise, including 27,000 people and 26 ships from the U.S. Seventh Fleet.

During "Team Spirit", units are participating in various naval exercises. It will end with a major amphibious assault on the southeastern coast of the Republic of Korea.

Airman Joel D. Buckenmeyer, son of Harold R. and Rose M. Buckenmeyer of 8712 N. River Rd., Algonac, has completed Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.

His wife, Belinda, is the daughter of Donald J. Ott of 5596 Ann Dr., Bath.

He is a 1975 graduate of Algonac High School.

Navy Fireman Recruit Nolt J. Snyder, son of Ruth A. Schultz of 6138 W. Centerline Rd., St. Johns, recently departed on a deployment to the Mediterranean.

He is a crewmember aboard the amphibious ship USS Nassau, homeported in Norfolk, Va.

During the deployment, his ship will participate in training exercises with other Sixth Fleet units and those of allied nations.

Port calls will be made to several Mediterranean ports.

The Nassau is 820 feet long, carries a crew of 902 and can accommodate 1,703 combat equipped troops.

Marine Sgt. Gary D. Lowrie, son of Milton A. and Beulah M. Lowrie of 11620 Watson Rd., Bath, has been promoted to his present rank while serving at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Naval Air Station Memphis, Millington, Tennessee.

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## Business Report

### Iron out your wrinkles at Kiel's

By SUSAN OWENS  
Staff Writer

If you look good, you feel good, and Richard Kiel, owner of Kiel's Sunshine Center, is doing all he can to make the residents of St. Johns feel good.

Kiel opened his laundermat and dry cleaning business in the Southgate Shopping Center, a little more than a year ago. He said he originally began the profession in Owosso, but after a year of commuting there and back, decided to move his business a little closer to home.

According to Kiel, when he bought the space in the shopping center, there were only a few machines for laundry and no facilities for dry cleaning. Within a year's time, that changed. He bought the equipment he needed to have a complete dry cleaning business, as well as an adequate number of washers and dryers to facilitate his customers.

"We're trying to build up the confidence of the community," he said. "We challenge anyone to come by and check out what we do and how we do it."

The Sunshine Center also offers contract washing, a program designed to help the person on the go. Kiel explained that for a small fee, a person can drop off their laundry at the store and have it washed and dried on a regular basis.

Kiel also explained a program that nearly guarantees clothes to have the best possible treatment while being cleaned at his store. He said that if anything ever happens to be damaged while being cleaned at the Sunshine Center, he sends it to the Michigan Institute of Laundering and Dry Cleaning to be analyzed. In return, the customer received a complete breakdown of the fabric and colors, as well as the reason for the damage.

"We are very particular in what comes out of here," he said. "We'd rather see our customers inspect our work and be satisfied, than pay before its done. We're trying to serve the community."

Kiel's Sunshine Center is open from 7:30 a.m. to 10 p.m., Monday through Saturday. On Sundays, 8:30 a.m. to 9 p.m.

## Satellites for St. Johns

By SUSAN OWENS  
Staff Writer

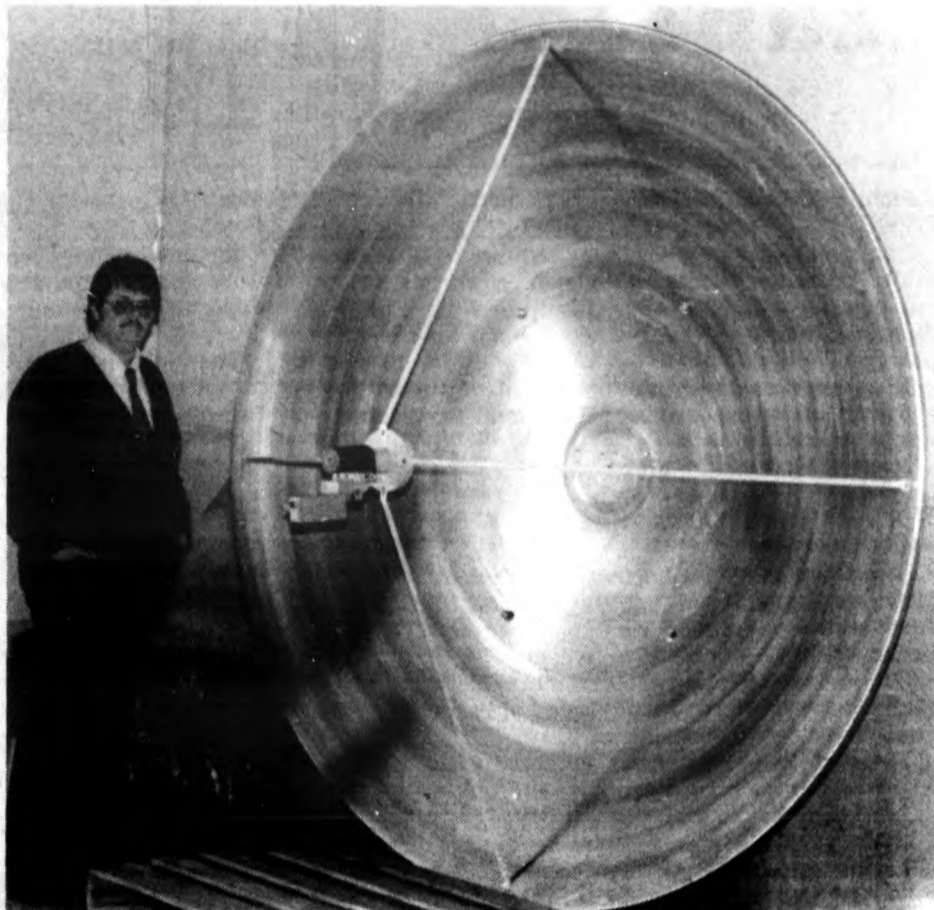
The signal is coming in loud and clear and John Gillespie is hoping the reception of his new satellite business in St. Johns is just as powerful.

Gillespie is planning the grand opening of John's Satellite Sales and Service, 2500 N. US-27, April 12 through 14, but has been open to the public since March 1. He said that before that time, he began laying the foundation for his business by making plans to establish his own service department, a division unique to most satellite organizations in the area.

"Our biggest push is that most of the other guys sell them but they don't service them," he said. "We're trying to set up a big service department. We'd rather have our customers remember they bought a good unit and was able to get it fixed, rather than a bad unit from a place that couldn't service it."

Not only that, Gillespie added, he will also make repairs on a unit not bought at his store. "It doesn't bother me, I'll service the other guys."

Gillespie said he became interested in satellites after looking for his own personal unit for his home and realizing how popular the items had become.



JOHN GILLESPIE OFFERS a full line of satellites and parts at his new store, John's Satellite Sales and Services, 2500 N. US-27. Above, he displays a popular eight foot aluminum spun satellite dish from his ever expanding stock.

"I've always wanted to be involved in what's 'in' right now," he said. "And there's no doubt about it, satellites are 'in'."

According to Gillespie, he plans to establish monthly specials in which packages are sold at costs way below retail. He also

wants to create a demonstration plan in which a satellite is set up at the home of a interested party on a trial basis.

"After two days, you'll become so attached you won't want to get rid of the unit."

Gillespie added that he is

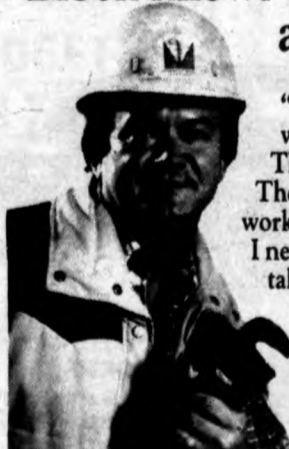
looking forward to expanding his business to include mobile telephone units that work off microwaves.

John's offers a full line of satellites and parts. He is open Monday through Saturday, 8 to 5 p.m. and evenings by appointment.



RICHARD KIEL, right, watches as brother, Bud Kiel, steams the wrinkles out at the Sunshine Center. The laundermat - dry cleaners opened in St. Johns a little more than a year ago.

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# Memory Lane...

By RUTH DELO

Republican News dated February 16, 1950  
WINNERS: CENTRAL STATE BOWLING

Lundy Motor Sales bowling team won the Central State Tournament Booster division crown this winter. The boys hit a fine 2852 score to cop first place in their division. This gave them a trophy and \$150 in prize money.

The team consists of Captain Harold Whittaker, John Kurnez, C.F. Bensinger, Mike Hatta and Larry Kuhns.

Republican News dated March 2, 1950  
JEAN HAMMOND BECOMES BRIDE OF FRED C. GREEN

At a candlelight ceremony in the First United Methodist Church on Wednesday evening, Feb. 22, Miss Jean Marie Hammond became the bride of Fred C. Green, of near DeWitt.

The vows were read by Rev. Emeral E. Price, pastor of the church, before a background of baskets of white gladioli and dark red carnations.

The new Mrs. Green is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hammond of St. Johns and the bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Green of near DeWitt.

Miss Charlene Hammond was her sisters only attendant. Richard Brock assisted the bridegroom as best man, while Robert Parker and Jack Hart were ushers.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in Niles Hall with about 125 relatives and friends present.

After a trip through southern Michigan, the couple will be at home to their friends at the Green farm near DeWitt.

Both the bride and bridegroom graduated from Rodney B. Wilson High School in 1949 and she is employed as secretary to Attorney Charles Austin. Mr. Green assists his father on the farm.

Here are some prices of groceries from the Clinton County Republican News dated October 27, 1960

- Chicken of the Sea tuna fish-4 cans for \$1.00
- Coffee, 2 lb. can-\$1.29
- Potato chips, large bag-49 cents
- Cooking onions, 3 lb. bag-9 cents
- Hawaiian Punch, 46 oz. can-3 cans for \$1.00
- Margarine, 1 lb. carton-6 for 99 cents
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I am sure that many of you used to read "ASK AMY" in the Republican News. This was dated Nov. 17, 1960. It seems the problems they had then were about like we have in the 80's.

Dear Amy:

I'm 26 years old and have three children, own my own home, car, furniture, etc. I was divorced five years ago. I met a young man, 25 years old, and as bad as it may seem, I fell in love with him and have been living with him for the past two years. He has been married before and divorced. Everybody thinks we are husband and wife. We started out three times to get married. We had blood tests and the license, but never quite made it to the preacher.

