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## Notes Veterans

**ST. JOHNS** V.F.W. Post 4113 and the American Legion will honor veterans in a parade on Veteran's Day, Nov. 11. The parade will assemble on Railroad Street — not at the Courthouse as previously reported — and march up Clinton Avenue at 11:00 a.m. The St. Johns High School Band will join the parade which will end at the Courthouse lawn where a ceremony will be held.

## Hearing

**ST. JOHNS** Clinton County Community Services will hold a public hearing on Oct. 30 at 1:00 p.m. at Smith Hall for all interested persons to voice their opinions on specific needs of Clinton County area residents. Representatives of all community groups are encouraged to attend. For more information, call Community Services at 224-6702.

## Toughlove

**CLINTON COUNTY** The recent television movie about the Toughlove organization may have given troubled parents the impression that the organization can only help parents of drug abusers, reports the two-month-old Clinton County Toughlove. This is not true, the organization reports. Parents of children who have children in any kind of trouble — in school, in the family, with the law — are urged to call Toughlove for a self-help program for parents troubled by teenage behavior.

Call Sharon at 834-5332, from 6 to 10 p.m.

## Diabetes

**ST. JOHNS** In conjunction with Diabetes Detection Week in Michigan, Clinton Memorial Hospital will offer free diabetes screening on Nov. 5 from 9 until 11:00 a.m. and 7 to 9:00 p.m.; Nov. 6 from 1 until 3:00 p.m.; and Nov. 7 from 9 until 11:00 a.m. and 7 to 9:00 p.m.

Interested persons should report to the outpatient area at the hospital. Testing is limited to those over 18 years of age and not previously diagnosed as diabetic.

To insure an accurate test, it is important to eat a high carbohydrate meal two hours before the test. The meal should be eaten within a 15-minute time period and nothing else except water should be taken before the test.

## Safe treats

**ST. JOHNS** "Halloween is a festive time of year for kids," says Clinton County Sheriff Terry Haneckow. "You can help keep your kids safe by following some simple, common sense rules."

Make sure your children are accompanied by a responsible adult when they go door-to-door.

Instruct children never to eat anything until they are home and the treats have been examined by parents. Wash and cut all fruit before eating. Throw away anything unwrapped.

Check the wrappers of commercial treats for signs of tampering.

Call the local police and report any suspicious treats.

Make sure children's costumes fit and they can see well.

Tell your children to trick or treat in their own neighborhood and in well-lighted areas. Daylight hours are best.

If children are going out after dark, make sure they carry a flashlight. Costumes should be made of light colored or reflectorized material.

Teach your children to use sidewalks and crosswalks if possible.

## Schools can't close early, says Runkle

The St. Johns Board of Education was expected to decide Monday night whether to again ask voters for a millage increase. This follows confirmation by the Michigan Department of Education that the school district is in financial trouble.

A representative from the state education department told the Board at an Oct. 21 meeting that the district would not be allowed to close schools early if the district runs out of money. The Board had previously voted to do that rather than make budget cuts.

The Board scheduled a meeting for Monday night this week in order to discuss what to do about a \$576,000 budget deficit faced by the district this year. With the option of early school closings ruled out, the alternatives open to the Board were to attempt to increase revenue through a millage request, to make budget cuts, or a combination of the two.

**THIS NEWSPAPER** goes to press early Monday, too early to report Monday's meeting. However, the several Board members and administrators earlier this year strongly resisted further budgets cuts and it was likely that the Board would decide to again go to voters for more money.

A financial review of the school district by an accountant from the Department of Education confirmed that the district faces a deficit for the 1985-86 school year.

A budget adopted by the Board on Oct. 21 includes a \$576,381 deficit that by state law must be eliminated. The Board agreed to come up with a plan to balance the budget by Jan. 6, 1986.

The budget approved Oct. 21 includes a beginning fund balance of \$565,181. This is the difference between the assets and liabilities of the school district at the end of the year the last school year. The fund balance is partly cash and partly non-liquid assets such as inventory that can not realistically be used to

pay operating costs. **THE FUND BALANCE** does include \$198,526 in cash that could conceivably be used to partially offset the budget deficit — but that would leave absolutely no money to cover emergency expenses.

A letter from Phillip Runkle, the head of the state education department, presented to the Board Oct. 21 said St. Johns public schools have maintained a good educational program despite having one of the lowest millage rates in the area and one that is three mills lower than the state average.

"It has been able to do this because an adequate fund balance has been maintained over the years..." the letter states. "This balance has been used over the years to maintain the educational program the past two years, and it is now projected that there will be no fund balance at the end of the fiscal year 1985-86. This year the district must enter into short-term borrowing in order to operate. This will mean funds will be expended on interest charges, which otherwise could have been used to provide educational programs for the children of the district."

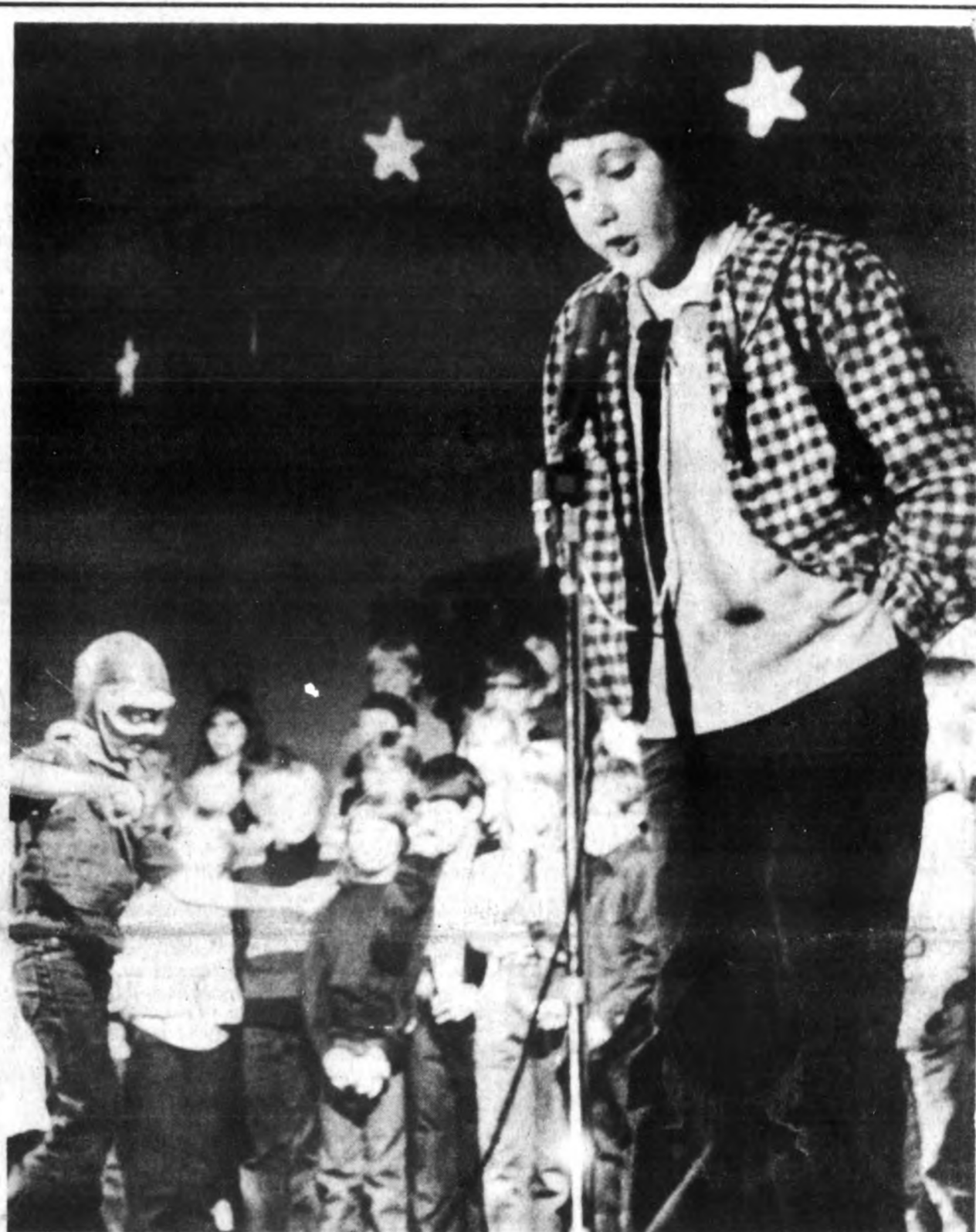
**THE LETTER LISTED** two main options available to the district:

• "Cut programs for children dramatically to effect a \$600,000 reduction in the annual budget..."

• "Request a tax increase and have voters approve an amount sufficient to balance the budget."

When the Board voted earlier this year to close schools early rather than cut educational programs some Board members said educational programs had been cut as much as possible without severely damaging the quality of public education in St. Johns.

If the Board decides not to request a millage increase or if such a request is rejected by voters, the Board will have no option left but to cut programs.



**CHARLIE BROWN HALLOWEEN** — The kids at East Olive Elementary in St. Johns performed "A Charlie Brown Halloween" for their parents last Tuesday. They sang, played musical instruments, danced and acted under the direction of music teacher Jean Fangboner. The young performers were themselves surprised in the last scene when — completely unexpectedly — the Great Pumpkin appeared.

Photograph by Rich Wertz

## What future for downtown St. Johns?

By **RICH WERTZ**  
Editor

*The expansion of commercial land use is perhaps among the most controversial and complexing of community problems. — St. Johns Community Development Plan.*

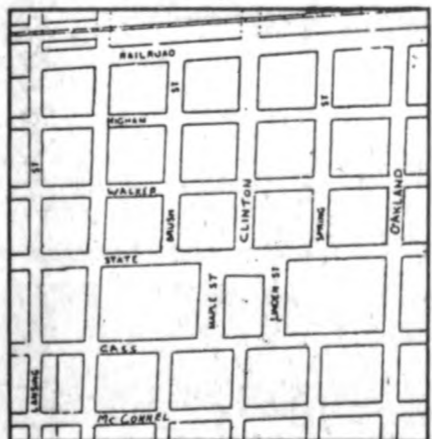
What will downtown St. Johns look like in 10 years, 15 years, 20 years? Will retail businesses gravitate to the outskirts of town, leaving a downtown of offices and private homes? Or will commercial businesses expand outward from downtown and will they displace private homes in the process? And if the business district expands, in what direction will it expand?

These are some of the questions posed at a St. Johns Planning Commission hearing last Thursday night. Some 25 residents, responding to let-

ters from the city announcing the hearing, were in attendance to find out what is in the winds for the central business district and to give their views about what should happen.

As for what is in the wind it is simply this — responding to four rezoning requests from businesses in the last six months, the St. Johns City Commission asked the Planning Commission to review the master plan for the downtown area. The hearing was merely first step in that review. Nothing was decided at the hearing and nothing is likely to be decided for quite some time.

**AS FOR WHAT** should happen — that is still anybody's ball game. Out of the variety of opinions voiced at the hearing, however, there emerged two different and competing interests: businessmen who say they need room to expand and homeowners who say they do not



**MAP** — The approximate area of concern is bounded on the north and south by Railroad and McConnel streets; and on the east and west by Lansing and Oakland streets.

care to see their streets taken over by businesses.

Then there is the middle ground, the homeowner who likes the idea of living within walking distance of the courthouse and downtown stores and churches — but who does relish the idea of increased traffic and other disruptions to neighborhoods that could be caused by an expanded commercial district.

## Business

Al Marrah, owner of Al Marrah Custom Carpets, who was earlier this month denied a rezoning request that would have allowed him to expand his business into an area that is currently zoned residential, was the most vocal proponent of expanding the central business district.

Marrah said downtown businesses

need to have room to expand if they are to stay in business. Currently, he argued, businesses do not have enough space to accommodate delivery trucks.

"We need businesses like Central Lumber," he said. "But Central Lumber has no place to unload except on city streets."

Marrah said his own business has to expand or move.

"Thanks to St. Johns and Clinton County my business has grown," he said. "I would like to buy more houses, tear them down, and expand my business. If I don't do it here I'll do it somewhere else."

**MARRAH DISMISSED** concerns that expanding his business will increase traffic in the area. He said he had arranged a traffic count on Lansing Street, near where he would like to expand, and had counted 278 cars each hour.

"I would like to create enough traffic for you to notice," he said. "If I did I could go out of business in a year — I'd make that much money."

Marrah also said he foresaw in 1972, when the current downtown zoning was established, that there was not enough commercial area. He said business will leave the area if they can not expand.

"**I JUST HOPE** it's not too late," he said.

Other business owners joined with Marrah in calling for an expanded commercial zone.

"Twenty-five years from now a lot of us might not be here," said Mark Barber, of Mark Roberts Furniture. "If the business district is going to remain strong we're going to have to leave room for expansion."

Barber said as retail businesses

move out of the downtown area more pressure is put on those remaining to also move in order to be where there is customer traffic.

Allen Harr, owner of Harr's Jewelry and the president of the Downtown Merchants Association, said the downtown area is vital to the town as a whole.

"If the downtown of any town does not remain healthy then the town has a tendency to die," he said.

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## Connie Sue Rademacher is recovering from attack

Connie Sue Rademacher, the St. Johns woman who was seriously wounded last week when she was attacked while working at a Lansing shoe store, is on the road to recovery, her mother said Sunday night.

"She's coming along real well," Mrs. Rademacher said. "She's on the road to recovery. They say she's out of the woods."

Mrs. Rademacher said it was expected that her daughter will be well enough to return home in

one to two weeks.

The 21-year-old woman was near-fatally injured when she was stabbed in the right side of the neck while working at the Cobbler's Bench in the Frandor Mall. Patrick Michael Donovan, 31, of Lansing, was charged in the case with assault with intent to commit murder.

Those who wish may write: Connie Sue Rademacher, Room 420, Sparrow Hospital, 1215 E. Michigan Ave., Lansing, 48909.

# opinion

## Editor's notes

### A challenge

Rich Wertz



The schools need more money. After several months of attending meetings, listening to debate, studying financial reports, questioning business administrator Richard Terres and generally educating myself about the condition of the St. Johns School District — there is no doubt in my mind. The schools need more money.

As I write this the Board of Education is faced with deciding whether to once more request a tax increase from the voters. By the time this newspaper is published the Board will in all likelihood have decided. For the moment I'm going to assume the majority of the Board will have decided to try again for a millage increase. Personally, I think that is the most reasonable thing for the Board to do.

But I confess I do not understand why there is a large enough block of voters in this community to repeatedly defeat attempts to bring school revenues in line with expenses. I just don't understand.

**MY ATTEMPTS TO FIND OUT** have been frustrated. At one meeting I heard one man say to another that there was a single reason why the last millage increase was defeated and that he knew what it was. I doubt there was a single reason but I asked him what he thought that single reason was. He refused to tell me. It was a secret.

I asked David Donovan, the representative from the state education department who was at the Oct. 21 meeting of the St. Johns Board of Education, why he thought reasonable millage requests are turned down by voters. I asked him because he routinely travels to school districts that have financial problems. I

thought he might have some thoughts on the matter.

He told me he thought it was a matter of communication between school officials and the voters. The schools, he said, need to communicate better the needs of the district. And the voters need to communicate their concerns, he said.

I'm not convinced that is the problem. It seems to me there was plenty of information available during the last millage campaign for those who were willing to look at the facts. But, then again, there is always room for improvement. So, in the spirit of improving communications, I'm going to do two things.

**FIRST OF ALL** I will ask — no, I will challenge — those who voted "no" in the last millage election to write to this newspaper explaining why they do not believe the schools deserve a few more of their dollars. If I'm wrong, if the schools do not need more money, then I would certainly like to know why.

The second thing I'm going to do is refer the letters to Superintendent Earl Gabriel, who has agreed to arrange a response to questions and comments included in those letters.

Of course, I also want to hear from "yes" voters. And be assured that we will honor requests to withhold names. It is your ideas we are interested in — you are entitled to your privacy.

One more thing — if I am wrong and the Board decides to cut programs instead of trying to increase revenues I would still like to hear from the voters. But in that case I would like to know where you think the budget should be cut. Because once we make our bed we're going to have to lay in it for a long time.

## Protect children from alcohol

To the Editor:

One of the inherent duties of a parent is to protect at all cost the children that God has entrusted to our care. Every parent of any moral character would go to the ends of the earth to keep someone from hurting our children. Social or economic status has nothing to do with that. Rich or poor, educated or illiterate, would do what we could to keep our precious kids from getting hurt.

Yet there is a cancer growing in our society that directly harms our children and certain groups of people do all they can to promote their own well being at the expense of others. I am referring to the tavern owners who continually serve alcoholic beverages to intoxicated persons and persons who have obvious alcohol abuse problems. The endless consumption of alcohol promotes family decay and ruins the lives of all involved.

How many times will a tavern owner or employee serve alcohol beverages to an intoxicated person? The answer to that question is easy — as many times as the drinker wants. There is no cut-off as the law provides for, there is no compassion for the drinker who is spending money in his/her establishment, and there is no reason other than greed why this is happening every night in downtown St. Johns and every other town throughout the country.

I know if I was doing something to harm your children, you would try and stop me at any cost. Why can't you do that for me? My children are hurting, I am hurting and our world is crumbling in around us.

## Letter

We can't stop our alcoholic from drinking and neither can you but you don't have to add to his problem either. Cut off the drinks as you are supposed to do under Michigan law. Don't help him decay my family and most of all, just like you wouldn't allow me to harm your kids, please don't do that to mine.

Wife of an alcoholic  
(Name withheld by request)

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## Remembering when

2 Years Ago —

DeWitt celebrated its Sesquicentennial with the interment of a time capsule, a highlight of the city's festivities. Chairman of the Sesquicentennial Peg Guilford termed the turnout "excellent" and said much "enthusiasm and community spirit" had been generated.

P.W. High School Superintendent, Roy Thelen, bowled a perfect 300 game at the Knights of Columbus Lanes in Westphalia. Thelen, a 170-average bowler, said he was "relieved" when the tenth frame was finally finished.

St. Johns Board of Education defeated a motion to reinstate door-to-door busing in the St. Johns School District by a vote of 4-2. Door-to-door busing was eliminated in 1979 when the Board made \$150,000 in budget cuts. Parents present at the meeting warned the Board that the fight to reinstate was not over.

23 Years Ago —

Circulation for the "Republican-News" topped the 7,000 mark following a subscription drive in which new bicycles were awarded to youths selling 25 or more new subscriptions. Champion salesman was eight-year-old Frankie

Ferden of Ovid Township who sold 50 subscriptions and earned two bikes. Mrs. George Romney and Mrs. John B. Swainson, whose husbands were candidates in the 1962 gubernatorial race, visited with Clinton County women at two "Kaffee Klatches" in St. Johns. GOP Women's Committee members, chaired by Mrs. John Matthews, hosted a coffee for Mrs. Romney, while Mrs. Swainson was the guest at the home of Mrs. Roy F. Briggs.

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Dan and Jeanette Beck and Family wish to thank all those who assisted in saving their other buildings during their recent fire which consumed the apple storage and labor quarters. Special thanks to the St. Johns, Maple Rapids, and Elsie Fire Departments for prompt and efficient protection of the remaining buildings. Dale Henning's generous contribution of housing for the migrants was greatly appreciated.

The prompt and thoughtful assistance of Rev. Doug Jones of the Eureka Congregational Church, his congregation, the friends and neighbors who assisted in contributing food and clothing for the migrant labor, and those friends who supported the Beck Family with their kind words and thoughtfulness will always be remembered.



Ask Bill Schuette

## Deficit

Bill Schuette

Many people in mid-Michigan have been asking me about the Gramm-Rudman-Mack deficit-reduction plan that we have been hearing so much about. While describing it to a class at Alma College last week, it occurred to me that I should devote this space to the proposal.

The greatest virtue of this measure is that it is simple and straightforward. Deficit reductions of about \$36 billion a year would be required by law and a balanced budget would be reached by 1991. Each house of Congress would have to pass a budget resolution conforming to the targeted deficit, determining where cuts would be made. If the budget passed by Congress contained a deficit seven percent above the required limit, then the President would be empowered to make equitable, across-the-board cuts in all federal spending programs except Social Security. In time of war or economic recession this law would be waived.

The benefits of this plan are many. The Gramm-Rudman-Mack plan is realistic and result-oriented. If passed into law, the plan would send a strong signal to financial markets and the public that Congress will deal with the deficit. It also provides the mechanism for "truth in budgeting". Too much of congressional

budgeting is compromised by substituting movement for action, and this plan will avoid that with deficit targets set by law and the mechanism to enforce them.

Finally, this plan protects basic entitlement programs. I am committed to keeping the promise that was made to senior citizens with Social Security, and this deficit reduction plan would not reduce their benefits.

The Gramm-Rudman-Mack deficit reduction plan was passed as an amendment to legislation raising the national debt limit above the \$2 trillion mark. The House referred this debt limit bill, as amended, to a conference committee of the two houses. The bill is being debated at this writing, and it is uncertain when the conferees will come to an agreement.

I'm one of those who thinks that the future is now. We cannot continue to swear off deficit spending and then do nothing about it. Everybody in America has to balance a checkbook, and it's time to balance the checkbook of the United States. We must demonstrate legislative discipline if we are going to break our deficit-spending habit.

Bill Schuette is the 10th District Representative to the United States House of Representatives.