He never buys me anything, but we have plenty to eat. Do you think he is doing me wrong? I am almost crazy with worrying. I know I should quit him, but Amy, I love him so much. Please advise me and I will be forever in your debt.  
Mrs. O.H.

Dear Mrs. O.H.:

Why don't you make it to the preacher? If he wanted to make an honest woman of you, he'd quit stalling. If he detours on the fourth try, let him get lost.

BOARD FILLS FIVE VACANCIES  
More Pay Raises Granted Friday  
October 20, 1960

Incumbent members of three county commissions were re-appointed at Friday's session of the Board of Supervisors here and pay raises were granted to them all.

The supervisors also voted to increase their own daily paychecks for board and committee sessions from \$15 to \$20.

The three county road commissioners will draw the equivalent of \$1,000 per year in salary and travel allowance beginning Nov. 1. This is an increase from their previous \$600 annually.

Welfare commissioners will be raised from \$8 to \$10 for their half-day sessions and members of the County Board of Canvassers will get \$20 daily for their work.

The five incumbents re-appointed to county commissions are: George Libey, Duplain, County Road Commission, for a six year term; C.S. Langdon, Lebanon, County Welfare Board, for a three year term; and Rudolph Mohnke, Bengal, Mrs. Otto Wakefield, St. Johns, Ronald Zeeb, DeWitt, to the County Board of Canvassers, for two year terms.

## In the Service

Army Pvt. Christopher R. Moore, son of James A. and Betty Moore of 105 S. Swegles, St. Johns, has completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S.C.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.  
He is a 1982 graduate of St. Johns High School.

Navy Seaman John W. Peters, son of Laurence H. and Mary A. Peters of 8302 Carland Rd., Elsie, recently departed on a deployment to the Mediterranean.

He is a crewmember aboard the amphibious assault ship USS Nassau, homeported in Norfolk, Va.

During the deployment, his ship will participate in training exercises with other Sixth Fleet units and those of allied nations.

Port calls will be made to several Mediterranean

ports.

The Nassau is 820 feet long, carries a crew of 902 and accommodate 1,703 combat equipped troops.

Marine Cpl. Robin K. Churchill, daughter of Richard L. Churchill of 2111 Marquette St., Lansing, and Betty M. Churchill of 13858 Ducharme Dr.,

## MICHIGAN FESTIVALS SCHEDULE

APRIL		MAY (Continued)	
15	Maple Sugar Fest, Port Huron	12	Morel Mushroom Festival, Lewiston
20-29	Perch Festival, Caseville	16-19	Tulip Festival, Holland
27-29	Maple Syrup Festival, Vermontville	18-20	Arts Festival, Southfield
27-29	Maple Syrup Festival, Shepherd	18-20	Arab World Festival, Hart Plaza, Detroit
27-29	National Trout Festival, Kalkaska	19	Michigan Week Kickoff Celebration, Sturgis
27-29	Fine Foods Festival, Hart Plaza, Detroit	19	Mayfair, Bronson Park, Kalamazoo
27-29	Italian-American Festival, Wyandotte	25-27	Mexican Festival, Wyandotte
29-May 5	Blossomtime Festival, Benton Harbor, St. Joseph	25-27	Highland Festival and Games, Alma
4-6	Slovak Festival, Hart Plaza, Detroit	25-28	Greek Festival, Hart Plaza, Detroit
4-6	Greek Festival, Wyandotte	26-27	Cascades '84, Jackson
5	Mushroom Festival, Harrison	26-27	Pioneer Village Festival, Lella
5-6	Strawberry Festival, Hamtramck	26-27	Arboretum, Battle Creek
7-13	Mushroom Festival, Mesick	26-27	The Feast of the Ste. Claire, Pine Grove Park, Port Huron
11-13	Historic Festival and Art Show, South Haven	26-28	Fort Michilimackinac Pageant, Mackinaw City
11-13	Hoedown, Hart Plaza, Detroit	27-28	Heritage Festival, Rochester

DeWitt, has reported for duty with the 1st. Marine Aircraft Wing, Marine Corps Air Station, Futenma, on Okinawa.

Capt. Richard Hawkins, son of John and Grace Hawkins of 13828 Hamersley, Bath, is a member of the U.S. Army Shooting Team that won the 1984 national indoor ri-

fle team championships held at Fort Benning, Ga.

Hawkins is presently assigned to the U.S. Army Marksmanship Unit at Fort Benning as a marksmanship instructor.

His wife, Melissa is the daughter of William G. and Linda Frick of Temple, Texas.

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- '80 Plymouth Horizon 3-door 4 cylinder, auto., air, stereo
- '79 Chevy Impala Wagon V-8, auto, A/C, t-glass, luggage rack, lt. blue
- '78 Thunderbird V-8, auto, PS&PB, air conditioning, AM radio, blue
- '78 Ford Fiesta 4 cylinder, 4 speed, radio, 54,000 miles

- '77 Dodge Aspen Station Wagon 6 cylinder, auto, PS & PB, AM radio
- '77 Ford LTD 4-door, V-8, auto., PS & PB, dark brown
- '80 Ford F-150 Pickup 6 cylinder, std. w/overdrive, PS & PB, stereo, w/cassette
- '79 Ford F-150 Pickup 6 cylinder, auto, PS & PB, dark blue
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Produce Manager Bill Dershem of Beck's Farm Market, north of St. Johns, points to a five gallon jug of jelly beans which involves some tricky guesswork for St. Johns area shoppers. Some lucky winner will win this gigantic jug of goodies by guessing the closest to actual jelly bean count in the jug. The contest begins today and ends at the close of the business day, Friday, April 20. Beck's will be selling over two tons of jelly beans during the Easter season. Registration forms may be picked up at the market and placed in the drawing box for winner determination later. No purchase is necessary to enter the contest. Photo by Harold Schmaltz, CCN.

### Contestants sought in pageant

Contestants are being sought to represent St. Johns and surrounding communities in the official Michigan state preliminary of the U.S.A. Teen Miss Scholarship Pageant to be held in the grand ballroom of the Hilton Inn in Lansing on Sunday, May 20.

To qualify as a contestant, the teen miss must be between the ages of 13 and 18 (inclusive) as of the July 4th. national finals, a U.S. citizen and of a charismatic (leadership quality) personality.

The accepted area teen misses will compete with other area finalists in communications, evening gown and interview competitions for the state title and crown of Michigan Teen Miss, plus a \$1,000 cash

scholarship award. Each of the ten semi-finalists will receive a self-study modeling course.

Applications may be obtained by sending a self-addressed, stamped envelope to: Michigan Teen Miss Applications, 31 Mill Plain Rd., Danbury, Conn. 06810, or by calling the National Headquarters at (203) 748-6682.

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### Farm Market winners announced

Ben Beck, owner of Beck's Farm Market, has recently announced the winners of the 26 bags of groceries and gifts drawing held during his 26th anniversary sale.

Grocery winners are: Joan Hollabaugh, North Star; Betty Boag, Bannister; Harold Stelter, Eureka; Cathy Pattengill, St. Johns; Cecil Pugh, Elsie; Bertha M. Deuereaux, Fowler; Bea Goodrich, St. Johns; Rex Coleman, Perrinton; Wilman Andrew, Ithaca; Robert Kridner, Elsie; Dorothy Matinka, Ashley; Anna Minarik, Elsie; Goldie Erickson, Pompeii; Mrs. H.C. Anderson, Bannister; Kay Deupree, Eureka.

R.G. Plowman, St. Johns; Frances Donald, Perrinton; Richard Moore, Bannister; Luella Palmer, Ashley; Julia Bish, Ithaca; Josephine Kridner, Elsie; Irene Drake, Middleton; Martha Miller, Ashley; Hazel Grinnell, Ovid; Laura DeMott, Middleton; and Hazel Wilson, Elsie.

The 10 gift winners were: Keith Conklin, Elsie, A and W jacket; Thomas F. Weber, Pewamo, A and W jacket; Bunny Fowler,

Perrinton, video game; Janice Brush, St. Johns, mug tree with four cups; Sophie Exelby, St. Johns, Hurricane Lamp; Audrey Bilez, Fowler, seven quart Thermos cooler; Wanda Lockwood, Eureka, Wilson soccer ball; Frank Liberton, Bannister, Wilson basketball; Wilma Moore, Maple Rapids, quartz watch; and Ruth Smith, Ashley, a quartz watch.

### Births

A boy, Tony Earl, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Tony Wisger of 125 N. Main St., Ovid, on March 24 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 8 1/2 lbs.

Grandparents are Herman and Janet Wisger and Bonnie LaClair. The mother is the former Patty Casteel.

Mr. and Mrs. David E. McCain of 701 E. Willard Ave., Lansing, are happy to announce the birth of their daughter, Kristine Marie was born March 24 at Sparrow Hospital in Lansing.

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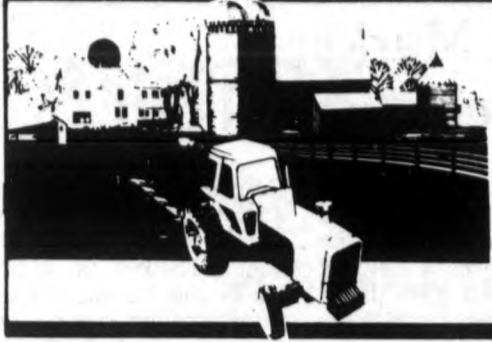
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# Farm News

## ARC land must be protected

Peter LoDico, County Executive Director of the ASCS office reminds farmers who are participating in 1984 acreage reduction programs for wheat, feed grain that their diverted acres must be protected from wind and water erosion.

The acreage removed from production is referred to as acreage conservation reserve (ACR) acres to emphasize the conservation aspects of the 1984 programs. "We encourage farmers to place their more erosive land in the ACR," LoDico said.

The rules for determining what land will be eligible for the ACR have been discussed with program participants. The basic requirement for 1984 is that the land must have been cropped in two of the past three years.

"This is intended to assure that the land is productive and would have been in production this year if the farmer were not participating in the program. The idled acres may not be harvested, and grazing is not permitted April 1st through September 30th. The land must be devoted to approved conservation uses sufficient to protect it from soil erosion. Insects, weeds and rodents also must be controlled."

To protect the diverted acres from soil and water erosion, farmers may devote it to a permanent vegetative cover or practice such as trees, sod waterways, filter strips and windbreaks. If the cover or conservation practices are maintained, the land will be eligible for ACR acres through 1985.

Other approved conser-

vation uses include annual, biennial or perennial grasses and legumes, volunteer stands other than weeds, small grains and crop residue from use of no till or minimum till practices. Additional cover or plantings, particularly those benefiting wildlife, also may be developed, as long as the practice meets the erosion control standards approved by SCS.

Program participants are required to establish conservation practices on cropland taken out of production as soon as possible after the normal planting period for spring crops.

Those who fail to maintain the acreage will be out of compliance and could lose program benefits.

## Staff liason to visit courthouse

Congressman Don Albosta has announced that his Congressional Staff Liason will be visiting the Clinton County Courthouse in St. Johns on April 10 at 9:30 a.m.

Albosta said the staff liason is coming to this area to assist persons who have problems with the Federal Government, and to give everyone an opportunity to discuss issues

of importance.

Albosta advised that constituents should bring all the pertinent information or documents relating to their cases with them.

Those who find they cannot make it at the scheduled time can write Albosta's district office, 419 South Saginaw Rd., Midland, Michigan 48640, or call 517-839-0790.

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By inserting a very small telescopic camera during surgery, the affected area is monitored on a screen. The surgeon then skillfully manipulates specialized instruments inserted through small punctures in the skin.

For the patients — some with ligament or cartilage injuries, some with arthritis, some with joint damage — it most often means a short stay, a fast recovery and minimal physical trauma. Small punctures replace the need for 6-inch incisions and surgical accuracy is enhanced by the large visual display.

The general trend for a shorter hospital stay is due, in large part, to more sophisticated surgical techniques such as these, and important advancements in high tech support systems.

Arthroscopy is just one of the specialized services available to Lansing General Hospital patients.

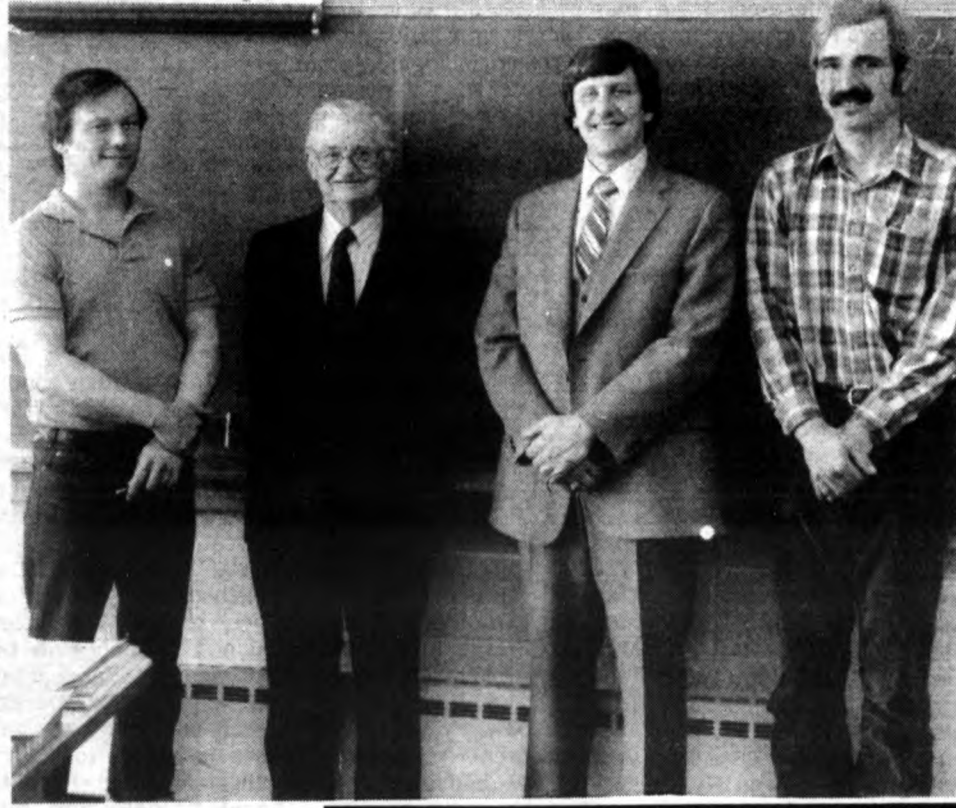
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## Children recreate Fowler history

AT LEFT, MATT SIMON, TIM ANDROS AND JASON GEORGE helped to recreate the history of Fowler by dressing up in cowhide vests and cowboy hats at Friday morning's breakfast. Left corner, Kristin Nobach, Jennifer Schmitt and Kara Hafner, were among the thirty students to participate in the pancake breakfast at the Most Holy Trinity School in Fowler. Fowler history week included several guest speakers that shared what they knew personally about the town. Below, from left to right, Tom Nobach, past-superintendent Marion Piggott, current superintendent Jim Andros and Ken Hungerford share their tales with the children.



## Children learn Fowler history

By SUSAN OWENS  
Staff Writer

On Friday, more than 30 fourth grade students at Most Holy Trinity Church took a trip through time and visited what life may have been like for the early Fowler settlers.

Doning their floor length dresses, old time bonnets and cowhide vests, the children began the morning with a hearty breakfast of pancakes, scrambled eggs, toast and orange juice. Although the meal wasn't prepared over an

old fashioned stove, the atmosphere had to have been similar enough to provide the children with some idea of the way life may have been.

According to teacher Alice Erlandson, the breakfast was one of the final events to have happened during Fowler history week. Beginning on Monday, students were treated to a number of speakers who shared with them what life had been like for them while growing up in Fowler.

On Tuesday, the current superintendent of Fowler schools, James Andros, past superintendent Marion Piggott, Jaycee Ken Hungerford and Tom Nobach, each shared with the children some of the facts - and stories - they were familiar with.

Erlandson said the idea to invite the speakers into the classroom came when she realized how much more knowledge members of the community could

pass on to the students rather than relying on books and her limited experience.

"Since adults in the community know more about it than I do, we thought we'd have them come in," she said. "The children's response has been very good."

Fowler History Week was developed by the administration in conjunction with Michigan History Week.

## Area insurance honored

Allaby and Brewbaker, Inc., in St. Johns, was presented an Outstanding Performance Award by the Citizens Insurance Company of America at its 1984 Agency Regional Meeting held Thursday, March 22, at Bosley's in Flint.

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ed with Citizens include homeowners, automobile, businessowners and workers' compensation policies. Allaby and Brewbaker have represented Citizens since 1970.

Citizens Insurance Company of America, in Howell, is represented by over 550 independent agents throughout the state and is the second largest writer of insurance through independent agents in the state. Local claims service is provided by Citizens' ten Branch Claims Offices in the state.

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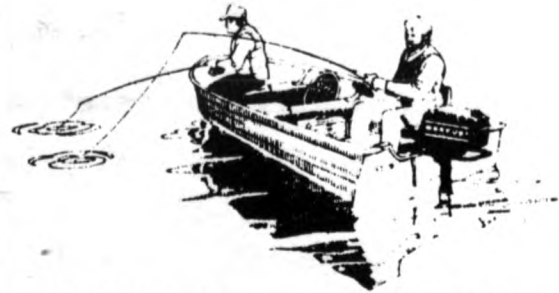
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## O-E School Board discusses walkway

The meeting was called to order on March 5, at 8:05 p.m., in the E.E. Knight Elementary School building by President Larry Martin with the following members present: Waneta Byrnes, Renae Fatura, Merle Green, Larry Martin, Louis Terpstra and Edward Thornton. Jack Schwark was absent.

The meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

The Board of Education then met the E.E. Knight staff for an informal discussion.

The Board discussed

desired plans for construction of an enclosed walkway between the north and south buildings of E. E. Knight with the P.T.G. members present. Efforts will be made to construct the walkway this summer at a cost of less than \$20,000, with the P.T.G. raising half the funding for the project.

A tour of E.E. Knight was conducted by Principal Larry Nicholas and the Board of Education.

Motion was made by Thornton, supported by Fatura, to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the Board of Education meeting of February 20

and approve them as printed. The motion was carried unanimously.

The schedule of general fund bills payable was reviewed and discussed.

Motion by Byrnes, supported by Fatura, to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the Board of Education meeting of February 24 and approve them as printed. The motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Thornton, supported by Byrnes, to approve payment of general fund bills represented by check number 6949 in the amount of \$208,813.89. A roll call vote was taken. All yes. No nays. The motion

was carried unanimously.

Motion by Byrnes, supported by Terpstra, to approve payment of general fund bills represented by checks numbered 6950 through 6957 in the amount of \$189,703.14. A roll call vote was taken. All yes. No nays. The motion was carried unanimously.

Elsie Chief of Police, Al Goodrich, discussed a concern for safety patrol crossings and his plans to

put on a program for elementary youngsters at E.E. Knight on dealing with strangers.

Mr. Porrell informed the Board that the state aid loan of \$594,000 has been paid with interest. The state had given approval to borrow \$650,000.

Motion by Terpstra, supported by Byrnes, to appoint Bonnie Ehlert to serve on the Clinton County

Intermediate School District Special Education Parent Advisory Committee. The motion was carried unanimously.

Mr. Porrell informed the board of recent vandalism and the break-in at the high school.

Motion by Thornton, supported by Fatura, to adjourn the meeting at 11:10 p.m. The motion carried unanimously.



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Behrens

## Behrens celebrate Golden Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Behrens, of 9587 Kinley Road, Ovid, will be celebrating their Golden Wedding Anniversary on April 8.

Marriage vows were exchanged by Robert Behrens and Arlene Hunt on April 10, 1934, in St. Johns. Attendants were Alice (Arnes) Heibek, cousin of Mrs. Behrens, and the late Lloyd Harris, of St. Johns.

Bob was a farmer and also worked at Motor Wheel for 24 years before retiring in 1974. Arlene is a homemaker. They have lived most of their married life in the Ovid and St. Johns area.