## In the House of Representatives

### Tax amnesty

Gary Randall



Michigan residents could pay off delinquent taxes without criminal penalty under a tax amnesty plan recently approved by the Senate Finance Committee.

The plan provides for increased enforcement and penalties for all tax law violators and a 30 to 60 day grace period for payment of tax and interest — without civil or criminal liability.

Taxpayers under criminal or civil prosecution or investigation would not be eligible. Nor would the plan apply to taxes that became due in the last six months.

The program is fair. We've come through a bad recession and this period of recovery is a good time to clear up old obligations. Some people have not come forward because of fear of prosecution. The plan changes that — while

replacing revenues lost to the state.

The amnesty program would be open for the first three months of 1986. After, enforcement would increase.

If it is approved, Michigan would be the 13th state to establish such a plan. Gary Randall is the 89th District Representative to the Michigan House of Representatives.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our children and grandchildren, Fr. Spitzley, Fr. Schmitt, Fr. Beahan, Msgr. Zerfas, all our friends, neighbors and relatives who helped make our 50th anniversary a very happy occasion.

Special thanks to Reynold and Rita Goerge who prepared the food, to Clarita Goerge for a beautiful cake, to Norbert Pohn for taking pictures. To our children and grandchildren who pieced our family quilt, to Gene Bengel who quilted it. Many thanks to Joe Bodarko, Julie and Lynn Thelen for the beautiful Church music. To Kelly Beth and Tom for the reading. To Sandy and Amy for the wishing well and quilt drawings.

Thank you all for the many gifts and cards.

Louis & Esther Wirth

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# lifestyle

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## Family focus

### Leaves

Dawn Harris



Autumn is in full bloom in Clinton County right now and the colors are beautiful! Do you dread the time when all of the leaves will be down, leaving the trees barren and gray? Why not gather up a few leaves and preserve them? They can then be used in arrangements and enjoyed throughout the entire winter season.

The following directions will let you keep your autumn leaves limber, durable and vivid for many months to come. To preserve leaves simply use one part of glycerin and two parts warm water as the preserving solution. Shorten branches to no longer than 18 inches and pound or split the ends. Put the

glycerin mixture in a small bottle and inset the foliage stems. The solution should cover the cut portion of the stem — usually three or four inches is sufficient. Curing of the leaves usually takes about two weeks. You will see a slight color change in the leaves. When the liquid level in the jar stops going down, the leaves have absorbed all they can. They are then ready to use in arrangements. Leaves not attached to branches can be preserved by soaking in the glycerin mixture. A large cake pan works well for soaking.

While you are gathering up your leaves you might also like to pick up a few pine cones. Once dried, pine cones can be used in a variety of holiday crafts and decorations. To dry pine cones use one of the following methods.

Air dry them by spreading them on a flat surface. It will take five to seven days for them to dry. Keep in mind the sun may change the color of the cones. Or oven dry them by spreading them on a cookie sheet and putting them in the oven at the lowest possible temperature setting (150 degrees or less). This method will also destroy insects in the cones.

The pine cones will expand in size as they dry, so leave plenty of room between the cones. To store pine cones, put them in a box or paper sack with moth balls.

Dawn Harris is the Home Economist for the Clinton County Cooperative Extension Service.

## Learn to host those Christmas guests

During the holiday season it seems like company just comes out of the woodwork. If you weren't planning on company and you don't have anything made ahead, extra guests can bring a sense of panic to any household.

This year, learn how to plan ahead for those extra guests by joining the Cooperative Extension Service in a 3-week Holiday series entitled "Creating a Carefree Christmas".

One week of the series will feature holiday dishes you can make ahead for

unexpected guests. In the class, several dishes will be demonstrated and taste-tested.

The other two weeks of the series will include activities to teach you entertaining with ease and making inexpensive gifts.

The series will be held on Nov. 11, 18 and 25 at Smith Hall in St. Johns from 1:30 to 3 p.m. The registration fee for the series is just \$1.50. Pre-registration is required. To preregister contact the Cooperative Extension Service at 224-3288 or 669-3663, ext. 229 by Nov. 6.



Gilbert and Marie Simon

## Simon Celebrate Golden Anniversary

Gilbert and Marie Simon of Fowler will celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary on Nov. 2 beginning with a mass at 4:30 p.m. at Most Holy Trinity Church, Fowler. The mass will be followed by a dinner at Most Holy Trinity Hall for family and immediate friends.

The couple was married on Nov. 5, 1935 at St. Mary's Church in Westphalia. A reception was held on that date at Holy Trinity auditorium in Fowler and a dance at the old Fowler opera house.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon had 13 children, 56 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

## Johnson — Jessick November wedding planned

Mr. and Mrs. William Jessick, of 621 Arbutus Ave., Manistique, Mich., announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary, to Dan Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson, 4135 S. Alger Street, Ithaca.

The bride-elect is a 1977 graduate of Manistique High School.

The prospective groom is a 1981 graduate of Ithaca High School and is employed at Sealed Power Corporation, St. Johns.

A Nov. 30 wedding date has been set.

## Births

**RICE** — Mr. and Mrs. Michael D., of St. Johns, a daughter, Cassandra Rose. Born Oct. 4 at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

**ARNOLD** — Rev. and Mrs. David R., of Owosso, a son, Andrew Richard. Born Oct. 2 at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

**FELDPAUSCH** — Mr. and Mrs. Dale J., of Fowler, a son, Domik Joel. Born Sept. 30 at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

**MORGAN** — Mr. and Mrs. Ken Jr., of St. Johns, a daughter, JoAnn Marie. Born Oct. 4 at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

**CHAPKO** — Mr. and Mrs. John V., of Bannister, a son, Ryan John. Born Oct. 3 at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

**MOORE** — Mr. and Mrs. Donald, of St. Johns, a daughter, Trisha Ann. Born Sept. 30 at Carson City Hospital.

**RANDOLPH** — Mr. and Mrs. Ken J. of Ovid, a son, Broc Wellington. Born Sept. 20 at St. Lawrence Hospital.

**BURNS** — Mr. and Mrs. Charles R., of Portland, a daughter, Caitlin Renee. Born Sept. 21 at St. Lawrence Hospital.

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## Family life

### Water saving tips

Mona Ellard



Did you know that one quarter of all household water used can be traced to the kitchen and laundry room? But with just a few adjustments, families can cut the amount of water they use for cooking and washing dishes. Let's take a look at some water saving shortcuts.

#### In the kitchen

By cutting down on the number of utensils used in preparing meals and on the plates and glassware used with the meals themselves, the amount of water needed to wash them up is drastically reduced. You may also want to plan for more one-dish meals in which vegetables are cooked or baked in little or no added water and you not only save water but nutrients too.

Because a kitchen faucet can deliver five gallons of water a minute, you need to find ways to avoid running water. For example, use a pan of water to wash fruits and vegetables instead of doing it under the tap. If you wash dishes by hand, use a dish pan and rinse all the dishes at once rather than a few at a time.

You can also be creative in finding ways to make double use of water. Ideally, the liquid from cooked vegetables and other foods should be used again as stock for soups or broth. But even if you don't intend to use it for cooking, don't throw it away. Cooking liquids can be used to soak baked-on food off cookware before washing.

Washing dishes by hand requires anywhere from 8 to 20 gallons of water. A dishwasher typically uses between 12 to 16 gallons of water, so the dishwasher should not automatically be considered a water waster. However, a dishwasher uses the same amount of water whether it is completely full or only partially full, so it pays to wait until the dishwasher is loaded to

capacity.

Most of the newer models of dishwashers are designed to make pre-rinsing unnecessary. Many automatic dishwasher owners use their appliance more as a sanitizer than an actual dishwasher because they essentially wash their dishes before loading them into the machine. Pre-rinsing is often a habit begun when they used earlier model machines without the same cleaning capabilities.

#### In the laundry

While doing laundry is one of those "necessities" of life, wasting water in the process is not.

Many washing machines use the same amount of water for a half-full load as for a full load. So loading your washer to its rated capacity is one of the best ways to save, not only water but also energy and time.

Most washing machines have a variety of water-saving features built into their design. Make sure you are making full use of features such as setting the water level for different size loads.

Reducing the number of loads of laundry done can also conserve water. Encourage children to change into play clothes after school so that school clothes and play clothes can be worn several times between washings. Also make sure that clothes really need washing.

Items that need to be hand washed, such as hosiery and lingerie, should be accumulated so that several things can be washed at once.

Finally, think about water use when you select new laundry equipment. Watersaving features should be considered in future purchase decisions.

Mona Ellard is a Michigan State University Cooperative Extension Service Home Economist.

## Jane Knight elected to head reading council

Jane Knight was elected recently as president of the newly-formed Clinton Reading Council in St. Johns. The Clinton Reading Council becomes the newest member of the 1000-council International Reading Association.

Knight is a Chapter I reading teacher for the St. Johns School District. Serving as vice president will be Cheryl Grueneberg, a reading teacher in Vestaburg and the Region III representative for Michigan Reading Council. Also elected at the meeting were Janet Prybys, treasurer; Margaret Zink, recording secretary; Jenny McCampbell, corresponding secretary; and Mark Grueneberg, historian. Cheryl Grueneberg will automatically succeed to the presidency of the council in July of next year.

The International Reading Association, with

65,000 members, is the major professional organization for classroom teachers, reading specialists, psychologists, administrators, librarians, parents and others interested in the improvement of reading instruction and development of the lifetime reading habit.

The Clinton Reading Council will work locally to encourage greater public interest in reading. Through IRA, council members will have the opportunity to participate in state, national and international activities.

Membership in the Clinton Reading Council is open to parents and other individuals, as well as to persons professionally concerned with reading. The council will meet once a month during the fall, winter and spring.

On Nov. 12, the Clinton Reading Council will have a dinner meeting featuring

Merri Warren of Aquinas College as the speaker. Her topic will be "Creative Ways to Use Children's Literature in the Classroom."

Coffee and registration will be at 5:00 p.m., dinner

at 5:30 and the speaker at 6:30, all at the St. Johns High School Cafeteria.

All interested persons are invited to attend. Memberships will be available for those wishing to become members.

## Births

**COVELL** — Mr. and Mrs. Martin of 5820 Circle Drive, Bath, a son Joshua James. Born Oct. 7 at Sparrow Hospital, Lansing.

**PITCHFORD** — Mr. and Mrs. Carl of 8751 S. Krepps Road, Laingsburg, a son Shane Michael. Born Oct. 8 at Sparrow Hospital, Lansing.

**DEMBOWSKI** — Mr. and Mrs. Stephen of 3019 Timber Drive, Lansing, a son Andrew Donald. Born

Oct. 10 at Sparrow Hospital, Lansing.

**MCCAIN** — Mr. and Mrs. Mitch of 3820 Turner Lot 66, Lansing, a daughter, Lindsey Nicole. Born Oct. 10 at Sparrow Hospital, Lansing.

**BYRNES** — Mr. and Mrs. Kevin of 1009 E. Webb Drive, DeWitt, a daughter, Grace Kathleen. Born Oct. 6 at St. Lawrence Hospital, Lansing.



The children of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hyde of Route No. 3, Hyde Rd., St. Johns, Michigan are hosting a 50th. Wedding Anniversary Buffet Reception for their parents on Sunday, November 3rd., from 1:30 to 5:00 P.M. at the V.F.W. Hall in St. Johns on North US-27.

All their friends are cordially invited to help R.G. and Rosella celebrate this happy occasion. No gifts, please. Music by Mello-Tones.

**"It's in the Bag"**  
by Bob Beck



I'm sure there are few people living today who can remember the 1904 St. Louis World's Fair. But that Fair has a very special place in history. For it was there that the hamburger was born. It happened when some unknown cook got the idea of putting grilled hamburger patties between two slices of bread, for the convenience of fair-goers who wanted something tasty and nourishing to eat but didn't want to take time to sit down for a meal.

Today the hamburger—served inside a sliced bun rather than between two slices of bread—is the most popular single item of food in America. Nobody really knows how many hamburgers are eaten every year in this country, but it has been estimated that something like thirty percent of all the meat sold here is ground beef. And it would be a safe guess that we will consume well over a billion hamburgers this year.

Of course, long before hamburgers existed, hamburger itself existed. And you may already know that it got its name from the German city of Hamburg. But did you know that it actually originated in Russia? It's a fact! Back in medieval times, people in several Russian provinces liked to eat beef raw, finely chopped and seasoned with salt, pepper and onion juice. German sailors brought the idea back to the port city of Hamburg, where German chefs improved on it by forming the ground beef into little patties and broiling them.

One nice thing about hamburgers, of course, is that there are no dishes to wash. Another is that ground beef itself is still one of today's best food values. Especially at our store. It isn't 1904, but I'm sure you'll agree that Beck's has "fair" prices!

## St. Johns Morning Musicales travels to Milan

Members of St. Johns Morning Musicales, an affiliate of the Michigan Federation of Music Clubs, traveled to Milan, Mich. recently for the South Central District Annual Meeting of the Michigan Federation. A comprehensive overview of computer software available for music classrooms was presented by Dr. Herbert Geisler of Concordia College, Ann Arbor.

During the business meeting, Helen Lewis, president of the Morning Musicales, was presented with the club's first place award for exceptional achievement during the observation of National Music Week in May, 1985.

The *Clinton County News* and the *St. Johns Reminder* were praised for their support of that week also.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jacoby of St. Johns were honored for their volunteer efforts at the State Junior Festival and Gold Cup Auditions held for more than 600 young musicians in March. Their work has been an important part of the Festival's success for a number of years.

Mrs. Kaye Pilmore of Pewamo was elected to the position of District Presi-

dent by acclamation of the South Central delegates.

Mrs. Pilmore, past president of the St. Johns Musicales and South Central District vice-president for the past two years, is an art instructor in the Pewamo-Westphalia School System. She is also the Gallery Director for the Clinton County Arts Council Gallery and Gift Shop located in St. Johns.

## Happy Hoofers are good news, says hospital

More and more walkers are using the Southpoint Mall in St. Johns to do their "mall walking" and that's good news says Sylvia Hirschegger, health promotion coordinator at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

"Walking is one of the best exercises," says Hirschegger. "It promotes weight loss and provides cardiovascular benefits."

Most of the mall walkers are members of Clinton Memorial's "Happy Hoofers Walking Club" organized by Hirschegger in 1984. The club was formed as a means of providing walkers an alternative to outdoor walking. Walkers

become official members by signing in at the Southpoint Mall and logging their own distances walk-

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# community



### RED LETTER DAY —

The St. Johns Eighth Grade Band, under the direction of John Speck, performed as a marching band for the first time last week. The band led a parade of 300 students from Rodney B. Middle School and performed a half time show.

"For the first time we got right out on the field," said Director Speck.

The band is on the move with recording projects and a Christmas concert in the works.

At right, Hans Heikinen plays the flute during the halftime show.



## Cub Scouts hold ceremony

The Arrow of Light Ceremony was the highlight of the October meeting of Riley Cub Scout Pack 515. Earning the award was Robert Nichols, Scott Remus and Jeremy Panasiewicz.

Joining Webelos in a crossover were Ken Potts, Aaron Cilwa, Richie Kozeny, Allen Duwell, Shane McClain and Duane Hyatt.

Other awards given were in Den 1: Robbie Orel — archery belt loop, 1-year pin, 75th anniversary physical fitness award; Danny Blizzard — archery belt loop, 1-year pin, Bear silver arrow; Aaron Cilwa — 75th Michigan Jubilee patch, 75th anniversary physical fitness award, 75th Jubilee campree patch, Cub Scout letter, volleyball pin, physical fitness pin, archery belt loop, physical fitness belt loop, 2-year pin, National Summertime pin; Ken Potts — archery belt loop, physical fitness belt loop, Cub Scout letter, physical fitness pin, volleyball pin, 75th Jubilee campree patch, 75th Michigan Jubilee patch, Bear silver arrow, recruiter stripe, 2-year pin, National Summertime Pin; John Nichols — volleyball pin, physical fitness pin, Cub Scout letter, physical fitness belt loop, 75th Cub Scout fitness award, 75th Jubilee Campree patch, archery belt

loop, National Summertime Pin; Jamie Wagner — Bobcat badge; Matt Arntz — Bobcat badge.

Awards in Webelos went to: Chris Greenfield — pack graduation certificate; Robert Nichols — artist, citizen, craftsman, sportman, cub scout letter, physical fitness award, National Summertime Award, pack graduation certificate; Jeremy Panasiewicz — pack graduation certificate, National Summertime Award, 3-year pin; Scott Remus — National Summertime Award, pack graduation certificate, 3-year pin; Scott Smith — National Summertime Award, pack graduation certificate; Todd Ward — National Summertime Award, pack graduation certificate; James Wilson — pack graduation certificate.

Awards in Den 5 went to: Matt Remus — physical fitness belt loop, Cub Scout sport patch, 75th Anniversary tree patch, National Summertime Pin; Richie Kozeny — volleyball belt loop, Cub Scout sport patch, physical fitness award, 75th Anniversary tree patch, National Summertime pin, 2-year pin, Bear badge, Bear gold arrow, Bear silver arrow; Kyle Fullhart — volleyball belt loop, physical fitness award, Cub Scout sport patch, 3-Wolf Silver Arrows, 1-year pin; Chuck Reck — physical fitness belt loop, Cub Scout sport letter, physical fitness award, 1-year pin, National Summertime Award; Duane Hyatt — volleyball belt loop, physical fitness belt loop, Cub Scout Sport letter, Wolf badge, Wolf gold arrow, 2-year pin, National Summertime Award; Natha Nelson — 75th Anniversary Tree Patch; Klye Black — 75th Anniversary Tree patch; Randy Rieves — 75th Anniversary Tree Patch.

The Pack presented plaques to Dave and Maggi Panasiewicz and Don Potts, leaders leaving the pack.

### Business report

#### Ford's Gil Baker cited for excellence in sales

Gil Baker of St. Johns Ford-Mercury has been recognized for sales excellence in 1985 with Specialist Level membership in Ford Division's 300/500 Masters Program.



Gil Baker

Baker and his wife, Wanda, live at 8254 N. Scott Road, St. Johns.

#### Outlet Travel appoints new St. Johns manager

Outlet Travel Inc. located in the Southgate Plaza, St. Johns, has announced the appointment of Alice Ruge-Cardy as manager. Mrs. Cardy has been in the travel business for more than 14 years with six years devoted to specializing in group arrangements.

Smith and Miriam Bickel, travel counselors at Outlet.

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Parents should report to their child's first class at 7:00 p.m. followed by an abbreviated time schedule for the remainder of the student's classes. In addition, time has been set aside from 8:30 to 9:00 for those who have a special need to meet individually with a particular staff member.

Coffee and cider will be served in the cafeteria from 8:30 until 10:00 p.m. Counselors and administrators will be available to answer any additional questions which parents might have.

All staff members and parents will adjourn to the cafeteria at 9:30. A form will be available for the parent to sign if they were unable to meet a particular teacher. The teacher will then contact them at a later date.

## Dracula welcomes everyone to Ithaca

The Ninth Annual Dracula's Dungeon, sponsored by the Ithaca Jaycees, is planned for Oct. 28-31.

Held at the Historical Village barn located a mile south of the Ithaca stoplight,

the Dungeon features a special "scary" trip which entertains young and old alike.

Hours for this year's Dungeon are 7 until 9:30 p.m. on Oct. 28-30 and from 7 to 10:00 p.m. on Oct. 31.

### Sheriff report

#### Local man charged after knife attack

A St. Johns man was arrested following a report that he stabbed a man in Maple Rapids on Oct. 16.

The Clinton County Sheriff's Department says Marty L. Hattis, of Maple Rapids, was taken by ambulance to the Carson City Hospital after he was apparently stabbed by Byron B. Grubaugh, of St. Johns. Hattis was later transferred to Sparrow Hospital in Lansing.

Grubaugh was arrested and charged with felonious assault. He was released on \$4,000 personal recognizance bond the next day.

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# Watch for symptoms of disease

The flu, or various symptoms identified as influenza, occurs more frequently during the winter months. Influenza is a viral infection, and as such, warrants special attention because a fatal children's disease is associated with it.

The disease, Reye's Syndrome, affects children from infancy through adolescence and can develop three to five days after the onset of the

chicken pox, an upper respiratory illness, or other viral infections. It affects the liver and brain, is non-contagious, and is often misdiagnosed as encephalitis, meningitis, diabetes, poisoning, drug overdose, or sudden infant death syndrome.

After a viral infection has seemingly run its course and the child is feeling better, the following symptoms should be

treated as serious and as possibly the first indications of Reye's Syndrome. Anti-nausea medication may mask the symptoms of the disease and because of the possible association of aspirin with Reye's Syndrome, parents should consult their physician before using these drugs. Watch for these symptoms, usually occurring in this order:

- Persistent or continuous vomiting.

- Listlessness (loss of pep and energy, drowsiness).
- Personality change (such as irritability, combativeness or slurred speech).

- Disorientation (unable to identify whereabouts, or family members).
- Delirium, convulsions.

A child's life can depend on early diagnosis. Reye's Syndrome should be suspected in any child with chicken pox who vomits repeatedly. Phone your physician immediately if these symptoms develop and tell him you suspect Reye's Syndrome. If your doctor is not available, take your child to an emergency room promptly.

Two liver function tests (SGOT/SGPT) can be done to determine the possibility of Reye's Syndrome. There is a 90 percent chance of

recovery when the syndrome is treated in its earliest stages by physicians and nurses experienced in the treatment of Reye's.