Their children are Stanley and Nancy Behrens, Raymond and Marge Behrens, Roger and Linda Lou Behrens, and Douglas and Linda Kay Behrens. They have 10 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

On Sunday, April 8, the Behrens will be guests at an Open House at the Holy Family Catholic Church, at 510 Mabbit Road, Ovid, from 2 to 6 p.m. The Open House will be hosted by their children and grandchildren.

Relatives, friends and neighbors are invited to help celebrate their anniversary. No gifts please.

## Schools outline process

It is the practice of Ovid-Elsie Area Schools, and other school systems in Clinton and Shiawassee Counties, to dismiss children from school immediately if we receive notification from the National Weather Bureau that a tornado watch is in effect for this area.

A tornado watch indicates that weather conditions are such that a tornado could develop.

Ovid-Elsie students will be dismissed from school if such a tornado watch notification is received prior to 2:00 p.m., during the school day. If a watch notice is received after 2:00 p.m., school will be dismissed at the regular time as it takes approximately one hour to get our buses ready to take youngsters home. Parents should prepare for this eventuality by letting their children know where they should go upon being dismissed.

As opposed to a watch, should a tornado warning be received during the day, indicating a tornado has been sighted in the area, youngsters and staff will immediately go to their assigned drill positions at the school.

## Elsie students named winners

Three students from Elsie Junior High School have been named local winners in the 15th. annual America and Me Essay Contest, sponsored by Farm Bureau Insurance Group.

The three who earned the first, second and third place awards for their school, are Theresa Horak, first; Treasa Evans, second; and Tracie Pohl, third.

All three received award certificates for their achievement. As the school's first place winner, Theresa's name will also be engraved on a plaque for permanent display in the school.

Theresa's first place essay now advances to the state level competition, from which the top ten essays in Michigan will be selected.

The top ten statewide winners, who will be announced in March, will receive plaques and U.S. savings bonds ranging in value from \$200 to \$1,000, totaling \$4,000 in prizes for the top ten essayists. In addition, the top ten winners will be honored at a banquet in Lansing and a meeting with Michigan's top governmental leaders.

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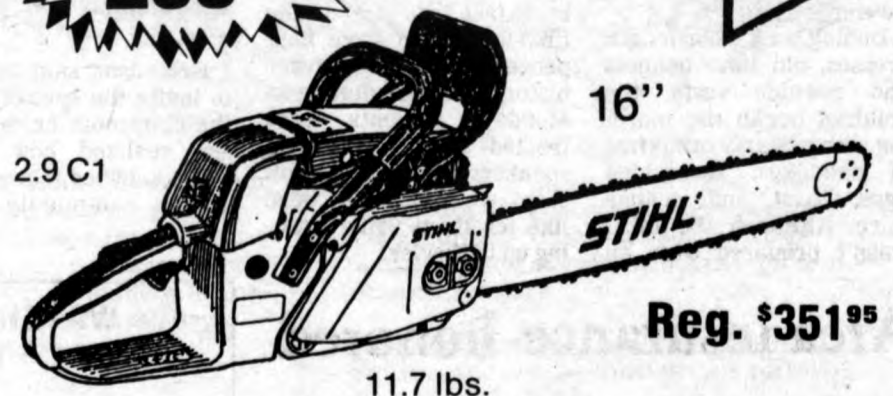
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# Smelt dipping time for enthusiasts

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The silvery fish which averages 8 inches long and 2 ounces in weight is considered one of the Great Lakes' best tasting species, whether broiled, pan fried or deep fried in batter.

Sixty Great Lakes smelt hot spots, including Canada's Point Pelee National Park and the Wheatley area southwest of Detroit, are listed on the Auto Club's 1984 Smelt Guide.

Most Auto Club fishing contacts expect this season's run to be as good as last year, which was rated average.

As usual, Lake Huron beaches and tributaries

should be the sites of the state's best runs. Since many lakeshore beaches are private, anglers should check whether permission is required before donning waders.

Peak runs are expected April 10-25 in Lower Michigan. Due to cooler water temperatures, Upper Peninsula smelt runs off Lake Superior and its tributaries should peak April 17-30.

Best smelt runs usually occur between 10:00 p.m. and 1:00 a.m. in water temperatures of 40 to 50 degrees. Runs occasionally occur during daylight hours.

Officials at Point Pelee have set extended hours for smelt dippers at the park from April 13-29. During those days, the park will be open until 2:00 a.m., but anglers must be in the park by 10:00 p.m. Park

gates will close before 10:00 p.m. when the parking lot is filled.

The Department of Natural Resources allows

smelt dippers to use hand nets up to one-half mile upstream from any river mouth from March 1 to May 31 south of highway

M-72 and from April 10 to May 31 north of M-72. Large dip nets up to 9 feet square are allowed by permit only on some streams.

Additional regulations are noted in the DNR's 1984 Michigan Fishing Guide, available where fishing licenses are sold.

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### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The City of DeWitt Planning Commission will be holding a Public Hearing on April 5, 1984 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers at City Hall at 414 E. Main St., DeWitt, MI. The hearing is being held concerning a Site Plan Review of the proposed clubhouse for Prairie Creek Golf Course. All interested parties should attend this meeting so their views may be heard.

224-068

4-3-84

### COMMISSION ORDER

No. CFI-103.82

(Under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended)

#### GEAR RESTRICTIONS FOR STREAM FISHING DURING SALMON AND STEELHEAD RUNS

The Natural Resources Commission, at its July 11, 1980, meeting, under the authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, approved the following gear restriction for a period of five years beginning October 1, 1980:

Double or treble pointed hooks exceeding 3/8 inch between point and shank and single pointed hooks exceeding 1/2 inch between point and shank may not be used on any stream except St. Mary's, St. Clair, and Detroit rivers before May 15 or after August 31 of each year.

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# 1984's Best Places for Smelt Dipping

## CANADA

**ONTARIO—1. Pointe Pelee:** 45 mi. S.E. of Detroit via Hwy. 3. Dip along both shorelines. Park hours are 6 a.m. to 2 a.m. during smelt season, April 13-29. Ontario \$6.25 smelt license required for non-residents. **2. In Wheatley:** At end of Camper's Cove Road. Dip along shoreline. Much of the land is private, permission to fish may be needed.

## LOWER PENINSULA

**ST. CLAIR COUNTY—3. St. Clair River:** In Port Huron at foot of Blue Water Bridge, Sears Dock and Pine Grove Park; at St. Clair north of Pine River mouth; at Marine City and at Algonac south of M-29. Long-handled nets needed in most areas because of deep water and strong current.

**SANILAC COUNTY—4. Lexington Harbor:** At Lexington. Dip from piers and along shoreline. **5. Port Sanilac Harbor:** At Port Sanilac. Dip from pier and along shoreline. **6. Bridgehampton River:** At Forester along M-25. Dip from mouth to hwy. **7. Cherry Creek:** At Sanilac County Park 1 mi. N. of Forester. Dip in park near creek mouth. **8. Elk Creek:** At Sanilac State Park 2 mi. S. of Forestville along M-25. Dip from mouth to hwy. and along shoreline. **9. Mill Creek:** At Forestville along M-25. Dip from mouth to hwy.

**HURON COUNTY—10. Sucker Creek:** 1.5 mi. N. of White Rock. Dip at mouth. **11. Elm Creek:** 2.5 mi. N. of White Rock. Dip at mouth. **12. Ocka Creek:** 1.5 mi. S. of Port Hope along M-25. Dip from mouth to hwy. **13. Willow Creek:** At Huron City along M-25. Dip at M-25 bridge. Land near mouth is private, permission to dip required. **14. New River:** 1.5 mi. N. of Huron City along M-25. Dip at hwy. bridge. Land near mouth is private, permission to fish there required. **15. Grindstone City Harbor:** At Grindstone City. Dip along shore and from pier. **16. Pinnebog River:** At Port Crescent State Park. Dip at river mouth.

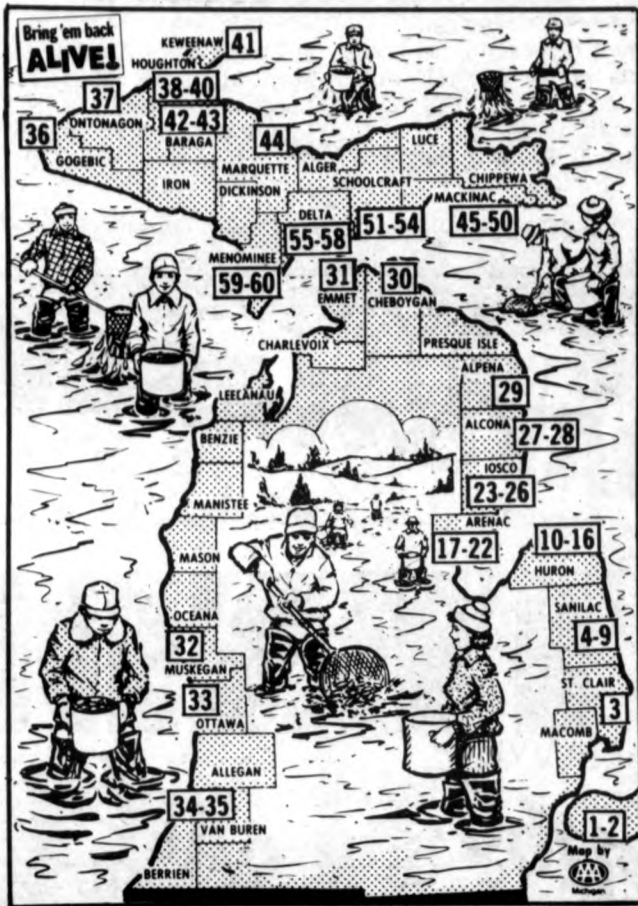
**ARENAC COUNTY—17. Au Gres River:** At Au Gres along U.S. 23. Dip along shore near mouth. Long-handled nets needed off breakwall. **18. Schnittzelbank Creek:** On S. side of Point Lookout north of Au Gres. Dip at mouth. **19. Lake Huron:** Near Bear Track Inn, approx. 8 mi. N. of Au Gres. Dip along shoreline. **20. Angelo's Creek:** Between Bessinger and Hammell Beach roads. Dip at mouth. **21. White Stone Point:** Dip along shore near water plant. **22. Whitney Drain:** At "Singing Bridge" 9 mi. S. of Tawas City along U.S. 23. Dip in lake off mouth and in river.

**IOSCO COUNTY—23. Tawas River:** At Tawas City along U.S. 23. Dip along shore, along breakwall just north of river mouth and at mouth. **24. Tawas City Park:** At Tawas City. Use long-handled dip nets off dock for best results, or dip along shoreline. **25. Dead Au Sable River:** 2 mi. S. of Oscoda along U.S. 23. Dip at hwy. Land near mouth is private, permission to fish there may be needed. **26. Au Sable River:** At Oscoda. Dip on breakwalls with long-handled nets and along shore of river for 1/2 mi. upstream.

**ALCONA COUNTY—27. Harrisville Harbor:** At Harrisville. Dip in harbor, especially near Mill Creek mouth. **28. Black River:** In Black River, at Black River Rd. and Lakeshore Dr., 2 mi. E. of U.S. 23. Dip at mouth and along shoreline.

**ALPENA COUNTY—29. Thunder Bay River:** In Alpena. Dip at 9th Street Dam. Long-handled nets helpful as water is too deep to wade.

**CHEBOYGAN COUNTY—30. Mill Creek:** 4 mi. E. of Mackinaw City along



U.S. 23. Dip in creek mouth and along shore.

**EMMET COUNTY—31. Carp Lake River:** At Cecil Bay Corners 5 mi. W. of Mackinaw City along Wilderness Park Rd. Dip at hwy. and mouth. Land is public, good fishing access.

**MUSKEGON COUNTY—32. Duck Lake Outlet:** 5 mi. N. of Muskegon State Park along Scenic Dr. Dip from hwy. to mouth, along shore and off the piers of Muskegon and White lakes.

**OTTAWA COUNTY—33. Pigeon Lake outlet:** At Port Sheldon. Dip along shoreline. Water in outlet proper is generally too deep for wading. Also dip off piers at Grand Haven and Holland.

**VAN BUREN COUNTY—34. Deer Lick Creek:** 3 mi. S. of South Haven at end of 13th Street off old U.S. 31 (Blue Star Highway). Dip at mouth and along shoreline. **35. Brandywine Creek:** 5 mi. S. of South Haven off 29th Ave. and 77th St. Dip at mouth and along shore.

## UPPER PENINSULA

**GOGEBIC COUNTY—36. Montreal River:** 17 mi. N.W. of Ironwood via U.S. 2 and County Rd. 505. Dip at Legion Park along C.R. 505 or at river mouth.

**ONTONAGON COUNTY—37. Union River:** 2.5 mi. W. of Silver City along M-107. Dip from hwy. to mouth and along nearby shoreline.

**HOUGHTON COUNTY—38. Schlotz Creek:** At Oskar, on Portage Ship Canal. Dip from hwy. to mouth. **39. Swedetown Creek:** 1.5 mi. W. of Hancock on Portage Canal along M-203. Dip from hwy. to mouth. **40. Pike River:** At Chassell along U.S. 41. Dip from hwy. to mouth.

**KEWEENAW COUNTY—41. Fanny**

**Hooe Creek:** At Fort Wilkins State Park E. of Copper Harbor. Dip from outlet to mouth.

**BARAGA COUNTY—42. Falls River:** In L'Anse along U.S. 41. Dip at mouth. **43. Silver River:** 10 mi. N.E. of L'Anse on Huron Bay. Dip from hwy. to mouth.

**MARQUETTE COUNTY—44. Dead River:** In Marquette south of Presque Isle Park. Dip to bridge.

**MACKINAC COUNTY—45. Nunns Creek:** 10 mi. W. of Cedarville along M-134. Dip from hwy. to mouth only. **46. Carp River:** 12 mi. N.E. of St. Ignace along Mackinac Trail. Dip at mouth. **47. Cut River:** 2 mi. E. of Epoufette along U.S. 2. Walk down to river, dip at mouth. **48. Paquin Creek:** 3 mi. W. of Epoufette along U.S. 2. Walk in, dip at mouth. **49. Black River:** 6 mi. E. of Naubinway along U.S. 2. Dip from hwy. to mouth. **50. Millequin River:** 1 mi. W. of Naubinway. Dip within hwy. right-of-way. Use long-handled nets.

**SCHOOLCRAFT COUNTY—51. Manistique River:** At Manistique. Dip near mouth. Long-handled nets helpful. **52. Thompson Creek:** At Thompson along U.S. 2. Dip at mouth and along shoreline. **53. South Town Creek:** 1 mi. S. of Manistique. **54. Marblehead Creek:** 6 mi. E. of Manistique from the County Road bridge to the mouth.

**DELTA COUNTY—55. Tacoosh River:** In Rapid River along U.S. 2. Dip from hwy. to mouth. **56. Days River:** 2 mi. N. of Kipling along Old U.S. 2. Dip from hwy. to mouth. **57. Escanaba River:** 3 mi. N. of Escanaba along U.S. 2. Dip from dam to mouth. **58. Ford River:** At Ford River along M-35. Dip from hwy. to mouth.

**MENOMINEE COUNTY—59. Cedar River:** At M-35. Dip near mouth of Elwood Creek near M-35 bridge. **60. Menominee River:** At Menominee. Dip at Hattie St. bridge.

# Michigan Teacher's Day

## April 13, 1984

The State of Michigan has declared April 13 Michigan Teachers Day. The St. Johns School Board will be recognizing its professional staff at its regular Board Meeting on Wednesday, April 11. There will be many activities taking place in the various school buildings during the week. Students will be decorating the buildings and participating in honoring teachers throughout the system during the week of April 9. Other activities will include coffees, passing out buttons, certificates of appreciation and special activities planned by the administrators. We are encouraging parents to recognize and show appreciation for our teachers by phoning a special teacher, visiting the school building, or using this tear-off form (below) to send a message.

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# Telephone survey for Fulton

The Fulton Schools in cooperation with the Michigan Department of Education will be conducting their "Third Annual Community Survey".

This years survey will be a telephone survey conducted the weeks of April 9 and April 16. A random sample of residents in the school district will be contacted during these two weeks.

The survey will ask

several questions regarding the operation and future of Fulton Schools, as well as several questions which have been asked by the Michigan Department of Education in similar surveys around the state.

When the survey is completed, school officials will have an accurate opinion survey of the residents in its district and will also be able to compare their responses on statewide

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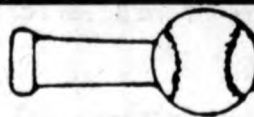
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**MINOR LEAGUE** - Ages 8 - 9 - 10 (Cut-Off Date Aug. 1st)

Try-Outs and Draft - Thursday April 19th - 6 P.M. at Rodney B. Wilson Jr. High School Gym - Bring Glove, Date of Birth and Phone Number. Games will be played Monday nights at Bee's Fields - Season starts May 21 - Ends last week of July. Questions: Call Bob Mitchell 224-3118.

**LITTLE LEAGUE** - Ages 11 - 12 - 13 (Cut-Off Date Aug. 1st)

Try-Outs and Draft - Wednesday April 18th - 6 P.M. at Rodney B. Wilson Jr. High School Gym - Bring Glove, Date of Birth and Phone Number. Games will be played on Tuesday and Thursday at Bee's Fields - Season starts May 22 - Ends last week of July. Questions: Call Chuck Heyer 224-3281 or 224-4290.

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224-069

4-3-84

**CLINTON COUNTY  
DEPARTMENT OF  
DEVELOPMENT CONTROL**

**NOTICE OF BIDS**

Notice is hereby given that the County of Clinton is requesting bids for the purpose of a vehicle for the Department of Development Control. Bids will be received until 12:00 Noon on Friday, April 20, 1984 in the office of the county administrator located in the Clinton County Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan.

The bids shall be sealed and bear the name of the bidder on the outside of the envelope and be plainly marked "Department of Development Control Inspection Vehicle Bid". The bids will be publicly opened and read at this time and referred to the County Board of Commissioners for disposition at their regular meeting on Tuesday, April 24, 1984 in the County Commissioner's Room, St. Johns, MI.

The County of Clinton reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any defects in the bids or bidding in the best interest of the County of Clinton and to accept the proposal, which in the opinion of the County Commissioners, best serves the interest and needs of the County of Clinton.

Bid specifications may be obtained at the Department of Development Control, 1003 S. Oakland Street, St. Johns, MI. between the hours of 8:00 - 12 Noon and 1:00 - 5:00 P.M. Monday through Friday.

**J. Anthony Nelson, Director  
Department of Development Control**

224-066

4-3-84

**Business Report**

C.B. Financial Corporation of Jackson declared a quarterly cash dividend of 50 cents per share at the regular meeting of the board held March 20.

The dividend is payable

on each of the \$7.50 par value common capital shares outstanding to holders of record March 30, 1984. The distribution will be made April 13.

C.B. Financial is the

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# Lots of fun ahead for county 4-her's

Clinton County 4-H'ers will enjoy music, dancing and lively costumes April 7 when the Michigan 4-H Youth Program, in conjunction with the Wharton Center for Performing Arts at M.S.U., sponsors the production "Bananas".

"We know our 4-H'ers will enjoy this lighthearted look at the classic years of vaudeville," says Theresa Silm, Clinton County 4-H Youth Agent.

"Bananas" will be performed by the Sheffield

Ensemble Theatre, a group of players who specialize in theatre for young people. The performers come from Biloxi, Miss., and this is their first appearance in the Lansing area.

A special performance for 4-H groups will take place at 11:00 a.m. April 7.

Audience members will be treated to a preview of the production, coordinated by a volunteer from the 4-H Arts Developmental Committee. After the show, 4-H'ers will have an opportunity to meet the artists and to participate in a question and answer session.

A new 4-H member and leader publication, "Traditions in Theatre: Vaudeville", will be available at the performance. This booklet was produced in conjunction with the 4-H Folkpaterns project and was funded by a grant from the Michigan Council for the

Humanities.

In the program for "Bananas", 4-H'ers will find information on theatre etiquette and a detailed description of the facilities at the Wharton Center.

Tickets for the performance are \$2.00 for students and \$3.00 for non-students and are available

at the Wharton Center box office and the M.S.U. Union.