Epidemiologic research has shown an association between the development of Reye's Syndrome and the use of aspirin for treating the symptoms of influenza-like illnesses, chicken pox, and colds.

The U.S. Surgeon General, the Food and Drug Administration, and the Centers for Disease Control recommend that aspirin and combination products containing aspirin not be given to children 18 years of age and under during episodes of these illnesses.

For more information, contact the National Reye's Syndrome Foundation, P.O. Box 829AB, Bryan, Ohio 43506.

## Lansing area promoted

The 1985-86 promotional campaign for Greater Lansing was introduced at a reception held at the Sheraton Inn of Lansing Oct. 16.

Over 125 area business, community, and government leaders as well as media representatives served as an audience through a brief slide presentation on the Greater Lansing area and the campaign to promote it. The reception was hosted by the Convention/Visitors Bureau of Greater Lansing.

"This campaign addresses a need that is apparent, a need for a stronger sense of civic pride and awareness in the Lansing area," said Dick Carroll, executive director of the Convention/Visitors Bureau of Greater Lansing. "We'll start by selling Lansing on Lansing...then we can go outside to attract the conventions and visitors that Michigan's Capital City should have."

The bureau coordinated and funded campaign is designed in two phases.

The first phase is dedicated to promoting to residents the under recognized things to do and see in Greater Lansing.

A second phase of the campaign, planned for the second half of 1986, will promote Greater Lansing outside of the area as a convention and visitors site.

The selected theme, "LanZing...Look at us now!" was conceived in a cooperative effort with the Lansing Chamber of Commerce and various representatives of Michigan State University, area civic and business groups, and officials from the Lansing and surrounding city and township governments.

Campaign elements for the '85 "LanZing...Look at us now!" promotion include a city guide, street

banners for Capital and Michigan Avenues, additional banners for display in area businesses, malls, merchant window stickers, and buttons. Additional items such as t-shirts, bumper stickers, outdoor billboards, radio, and television public service announcements are planned for 1986.

All materials, including reproducible black/white and color artwork, are available to area businesses and civic groups free of charge from the Convention/Visitors Bureau of Greater Lansing in an effort to motivate continued community support and participation.

For more information, contact: Convention/Visitors Bureau of Greater Lansing, Civic Center, Suite 302, Lansing, MI (517) 487-6800.

## Correction

The caption of the photograph of Mark Stapleman and Taffy Olsen in the Oct. 22 issue incorrectly identified Mr. Stapleman as an administrator at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He is an administrator at Hazel I. Findlay Country Manor.

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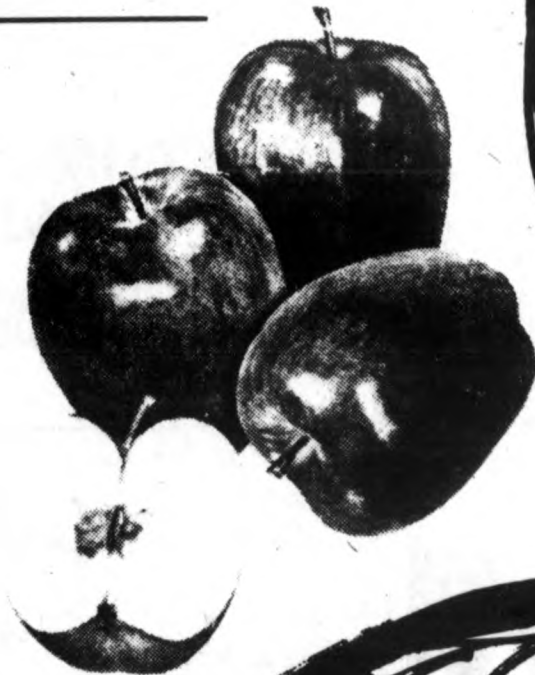


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**District court report**

These are the sentences of 65th District Court Judge Jeffrey Martlew as of Oct. 22:

Joseph Hilton, Lansing — convicted of malicious destruction of property; \$305 fine and costs, six months probation.

Michael Wilkie, St. Johns — convicted of operating without insurance; \$255 fine and costs.

Lawrence Floate Jr., Maple Rapids — convicted of impaired driving; \$405 fine and costs, one year probation, must attend alcohol counseling, and license suspended for four months.

Pamela Lou Bender, Lansing — convicted of operating under influence; \$605 fine and costs, one year probation, must attend alcohol counseling and license suspended for one year.

Christopher Lane, Lansing — convicted of leaving scene of P.D. accident and driving while license suspended; \$405 fine and costs, ten days in jail, one year probation.

Donald Murray, Grand Ledge — convicted of impaired driving; \$405 fine and costs, one year probation, must attend alcohol counseling and license suspended for four months.

Gary Wilkins, Bath — convicted of impaired driving and open intoxicants; \$605 fine and costs, one year probation, must attend alcohol counseling and license suspended for ten months.

Jay McDiarmid, St. Johns — convicted of impaired driving; \$405 fine and costs, one year probation, must attend alcohol counseling, and license suspended for four months.

Alan Cunningham, Lansing — convicted of operating under influence; \$505 fine and costs, one year probation, must attend alcohol counseling, and license suspended for six months.

Richard Hart, East Lansing — convicted of operating under influence; \$605 fine and costs, 15 days in jail, probation for two months, must attend alcohol counseling and license suspended for two years.

Homer Randall, Prudenville — convicted of operating under influence; \$505 fine and costs, three days in jail, one year probation, must attend alcohol counseling and license suspended for ten months.

Robin Gregory, St. Johns — convicted of impaired driving; \$405 fine and costs, 90 days probation, license suspended for four months.

Stella Cichocki, Laingsburg — convicted of impaired driving; \$155 fine and costs, six months probation, license suspended for 90 days and must spend 40 hours of community service.

Richard Mosher, Bay City — convicted of operating under influence; \$805 fine and costs, one year probation, must attend alcohol counseling and license suspended for 180 days.

Jessie Martinex, Breckenridge — convicted of impaired driving; \$705 fine and costs, one year probation, six days in jail, must attend alcohol counseling and license suspended for 18 months.

Bernad Terwilliger, Lansing — convicted of driving while license suspended, first offense and use of marijuana; \$505 fine and costs.

William Jagloski, East Lansing — convicted of blood alcohol content over 10 percent; \$405 fine and costs, one year probation, must attend alcohol counseling and license suspended for six months.

Carl Beggren, Muskegon — convicted of no insurance and improper plates, driving while license suspended; 30 days in jail.

Ronald Lewis, Perrinton — convicted of drunk and disorderly; \$105 fine and costs, or five days in jail.

Gregory Darnell, Lansing — convicted of impaired driving and driving while license suspended; \$505 fine and costs, three days in jail, one year probation, must attend alcohol counseling and license suspended for six months.

Timothy Proctor, Haslett — convicted of operating under influence; \$505 fine and costs, one year probation, must attend alcohol counseling and license suspended for nine months.

Carol Reddy, DeWitt — convicted of impaired driving; \$405 fine and costs, one year probation, must attend alcohol counseling and license suspended for two years.

Delbert King, Lansing — convicted of operating under influence; \$805 fine and costs, ten days in jail, one year probation, must attend alcohol counseling and license suspended for six months.

Jay Sherman, Lansing — convicted of operating under influence and minor in possession; \$455 fine and costs, 14 months probation, must attend alcohol counseling and license suspended for six months.

Sharon Mitchell, Stockbridge — convicted of operating under the influence, second offense and driving while license suspended; one year jail and license suspended for two years.

Edmundo Compos, Lansing — convicted of impaired driving; \$405 fine and costs, four months license suspension.

Christian Stapor, Eagle — convicted of impaired driving; \$505 fine and costs, two days in jail, license suspended for eight months.

Pamela Porter, Elsie — convicted of disorderly person and minor in possession; \$140 fine and costs.

Johnnie Henry, Lansing — convicted of driving while license suspended; \$305 fine and costs.

Ricky Pane, St. Johns — convicted of probation violator; five days in jail and costs of \$60.

Michael O'Dell, Elsie — convicted of probation violation; 10 days jail, probation continued for six months, must attend alcohol counseling.

Mark Tressel, St. Johns — convicted of disorderly person; \$105 fine and cost.

**Ambulance service is discussed**

Area ambulance services met with Clinton Memorial Hospital emergency physicians, nurses and other staff recently as part of an ongoing effort to ensure prompt communications between emergency rescue teams and the hospital.

Local ambulance services taking part included Ashley, Ovid, Elsie, Laingsburg, City of DeWitt and the Clinton Area Ambulance Service.

Also on hand was Godon Weber, representing Motorola which supplies the ambulances with their radio systems, and Dennis Salisbury, State Electronics.

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**In path of I-69**

# Swartz is saving the trees

Paul Swartz, a Bath resident and environmental specialist, is spearheading an effort to save trees in the path of I-69 construction and replant them on public property throughout the township.

The state department of transportation has given the township permission to take the trees, and Swartz organized a committee of more than 10 residents to study just what trees are available and where they might be planted.

Swartz is donating his expertise, and at least one

local contractor has offered to move the trees at cost.

The approximate charge for moving the trees with a tree spade is \$35 per tree, which Parks and Recreation Director Michael Gray says is one-fifth of the market value of the trees.

Gray says so far the committee has discovered in the path of the highway oak, maple, ash, and evergreen trees, along with shrubbery such as yew.

The township board okayed the project, and

will take money from the parks development fund to finance it.

However, the committee is looking for individuals or service organizations to donate money for the planting and dedication of trees on public property, to reimburse the township.

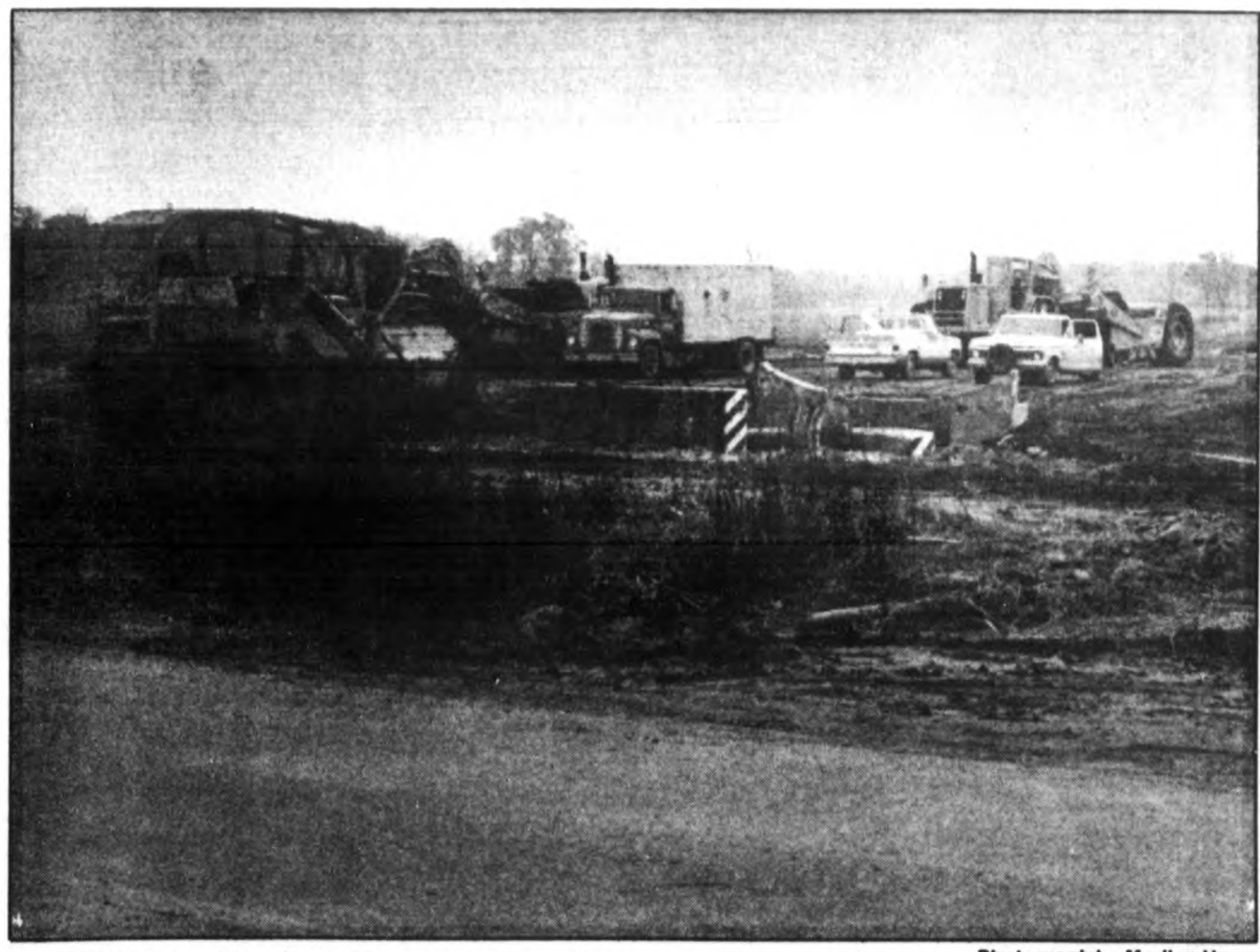
Swartz says the trees can be planted along the road right of way in front of residences, on school property, or near the township hall, among other places.

The state requires that the trees be planted on public property, and that

the township not make a profit by selling the plants for more than cost.

Swartz and the committee are seeking more volunteers to help with the project, and for suggestions as to where the trees should be planted. The trees must be moved before the first hard frost, which leaves about a month, he says.

For more information, or to help what Swartz calls the "silent community" of trees by donating money, call him at 641-6873, or call the township hall at 641-6728.



Photograph by Marilyn Hess

**PROGRESS** — This sight of heavy machinery that can be seen off Clark Road signals the beginning of construction on a new branch of I-69 through Bath Township. It is the beginning of the end of many years' work and planning.

# The war that Michigan won

Did you know that time proved Michigan a winner in a war that was never fought. And in that war, Michigan was declared the loser?

It was the infamous Toledo War between Michigan and Ohio that took place in 1835 when Michigan, still a territory, sent troops to prevent the governor of Ohio from holding court and establishing jurisdiction of the "Toledo Strip," previously claimed by Michigan.

Spoiling for a fight,

Michigan volunteers stormed into the Toledo area of Ohio only to learn that local militia had fled. Local residents told the Michigan troops they could occupy the city as long as there was no "disturbance."

After four days' occupation, Michigan troops were ordered back by Michigan's boy Governor, Steven T. Mason. Gov. Mason had been removed from office by the President of the United States, Andrew Jackson, four days after he ordered the

volunteers to Ohio. Mason continued to lead Michigan in the absence of an appointed successor.

Michigan was declared the loser because Ohio got the Port of Toledo and the war delayed Michigan's entrance into the Union until 1837. Michigan however, was given 9,000 square miles of mineral-rich and scenic Upper Peninsula, an area that in time proved many times more valuable than what the winner — Ohio — received.

The story of the Toledo

war from a soldiers point of view is recounted in the September/October issue of *Michigan History*, the state's official publication. Published by the Bureau of History of the Department of State, *Michigan History* is available in single copies for \$2 each or subscriptions for \$9.95. The magazine is also available on newsstands. Checks should be made payable to the State of Michigan, and mailed to the Bureau of History, Michigan Department of State, 208 N. Capitol, Lansing, MI 48918.

# Marines kick off toy campaign

The Marine Corps Reserve Toys-for-Tots campaign will begin Nov. 1, announced Sgt. Maj. Kidd, Inspector-Instructor Staff, Company C, of the

Lansing Marines. The Toys-for-Tots Program is an annual toy collecting drive spearheaded by Marines located in more than 180 cities throughout

the United States. The toys are given to less fortunate children at Christmas time.

Last year the Lansing Marines collected 20,000 toys and 6,600 children were reached. They might have had a pretty bleak Christmas if it wasn't for the generosity of the community.

The honorary national chairperson for this year's campaign is Emmanuel Lewis, star of ABC-TV's hit series "Webster".

Local businesses and organizations which have

already joined the Lansing Marines in the campaign include: WFSL Television, WITL Radio, Midas Muffler Shops, Capital City Comic, BOC Lansing, and other businesses and organizations are expected to participate.

Numerous collection barrels will be placed throughout the city. The Marines are looking forward to your donation of new unwrapped toys for the drive.

For further information, contact the Marines on the Toys-for-Tots hotline at area code (517) 377-1674.

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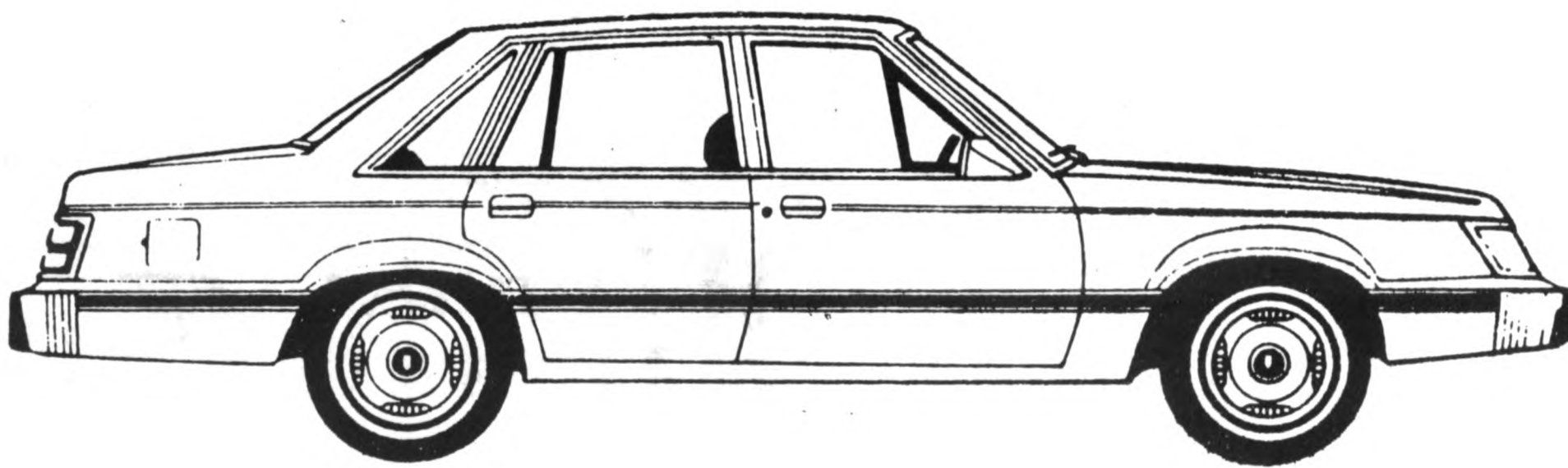
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# farm

Clinton County News 224-2361

## Farmers: .27 of each dollar

A dollar spent on food at the supermarket or restaurant in 1984 provided only 27 cents to the American farmer, reports the Michigan Farm Bureau. The remaining 73 cents covered marketing costs — from packaging to profit. The Farm Bureau cites these figures in a new brochure titled "Who Gets Your Food Dollar"

For the past several years, the brochure says, labor costs associated with the preparation, shipping and marketing of food have exceeded the actual cost of the food itself. Currently, labor costs represent 33 percent of the store price of food. Other major costs include: packaging at eight percent; transportation, five percent; before-tax profits, five percent; rent and depreciation, four per-

cent; energy costs, four percent; and advertising, 2½ percent.

The Farm Bureau figures also show U.S. consumers pay some of the lowest prices for food found anywhere in the world. A sirloin steak which costs \$2.93 per pound in Washington, D.C., sells for \$14.12 at food stores in Japan and \$5.35 in London. Wheat flour costs

American consumers 21 cents a pound, but shoppers in France must spend 62 cents, while the cost in Sweden is 30 cents a pound. Japanese shoppers pay 81 cents for a quart of milk which costs 71 cents in Canada but only 44 cents in the United States.

The U.S. farm share of the consumer food dollar varies a great deal from one product to another.

Dairy farmers receive 52 percent of the price paid for milk, while wheat farmers earn 9½ percent of the value of a loaf of bread, tomato growers receive nine percent of the sale price of a can of tomatoes and orange growers receive 33 percent of the cost of an orange.

## Cargo to be farm bill issue

Cargo preference is expected to be one of the first items debated when the 1985 farm bill hits the Senate floor later this month, according to Al Almy, director of public affairs for the Michigan Farm Bureau.

Almy said Farm Bureau will push for language in the bill that would exempt blended credit and other new commercial credit programs from cargo preference.

"Cargo preference penalizes our ability to sell in the world market," Almy said. "It is estimated that cargo preference adds from \$40 to \$60 a ton to the cost of shipping our commodities to export markets. In a highly competitive market, which the export business is, that can take us totally out of the picture."

The U.S. House, which passed its version of the farm bill earlier this month, retained the Mer-

chant Marine Committee's cargo preference language, which says that half of all Food for Peace, donational and export credit transactions must be shipped on U.S. flag vessels. A Farm Bureau-backed amendment to ex-

empt blended credit from the requirement was rejected.

Almy said that Farm Bureau supports a strong Merchant Marine, but believes that agriculture should not have to pay the price with lost markets.

## Dairy producers increase output

Milk cows in Michigan produced 476 million pounds of milk during September, up nine percent from September 1984, according to the Federal/State Michigan Agricultural Reporting Service.

Milk output per cow averaged 1,195 pounds up 85 pounds (eight percent) from a year earlier. Milk cow numbers continued to increase, as the September inventory of 398,000 head was up 6,000 from one year ago. Cow numbers reached their highest level in Michigan since Feb. 1984.

The value of milk sold in Michigan averaged \$12.20 per hundredweight (cwt.) during September, down \$1.30 from a year earlier. Slaughter cow prices were up slightly from a year ago. Grain and concentrate feeding rates remain at a high level. The quantity of grain and other concentrates fed daily to milk cows in Michigan averaged 16.5 pounds per cow on Oct. 1, up one pound from a year ago. The value of a typical dairy concentrate ration averaged \$6.00 per cwt., down 60 cents from

Oct. 1984. Nationally, milk production during Sept. totaled 12 billion pounds, a record high for September and 11 percent more than September, 1984. Production per cow averaged 76 pounds above a year earlier. Milk cow numbers, at 11.2 million, were up three percent.

Dairy manufacturing plants in Michigan produced over 3.9 million pounds of butter during August 1985, nearly double the unusually low Aug. 1984 butter output. American cheese production exceeded 1.7 million pounds, an increase of 46 percent from the previous year. Ice cream production reached nearly 3.4 million gallons, a drop of three percent from the Aug. 1984 output.

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### In the service

**Scott Westpfahl**  
 Scott Westpfahl, son of Keith and Marilyn Westpfahl of Sumner, Iowa, has been specially identified for early promotion to senior airman in the U.S. Air Force.

military knowledge bearing and self-improvement efforts. Westpfahl is a security police technical instructor at Lackland Air Force Base, Tex., with the 3283rd School Squadron. His wife, Patti, is the daughter of James and Mary Ann Fedewa of Fowler. The airman is a 1981 graduate of North Fayette High School, Iowa.

### Ovid-Elsie youths in tractor contest

Ovid-Elsie youth competed in the Region IV Tractor Driving Contest held in Byron recently. The team of Brian Weller, Tom Bower and Troy Luznak took first place and a gold rating. Troy Luznak took third place in the two-wheel event and was second

overall. Brian Weller took second place in the four-wheel event and Tom Bower scored consistent with the rest of the team. The regional creed speaking contest was held at the same time and Ovid-Elsie's John Lehman placed second.

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## Agricultural news Dairy computers

Marilyn Loudenslager



In the Midwest, being a dairy farmer usually means not only milking cows and raising replacements, but also growing all the feed for the herd, grain as well as forage.

Agricultural Experiment Station researchers at Michigan State University used a computer simulation to find that for most levels of milk production and investment growing all feed isn't the most profitable approach.

J.G. Hlubik (now at Pennsylvania State University), Roy Black and John Speicher looked at records of dairy operations enrolled during 1971-82 in Telfarm, Michigan's computerized farm accounting system, and found that dairy producers who grew all their own feed lost money on

their cropping operations in ten of those 12 years. The dairy portion of the farms, on the other hand, showed a profit in 11 out of 12 years.

"We decided to look at three ways of securing feed for a dairy operation — purchasing all feed, raising forages and purchasing grain, and raising all feed — and see how they related to profitability at various levels of milk production and investment," explains Speicher, a dairy scientist in the MSU Department of Animal Science.

"Generally speaking, as milk production and level of investment increased, the profitability of buying all feed or buying grain and growing forage also increased. At all levels of milk production and investment, growing all feed

was the least profitable strategy."

Purchasing all feeds does entail more risk, of course. Milk prices could go down and feed prices up, cutting profitability. The producer who has to buy all the feed has no way to hedge, while the producer who grows all the feed rarely has a total crop failure. The producer who buys feed also doesn't have to have the investment in land and machinery to grow feed, however, and can invest resources instead in cows and dairy facilities. At high levels of production, this should provide the best return on investment.

Speicher and his colleagues are not advocating that Michigan dairy farmers stop growing their feed today. Their

milk and manage the cows and grow the forage but buy the grain," Speicher says. "Across all levels of investment and milk production in our study, this strategy was either the most or the second most profitable."

Without the demands of grain production on their time and other resources, producers could improve the timeliness of their forage harvest and probably produce a higher quality crop, he suggests. They could also spend more time on dairy management, herd health and breeding management, which are all key factors in achieving and maintaining high milk production and maximum profitability.

Marilyn Loudenslager is the Agricultural Agent for the Clinton County Cooperative Extension Service.

investment in land and equipment has already been made, and a switch to purchased feeds would probably entail expansion of herds, additional investment in dairy facilities and extra labor costs. But people just entering dairying and those reorganizing dairy farms with an eye to increasing long-term profitability should consider concentrating their efforts on the dairy enterprise and letting someone else grow at least the grain.

"Probably a good middle course for many dairy operators would be to

## Mid-Michigan rep

### DeVuyst named to board

Larry DeVuyst of Ithaca has been confirmed by the U.S. Senate as a member of the Federal Farm Credit Board. He was the choice of Congressman Bill Schuette and the entire Michigan congressional delegation.

"I am pleased and proud that Larry DeVuyst will be representing mid-Michigan in this key position," said Congressman Schuette. "We know the serious problems farmers and their families are facing, and the troubles of the farm credit system are only now surfacing."

The Federal Farm Credit Board is the policy-making arm of the Federal Farm Credit Administration. The Federal Farm Credit Administration supervises and coordinates the activities of the Federal Farm Credit System. As one of 12 members of the Federal Farm Credit Board, DeVuyst will represent the states of Michigan, Wisconsin and North Dakota.

DeVuyst has been a President of the Gratiot County Farm Bureau,

served on the Farmer's House Administration Loan Committee for Gratiot, Shiawassee and Clinton counties, and operates DeVuyst Farms in Ithaca.

"Larry DeVuyst's long experience in farming and farm policy will make him an excellent representative of mid-Michigan farmers on the Federal Farm Credit Board," said Congressman Schuette. "I look forward to working with him for mid-Michigan's farming future."

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## Clover Clippings Life skills

Theresa Silm



Young people have the opportunity to learn skills in classes offered through schools or other community groups, but very often 4-H comes out on top in helping young people to learn life skills. Why is this true?

"The 4-H Club setting provides small group, interactive learning experiences that teach young people not only skills in career exploration, for example, but also leadership, responsibility, communication and social skills," says Ruth Eggert, Michigan 4-H Program Leader. "Members of 4-H clubs learn the value of cooperation and working with others to complete a task."

Egert explains that children are more likely to participate in activities they enjoy and find satisfying. 4-H provides active, fun learning while helping young people develop a scale of values, their social personality and acceptable societal roles, build a wholesome attitude about themselves and achieve personal independence.

"Greater emphasis should be put on the process members go through in a 4-H club rather than the end product," Eggert explains. "For example, giving 4-H'ers the responsibility of making meals on a camping trip is more important than the perfect blueberry pancakes that may be a adult leader's speciality — even if everyone must eat the slightly raw or slightly burnt pancakes of the young campers."

In studies done around the country, 4-H members and volunteer leaders have been asked to identify the benefits of being involved in 4-H. The majority of respondents identify leadership — learning to plan and work with others, cooperation, decision-making, responsibility; and personal and social skills — communication, self-confidence, patience and the ability to meet and interact with all kinds of people; as the benefits they reap from being 4-H members or leaders.

In 4-H clubs, members serve as offices, on planning committees and, ideally make most of the decisions related to activities of their club. Eggert suggests that

4-H volunteers practice "shadow leadership" — watching, observing, offering suggestions, support and encouragement, but allowing members to be the "leaders" of the group. She also advises clubs to meet on a regular and consistent basis — whether it's once per month for ten months or once per week for three months; and to encourage all members to be a part of the group — sharing ideas and experiences.

"4-H mixes together boys and girls, younger youth and older youth, caring adults, diverse and exciting experiences, the club setting and the knowledge and expertise of Michigan State University specialists," Eggert says. "The result is a unique program meeting the needs of today's young people all over Michigan." Theresa Silm is the 4-H Youth Agent for the Clinton County Cooperative Extension Service.

## Genealogist to lecture

The Genealogists will meet Nov. 4 in the Capital Federal Building in downtown St. Johns at 7:30 p.m. The guest speaker for the meeting will be Arlynn Gantz, an experienced genealogist who will present a program on "Research in Ohio".

Meetings are open to the public and memberships are available at each meeting.

For the benefit of the archives in the DeWitt Township office building, the genealogists will sponsor a trash and treasure sale at the archives on Nov. 8 and 9. Donations may be taken to the archives between 8:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. on Nov. 4 to

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- Nov. 3 — George McQueen's Retirement Party, Smith Hall, 2:00-4:00 p.m.
- Nov. 5 — "Lose It and Love It" weight loss series
- Nov. 9 — 4-H Fair Board Thanksgiving Dance, Smith Hall
- Nov. 11 — 4-H Fair Office closed.
- Annual Fair Association Meeting.
- "Creating a Carefree Christmas", Smith Hall, 1:30-3:00 p.m.
- Nov. 12 — 4-H Toronto Trip
- Nov. 15 — 4-H Enrollments due in office
- Nov. 15-17 — Kettunen Center Horse Leader Workshop
- Nov. 16 — Christmas Workshop, Smith Hall

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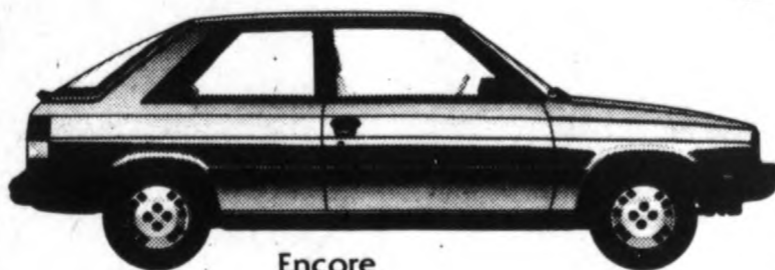


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**Calendar**

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 29**

The Eureka Burial Ground Committee will hold their annual meeting for all lot owners in the community room at Beck's Farm Market beginning at 7 p.m. All interested persons are urged to attend.

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1**

DeWitt Auxiliary Post #671 will sponsor a booth at the Lansing Mall Bazaar during mall hours.

Ashley United Methodist Women will hold a bazaar, bake sale and luncheon in the Ashley United Methodist Church basement from 9 a.m. through 3 p.m. Soup and sandwich luncheon served at 11 a.m. through 3 p.m.

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2**

The Ashley Sportsman Club's "Fall Fling" Dance will be held at the Ashley Sportsman Club, Mason Road, Elsie from 8:30 p.m. until 12:30 a.m. Music provided by the Mello-tones. Tickets are \$8 per couple or \$4 for single. Snacks provided, BYOB, door prizes.

The Blackwood Quartet will perform at a gospel concert at the First Assembly of God, US-27 and Baldwin Street, St. Johns at 7:30 p.m. The public is welcome. Freewill offering will be taken.

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4**

Genealogists meet in the Capital Federal Building, St. Johns, at 7:30 p.m. Guest speaker will be Arlynn Gantz, speaking on "Research in Ohio". Public is invited.

M.A.R.S.P. will hold a meeting at Wacousta Masonic Temple with a catered lunch at 12 noon.

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7**

St. Therese Parish, Lansing, will host the annual "Shower of Roses" benefit card party at 8 p.m. in the main auditorium of the Lansing Civic Center. A Country Store Bazaar will open at 11:30 a.m. and remain open until the end of the day. Prizes and raffle drawings as well as a fashion show by Greens Apparel are also planned.

St. Joseph Altar Society will hold their annual bazaar and bake sale from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. in the St. Joe Gym, St. Johns. Booths, crafts, baked goods, and raffle drawings are planned. Lunch will be served from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Prices are \$2.50 for adults, \$1.25 for children aged 6-12 and children under 5 are free.

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8**

Trash and Treasure Sale will be held at the archives in the DeWitt Township office building. Donations for the benefit of the Archives.

A family style fish supper will be served by Wacousta Masonic Lodge #359. Serving will be from 4:30 until 7:30 p.m. Take out dinners are available at a reduced price. Wacousta is located five miles west on Airport Road from Grand River to Wacousta Road and 2 1/2 miles north on Wacousta Road.

Fall Arts and Crafts Show from 6 until 9:00 p.m. and Saturday from 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. at the DeWitt Township Hall, 4700 Brook Road, Lansing, sponsored by DeWitt Township Parks and Recreation Commission.

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9**

First Congregational Church, St. Johns, will hold their annual "Seasons Greetings Bazaar" beginning at 10:00 a.m. Lunch will be served from 11:00 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. and a Swiss Steak Dinner from 5:00 until 7:00 p.m. Gift items, Country crafts, Christmas tree ornaments, dried flowers, jellies and baked goods will be featured.

The Expectant Parent Organization will sponsor two four-week series of breathing and relaxation classes in St. Johns at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Classes will run from 7:00 until 9:00 p.m. The fee is \$20 per couple. Pre-registrations will be accepted at 337-7365.

Annual Swiss Steak Family Style Dinner at the Masonic Temple in Maple Rapids. Donations: \$5 for adults, \$3.25 for 12 and under, free for children five years and under. Proceeds will go to the Benefit Christmas Fund, Lodge No. 145.

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10**

The monthly Mass and Social for the sight-impaired of the Greater Lansing Area will be held at 2:00 p.m. at St. Casimir's Old School Chapel. Those needing transportation may call 484-4230 (Catholic Inquiry for the Blind).

**Hospital news**

Several Clinton Memorial staff physicians provide support to joined doctors from throughout the state at the Professional Liability Rally held at the State Capitol. The purpose of the rally was to foster reform of the medical professional liability situation and to provide support to legislators who are concerned with the current liability system. In some areas, medical malpractice suits have resulted in many physicians altering their services in order to avoid potential malpractice suits.

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**PUMPKIN CHALLENGE** — Clinton County News staffer Joan Clark kept seeing photos of big pumpkins in the newspaper and claims that last year her family had the biggest one of all. Her family found a 600-pound monster "out in the boonies," near Laingsburg, she says. Those two munchkins are Joan's kids, Tina Marie, 5, and Tiffani Sue, 2.

**Zoning**

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**Homeowners**

Many homeowners, on the other hand, are wary of what might happen if their neighborhoods are rezoned for commercial. Traffic, the effect of rezoning on the value of their property and the specter of financial loss in the event their homes are destroyed are among their concerns.

"Is this going to create more traffic of we do a bigger commercial district?" asked Lee Walker, 207 W. Walker.

Walker said he already has trouble with parking congestion in front of his house — at times his driveway has been blocked — as those working or shopping downtown leave their cars in the unregulated spaces on his street.

June Ward, a Lansing St. homeowner on the same block Marrah had requested rezoned for commercial, opposed that rezoning, partially because she expects commercial activity to generate traffic in an area she said already has too much traffic.

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if they are more than 60 percent destroyed, she said homeowners could suffer severe financial loss in that case.

An investigation conducted by her insurance agent, she said, indicated that insurance companies would not pay 100 percent of the replacement of a house only 60 percent destroyed — leaving the homeowner both unable to rebuild and unable to collect for the total value of the home — a point vehemently contested by Planning Commission Chairman Jim Moore.

"You could easily suffer a financial loss," Ward said.

She also asked how many empty storefronts are currently available for commercial use in areas that are already zoned commercial.

She also said Lansing Street, where she owns property and where Marrah wants to expand his business, is predominantly residential.

**"IF THEY WANT** to expand they should expand on Clinton Avenue," she said.

A Clinton Avenue property owner who said he owns the first home in the residentially zoned area adjacent to the commercially zoned area, was not sure he wanted his street rezoned either.

"If they're going to go west in maybe 10 or 12 years, what's that going to do to my property value?" he asked.

**Few answers**

Ben Munger, a member of both the Planning Commission and the City Commission, who initiated Thursday's hearing, said that in general homeowners in commercially rezoned districts will find their property values enhanced if they sell to a buyer who will use the property for commercial development. Their property value is likely to decrease if the property is sold for private use, he said.

That was one of the few answers stated at the hearing. Mostly, questions were raised. Among them:

- \* What is the demand for property downtown?
  - \* How many empty storefronts are currently available?
  - \* Is there an interest in downtown development and who will pay for it?
  - \* How will parking considerations affect a plan for downtown?
  - \* Will retail businesses leave the downtown area if they can not expand and, if so, is that necessarily a bad thing?
- The questions are all geared toward coming up with a long range plan. But one Higham Street resident may have summarized the difficulty in resolving two different ideas about the future shape of downtown.
- "Mr. Marrah needs that property now," she said. "Not 15 years down the road."

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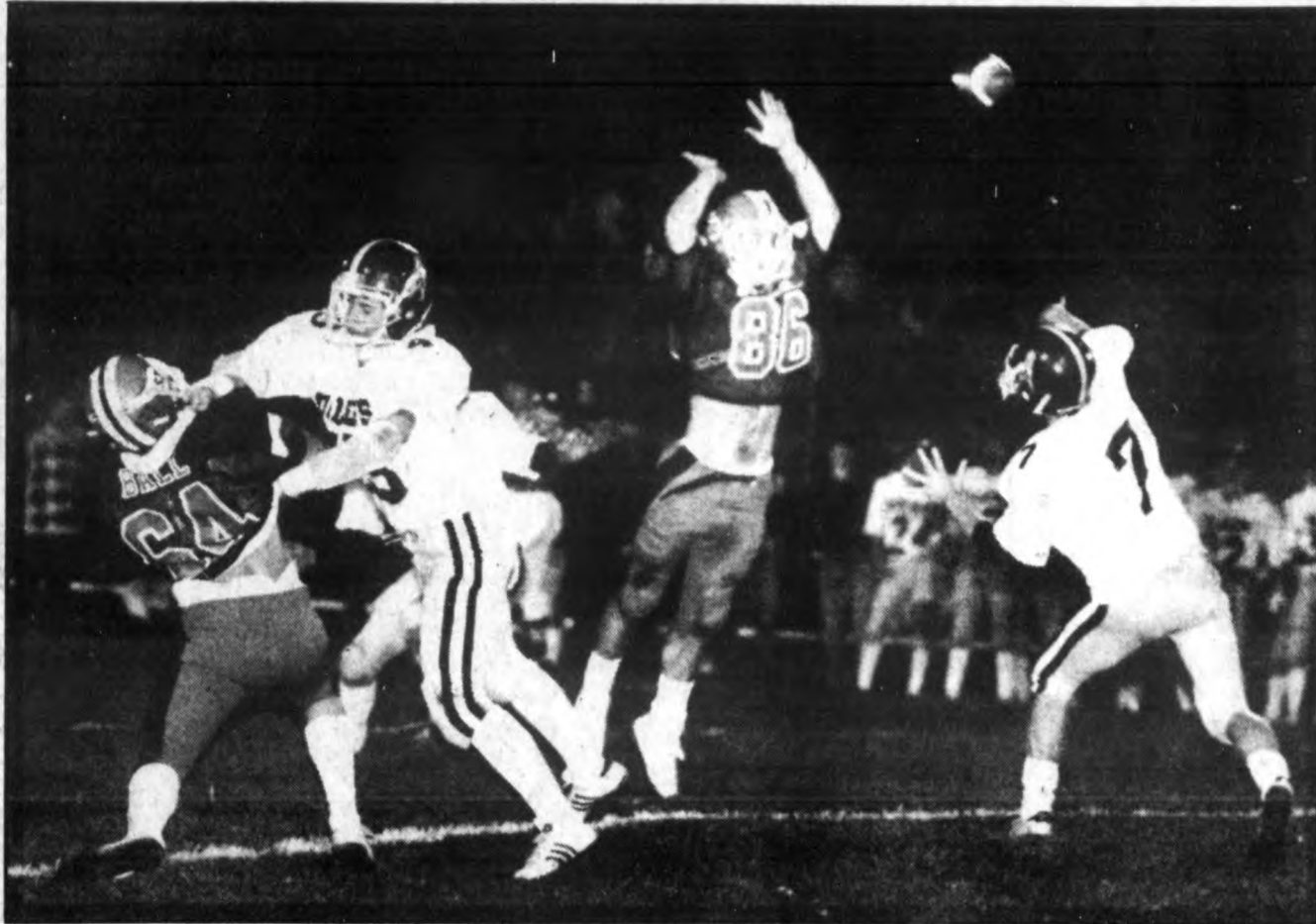


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**STRETCHING OUT** — Senior defensive end Brent Irer stretches his 6'3" frame out in attempt to block a Mt. Pleasant pass. St. Johns played tough defense and scored at will offensively in their 46-28 romp over Mt. Pleasant before appreciative fans at Friday's Parents Night.

## Four win

### County teams fare well

#### ST. JOHNS

St. Johns ended their 1985 home season on a very upbeat note as they bombarded Mt. Pleasant 46-28 in a non-conference game last week.

It was a perfect football game, both in terms of weather and in overall play by the Redwings.

Bill Keenoy, junior fullback, put on quite a show for the Parents Night crowd, scoring on one and three yard runs and returning a fumble 20 yards for another touchdown. Coach Kjolhede is certain to be glad that Keenoy was not one of the seniors playing at Buck Field for the last time.

Junior quarterback, Jerry DuWell, teamed up with graduating Sean Atkinson on touchdown passes of 52 and 75 yards to add more points to the Redwing romp.

Kent Ley added six more points on a 24-yard run and defensive tackle, Doug Bush ran a blocked punt back 38 yards for another touchdown.