For information on "Bananas" or any other 4-H activity, contact Theresa Silm at the Clinton County Cooperative Extension Service office, or call 224-3288.

## Health fair dates set in county

Under the direction of Kathryn Bangs, education coordinator, Clinton Memorial Hospital will be sponsoring health fairs at three separate sites this year.

"Project Good Health" gets underway at the DeWitt Medical Center on April 10, from 9:00 a.m. to

11:00 a.m. The Bath Medical Center will host their health screenings on April 12, also from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Clinton Memorial Hospital, the third site, will conduct their screenings on Sat., April 14, from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE ON FORCLOSURE  
 File No. 83-3686 CH

BESSIE SHERMAN,  
 Plaintiff,

vs.

RICHARD L. DEBARR,  
 Defendant.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby 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 21st day of February, 1984, in favor of Bessie Sherman against Richard L. DeBarr, 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 7th day of May, 1984, at 11:00 a.m.:

Land in the Township of Victor, County of Clinton and State of Michigan, described as follows: Commencing on the North and South 1/4 line of Section 32, T6N, R1W, in Michigan, at a point 2053 feet South from the North 1/4 post of said Section 32, thence South 150 feet on said North and South 1/4 line of Section 32, thence West 1363.61 feet, thence North 10°38'31" West 162.39 feet, thence North 7° East 87.05 feet along East bank of Looking Glass River, thence East 1125 feet, thence South 96 feet, thence East 258 feet to the point of beginning, containing 7.236 acres of land, subject to 33 feet wide right-of-way of Babcock Road on the East side of said described land, and subject to easements of record. On the Northwest side of this parcel of land, this description is intended to include all of the land to the East bank and water's edge of the Looking Glass River. Parcel No. 5 of Survey: Commencing on the North and South 1/4 line of Section 32, T6N, R1W, in Michigan, at a point 2203 feet South from the North 1/4 post of said Section 32, thence South 429 feet on said North and South 1/4 line to the center of said Section 32, thence West 1283 feet on East and West 1/4 line of Section 32, thence North 10°38'31" West 436.51 feet, thence East 1363.61 feet to point of beginning, containing 13.033 acres of land, subject to 33 feet wide right-of-way of Babcock Road on the East side of said described land, and subject to easements of record.

ANTHONY HUFNAGEL  
 Sheriff of Clinton County, MI  
 By: S/Victor Lotyca, Deputy Sheriff

Redemption Period: Six Months

Dated: March 19, 1984

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**NOTICE TO RESIDENTS OF FOWLER**

The Fire Department will be testing its tornado alert system at noon on the first Saturday of each month during the tornado season, beginning on April 7th. Both the tornado warning and the all-clear signal will be given by a fluctuating sounding of the fire siren.

**VILLAGE OF FOWLER**  
**Winnie McKean**  
 Village Clerk

224-062 4-3-84

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that the Clinton County Zoning Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on MONDAY, APRIL 16, 1984 in the Clinton County Service Center, 306 E. Elm Street, St. Johns, MI. The subject of the public hearing will be the consideration of the following case:

**AB-7-3-84 Duplain Township - Dimensional Variance:** An application for relief of provisions of OR-1-78, the Clinton County Zoning Ordinance has been filed by Mr. Rick Sloat, 9785 Kinley Road, Ovid, MI pursuant to Art. 4, Sec. 4.4.5 of OR-1-78. The applicant seeks three (3) dimensional variances which, if approved, would authorize the construction of a 28 x 24 detached accessory building closer to the right-of-way of Kinley Road, and the dwelling than permitted by ordinance and situated in front of the principal building.

Reg. at a pt. 151.96' W. of a pt. 101.14 rds. E. of 1/4 post on the S. side of Sec. 36, T8N-R1W, run. th. N. 257.89', th. W. 151.96', th. S. 257.89', th. E. 151.96' to POB.

The subject parcel is generally located at 9785 Kinley Road, north side between Ovid and Meridian Roads.

The appeal application 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 between 8:00 A.M. - 12 Noon, 1:00 - 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

224-065 4-3-84

Village of Elsie  
 Lagoon Slope Repair  
 Project Number 83918

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**  
**CLINTON COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS**  
 306 Elm Street  
 St. Johns, MI 48879

Separate sealed BIDS for the construction of (briefly describe nature, scope, and major elements of the work) repair of approximately 1600 feet of the east cell of the Village of Elsie's lagoon will be received by the Clinton County DPW Chairman at the office of Clinton County Department of Public Works, Clinton County Service Center, 306 Elm St., until 7:30 p.m. local time, April 19, 1984, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud.

The CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be examined at the following locations:  
 Village of Elsie offices  
 Clinton County DPW office  
 Fishbeck, Thompson, Carr & Huber, Inc., Grand Rapids  
 Copies of the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be obtained at the office of FTC&H located at 1500 East Beltline, S.E., GR, MI 49506 upon payment of \$15.00 for each set.

Any BIDDER, upon returning the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS promptly and in good condition, will be refunded the payment, and any non-bidder upon so returning the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS will be refunded \$10.00.

**Richard Hawks, Chairman**

224-049 3-15, 3-20, 3-27, 4-3-84

**NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF BATH COMMUNITY SCHOOLS CLINTON AND SHIAWASSEE COUNTIES, MICHIGAN TO BE HELD APRIL 16, 1984**

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:  
 Please Take Notice that a special election of the electors of Bath Community Schools, Clinton and Shiawassee Counties, Michigan, will be held in the Bath Elementary All Purpose Room, 13789 Webster Road, Bath, Michigan, on Monday, April 16, 1984.  
**THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7:00 O'CLOCK, A.M., AND CLOSE AT 8:00 O'CLOCK, P.M.**  
 The following propositions will be submitted to the vote of the electors at the special election:

**I. MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSITION**  
 Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Bath Community Schools, Clinton and Shiawassee Counties, Michigan, be increased by 24.68 mills (\$24.68 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation for a period of 3 years, 1984, 1985 and 1986, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes (this being a renewal of 24.68 mills for operating purposes which expired with the 1983 tax levy)?

**II. MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSITION FOR MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF SCHOOL FACILITIES**  
 Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Bath Community Schools, Clinton and Shiawassee Counties, Michigan, be increased by 1 mill (\$1.00 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation for the year 1984, for the purpose of providing additional operating funds for maintenance and repair of school facilities (this being a renewal of 1 mill for maintenance and repair of school facilities which expired with the 1983 tax levy)?

**III. ADDITIONAL MILLAGE PROPOSITION**  
 Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Bath Community Schools, Clinton and Shiawassee Counties, Michigan, be increased by 1 mill (\$1.00 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation for the year 1984, 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 II at this same election)?

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 February 27, 1984, 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 Bath Community Schools, Clinton and Shiawassee Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Clinton County:	None
By Bath Township:	2 Mills
By DeWitt Township:	2 Mills
By Victor Township:	None
By Olive Township:	None
By the School District:	None

**Date: February 27, 1984**

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

I, Judith Kingsbury, Treasurer of Shiawassee County, Michigan, hereby certify that as of February 24, 1984, 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 Bath Community Schools, Clinton and Shiawassee Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Shiawassee County:	1 Mill through 1983
	Medical Care Facility
By Woodhull Township:	1/4 Mill through 1986
By the School District:	None

**Date: February 24, 1984**

**Judith A. Kingsbury**  
 Treasurer  
 Shiawassee County, Michigan

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of Bath Community Schools, Clinton and Shiawassee Counties, Michigan.

**Ronald D. Foote**  
 Secretary, Board of Education

224-063 4-3, 4-10-84

**DO SOMETHING WILD!**  
 Adopt a wild horse or burro from the U.S. Government  
 Write:  
 Bureau of Land Management  
 350 S. Pickett Street  
 Alexandria, VA 22304  
 A public service of this publication.

**STATE OF MICHIGAN  
PROBATE COURT  
COUNTY OF CLINTON**

**NOTICE OF MORTGAGE  
FORECLOSURE SALE**

**PUBLICATION AND  
NOTICE OF HEARING**  
IN THE MATTER OF THE AP-  
PLICATION FOR CHANGE OF NAME  
OF Nedine Elizabeth Thomas to  
Nedine Elizabeth Davidson, File No.  
20937.

**TAKE NOTICE:** On April 16, 1984  
at 9:00 a.m., in the probate court-  
room, Courthouse, St. Johns,  
Michigan, before Hon. MARVIN E.  
ROBERTSON Judge of Probate, a  
hearing will be held on Petitioner's  
application to have the name of  
respondent changed from Nedine  
Elizabeth Thomas to Nedine  
Elizabeth Davidson.

Dated: March 26, 1984

Nedine Elizabeth Thomas  
2265 W. Parks Road, Lot 109  
St. Johns, MI 48879

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4-3-84  
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**STATE OF MICHIGAN  
PROBATE COURT  
CLINTON COUNTY**

**CLAIMS NOTICE**

Estate of LYDIA SELMA TOBIAS,  
DECEASED. (Date of Death:  
February 25, 1984). File No. 20921.

**TAKE NOTICE:** Creditors of Lydia  
Selma Tobias, Deceased, whose  
last known address was 14361  
DeWitt Road, Lansing, Michigan, are  
notified that all claims against the  
decendent's estate are barred  
against the estate, the Independent  
Personal Representative, and the  
heirs and the 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:

Elena M. Oetting  
625 W. Third Street, S.  
Newton, Iowa 50208

Jonathan E. Maire  
Attorney at Law  
423 W. Ionia  
Lansing, Michigan 48933  
(517)487-3736

CCN-130  
4-3-84  
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**STATE OF MICHIGAN  
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT  
FOR THE COUNTY OF CLINTON**

**ORDER TO ANSWER  
File No. 83-7822-DO  
JUDGE TIMOTHY GREEN**

LAVERTA FRANCIS CASSADAY,  
Plaintiff,

-vs-

MICHAEL DAVID CASSADAY,  
Defendant.

On the 7th day of October, 1983, a  
Complaint for Divorce was filed by  
Laverta Francis Cassaday, Plaintiff,  
against Michael David Cassaday,  
Defendant, in this Court.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that  
Defendant, Michael David Cassa-  
day, shall answer or take such other  
action as may be permitted by law  
on or before the 25th day of May  
1984. Failure to comply with this  
Order will result in a Judgment by  
Default against such Defendant for  
the relief demanded in the Petition  
filed with this Court.