St. Johns, currently 3-5 on the year, will end season play Friday with an away game against Grand Ledge — their old rival from West Central Conference days.

#### FULTON

The Fulton Pirates' long road trip to Dansville was well worth the drive, as they blanked the Aggies 21-0.

Quarterback Todd Walden had a fine night, completing nine of ten passes. Two of those went for touchdowns.

Coach Leo Rosencranz hopes for a final game victory this Friday against Ithaca. Fulton will host the Yellowjackets (4-2-2) for their Senior Night activities.

#### FWLER

The Fowler Eagles, unbeaten and ranked fifth in the State Class D poll, added another win to their record last Friday, beating Genesee 20-6 at home.

Fowler's scores came on runs of one and 38 yards by quarterback Dean Koenigsnecht and a three-yard run

by senior tailback, David Miller.

Fowler added points on a completed two-point conversion pass from Koenigsnecht to Rex Thelen.

Once again the Eagles defense played a key role in the victory as a blocked punt by Dan Armbrustmacher set up Fowler's first score.

Fowler ends regular season play in a game at Portland this Friday.

#### PEWAMO-WESTPHALIA

Pewamo-Westphalia came out on the short end of the stick, and the scoreboard, in a 28-8 loss to Class B Corunna.

Two interceptions in the end zone hurt the Pirates as they drove the ball well, but were unable to score.

P-W's "workhorse", Dennis Theis, carried the ball 21 times for 105 yards and scored the Pirates only touchdown. Bill Schneider caught a two-point conversion pass to complete scoring for P-W.

Pewamo-Westphalia will try to end the year with a winning record as they take on Carson City at home this Friday. Carson City's record is a good one at 5-2 overall.

#### OVID-ELSIE

The Ovid-Elsie Mauarders put together a first-class offensive show beating Ecorse 46-6 in their non-conference game last week.

Bob Foreback returned a punt 67 yards for one O-E touchdown and added two more hitting Bill Hithens on a 12-yard pass and scoring another on a 19-yard run.

Dale Putnam scored on a one yard dive and also put the Mauarders in scoring position when he returned an interception 39 yards to the Ecorse three yard line.

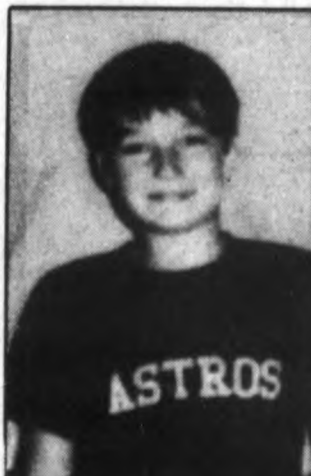
Ovid-Elsie began the game scoring with a safety and ended it with an 11-yard run by Mike Koyné in the fourth quarter.

O-E will play this Friday at home versus Wyoming. Friday is Parents Night at Ovid-Elsie High School.

## Youth bowlers of month



**YOUNG BOWLERS** of America in various divisions are saluted for high scores each month at Redwing Lanes in St. Johns. Receiving honors in the Bantam Division were: Rachelle Randolph — 135; and Joshua Sutton — 121. Pictured next are Jr. Major winners: Jamie Husted — 171; and Wade Saurbek — 201.



**PREP HIGH GAME** — Young Bowlers of America getting recognition in prep division are: Karl Koneval — 146; Tom Harter — 151; Betty Jo Wentworth — 102; Carly George — 135.

## She's got what it takes

By RHONDA GAFFNEY  
Sports Editor

What has blue eyes, blonde-braided hair, stands five-foot nine-inches tall, is an all-A student and jumps center at Ovid-Elsie High School?

If you answered, "Shelby Terpstra", you definitely know about area girls basketball.

Shelby, a senior at O-E this year, has what it takes to "play anywhere after she graduates", says her coach, Mary Hudecek.

Shelby plays forward and guard for the Marauders leading the team in steals, points, field goal and free throw percentages, rebounds, shots blocked and turnovers created.

She is second on the team in assists — to the point guard — by two points.

"SHELBY IS THE BEST jumper I've ever had and blocks shots better than anybody," stated Coach Hudecek. She currently has 97 rebounds and broke the school record of 65 blocked shots last year when she blocked 78. She already has 69 blocked shots this year.

When Shelby was brought up to the varsity level as a sophomore, she "had to work on defense," said Hudecek. "She can take a lot of pride in her defense today. She works hard and never quits."

Nor does the team, as evidenced by their 10-4 season record. "If you walked into one of our games with two minutes left to play, you wouldn't know if we were ahead, behind or tied. The kids play all-out for four quarters."

**AN HONOR STUDENT** and member of the National Honor Society, Shelby's interests are not limited to basketball alone. She enjoys reading, tennis and does needlepoint, "when I have time." A member of the Varsity Club, Shelby also runs track and plays volleyball for the Marauders.

Shelby plans on attending the University of Michigan as a pre-med student next fall. She may be influenced in that decision by her father, Dr. Louis Terpstra, a General Practitioner. Her mother, Charlotte, works at Robbins Furniture in Owosso as an "interior designer or decorator — I always get it wrong," Shelby said.

As far as playing basketball in college, Shelby will "wait and see how it goes. I'll probably try out," she said. "Playing is a lot of fun — better than practicing."

Being looked up to as one of the key players is a different experience for Shelby. "Everyone is looking to you," she said. She feels that the team is "really coming together. Early in the season we didn't play too well. We weren't all used to one another. Now we're really on a roll."

## Cagers battle

Ovid-Elsie cagers travelled to Pewamo-Westphalia for a non-conference match-up and came up short as P-W defeated the Mauarders by a score of 43-35.

"We never got on track offensively," said O-E coach Mary Hudecek, "and our defense was poor."

Sandy Simon led the P-W attack with 15 points, nine rebounds, six steals and four assists.

P-W held All-State guard Shelby Terpstra in check throughout the game. P-W coach Carol Rademacher felt their use of a box and one defense "took Ovid-Elsie's offense away."

"We felt if we could hold Shelby to under 20 points we could win the game," Coach Rademacher stated.

The score was close through much of the contest in a see-saw battle that saw P-W trailing at the onset of the game. However, once they had the lead they never relinquished it and were up by two points at halftime.

Ovid-Elsie tied it up briefly in the last few minutes, but could not sustain their lead. "It was the worst we've played this year," Hudecek said. "We'd better get our act together," she added.

Helping in the cause for Pewamo-Westphalia were Deb Pung who had ten points and six rebounds, Sheri Thelen with six points, two steals and two assists, Tami Arens adding six points and five rebounds and Brenda Martin scoring four points.

P-W outrebounded Ovid-Elsie 28-17 — well below O-E's average per game.

Pewamo-Westphalia, now 8-7 on the year, will play at Portland St. Patricks tonight. "It's

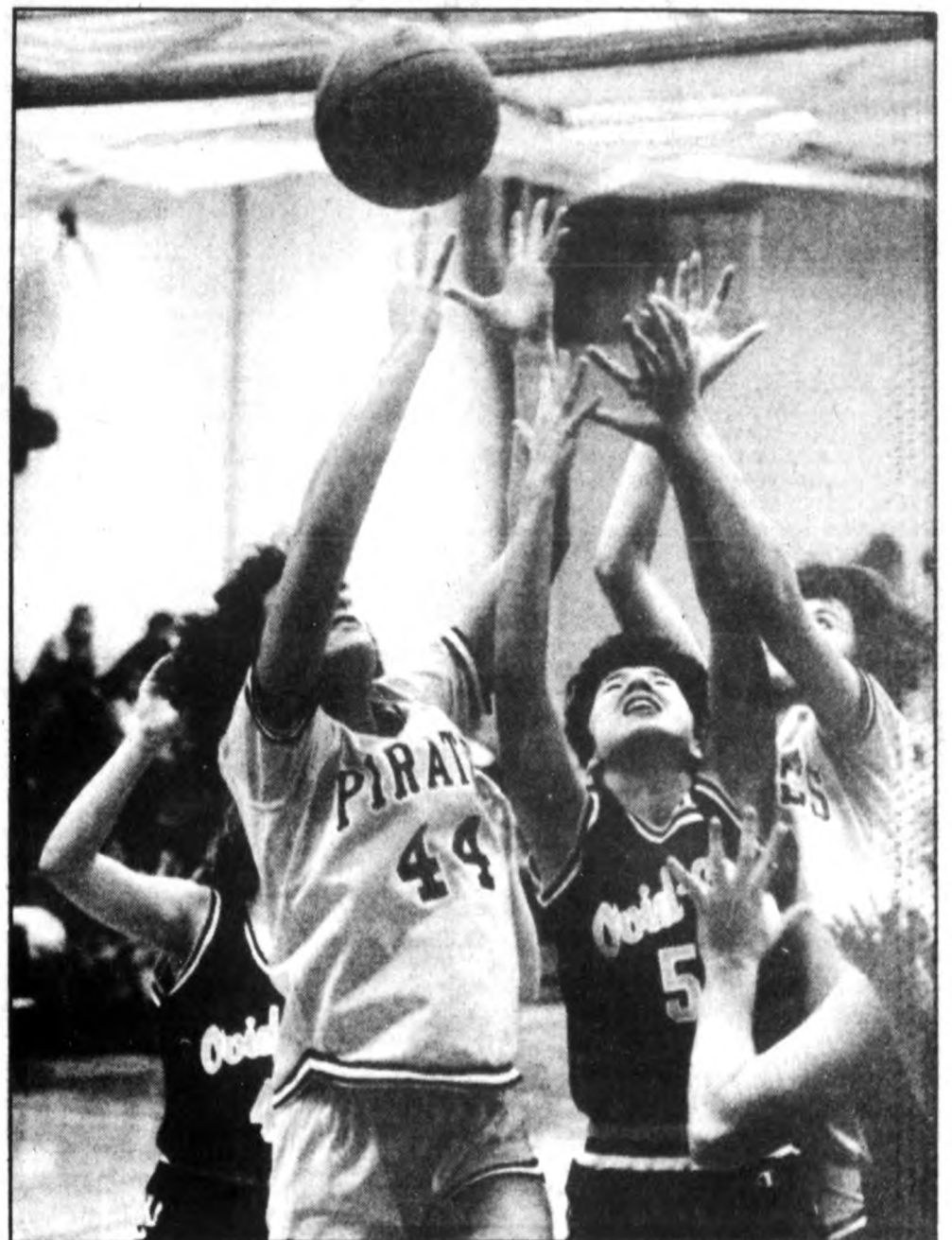


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**UP FOR GRABS** — Pewamo-Westphalia and Ovid-Elsie battle for the ball. P-W came out on top in a close contest last week.

always tough to play there," said Rademacher. Ovid-Elsie (10-5) will take on St. Johns this evening on the Redwings home court. The Mauarders will be looking to even the score with Beth Swears' team after losing to them early in the season.

When asked what, if anything, Ovid-Elsie planned to do differently against St. Johns, Hudecek said, "Just one thing — play good offense and defense."



**SHELBY TERPSTRA** — Ovid-Elsie's All-Stater is a prime example of a good sports person at the high school level. She is planning a career in medicine — and possibly college ball as well.

**THE MARAUDERS** are currently in second place in the Mid-Michigan B Conference. Their only conference loss coming at the hands of undefeated St. Johns.

"In the last few years girls basketball at Ovid-Elsie has come a long way," says Coach Hudecek. She credits the "support of administration and parents" for much of that.

Perhaps somewhat modestly. Just as Shelby may be more than an "average" player, Coach Hudecek is more than an "average" coach. She has taken her girls teams to Districts and Regionals more often than not in her eight years of coaching at O-E. "We run clinics and attend basketball camps during summer months," Hudecek said of the O-E program which has proved so successful.

"I don't know if we'll go as far as last year," Shelby noted, "but Districts definitely."

Instead of being co-captain for Ovid-Elsie, maybe there will be a "Doctor Terpstra" leading the Michigan Wolverines on their basketball court in the years ahead. Good luck, Shelby.

## District sites set

Approximately 692 schools will enter Girls Basketball teams in 126 District Tournaments the week of Nov. 21-27.

The following sites have been determined for district play for area teams:

Class A, St. Johns at Owosso High School.  
Class B, Ovid-Elsie hosts their District.  
Class C, Pewamo-Westphalia at St. Louis High School.  
Class D, Ashley, Fowler and Fulton-Middleton hosted by Fulton-Middleton.

Winners will advance to Regional Play the week of Dec. 3-7 at the following locations: Class A at Howell High School; Class B at Bay City Handy; Class C at Ithaca High School; Class D at Frankenmuth High School.

## Pirate JV's are young

By RHONDA GAFFNEY  
Sports Editor

Pewamo-Westphalia's Junior Varsity football coach, Cary Bashore, and assistant, Ron Kramer, have every reason to "take pride in our all-freshman backfield." A 4-2-1 record is not too shabby when your team is pitted against the likes of Lansing Catholic Central, Fowler and others on a regular basis.

According to Bashore, the Pirates biggest problem this season has been "going up against all-sophomore teams. We only start six or seven sophomores. The rest are all freshmen."

"Mental mistakes, resulting from lack of experience", were the key factors in P-W's losses to Fowler, by two points, and Laingsburg by eight points Bashore stated. Their tie came at the hands of Lansing Catholic Central in the first game of the year.

"We had an excellent

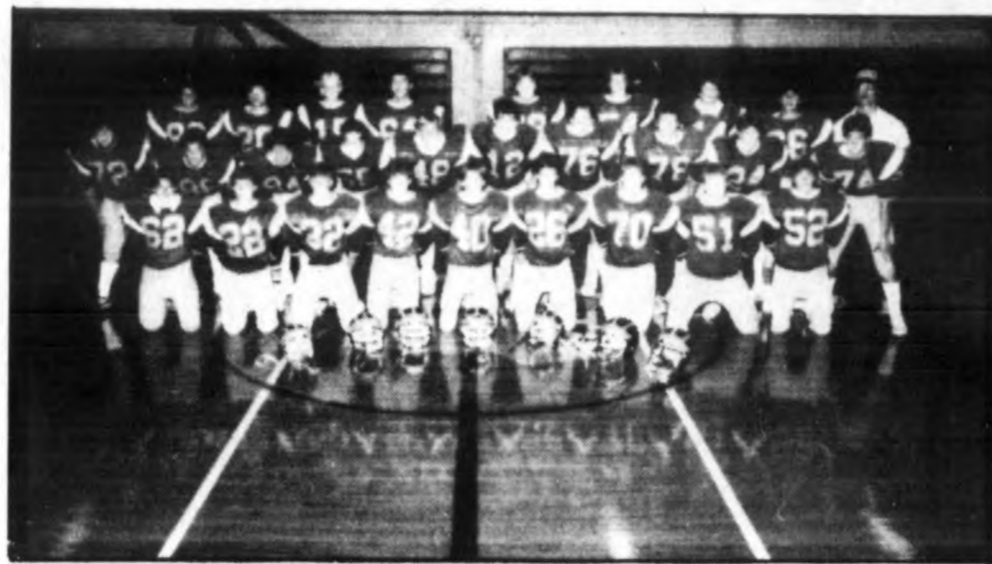
game with Fowler," he said, "but gave the game away with five fumbles. Fulton was a good game too, but our best win probably was against Potterville."

Pewamo-Westphalia's offense centers around freshman, Tim Weiber. Weiber had 716 yards on 107 carries prior to last Thursday's game at Corona. He is averaging 120 yards per game — about six to seven yards a carry. He has nine touchdowns on the year.

Quarterback, Paul Anderson, has "taken over and really done a good job," said Bashore.

Bashore also gave credit to his four sophomore linemen Tad Drake, Craig Thelen, Mark Davarn and Chuck Schneider who have done "an outstanding job in opening holes up for Weiber."

Defensively, P-W shines with the fine play of Mark Davarn, "our defensive leader," said Bashore. "He has played everywhere," the coach added. Davarn



PEWAMO-WESTPHALIA — The Junior Varsity football team has had a fine season. The primarily freshman squad should be even better next year having had "experience and playing time," said Coach Bashore.

has 25 tackles on the year.

As if it's not enough to be an offensive stand-out, Tim Weiber also plays defense quite well. He has had 23 tackles from his cornerback position and intercepted three passes. One of those he returned for a touchdown against Potterville which helped give P-W the victory.

Freshman linebacker Peter Nurenberg leads P-W with 37 tackles and one interception. Defensive end Ron Forist has 32 tackles on the season and Craig Thelen, a sophomore

noseguard who has played in only two games thus far, has 22 tackles.

Coach Bashore also noted that freshman Randy Hayes, who starts both ways, has been "a blessing" and will be "an excellent ballplayer with more playing time and experience."

"We have enough freshman returning to field an all-sophomore team next year," Bashore stated. "This is a real good group of kids to work with. They've been a lot of fun."

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## Jr. Wings tough

By RHONDA GAFFNEY  
Sports Editor

The axiom: "The record speaks for itself" is not always true as evidenced by the 4-4 season record of the St. Johns Junior Varsity football team.

They are certainly better than their win/loss record seems to indicate.

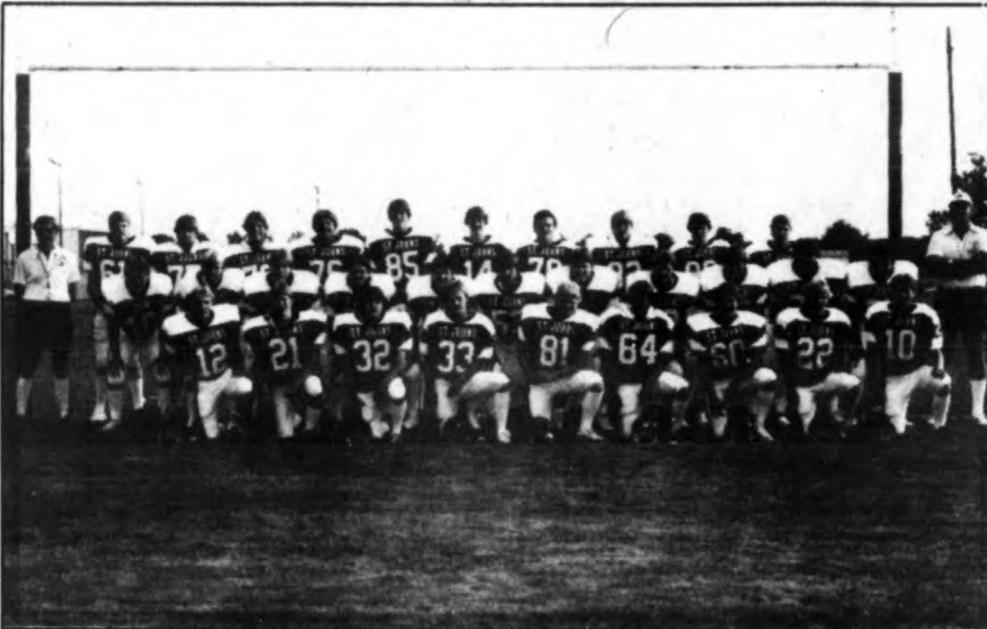
"We weren't quite sure of ourselves in the first game against Owosso," said coach Greg Penix who along with assistant Randy Rude has implemented the new offense brought in by Head Varsity Coach Bart Kjolhede.

The Redwings' losses to Alma, Ionia and Mt. Pleasant all were close — too close according to Penix. "They were losses of desire. The team did not play with the intensity they are capable of," he said.

The Redwings have plenty of talent. Defensive tackle, Rick Arthur, is "very quick — also very small," Coach Penix said. "He is without a doubt our best defensive lineman."

Cornerbacks Zane Ballard and Scott Heibek and middle linebacker, Douglas Hyer, all play "very aggressively and are very smart," Penix added.

On offense, Coach Penix



REDWING JUNIOR VARSITY — St. Johns' 4-4 record is not indicative of the play they are capable of. Conference refs and officials called them, "the best they've seen."

gives high marks to center, Jamie Salters. "He is an excellent ballplayer," the coach said. "He works so hard to be good and gives 100 percent all the time."

Fullback, Dwight Pierson, is "the mainstay of our running game," Penix said. Big, agile, fast and quick were all adjectives Penix used to describe his sophomore back.

Scott Alysworth, at quarterback, has done "well with a new offense and in his first year at the quarterback position. He runs the option well," said Penix.

"I should also mention

Jim Martens and Steve Sample," added Penix. "These kids have a lot of heart and desire — they never quit."

The Junior Wings know how to put points on the scoreboard. They scored 53 points in a win over Corona and 41 defeating Chesaning. "I've had officials and referees around the conference tell me this is the best J.V. football

team they've ever seen," commented Penix.

"This team is very coachable. They care for one another. But, they do have a lack of intensity and attention at times," said Coach Penix. "The one thing they have to learn is that they have to want to go out and play as well as they know how to every night that they have a game."

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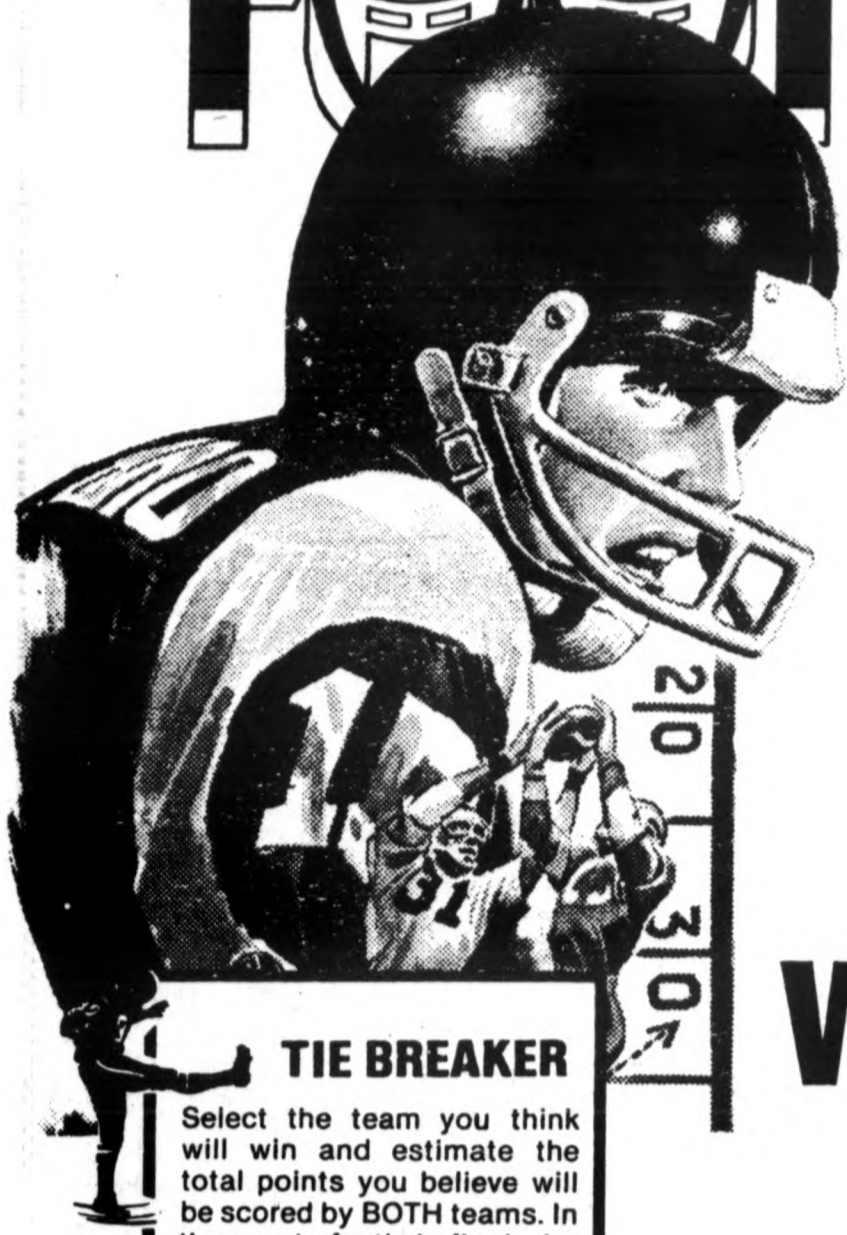
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## Busy week for Redwing tankers



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**REDWING TANKER** — St. Johns' schedule included dual meets with Waverly and Haslett last week. They won one and lost one. Here, co-captain Sandi Wolfrum shows her winning form.

Redwing tankers had a busy schedule last week losing a close dual meet on Tuesday at Waverly 92-79, and winning handily at home Thursday night over Haslett 117-39.

Mindi Wells and Missy O'Connell had St. Johns only first place finishes against Waverly. Mindi won the diving competition and O'Connell swam the 200 meter individual medley in a time of 2:29.15.

A number of Redwings placed second: The 200 meter relay team of O'Connell, Jennifer

Giesecke, Carla DuDash and Kara Scranton; 400 free style relay team of Erin Masarik, Kim Bauer, Jane Cooper and Lisa Sabo; Linda Strickland in diving; O'Connell in the 100 meter butterfly; Sabo in the 100 meter freestyle; Cooper in the 500 freestyle; and Chris Welch in the 100 meter backstroke.

St. Johns swimmers took 10 first places in their dual meet with Haslett.

These were: 200 medley relay team of Welch, Theresa Koenigsnecht, O'Connell and Liz Welch;

400 freestyle relay team of Koenigsnecht, Cooper, Sabo and DuDash; Scranton in the 200 meter freestyle with a time of 2:19.1; Masarik in the 200 individual medley with a time of 2:38.76; Sabo in the 50 meter freestyle with a time of 27.84; Wells in diving; Bauer in the 100 meter butterfly in a time of 1:08.53; Cooper in the 100 freestyle at 1:02.63; Welch in the 500 meter freestyle with a time of 6:10.22; Scranton in the 100 meter backstroke at 1:14.59; and Jennifer Baatz in the 100 meter breaststroke with a time of 1:23.72.

St. Johns will take on the Marauders at Ovid-Elsie this Thursday evening.

### Sports schedule

#### TUESDAY, OCTOBER 29

Girls Basketball  
Pottsville at Fowler  
St. Johns at Ovid-Elsie  
Fulton at Laingsburg  
Pewamo-Westphalia at Portland St. Pat

#### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31

Girls Swimming  
St. Johns at Ovid-Elsie  
  
Girls Basketball  
Fowler at Portland  
Okemos at Pewamo-Westphalia

J.V. Football  
Ovid-Elsie at Laingsburg  
Fulton at Ithaca  
Portland at Fowler  
Pewamo-Westphalia at Carson City

#### FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1

Varsity Football  
Fowler at Portland  
Wyoming at Ovid-Elsie  
St. Johns at Grand Ledge  
Ithaca at Fulton  
Carson City at Pewamo-Westphalia

#### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2

Cross Country, State Finals

### 200th career win

St. Johns girls basketball coach, Beth Swears, got her 200th career win in a game with Ionia last week. St. Johns won the contest 55-43.

Mary Murphy had another fine game, breaking the press and controlling the game. She led the Redwings with 14 points, four assists and three steals.

Karen Simon had an outstanding night, scoring 14 points also, with three steals and two blocked shots.

Coach Swears calls tonight's game with Ovid-Elsie "a big challenge". The remaining four games for St. Johns are all conference matches.

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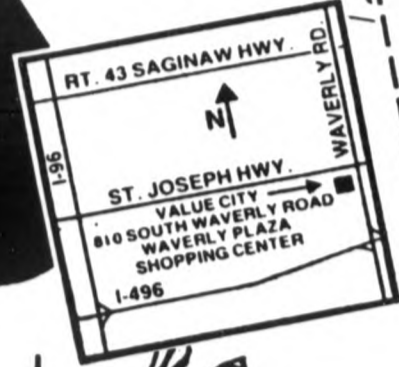
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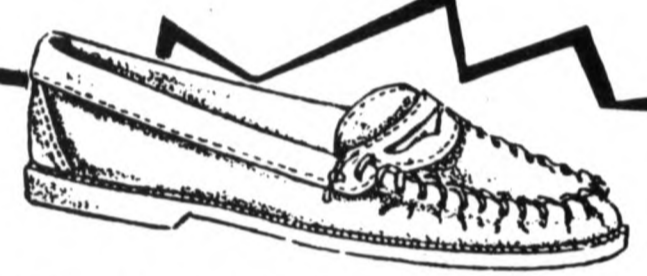
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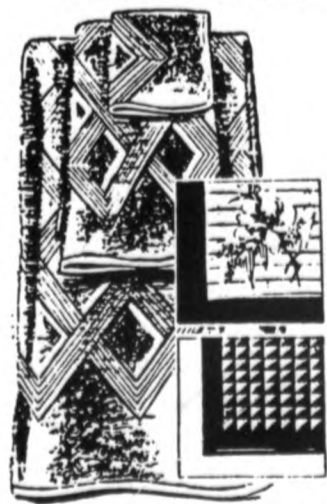
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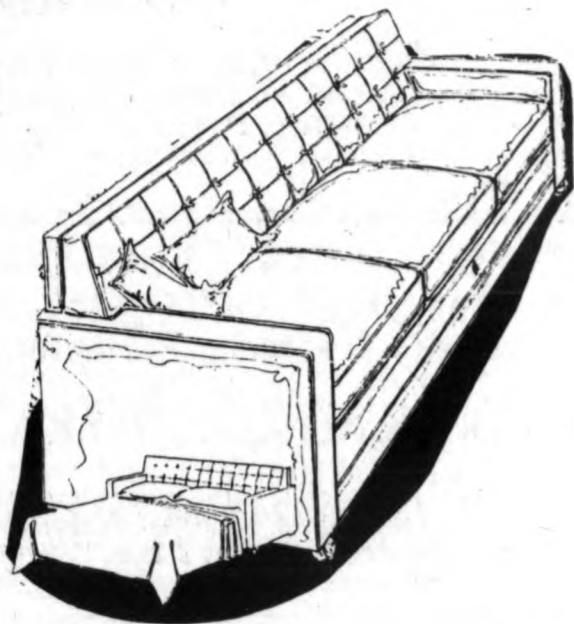


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*A letter of thanks from the General Manager of Factory Outlet Furniture. I would like to personally thank Each and Every Customer for Visiting our Store in the Southpoint Mall for our Harvest Fest Sale. It was such a Great Success, we will continue the Sale through the Month of October. Again, I would like to say Thanks and Remember We Are the Working Man's Store.*

**William Buckley**  
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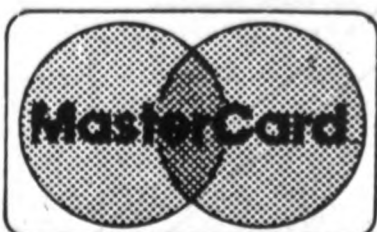
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# Great gourds! It must be Halloween!



Photograph by Rich Wertz

**FINDERS** — Above, Richard and Nancy Smith, with sons Christopher and Kevin, decide which pumpkins to take home. Left, a huge wire and nylon pumpkin greets Clinton County children on the start of a "pumpkin path" at the Warren Dobsen home near DeWitt.



Photograph by Rich Wertz

**HUNTERS** — Above, entire families of pumpkin hunters flocked to Andy Todociuk's pumpkin farm on US-27 during the last several weekends. Left, one Clinton County youngster finds contentment in tall cornstalks while hunting pumpkins at the Warren Dobsen home near DeWitt.



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10/29/85

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## NOTICE

### CITY OF ST. JOHNS ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS PUBLIC HEARING NOVEMBER 6, 1985

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the St. Johns Zoning Board of Appeals will be held on November 6, 1985, at 7:30 p.m., in the Commission Chambers, 121 E. Walker Street, St. Johns, MI.

**PURPOSE:** A request for a variance from the zoning ordinance to allow a sign to be placed above the roof line of the Clinton Bank and Trust drive-in facility at 1103 South US-27 and an addition of two square feet to the existing eighty square foot free standing sign located at 207 Spring Street.

The zoning ordinance does not allow building signs to project above the roof line. The ordinance also limits free standing sign area to fifty square feet.

**PROPERTY ADDRESS:** 1103 S. US-27  
207 Spring Street  
**PROPERTY CODE NO.:** 300-410-000-018-00  
300-000-007-015-00

Diane M. Edwards  
Zoning Administrator

224-236

10/29/85

## NOTICE

### ST. JOHNS PLANNING COMMISSION PUBLIC HEARING NOVEMBER 7, 1985

The St. Johns Planning Commission will hold a hearing on Thursday, November 7, 1985, at 7:30 p.m., in the Commission Chambers at 121 E. Walker Street, St. Johns, MI. The purpose of said hearing will be to review a request for a special use permit to allow an adult foster care home at 311 E. Higham Street.

Diane M. Edwards  
Zoning Administrator

224-237

10/29/85

## NOTICE RESIDENTS CITY OF ST. JOHNS

### TRICK-OR-TREATING HOURS

The St. Johns City Commission has set the hours for Trick-or-Treating within the City of St. Johns on Halloween, October 31, 1985, from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. to be signaled by the blowing of the fire whistle.

Once again, the City Commission asks that all residents light their porches and drive carefully on Halloween Night.

Richard L. Coletta  
City Clerk

224-232

10/22, 10/29/85

## ABANDONED VEHICLE SALE

The below vehicles will be offered at public sale on 10-31-85 at 10:00 a.m. at 8275 W. Hyde Rd., St. Johns, MI.

1. 1977 Pontiac 2 Dr.  
VIN. No. 2W87Z7N167797
2. 1972 Ford Pickup  
VIN. No. F10YLP56506
3. 1969 Pontiac 2 Dr.  
VIN. No. 242379B164180
4. 1975 Dodge 2 Dr.  
VIN. No. XS22K5R127949

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10/29/85



Photograph by Marilyn Hess

## WATERTOWN CHARTER TOWNSHIP Synopsis of Special Meeting October 8, 1985

This joint meeting with the Township Planning Commission was called to order at 8:16 p.m. All Board members were present. Agenda approved with additions. The purpose of the joint meeting was to discuss the water service proposal from the Lansing Board of Water and Light. The Planning Commission voted to send a favorable recommendation to the Township Board.

### Action Items:

1. Approved motion to hire Attorney Daniel Moore of the firm Dykema, Gossett, Spencer, Goodnow and Trigg to handle the Granger lawsuit for the Township.

Meeting adjourned, 10:53 p.m.

### Synopsis of Special Meeting October 15, 1985

Meeting called to order, 7:00 p.m. Roll Call: Present - O'Bryant, Borgeson, Fraser, Gorman, Lowell, Miller, Absent - McKeon. Agenda approved.

1. Federal Revenue Public Hearing: Heard comments regarding the use of approximately \$11,000 anticipated in 1986.
2. 1986 Budget Hearing: Heard comments on Township budget for 1986.
3. Adopted resolution approving 1986 budget based on a township levy of 4.5000 mills for general operations and 6.750 mill for sewer debt, for a total of 5.1750 mills.

Meeting adjourned, 8:28 p.m.

Charlene M. Borgeson, Clerk  
Thomas L. O'Bryant, Supervisor

627-316

10/24, 28, 29/85

## NOTICE

### CITY LEAGUE BASKETBALL AND VOLLEYBALL REGISTRATIONS ARE NOW AVAILABLE

Registration envelopes may be picked up at City Offices, 121 E. Walker Street, St. Johns, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Registrations are due November 15, 1985.

Diane M. Edwards  
Administrative Assistant

224-238

10/29/85

## MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Bureau of Health Facilities  
Division of Health Facility Construction  
**NOTICE OF COMPARATIVE CERTIFICATE OF NEED REVIEW Additional Nursing Home Beds Clinton County also known as Subarea No. 19**

### TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

The Michigan Department of Public Health has received Applications or Letters of Intent for Certificate of Need for Additional Nursing Home Beds in Clinton County also known as Subarea No. 19. The Applications and/or Letters of Intent have been filed pursuant to Part 221 of 1978 P.A. 368, as amended, being Sections 333.22101 et seq of the Michigan Compiled Laws and Section 1122 of the federal Social Security Act 42 USCA Sec. 1320 a-1.

The Michigan Department of Public Health will conduct a comparative review of all applications for Additional Nursing Home Beds in Clinton County also known as Subarea No. 19 in the event that during the review process a need can be demonstrated for the services.

THEREFORE, the following timetable is established for comparative review of all current and newly filed applications for Additional Nursing Home Beds in Clinton County also known as Subarea No. 19. This notice supersedes any previous notice to existing applicants regarding completeness and timeframes for review.

1. Letters of Intent shall be filed with the Michigan Department of Public Health and Michigan Mid-South Health Systems Agency by 5:00 P.M. June 2, 1986.
2. Applications shall be filed by 5:00 P.M. August 4, 1986.

As soon as all applications are deemed complete, the review will commence.

If you have any questions or require more information concerning this notice, please contact Mrs. Joan E. L. Ratliff, Division of Health Facility Construction, Michigan Department of Public Health at (517) 373-7890.

Gloria R. Smith, Ph.D., M.P.H., F.A.A.N.  
Director

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10/29/85

Obituaries

Lillian Schultz

**ST. JOHNS** Lillian Schultz of 903 E. Walker St., St. Johns, died Oct. 20 at Fulton Convalescent Center. She was born on July 29, 1889, in Ovid, the daughter of William Gibbs and Annie Kesby.

She was married to Edward Schultz on July 4, 1908, in Shepardsville. He preceded her in death in 1974.

She was a member of Shepardsville United Methodist Church, life member of OES Morning Star Chapter, Ovid; Shepardsville Aid Society; the Farm Bureau. She has resided in St. Johns since 1952.

Surviving are one son, Edwin of St. Johns; one daughter, Mrs. Douglas (Betty) Rewbotham of Grand Blanc; six grandchildren, five great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Ruth Losey of Owosso.

Funeral services were held on Oct. 23 at Osgood Funeral Home in St. Johns with the Rev. Bruce Kintigh officiating. Interment was made at Maple Grove Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Osgood Funeral Home.

The family suggests donations be made to the American Cancer Society.

Jack Cornell

**ST. JOHNS** Jack Cornell of 1601 E. Centerline Road, St. Johns, died on Oct. 22 at his home.

He was born on March 8, 1921, the son of Ross and Anna (Voorhees) Cornell.

He was married to Helen Smith on Dec. 28, 1946 and resided most of his life in the St. Johns area.

He was a member of Pilgrim United Methodist Church, V.F.W. Post 4113 and a veteran of World War II. He retired in 1980 from Atlas Drop Forge where he was a shear operator.

Surviving are his wife, Helen; one son and daughter-in-law, Chris and Jan Cornell of St. Johns; one daughter and son-in-law, Sandra and Ed Conklin of Ovid; three grandchildren; three brothers, Leonard and Ross of Roscommon and Arthur of Ashley; three sisters, Alberta Blessinger of Indiana, Betty Woodhams of St. Johns, and Mary Bernath of Elsie. He was preceded in death by one sister and three brothers.

Funeral services were held on Oct. 25 at Osgood Funeral Home with the Rev. Larry Shroul officiating. Interment was made at South Bingham Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Osgood Funeral Home, St. Johns.

The family requests contributions be made to Pilgrim United Methodist Church, Clinton Memorial Hospital Home Health Services or the Cancer Society in his memory.

Kenneth Ceasar

**MAPLE RAPIDS** Kenneth Ceasar of 529 E. Adelaide died Oct. 22 at his home.

He was born on June 26, 1917 in Middleton, the son of Julius and Lera (Stevens) Ceasar.

He resided most of his life in the DeWitt area, moving to Maple Rapids last year. He was a retired employee of Fisher Body. He was a member of the Seventh Day Adventist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Helen; one son, Bruce of South Pasadena, Calif.; three daughters, Mrs. David (Nancy) Friday of Clark Lake, Mrs. Bill (Mary Kay) Snyder of St. Petersburg, Fla., and Mrs. Terry (Colleen) Bishop of Maple Rapids; 12 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Eva McVeigh of Fowler, Mrs. Shirley Allen of Hubbardston, Mrs. Elaine Bush of Owosso; two brothers, Ford Ceasar of Lansing and Edward Ceasar of Summerfield, Fla.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Memorial services will be announced at a later date. Arrangements are being made by Osgood Funeral Home, St. Johns.

Blanche M. Miller

**ALMA** Blanche M. (Carr) Miller, 83, died Oct. 16 in Alma.

Mrs. Miller was born July 31, 1902, in Isabella County to Bruce and Katherine Arilla (Ryckman) Kent.

Mrs. Miller was a member of the Looking Glass River Church of God, DeWitt.

Survivors include her husband, Glenn E. Miller of Lansing; two daughters, Mrs. June Plank of Wheeler and Mrs. Ruth Simmer of Mt. Pleasant; two sons, Norman Carr of Merrill and Dalton Carr of Saginaw; nine grandchildren; seven great-children; two stepsons, Alfred Miller of Lakeland, Fla. and LeRoy D. Miller of Charlotte; two stepdaughters, Harriet Miller of Lansing and Betty Miller of Lakeland, Fla.; two brothers, Ralph Hayes of St. Johns and Andy Kent of Greenville; three sisters, Mrs. Gladys Strahle of St. Johns, Mrs. Iva Kamp of Greenville, and Mrs. Donna Walsh of Greenville.

Mrs. Miller was preceded in death by her first husband, Elton Carr.

Funeral services were held Oct. 18 at the Looking Glass River Church of God with the Pastor Dwight Augst officiating. Burial was in the Bennett Cemetery, Sherman Township, Isabella County. Arrangements were by the Gorsline Runciman-DeWitt Chapel.

March of Dimes set for 1985 fund drive

Carolyn DiBiaggio, wife of Michigan State University President John DiBiaggio, has agreed to serve as honorary chairperson for the 1985 Mothers March, the annual March of Dimes community effort to prevent birth defects.

This will be her first community project in the Greater Lansing area.

DiBiaggio's selection was announced recently by Sandra Philpott-Burke, Chairperson for the District Chapter's campaign.

The Mothers March will be held from Jan. 26 to Feb. 2, and will include visits to an estimated 50,000 homes in the Ingham, Eaton and Clinton county areas.

"The goal of this year's

campaign," according to Ms. Philpott-Burke, "is to recruit 5,000 volunteers to raise \$50,000. By going house-to-house, March of Dimes volunteers bring home the message that birth defects can be prevented," she explained.

She also indicated that "while we tell people about progress being made, this year a special educational pamphlet will be provided to each household, along with an opportunity to contribute to further birth defects research, medical service and educational programs."

DiBiaggio referred to the March of Dimes Mothers March as "a very special and personalized way of reaching into every neighborhood to ask for

help in their efforts."

She added that "the campaign also brings home the need for each of us to become involved in improving the health of our children." She encouraged community members to volunteer to canvass their neighborhoods and contribute generously when a marcher comes to their door.