Dated: February 27, 1984

JUDGE TIMOTHY M. GREEN  
Circuit Judge

M. Dennis Esmay  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
359 Hollister Building  
Lansing, MI 48933  
Phone: (517)374-6311

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3-20, 3-27,  
4-3, 4-10-84  
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**CLASSIFIED  
HAS BEEN SELLING  
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FOR YEARS.**



And it still works like magic!  
Why not place your ad today  
to sell that extra car  
that's taking up space in  
your driveway?

Default having been made in the  
terms and conditions of a certain  
Mortgage made on the 27th day of  
October 1972, between ROGER A.  
McCOY and LINDA M. McCOY, hus-  
band and wife, Mortgagors, and  
CAPITOL FEDERAL SAVINGS &  
LOAN ASSOCIATION, formerly  
CAPITOL SAVINGS & LOAN  
ASSOCIATION, Mortgagee, and  
recorded with the Register of Deeds  
for Clinton County, Michigan, on Oc-  
tober 30, 1972, in Liber 268, Pages  
66-67, on which Mortgage there is  
claimed to be due at the date of this  
Notice the sum of \$17,080.97 princi-  
ple and interest, and no suit or pro-  
ceedings at law having been in-  
stituted to recover the debt or any  
part thereof secured by said Mor-  
tgage;

**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, May  
4, 1984, at 12:00 o'clock noon at the  
main entrance to the Clinton County  
Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan,  
that being the place where the Cir-  
cuit Court for the County of Clinton is  
held, the undersigned will sell at  
public auction to the highest bidder,  
together with interest at 8 1/4% per  
annum and all allowable costs of sale  
and attorney's fees, the land and  
premises in said Mortgage described  
as follows:

Part of the East 1/2 of the East 1/2  
of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 31, T7N,  
R3W, Bengal Township, Clinton  
County, Michigan, described as  
follows: Beginning 166 feet West of  
the Southeast corner of said Section  
31, running thence North 456 feet,  
thence West 190 feet, thence South  
456 feet, thence East 190 feet to the  
point of beginning. Subject to the  
rights of the public and any govern-  
mental unit in any part thereof taken,  
used or deeded for street, road or  
highway purposes. Subject to the  
easements, restrictions and rights of  
way of record.

The length of the redemption  
period shall be six (6) months from  
the date of such sale.

Dated: April 3, 1984

CAPITOL FEDERAL SAVINGS &  
LOAN ASSOCIATION, Mortgagee

STEVEN G. HOSLER  
Attorney for Mortgagee  
803 Capitol Savings & Loan Bldg.  
Lansing, Michigan 48933

CCN-129  
4-3, 4-10, 4-17,  
4-24, 5-1-84  
375

**NOTICE OF MORTGAGE  
FORECLOSURE SALE**

Default having been made in the  
terms and conditions of a certain  
Mortgage made on the 26th day of  
October, 1981, between JUDY A.  
LUPINI, a single woman, and  
HAROLD R. MEREDITH, a single  
man, Mortgagors, and CAPITOL  
FEDERAL SAVINGS & LOAN  
ASSOCIATION, formerly CAPITOL  
SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION,  
Mortgagee, and recorded with the  
Register of Deeds for Clinton Coun-  
ty, Michigan, on October 29, 1981,  
in Liber 317, Pages 270-273, on  
which Mortgage there is claimed to  
be due at the date of this Notice  
the sum of \$57,293.94 principal and  
interest, and no suit or proceedings  
at law having been instituted to re-  
cover 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, April  
27, 1984, at 12:00 o'clock noon at  
the main entrance to the Clinton  
County Courthouse, St. Johns,  
Michigan, that being the place  
where the Circuit Court for the Coun-  
ty of Clinton is held, the undersigned  
will sell at public auction to the  
highest bidder, together with interest  
at 14 1/2% per annum and all  
allowable costs of sale and attor-  
ney's fees, the land and premises  
in said Mortgage described as  
follows:

LOT 2 NORTH ROSEWOOD  
ACRES, A PART OF THE SE 1/4 OF  
SECTION 28, T5N, R2W, DEWITT  
TOWNSHIP, CLINTON COUNTY,  
MICHIGAN. SUBJECT TO  
EASEMENTS, RESTRICTIONS AND  
RIGHTS OF WAY OF RECORD.

The length of the redemption  
period shall be six months from the  
date of such sale.

Dated: March 27, 1984

CAPITOL FEDERAL SAVINGS &  
LOAN ASSOCIATION, Mortgagee

STEVEN G. HOSLER  
Attorney for Mortgagee  
803 Capitol Savings & Loan Bldg.  
Lansing, Michigan 48933

CCN 114  
3-27, 4-3, 4-10,  
4-17, 4-24-84  
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# Public Notice

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
FOR MEETING OF THE CITY OF  
DEWITT ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**

The purpose of the Public Hearing is to hear the request for  
a variance from Article 5, Section 5.7 (2) (Every parking area  
shall be surfaced with asphalt, concrete or similar durable  
material.....) at the location commonly known as 115 North  
Bridge St. (Old Methodist Church), City of DeWitt.

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Date: Tuesday, April 3, 1984

Place: DeWitt City Hall, 414 E. Main St.

224-067

4-3-84

**FOOTE BRANCH OF THE  
BROWN AND BAILEY DRAIN**

(a/k/a Taylor and Bailey Drain)

**Notice of Letting of Drain Contract  
and Review of Apportionments**

**Notice is Hereby Given,** That I, Arden S. Pierson, County Drain  
Commissioner of the County of Clinton, State of Michigan, will,  
on the 11th day of April A.D. 1984, at the Clinton County Drain  
Office, Service Center, 306 Elm Street in the City of St. Johns, in  
said County of Clinton at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day  
receive sealed bids until 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day,  
when bids will be opened and publicly announced for the con-  
struction of a certain Drain known and designated as "FOOTE  
BRANCH OF THE BROWN AND BAILEY (a/k/a Taylor and  
Bailey Drain) Drain," located and established in the Township of  
Bingham in said County.

Said drain is divided into one (1) Sections as follows, each  
section having the average depth and width as set forth: All sta-  
tions are 100 feet apart.

Section No. one (1) beginning at station number 1 + 80 at  
the lower end of said drain and extending to station number  
13 + 13, a distance of 1,133 feet, and having an average depth  
of 4.4 feet.

In the construction of said Drain the following quantities and  
character of tile or pipe will be required 1,133 lineal feet of 8"  
diameter corrugated polyethylene drainage tubing (ASTM F405,  
SCS Standard 606) with slotted perforations.

**ALTERNATE:** 1,133 lineal feet of 8" diameter corrugated  
polyethylene drainage tubing (ASTM F405, SCS Standard 606)  
with slotted perforations and Drainguard or Reemay fabric filter  
material.

The Commissioner shall let the drain in one (1) section, in ac-  
cordance with the diagram now on file with the other papers per-  
taining to said Drain, in the office of the County Drain Com-  
missioner of the County of Clinton to which reference may be had by  
all parties interested, and bids will be made and received ac-  
cordingly.

Contracts will be made with the lowest responsible bidder giv-  
ing adequate security for the performance of the work, in the  
sum then and there to be fixed by me, reserving to myself the  
right to reject any and all bids, and to adjourn such letting to  
such time and place as I shall publicly announce.

The date for the completion of such contract, and the terms of  
payment therefor, shall and will be announced at the time and  
place of letting. Any person desiring to bid on the above men-  
tioned work will be required to deposit with the Drainage Board a  
certified check, money order, or cash in the sum of five (5) per-  
cent of total bid as a guarantee that he will enter into contract  
and furnish the required bond as prescribed by law. The checks  
of all unsuccessful bidders will be returned after contracts are  
awarded. The payments for the above mentioned work will be  
made as follows: by Time Drain Order payable April 15, 1985.

**Notice is Further Hereby Given,** that on Wednesday the 18th  
day of April, 1984, at the Clinton County Drain Office, Service  
Center, 306 Elm Street, St. Johns, Michigan, or at such other  
time and place thereafter, to which I, the County Drain Com-  
missioner aforesaid, may adjourn the same, the apportionment for  
benefits and the lands comprised within the "FOOTE BRANCH  
OF THE BROWN AND BAILEY (a/k/a TAYLOR AND BAILEY)  
Drain Special Assessment District," and the apportionments  
thereof will be subject to review for one day, from nine o'clock  
in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon. At said review  
the computation of costs for said Drain will also be open for in-  
spection by any parties interested.

The following is a description of the several tracts or parcels of  
land constituting the Special Assessment District of said Drain,  
viz:

Section 20, T7N, R2W, Bingham Township	Description	Acres in District
	W'y central part of W 1/2 of NE 1/4	15.93
	E 1/2 of NW 1/4, except NW 1/4 3.92 Acres	76.08
	S'y part of E 1/2 of W 1/2 of NW 1/4	14.88
	TOTAL	106.89 Acres

**Now, Therefore,** All unknown and non-resident persons,  
owners and persons interested in the above described lands,  
and you Clinton County Clerk, and you Clinton County Road  
Commission, and you Bingham Township Supervisor are hereby  
notified that at the time and place aforesaid, or at such other  
time and place thereafter to which said letting may be adjourned,  
I shall proceed to receive bids for the construction of said  
"FOOTE BRANCH OF THE BROWN AND BAILEY (a/k/a  
TAYLOR AND BAILEY) Drain," in the manner hereinbefore  
stated; and also, that at such time and place as stated aforesaid  
from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the after-  
noon, the apportionment for benefits and the lands comprised  
within the Foote Branch Drain Special Assessment Districts will  
be subject to review.

**And You and Each of You,** Owners and persons interested in  
the aforesaid lands, are hereby bited to appear at the time and  
place of such reviewing of apportionments as aforesaid, and be  
heard with respect to such special assessments and your inter-  
ests in relation thereto, if you so desire.