More than 250,000 children born in the United States each year are born with birth defects, according to March of Dimes statistics.

Persons interested in volunteering to work with this campaign can call the March of Dimes office Monday through Friday between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. at 482-1249.

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ST. JOHNS PUBLIC SCHOOLS Annual Statistical & Financial Report

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
June 30, 1985

Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The accounting policies of St. Johns Public Schools conform to generally accepted accounting principles as applicable to governmental units except as discussed in note 2. The following is a summary of the more significant policies:

Fund Accounting:

The accounts of the School District are organized on the basis of funds and account groups, each of which is considered a separate accounting entity. The operations of each fund are accounted for with a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, liabilities, fund equity, revenues and expenditures, as appropriate. Government resources are allocated to and accounted for in individual funds based upon the purposes for which they are to be spent and the means by which spending activities are controlled. The various funds are grouped, as follows:

Governmental Funds

General Fund - The General Fund is the operating fund of the School District. It is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

Special Revenue Funds (School Service Funds) - Special Revenue Funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources (other than special assessments, expendable trusts or major capital projects) that are restricted to expenditures for specified purposes.

Debt Service Funds - Debt Service Funds are used to account for the accumulation of resources for, and the payment of, general long-term debt principal, interest and related costs.

Fiduciary Fund

Trust and Agency Fund - The Trust and Agency Fund is used to account for assets held by the School District in a trustees capacity or as an agent for various school organizations. The Agency Fund is custodial in nature (assets equal liabilities) and does not involve measurement of results of operations.

Account Group

An account group is not a fund - it does not reflect available financial resources and operations - but is the District's accounting records of the general long-term debt. The General Long-term Debt Account Group is used to record the School District's outstanding bonded debt and contractual obligations.

Basis of Accounting:

Basis of accounting refers to when revenues and expenditures are recognized in the accounts and reported in the financial statements. Basis of accounting relates to the timing of the measurements made, regardless of the measurement focus applied. Governmental funds utilize the modified accrual basis of accounting. Property taxes and other revenue that are both measurable and available to finance operations are recorded as revenue when earned. Other revenue is recorded when received. Expenditures are recorded in the accounting period in which the fund liability is incurred, if measurable, except for unamortized principal and interest on general long-term debt, which is recorded when due. The financial activity of the Agency Funds if limited to collection of amounts which are subsequently returned or paid to third parties and, accordingly, are limited to cash transactions. Taxes not collected are written off as uncollectable. Adjustments to accounts of prior years are recorded in current year revenues and expenditures.

Budgets and Budgetary Accounting:

The School District is required under Public Act 621 of 1978 to adopt a budget (General Appropriations Act) for the General, School Service and Debt Service Funds. Budget appropriations lapse at year end. Budget amounts are reported in the financial statements as originally adopted or as amended by the Board of Education.

Investments:

Investments are stated at cost, which approximates market.

Inventory:

Inventory is valued at the lower of cost (first-in, first-out) or market. Inventory consists of expendable supplies held for consumption. The cost is recorded as an expenditure at the time individual inventory items are purchased. Reported inventories are equally offset by a fund balance reserve which indicates that they do not constitute "available spendable resources" even though they are a component of net current assets.

Change in Long-Term Debt

The following is a summary of long-term debt transactions of the school district for the year ended June 30, 1985:

	Balance 7/1/84	Additions	Deletions	Balance 6/30/85
Amounts available in debt service funds	\$ 42,985	\$377,939	\$369,495	\$ 51,429
Amounts to be provided for retirement of general long-term debt	2,369,987		286,307	2,083,680
<b>Total General Long-Term Debt</b>	<b>\$2,412,972</b>	<b>\$377,939</b>	<b>\$655,802</b>	<b>\$2,135,109</b>

General Long-Term Debt consists of the following:

Bonded debt - 1966 Bond Issue	\$2,050,000
Note Payable dated 10/12/82, 14% interest, payable \$5,250 annually plus interest.	31,500
Accrued Sick Pay Payable June 30, 1985	52,799
	\$2,135,109

	Governmental Fund Types			Fiduciary Fund Type Trust and Agency	Account Group Long-Term Debt	Totals (Memorandum Only)	
	General	School Service	Debt Service			6/30/85	6/30/86
<b>Assets</b>							
Cash	\$1,051,188	\$28,141	\$66,392	\$53,255	\$ -	\$1,198,976	\$1,122,627
Receivables:							
Accounts	1,537	-	-	-	-	1,537	1,276
Interest	30,280	-	-	-	-	30,280	3,284
Due from other funds	62,939	16,645	300	-	-	79,884	68,150
Due from other governmental units	45,183	8,826	-	-	-	54,009	60,870
Inventory, at cost	31,314	-	-	-	-	31,314	23,525
Prepaid expenses	211,708	-	-	-	-	211,708	185,701
Bus costs (net of amortization)	-	-	-	-	51,429	51,429	42,985
Amount available in debt service funds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Amount to be provided for retirement of general long-term debt	-	-	-	-	2,083,680	2,083,680	2,369,987
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$1,434,149</b>	<b>\$53,612</b>	<b>\$66,692</b>	<b>\$53,255</b>	<b>\$2,135,109</b>	<b>\$3,742,817</b>	<b>\$3,904,181</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>							
Accounts payable	\$ 129,422	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 129,422	\$ 152,949
Contracts payable	131,526	-	-	-	31,500	163,026	110,974
Due to other funds	-	29,117	1,163	-	-	30,280	25,776
Bonds payable	-	-	-	-	2,050,000	2,050,000	2,325,000
Due to student and other groups	-	-	-	53,255	-	53,255	59,467
Payroll deductions	2,977	-	-	-	-	2,977	40,067
Accrued expenses	78,717	-	14,100	-	53,609	146,426	139,734
Salaries payable	475,811	-	-	-	-	475,811	422,453
Deferred revenue	50,515	-	-	-	-	50,515	51,635
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>868,968</b>	<b>29,117</b>	<b>15,263</b>	<b>53,255</b>	<b>2,135,109</b>	<b>3,101,712</b>	<b>3,328,455</b>
<b>Fund Balance</b>							
Reserved	298,071	-	51,429	-	-	349,500	305,572
Unreserved	267,110	24,495	-	-	-	291,605	270,154
<b>Total Fund Balance</b>	<b>565,181</b>	<b>24,495</b>	<b>51,429</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>641,105</b>	<b>575,726</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Fund Balance</b>	<b>\$1,434,149</b>	<b>\$53,612</b>	<b>\$66,692</b>	<b>\$53,255</b>	<b>\$2,135,109</b>	<b>\$3,742,817</b>	<b>\$3,904,181</b>

Reserve Fund Balances

The reserve for fund balance consist of \$31,591 balance of voted 1/2 mill levy for improvements, \$45,183 equal to the inventory which is reserved as it is not an available spendable asset, \$141,116 set aside by board action for the purchases of buses in the next few years, and \$80,182 equal to net bus costs less bus loans payable.

ST. JOHNS PUBLIC SCHOOLS COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES Year Ended June 30, 1985

	General	School Service	Debt Service	Total (Memorandum Only)	
				6/30/85	6/30/86
<b>Revenues</b>					
Local sources	\$5,993,417	\$346,471	\$377,939	\$6,717,827	\$6,514,195
State sources	2,612,223	4,575	-	2,616,798	2,214,256
Federal sources	217,194	74,114	-	291,308	243,558
<b>Total Revenues</b>	<b>8,822,834</b>	<b>425,160</b>	<b>377,939</b>	<b>9,625,933</b>	<b>8,972,009</b>
<b>Other Sources</b>					
Transfers from other funds	-	58,553	-	58,553	57,351
Other transactions	11,892	-	-	11,892	28,827
<b>Total Other Sources</b>	<b>11,892</b>	<b>58,553</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>70,445</b>	<b>86,178</b>
<b>Total Revenues and Other Sources</b>	<b>8,834,726</b>	<b>483,713</b>	<b>377,939</b>	<b>9,696,378</b>	<b>9,058,187</b>
<b>Expenditures</b>					
Education:					
Instruction	5,145,824	-	-	5,145,824	5,037,447
Supporting services	3,467,814	477,185	-	3,944,999	3,787,672
Debt service:					
Principal retirement	-	-	275,000	275,000	275,000
Interest and fiscal charges	-	-	94,495	94,495	106,028
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>8,613,638</b>	<b>477,185</b>	<b>369,495</b>	<b>9,460,318</b>	<b>9,206,147</b>
<b>Other Uses</b>					
Transfers to other funds	58,553	-	-	58,553	57,351
Other transactions	112,128	-	-	112,128	107,187
<b>Total Other Uses</b>	<b>170,681</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>170,681</b>	<b>164,538</b>
<b>Total Expenditures and Other Uses</b>	<b>8,784,319</b>	<b>477,185</b>	<b>369,495</b>	<b>9,630,999</b>	<b>9,370,685</b>
<b>Excess of Revenues and Other Sources over Expenditures and Other Uses</b>					
	50,407	6,528	8,444	65,379	-312,498
<b>Fund Balances, July 1</b>	<b>514,774</b>	<b>17,967</b>	<b>42,985</b>	<b>575,726</b>	<b>888,224</b>
<b>Fund Balances, June 30</b>	<b>\$ 565,181</b>	<b>\$ 24,495</b>	<b>\$ 51,429</b>	<b>\$ 641,105</b>	<b>\$ 575,726</b>

1966 Bond issue dated September 1, 1966  
Principal due annually May 1  
Interest due May 1 and November 1

Maturity Date	Interest Rate	Principal	Interest	Total
1985	4.2%	\$ -	\$ 42,300	\$ 42,300
1986	4.2	275,000	78,825	353,825
1987	4.2	275,000	67,275	342,275
1988	4.1	300,000	55,350	355,350
1989	4.1	300,000	43,050	343,050
1990	4.1	300,000	30,750	330,750
1991	4.1	300,000	18,450	318,450
1992	4.1	300,000	6,150	306,150
		<b>\$2,050,000</b>	<b>\$342,150</b>	<b>\$2,392,150</b>

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# HALLOWEEN SAFETY TIPS

1. Warn children not eat any of their treats before they get home. Examine all treats carefully before allowing children to eat them.

2. Look for costumes, masks, beards, and wigs labeled "Flame Resistant." Although these items could still catch fire, such labeling indicates that they will resist burning and should extinguish quickly once removed from the ignition source. Flimsy materials and outfits with big, baggy sleeves or billowing skirts should be avoided to minimize the risk of contact with candles or other sources of ignition.

3. Make or buy costumes light and bright enough to be clearly visible to motorists. For greater visibility in dusk or darkness, costumes can be decorated with reflective tape. Reflective tape is usually available in hardware, bicycle, and sporting goods stores. Children should also carry flashlights to see -- and be seen -- more easily.

4. Costumes should be short enough to prevent children from tripping and falling. Children should wear well-fitting, sturdy shoes: Mother's high heels are not a good idea for safe walking.

5. Hats and scarfs should be tied securely to prevent them from slipping over children's eyes.

6. Apply a natural mask of cosmetics rather than have a

child wear a loose fitting mask which might restrict breathing or obscure vision. If a mask is used, however, make sure it fits securely and has eyeholes large enough to allow full vision.

7. Swords, knives, and similar costume accessories should be of soft or flexible material.

8. Smaller children should always be accompanied by an older responsible child or an adult. All children should use the sidewalk rather than walk in the street, and they should WALK not run from house to house. Children should be cautioned against running out from between parked cars, or across lawns and yards where ornaments, furniture, or clothes lines present dangers.

9. Children should only go to homes where residents have outside lights on as a sign of welcome. Children should not enter homes or apartments unless they are accompanied by an adult.

10. Those receiving trick-or-treaters should remove anything that could be an obstacle from steps, lawns, and porches. Candlelit jack-o'-lanterns should be kept away from landings and doorsteps where costumes could brush against the flame. Indoor jack-o'-lanterns should be kept away from curtains, decorations, or other furnishings that could be ignited.

## Have A Safe And Spooktacular Halloween

For further information on product safety, consumers may call the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission's toll-free Hotline on 800-638-CPSC.

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224-3535

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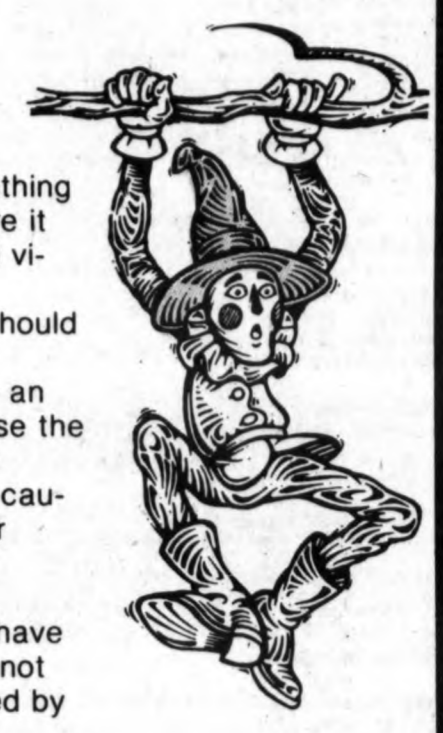
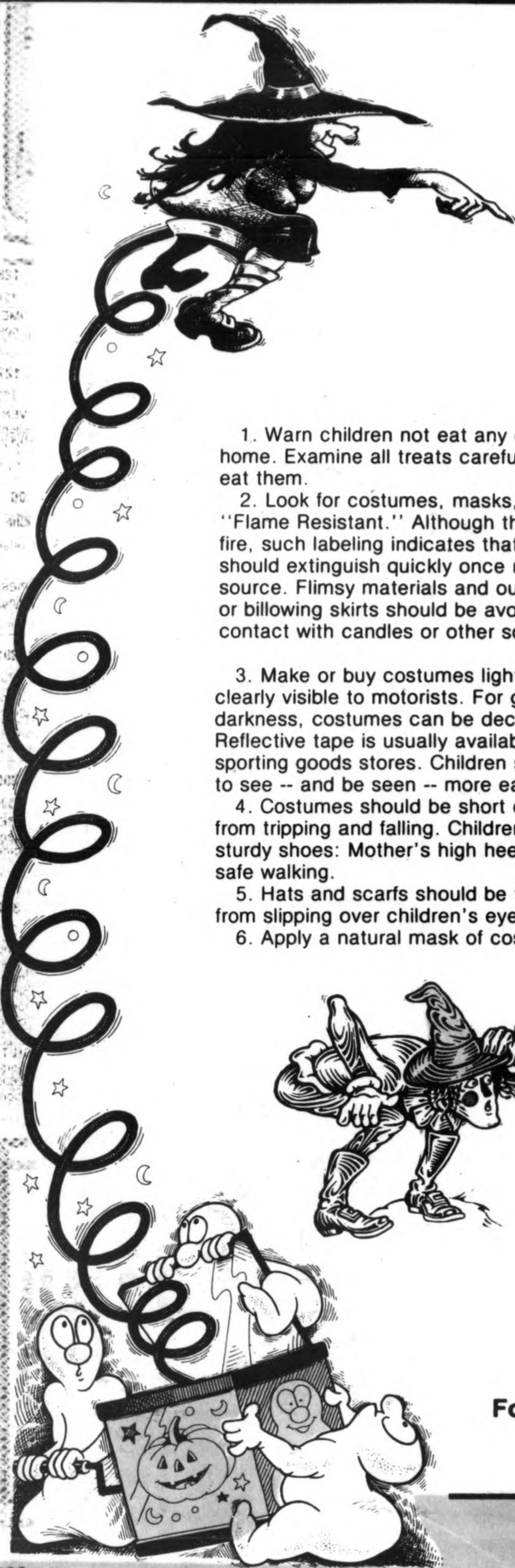
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**AUCTION SATURDAY**  
**TOOLS-BUILDING MATERIALS**  
OFFICE  
NOVEMBER 2, 1985  
10:00 AM

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**Antiques & Collectibles:** Oak parlor table, radios, low oak chest, oak sewing machine, square oak dining table, 4 walnut chairs, Singer sewing machine (salesman's sample), china closet, blanket chest, oak rocker, pie table, humpback trunk, oak swivel desk chair, bassinet, WW II uniforms, piano stool, wagon wheel, oak school desk, milk can, wood beds, shoemakers supplies, sponge ware, Heisey, Carnival, Cobalt, Hall, cups & saucers, tapestry, pictures & frames, butter churns, clock, records, collection of brass, baskets, crocks & jugs, oil lamp, corn planters, plant stand, depression glass, corner shelf, collectors plates.

**Household:** Refrigerators, buffet, color TV, nice dining room suite, air conditioner, bunk beds, end tables, vacuum, rockers, rugs, linens, couch, dryer, dressers, crystal, dishes, Hammond organ, heaters, quilt.

**Misc:** Two 5' showcases, adding machine, cash register, wall safe, hobby items.

**Tools & Misc:** Hand tools, wheelbarrel, riding lawn mower, snowblowers, shotgun.  
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Lunch Stand, Sale held in Pole Barn.  
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**1974 MAGNAYOX 19" COLOR TV:** needs work. \$25 627-4793

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**25" TV:** works. \$20. Console stereo \$20. Bike parts and frames 647-7323.

**42 INCH SNOWBLADE AND CHAINS:** for 10 Horse Dynamark. Tire size 16x6 50x8 \$50. Call 627-4949.

**50% OFF:** Flashing arrow signs \$259!!! Lighted, non-arrow \$247. Unlighted \$199. (Free letters!) See locally Limited quantity. Hurry! 1 (800) 423-0163, anytime.

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**BATTERY CHARGERS BIG AND SMALL:** Highest quality, low price. Complete line of welders by Century 233 Devine Hwy in Barley Building Monday-Friday 9-5 647-4182.

**BERETTA SILVER HAWK:** double barrel 16 ga. shotgun, 8 boxes of shells \$400. Weaver 3x9 scope with detachable rings \$35. 682-4120.

**COLONIAL COUCH:** For sale, \$75 or best offer. Good Condition. Call 646-0764.

**DAMAGED DOORS-** Interior and exterior, starting at \$2.50. Plywood Sales, 3121 S. Pennsylvania, Lansing 882-0276.

**EXECUTIVE DESK AND CHAIR:** Asking \$200; Bookcase-3 unit \$75 a piece or \$200 for all (great for office or home). Rocking chair, dresser, also collectors 1916 Coke bottle, and many misc. items. 627-2653.

**FISHING SHANTY:** Painted, treated floor, 4 X 8 in size, well built, \$110 or best offer. Call 641-6906.

**MENS LEFT HANDED Golf Clubs,** McGregor's Golden Bear, Fair Condition. \$75 firm. Call 641-6906.

**MONUMENTS AND MARKERS-** Low prices. Save as much as 20%. no salesman, guaranteed work. Eaton Monument Co. - between Charlotte and Bellevue at 3734 Battle Creek Rd. 543-3410.

**OLD SEWING MACHINE:** needs repair, make offer. Aluminum storm door-colonial style, good condition \$25. Call 647-6234.

**WOOD/PROPANE GAS FURNACE:** 1 year old-\$200, Antique Oak Store Counter-31 feet long-\$150. 517-862-4227, Nights 517-834-2113.

**More For Less Lumber & Building Supplies**  
**MPC CASHWAY LUMBER**  
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**Garage/Rummage Sales 108**

**GARAGE SALE ADS SPECIAL RATE**  
20 WORDS \$4.25  
Jump on the bandwagon and get into the garage sale action. Place a garage sale ad for ONLY \$4.25 for 20 words. 20 cents each additional word.

**PICK UP YOUR TWO FREE GARAGE SALE SIGNS WHEN YOU PLACE YOUR AD IN THE COMMUNITY CLASSIFIEDS**  
Garage sale kits available \$1.50 contains: 2 garage sale signs, 1 arrow, 3 inventory sheets, 1 sheet of receipts, 3 price tag sheets, 14 tips for a successful garage sale. Plus we will mail it to you.

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DeWitt/Bath Review 323-1711  
The Grand Ledge Independent 627-4670  
The Reminder 627-4001  
Portland Review & Observer 647-7508  
Delta Waverly News Herald 323-1711

**DELTA WAVERLY GARAGE SALE:** Saturday, November 2, 9:00 to 5:00. Household, clothing, baby items, furniture. 5517 River Ridge.

**GRAND LEDGE:** October 24, 25, 9:00am-6pm. Misc. toys, ladies and girls clothes, Clubster golf cart 941 Belknap.

**GRAND LEDGE MOVING SALE:** Saturday, October 26th. Stereo, clothing and many small items. 122 Marsh Drive.

**GRAND LEDGE AREA MOVING SALE:** Friday, November 1st, 10 to 4. 6 miles north of Grand Ledge on Wright Rd. to Howe Rd. (East 1/2 mile) 9473. 626-6632.

### Misc. For Sale 114

**PICK-UP CAP:** \$150. 36 inch international snow thrower, \$200. Ski-doo snowmobile, needs repair, \$50. H Beam 4x12x27, \$125. H Beam 4x12x24 8", \$100. 2 push lawn mowers, \$20 each. Call 627-2654.

**PING PONG TABLE:** good condition \$40. La-Z-Boy black Naugheide rocker, excellent condition. \$175. Call 627-7161.

**WE SELL PROPANE GAS**  
**THE DEER BARN, INC.**  
4898 Saginaw, Grand Ledge  
Phone 627-8451

**POP VENDING MACHINE:** Five selection, vends 12oz cans. New coin changer can be set from 25 cents to 75 cents. Call 627-3154.