Dated this 22nd day of March A.D. 1984

**Arden S. Pierson,  
County Drain Commissioner,  
County of Clinton**

224-061

3-26-84

**NOTICE OF MORTGAGE  
FORECLOSURE SALE**

Default having been made in the  
conditions of a certain mortgage  
dated December 21, 1979, by  
HAROLD T. LIETZKE and  
ELIZABETH L. LIETZKE, husband  
and wife, as mortgagor, to JOHN  
HANCOCK MUTUAL LIFE IN-  
SURANCE COMPANY, a  
Massachusetts corporation, as mor-  
tagee, recorded on December 21,  
1979, in the office of the Register of  
Deeds for the County of Clinton,  
State of Michigan, in Liber 308,  
Pages 869, 870, 871, 872, 873 and  
874, on which mortgage there is  
claimed to be due and unpaid at the  
date of this notice \$585,000.00 princi-  
pal, \$4,102.74 real estate taxes,  
\$167,104.34 interest, and no suit or  
proceedings having been instituted  
to recover the debt or any part of the  
debt secured by said mortgage, and  
the power of sale in said mortgage  
contained having become operative  
by reason of such default;

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that  
on Thursday, the 10th day of May,  
1984, at 10:00 in the forenoon at the  
front entrance to the Courthouse in  
the City of St. Johns, Michigan, that  
being the place for holding the Cir-  
cuit Court for the County of Clinton,  
there will be offered for sale and sold  
to the highest bidder at public auc-  
tion for the purpose of satisfying the  
amounts due and unpaid on said  
mortgage, together with interest,  
legal costs and charges of sale, in-  
cluding the attorney fees provided by  
law and in said mortgage, and also  
any sums which may be paid by the  
undersigned to protect its interest in  
the said premises.

The said premises in said mor-  
tgage mentioned and described is as  
follows:

The North 1/2 of the North 1/2 of the  
Southeast 1/4 of Section 15, Town 6  
North, Range 2 West, Olive  
Township, Clinton County Michigan  
EXCEPT the East 100 feet thereof,  
together with a 22 foot in width right  
of way extending East and West  
across said 100 foot strip, the North  
boundary of said right of way being  
50 foot South of and parallel to the  
East and West 1/4 line, and except  
any part of the above described prop-  
erty contained in the following  
described description:

Part of the West 1/2 of the  
Southeast 1/4 of Section 15, Town 6  
North, Range 2 West, Olive  
Township, Clinton County Michigan  
described as: Beginning at a point  
on North line of the South 1/2 of the  
Southeast 1/4 of said Section 15, dis-  
tant 1322.12 feet measured North  
0°03'38" West along the North and  
South 1/2 line of said Section 15 and  
666.00 feet measured South  
89°39'23" East along the North line  
of the South 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4  
of said Section 15, from the South 1/4  
corner of said Section 15, thence  
proceeding South 89°39'22" East  
along the North line of the South 1/2  
of the Southeast 1/4 of said Section  
15, 460.00 feet, thence North  
0°20'37" East 200.00 feet, thence  
North 0°20'37" East 220.00 feet,  
thence North 89°39'23" East 200.00  
feet, thence North 0°20'37" West  
463.00 feet, thence North  
89°39'23" West 660.00 feet, thence  
South 0°20'37" West 683.00 feet to  
the point of beginning, except the  
South 33.00 feet for highway right of  
way together with a right of way for  
ingress and egress over and across,  
together with others, a strip of land  
16.50 feet in width whose centerline  
is described as follows: Beginning at  
a point on the North line of the South  
1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of said Sec-  
tion 15, a distant 1322.12 feet  
measured North 0°03'38" West and  
South 89°39'23" East 588.00 feet  
along said North line of the South 1/2  
of the Southeast 1/4 of said Section  
15, for the point of beginning, thence  
North 10°24' East 266.00 feet,  
thence East 30.00 feet of the point of  
beginning.

Part of the Southeast 1/4 of Section  
22, Town 6 North, Range 2 West,  
Olive Township, Clinton County,  
Michigan, described as: Commenc-  
ing 660 feet East of the Southwest  
corner thereof, thence East 938  
feet, thence North 120 rods thence  
West 938 feet, thence South 120  
rods, to the point of beginning, ex-  
cept the North 2 feet of the East 700  
feet of the West 1360 feet of the  
Southeast 1/4.

The South 20 acres of the East 1/2  
of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 23,  
Town 6 North, Range 2 West - Olive  
Township, Clinton County Michigan.

The North 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4  
of Section 26, Town 6 North, Range 2  
West, Olive Township, Clinton Coun-  
ty Michigan.

The Northeast 1/4 of the Northwest  
1/4 of Section 26, Town 6 North,  
Range 2 West, Olive Township, Clin-  
ton County Michigan.

The West 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4  
of Section 26, Town 6 North, Range  
2 West, EXCEPT the following 2  
parcels: Beginning at the Southwest  
corner of Section 26, Town 6 North,  
Range 2 West, thence North along  
the Section line 565 feet thence East  
772 feet, thence South 565 feet to  
the Section line, thence West 772  
feet to the point of beginning. Begin-  
ning 565 feet North of the Southwest  
corner of the Section 26, Town 6

North, Range 2 West, thence North  
760 feet, thence in a Northeastly  
direction along the fence right of way  
a distance of 772 feet, thence 775  
feet in a Southeastly direction to a  
point 772 feet East of the point of  
beginning, thence West 772 feet to  
the place of beginning.

The Northeast 1/4 of the Southwest  
1/4 of Section 26, Town 6 North,  
Range 2 West EXCEPT beginning at  
the Southeast corner of the Nor-  
theast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of Sec-  
tion 26, Town 6 North, Range 2  
West, thence South 89°50'20" West  
361.50 feet, thence North 361.50  
feet, thence North 89°50'20" East  
361.50 feet to the North-South 1/4  
line, thence South 361.50 feet to the  
point of beginning.

The North 10 acres of the South  
35 acres of the Southeast 1/4 the  
Northwest 1/4 of Section 27, Town 6  
North, Range 2 West, Olive  
Township, Clinton County, Michigan.

The South 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4  
of Section 27, Town 6 North, Range  
2 West, Olive Township, Clinton  
County, Michigan except a parcel of  
land beginning 580 feet North of the  
Southeast corner of the South 1/2 of  
the Northeast 1/4 of Section 27, Town  
6 North, Range 2 West, thence West  
295 feet, thence North 150 feet,  
thence East 295 feet, thence South  
150 feet to the point of beginning.

The North 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4  
of Section 27, Town 6 North, Range 2  
West, Olive Township, Clinton Coun-  
ty, Michigan except beginning at a  
point 579 feet South of the Northeast  
corner, thence South 200 feet,  
thence West 275 feet, then North  
200 feet, thence East 275 feet to the  
point of beginning.

The East 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4  
of Section 27, Town 6 North, Range 2  
West, EXCEPT the South 450 feet  
of the West 290 feet, also except com-  
mencing 164.50 feet West of the  
South 1/4 post, thence West 175  
feet, thence North 250 feet, thence  
East 175 feet, thence South 250 feet  
to the point of beginning.

The West 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4  
of Section 27, Town 6 North, Range 2  
West, Olive Township, Clinton Coun-  
ty, Michigan.

The North 1/2 of the East 1/4 of the  
Southwest 1/4 of Section 34, Town 6  
North, Range 2 West, Olive  
Township, Clinton County, Michigan.

The Northeast 1/4 of the Northwest  
1/4 of Section 34, Town 6 North  
Range 2 West, EXCEPT the North  
208.71 feet of the West 208.71 feet  
of the East 608.71 feet thereof.

The West 1/2 of the West 1/2 of the  
Northeast 1/4 of Section 34, Town 6  
North, Range 2 West, EXCEPT the  
North 570 feet of the West 655 feet  
thereof.

Beginning at the Northwest corner  
of the East 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4  
of Section 34, Town 6 North, Range 2  
West, Olive Township, Clinton Coun-  
ty, Michigan thence East 660 feet,  
thence South 2640 feet thence West  
660 feet, thence North 2640 to the  
point of beginning.

Beginning at a point a point 1005  
feet South of the Northeast corner of  
the East 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4  
of Section 34, Town 6 North, Range 2  
West, Olive Township, Clinton Coun-  
ty, Michigan thence East 660 feet,  
thence South 2640 feet thence West  
660 feet, thence North 2640 to the  
point of beginning.

A parcel of land on that part of the  
East 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of Sec-  
tion 34 Town 6 North, Range 2 West,  
Olive Township, Clinton County,  
Michigan, described as: Commenc-  
ing on the East line of said Section  
34, at a point North 1947.75 feet  
from the Southeast corner of said  
Section 34, thence South 89°46'47"  
West 1319.79 feet, thence along the  
North-South 1/8 line of the  
Southeast 1/4 of said Section 34,  
thence North 00°05'08" West  
345.00 feet, thence North  
89°46'47" East 1320.31 feet to a  
point on said East line of Section 34,  
Thence South 345.00 feet along said  
East line of said Section 34 to the  
point of beginning.

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from the Southeast corner of said  
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West 1320.31 feet thence along the  
North-South 1/8 line of said Section  
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feet, thence North 89°48'00" East  
1320.82 feet on the East-West 1/4  
line of Section 34, to the East 1/4  
corner of said Section 34, thence South  
347.03 feet along said East line of  
section 34 to the point of beginning.

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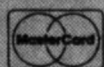
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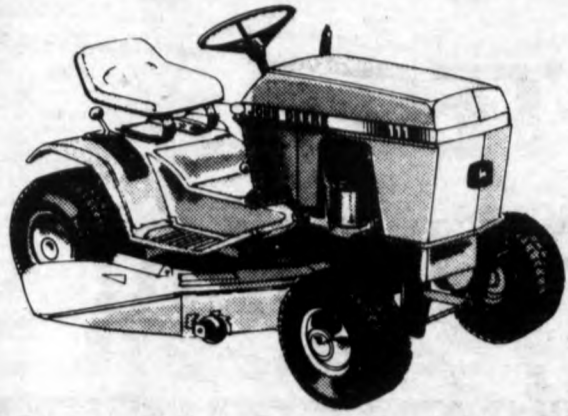


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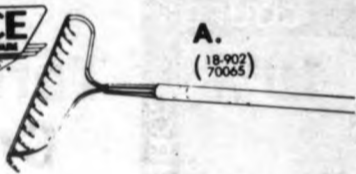
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