**SELL OR TRADE**  
Bel-Tronics super-heterodyne radar detector. Separate alerts for X and K band radars. Purchased July 6, cost \$149, will sell for \$80 or trade for programmable scanner. Call Eric at 484-2863 (9-5) or 627-6340 after 6pm.

**SNOW TIRES:** almost new Michelin on GM wheels, lot 205/75R14, \$95, two 195/R14, \$85. Phone 323-4260.

**WHIRLPOOL ELECTRIC DRYER:** \$75.00. Water pump motor with container tank, \$175.00. Ski-boat with trailer, \$2,000.00. 627-5172.

**BAGGED LEAVES WANTED FOR MULCHING:** 1969 Ambassador and 1972 Hornet for sale or for parts. Call 626-6917 after 5pm.

**MAPLE RAPIDS LUMBER MILL, INC. - Rt. 1, St. Johns.** Buyers of timber of all types (cash in advance). Phone 517-682-4225 or 517-682-4164.

**WANTED LA-Z-BOY ROCKER:** which needs to be upholstered. 587-6756.

### Misc. Wanted 115

**TRAPPING SUPPLIES, NITE-LITES:** For hours and information, call C & B Trapping Supplies, 517-641-6997, 4pm-9pm.

**Sporting Goods 122**

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### Musical Instruments 116

**ARTLEY FLUTE:** beginners model (like new) \$200. King Marigaux Saxophone, very good condition \$600. Also folding music stand and case \$5. Phone 626-2180.

**CLARINET RECENTLY RECONDITIONED:** Used 2 years \$200.00 627-2223.

**Office Equipment 117**

**3M BRAND "209" AUTOMATIC COPIER** And 3M brand Thermofax copying machine. "The Secretary" Make us an offer. Call Pete 627-4001.

**Paint & Wallpaper 118**

**Radio, TV, Stereo, 119 Tape Deck**

**19" G.E. Colored TV 1980:** Excellent condition \$175.00. Call 862-5763.

**GENERAL ELECTRIC VIR II, broadcast controlled color television.** PEAKE ELECTRIC, 106 E. Bridge, Portland. 647-6300.

### Crafts & Hobbies 121

**OCTOBER YARN OF THE MONTH:** Save 30% on Brunswick Heatherblend, regular \$1.90 a skein - sale - \$1.35, must be in stock. Davidson Old Mill Yarn, 109 East Elizabeth, Eaton Rapids. HOURS - Weekdays 1-5, Saturday, 9:30 to 5.

**WANTED TO BUY:** Old electric toy trains. Repair work done on American Flyer trains. Also have some American Flyer trains and accessories for sale. Write to Fred J. Smith, 11255 E. Grand River Ave. Brighton Mich 48116 or Call Monday, Wednesday, Friday, between 6pm and 10pm.

**DOGGS, PUPS, CATS, KITTENS:** of all kinds free. Purebred, mixed breeds, long-haired, short-haired. Call 321-4497.

**FREE PUPPIES:** to good home, mixed breed, all black, 6 weeks old. 627-8596.

**FREE:** mixed Chihuahua puppy 647-2545.

**PUPPIES, LAB MIX:** 5 weeks, cute. 517-855-2470.

**SIGNATURE MICROWAVE OVEN:** Free- needs repair. 627-6110.

### Tools 123

Air compressors, air tools air accessories socket sets, power tools, auto equipment, body tools, wood working equipment, tool boxes and cabinet, drill presses and accessories, vises, and some car audio C and W Tool Sales, Ionia, MI. 1 1/2 miles north of the expressway on M-66. 616-527-2724.

**Absolutely Free 126**

**2 FEMALE KITTENS:** 2 weeks old. Black, very affectionate. 337-2610.

**3 KITTENS, PART MANX:** 7 weeks old. 1 gray, short-tailed male, 1 black, stubby-tail female, 1 black, long-tail male. 627-3326.

**ABSOLUTELY FREE**

All items offered in this "Absolutely Free" column must be exactly that. There is no charge for these listings. No charge items can appear with a free listing. Non-commercial accounts only. Community Newspapers accepts no responsibility for actions between individuals regarding Absolutely Free Ads.

**BEAGLE/BASSET MALE:** good hunter if not alone, 5 years old, good with kids. 669-9419.

**BEAGLE/SPANIAL MIX PUPPIES:** mother good hunter, wormed, and cute. Free to good home. 6 males and 1 female. 647-2429.

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**TO GIVE AWAY TO GOOD HOME:** Beautiful angora kittens, all colors. 224-7495.

**Bartering Exchange/Trade 127**

**GARLAND COMMERCIAL OVEN:** Double oven broiler, excellent condition \$900 or best offer. 517-566-8573.

**Pets 200**

**CHIUAHUA,** \$75 or best offer. 647-2545.

**FREE KITTENS**  
To Loving homes, 224-7585.

**GOLDEN RETRIEVER PUPPIES:** Wormed, shots, excellent line. \$150. 651-6417.

**Pet Services & Supplies 201**

**HIMALAYAN FLAMEPOINT:** for stud. clia registered and pedigree. For more information call 517-224-7702.

**Horses & Tack 300**

**BLACK BEAUTY IN MINIATURE:** Delicate conformation, 51" gentle and loving, but needs some training. \$450.00. 322-2182.

**Farm Equipment & Accessories 301**

**1979 CASE 14HP TRACTOR:** and

**Hay, Grain, Seed 302**

**HORSE OR CATTLE HAY:** Good selection 321-2850 or 626-6277  
**NOW'S THE TIME:** to roast your beans and grain. 8 ton per hour roasted and cooled. Call Ken Simon 593-2296  
**STRAW FOR SALE:** 50 cents per bale 626-6135

**Livestock, Poultry 303**

**BEEF COWS FOR SALE:** 3 bred cows, 2 heifers-1 bred. Phone 669-3283  
**ROOSTERS, 5 MONTHS OLD:** 6 colored, 3 white \$3.00 each 627-6303

**Announcements 400 & Notices**

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**HOME AND GARDEN CLUB ANNUAL BAZAAR:** Saturday, November 2, 9:00am to 4:00pm, at the St. Peters Catholic Church, 515 E. Knight, Eaton Rapids

**ST. CYRILS ANNUAL CHRISTMAS BAZAAR:** Saturday, November 2, 10-4 St. Cyril's Parish Hall, Bannister. 50 tables. Lunch available

**WANTED:** All Veterans to come to a card game at VFW hall, Post 4113, October 23, at 7pm. Cider, donuts, coffee will be served

**WANTED:** Persons interested in consignment of needlecraft items. For more information call 647-4368, after 1pm

**Bingo 401**

**BINGO WEDNESDAY:** at Portland American Legion Hall. Sponsored by Portland Civic Players. Doors open 5:30pm

**Big Bingo**  
**KIDNEY FOUNDATION OF MICHIGAN,** Friday mornings. Doors open 9am Westland Hall

**CORNER OF WAVERLY AND SAGINAW**

**PARK LAKE BINGO**  
 Monday nights at 5959 Park Lake Rd. Bath. Doors open at 4:30. Early birds start at 6pm

**SPONSORED BY THE BRETTON WOODS LIONS CLUB,** 938 S. Waverly Rd., Lansing. Doors open at 5p. Tuesday

**SPONSORED BY THE INGHAM COUNTY Conservation League,** 7534 Old River Trail, Lansing. Doors open at 6:15pm. Tuesday

**Bingo 401**

**SPONSORED BY EAGLE LODGE,** 4700 N. Grand River, Lansing. Doors open at 6pm. Wednesday  
**SPONSORED BY ST. MICHAEL'S SCHOOL,** 325 Edward, Grand Ledge. Doors open 5:30pm. Sunday  
**TUESDAY BINGO:** Watertown Parks and Recreation Board. Doors open 6pm. Watertown Township Hall, Wacousta

**Education-Instruction 404**

**NEED MONEY FOR COLLEGE, TECHNICAL, OR BUSINESS SCHOOL?** We search more than 4000 private sources of Scholarship money. Results guaranteed. Write for free no obligation information. Computerized Scholarship Matching Service, c/o Dible & Associates, Inc. PO Box 438 Grand Ledge, Mich. 48837

**Men & Women TRAIN AT HOME/CAMPUS Become a TRUCK DRIVER OR HEAVY EQUIP. OPERATOR**  
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**SUPERIOR TRAINING SERVICES**  
 Headquarters, Phoenix, AZ

**Legal Services 407**

**ATTORNEY:** Divorce, Injuries, General Practice. Cynthia Maxson. 321-6658

**Lost & Found 408**

**\$500 REWARD:** for information of person or persons involved in the theft of a pistol and mutilation of a 1985 Olds Indy-500 Calais, on October 1st in Olds Logan Street Parking Lot. Please respond to Kay Roper at Community Newspapers, Box 811, 219 S. Bridge St., Grand Ledge, Mich. 48837

**WHEN YOU PLACE A FOUND AD WITH COMMUNITY NEWSPAPERS, IT'S ABSOLUTELY FREE!** We'll run any found ad for 2 weeks. Phone 627-4670

**FOUND BLACK KITTEN:** in Lansing Mall parking lot, has new collar. 321-1378 evenings

**LOST BLACK/TAN HOUND:** in St. Johns area. Childrens pet. If seen or heard of, call collect, Jim Petty, 313-694-3236

**Help Wanted 501**

**BABYSITTER:** 8:30 to 5:30, Monday-Friday, my home 627-9504 evenings, 373-0823 days

**ODD JOB EXPERT**  
**JIM SHEPARD**  
 224-7115 6pm.

**Help Wanted 501**

**BABYSITTER WANTED:** Mature lady for 1 year old in my home-perferably starting in December. full time 5am to 2pm Grand Ledge area 627-5589

**COOKS WAITRESSES AND BUS BOYS:** Apply in person Scale House Truck Stop

**DREAM JOB:** keep your most important job as homemaker and mother. work 9 hours per week and earn \$157.50. No investment, no collecting, no delivery. Phone 543-4669, Monday - Friday, 9 to 5

**EARN \$4.87 HOUR**  
 We need assistance in evaluating and responding to daily work reports submitted by our agents throughout the state. No experience necessary. Paid to complete training. Work at home. For information send self-addressed, stamped envelope 9 1/2 inches long to AWGA, Dept. E, Box 49204, Atlanta, Georgia 30359

**EXPERIENCED PHONE PERSONNEL:** Call from home, no sales. Phone 616-878-1905

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**MAKE \$2000 MONTHLY:** For free details send a self-addressed stamped envelope to: W.L.K. P.O. Box 4045, East Lansing, MI 48823

**NOW HIRING:** Cooks and waitresses for all shifts, must be 18 or older. Apply in person Big D Restaurant, Portland

**PART TIME TAKE INVENTORY IN CHARLOTTE STORES:** Daytime hours. Car Necessary. Write Phone Number. Experience to: ICC T466 Box 527, Paramus, N.J. 07653

**PHONE SALES**  
 Mornings, afternoons, evenings available. Hourly plus commission. Pleasant Clinton County office, nice atmosphere, nice people to work with. Call Jean Yanna 224-2012 or 224-2361

**RESPONSIBLE BABYSITTER NEEDED:** for a teachers infant and 2 1/2 year old, Monday - Friday, 8am to 4pm. Will consider both inside and outside of the home situation. Call 647-6011 after 4:30

**RN'S, PART TIME:** 7 to 3, Obstetrics Department (previous experience desired), ALSO Med/Surg 7 to 3, and 3 to 11 shifts. Hayes Green Beech Hospital, 321 E. Harris Street, Charlotte, MI

**SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS NEEDED:** Michigan certification required. Apply DeWitt Public Schools, 608 Wilson Street, DeWitt 669-2260

**WANTED:** Reliable individuals for full time employment with Lansing firm. Must be able to start immediately and have dependable transportation. Training provided, good advancement opportunity. For interview, phone 887-2788 Monday-Saturday, 11-3

**Help Wanted 501**

**SITTER NEEDED:** Mature responsible woman for Friday evenings 321-8757

**Situations Wanted 502**

**LICENSED FAMILY DAY-CARE HOME:** 5 full or part-time openings. Reasonable rates, references, nutritious meals, educational play. Call (517) 669-3594

**TAYLOR PAINTING:** Sub contractor, 8 years experience, interior and exterior. Free estimates. 517-566-8573

**TYPING/WORD PROCESSING:** Reasonable rates, fast service. References furnished. 627-2753

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**GRAND LEDGE 1 PLUS ACRES:** 3 bedroom ranch, lovely rural setting, close to town, 3 car garage, basement, pool house, \$54,000. Margaret Herrera 321-0081 or Coldwell Banker Simon 323-2581, an independently owned office.

**HOLT RANCH:** 3 bedroom, beautiful country setting, close MSU, gas, air, fireplaces. \$65,000. 393-6581

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**SHORT TERM MEDICAL:** Insurance is available at the Reed Insurance Agency, 669-2911

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**BABYSITTER AVAILABLE:** for infant, toddlers, pre-schoolers, and after schoolers in my Waverly School district home. Meals provided. References. Call Debbie at 321-8535

**LICENSED DAY CARE:** in my St. Johns home, meals and snacks, any shift. 224-8653

**WOULD LIKE TO BABYSIT:** in my home. Phone 627-6592

**Business Opportunities 600**

**STEEL BUILDING DEALERSHIP:** with Major Manufacturer-Sales and Engineering support. Starter ads furnished. Some areas taken. Call (303) 759-3200 Ext. 2401

**Money to Loan 601**

**IF YOU NEED money** for investment purposes, consolidating bills, or paying off a land contract, we can help by refinancing your present home. Low Rates. Call Marathon Mortgage Corporation 517-321-4800

**Insurance 605**

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**Real Estate For Sale 700**

**2 1/2 ACRES:** Crawford County Good hunting, fishing, and recreational area. Near Huron National Forest. Would like to trade for down payment in Bath Township. 641-4071

**3 BEDROOM RANCH:** Walk-out basement, 1 Acre plus, Eagle area. \$49,900.00. 627-2223

**BOUCK ESTATES, JUST LISTED:** Owner transferred. Immaculate 3 bedroom ranch with new kitchen, new bath and carpet, large master bedroom, full basement, gas and electric will average \$79 a month mortgage. Paula Raffler 627-7655 (H-116) Century 21 Sasse Real Estate 627-4075

**BY OWNER:** Home on 10 1/2 acres, south east of Portland, 20 minutes from Lansing 3 bedroom, dining room, rec room with fireplace, outdoor swimming and large yard. Land Contract available. Asking \$59,900. By appointment. 647-4586

**HOUSE SALE/RENT:** Pawamo, near school, newly painted in/out. 323-2349

**Real Estate For Sale 701 Or Rent**

**WANTED TO BUY OR RENT:** farm with 20 plus acres, high 60's. Have horses and excellent references. 517-649-8597

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**CHARLOTTE AREA BAR:** Well established. No bands. Priced right with terms. Associated Business Brokers. 517-484-5003, 517-694-3161 nights

**Investment Property 711 For Sale**

**NEAR LAKE CHARLEVOIX:** Dining, Dancing, Cocktails. Seats 250, Class "C" SDM. Apartment on premises. Under \$100,000, 8% assumable land contract. 616-536-2044

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**2 1/2 ACRES ON TAVIA RD.** 9 miles northeast of St. Johns, excellent building site. \$1,500 down, \$5,500 balance due in 3 years, no interest. Lot on Crystal Lake, \$2,800.00, 11 large hard maple veneer trees worth \$1,800. Call 834-5596 after 6pm

**50 ACRES:** North West of St. Johns, 30 tillable, 20 woods, 2 streams. 517-676-1698 after 6pm

**Mobile Homes For Sale 714**

**1978 FAIRMONT:** 12x60 w/expando, 2 bedroom, Parkview Estates, Portland, \$10,000 or best offer. Call anytime 517-647-2557 or 517-834-2309 after 5pm

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**LARGE OLD BARN FOR SALE:** For more information call 517-566-8277

**NORTHWEST LANSING:** Near Health Department. \$29,900 cozy ranch, easily maintained. Terms offered. Call Jane Frewen Realtor. 647-4488 or 647-7511

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**1971 SCHULTZ:** 12x60, 2 bedroom, partly furnished, must sell, \$3,500. 647-6844

**1973 SWIFT 14x60:** 2 bedroom, excellent condition, some extras, corner lot. Parkview Estates, Portland. 647-4049

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**SCHULTZ 1978 MOBILE HOME:** 14x60 good condition, ready to be moved. \$8,888.00. 3 miles south of M-57 on US-27. 517-838-4109

**Contracts Wanted 717**

**FOR YOUR LAND CONTRACT** with facts in hand call 669-9390, ask for Brian or John

**Apartments to Rent 800**

**1 BEDROOM APARTMENT:** Deposit required. Portland 647-7119

**2 BEDROOM DOWNSTAIRS:** Apartment. Deposit and references required. Utilities not included. \$175.00 per month. Call 647-6393 after 4pm. No pets

**APARTMENT FOR RENT:** 2 bedroom with garage, centrally located in country setting, close to I-96 and Grand River. Rent \$275, heat included. 626-2184

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 for information

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 2 bedroom Sectional home w/2 full baths 2x6 walls, delivered and set up  
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**1973 KARMEN GHIA:** Rebuilt engine, 6,000 miles, new tires, started restoration. \$800. 626-8507 after 6pm.

**1973 LINCOLN MARK IV:** with sun roof, \$1350 or best offer. 321-4243.

**1974 CAMARO:** 350cu. needs body work \$325. 1977 Ford 4x4, new tires, good running gear \$1,900. 224-9969 before 4pm.

**1975 DELTA 88:** 4-door, many options. \$400. 647-2135 after 4.

**1975 VW SUPER BEETLE:** New heater, hoses, muffler, tail pipe. Big engine. \$850 or best offer. Call 543-4779.

**GREMLIN 1978:** 60,000 miles, new battery, brakes, good winter car. \$775. 627-7351 8am to 5pm; 627-6328 evenings.

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**1976 MERCURY MONARCH:** \$250, runs good, needs work. 647-7092.

**1976 PLYMOUTH HORIZON:** 4 door, automatic transmission, air, excellent shape. 647-7256.

**1977 OLDS CUSTOM CRUISER:** loaded, excellent interior. \$1,875. Call 669-5870.

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**1979 JEEP CHEROKEE WAGON:** V-8. 52,000 miles, good condition \$3,395. best offer or trade. 627-2246 after 5pm.

**1979 PINTO:** good condition, new tires and exhaust. \$1500. 647-7954.

**1981 CHEVETTE:** 2 door, loaded, rust proofed, excellent condition. low mileage, must sell. 626-6911.

**1981 CITATION:** Excellent condition, 2 tone blue, 2 door, 4-speed, and 4 cylinder. 62,000 miles. \$2,600 or best offer. Call between 8am and 5pm 373-7594, after 6 323-2441. Ask for Lynn.

**1981 FORD ESCORT WAGON:** Power steering, power brakes, AM/FM stereo, sun roof, rear window defogger, cruise, good condition, good gas mileage. \$2,700. 647-7387.

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**1981 TOYOTA CORONA:** SR-5, 5-speed, manual transmission, with air, AM/FM radio, hatch back, all-steel rust, runs excellent. \$4,250. Call 627-3175 after 7pm.

**1982 BUICK SKYWALK:** 30 mpg, 4 door, 4-speed, cruise, front wheel drive, AM/FM, excellent condition. \$5,200. 649-8970.

**1983 CHEVY BLAZER SILVERADO:** 4x4, manual, low mileage, lots of options. 647-2339.

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**1983 SUBARU GL WAGON:** front wheel drive, many extras, 35,000 miles, under coated, \$5,000. 627-3081 after 6pm.

**TRAVCO 1972:** 27' roof air, generator, good condition through-out. \$10,500. 627-5038.

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**CHRYSLER CORDOBA 1975:** runs good. \$675. Phone 626-6525.

**Z-28 1981:** 60,000 miles, gray with silver interior, 4 speed, T-tops, excellent. \$5,500. 647-6685.

**1984 2 DOOR CHEVETTE:** air, automatic, rear defogger. Phone 647-6302 after 4. \$5,500 or best offer.

**1984 TORONADO:** Beige/Dark Brown, V-8 gas. This car is loaded. List for over \$19,000, is leaded at \$12,300. Call 627-8516 after 4:00pm.

**1985 DELTA 88:** 4-door, air, cruise, V-8, many more options. 9,000 miles, new car warranty, \$11,450. Phone 322-3756 or 321-0180.

**1985 FORD RANGER XLT:** 4 wheel drive, 6 cylinder, loaded, 7800 miles \$11,000, will arrange financing. 641-4461 after 5:30 pm.

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**1985 OLDS CALAIS SUPREME:** fully equipped, GM extended warranty available, \$9,500. 645-2898.

**2-4 WHEEL DRIVE, 1981 EAGLE WAGON:** like new, loaded, good snow vehicle, will bargain. 332-0025.

**84 BERLINETTA CAMARO:** Red, automatic, tilt, air, cruise, am/fm stereo. \$11,500 or best offer. Must sell. 626-2225 before 1pm.

**ASPEN WAGON:** 1977. 1 owner, power, automatic, AM/FM. \$600. 321-1760.

**BUICK PARK AVE, 1982 DIESEL:** Air and lots more. \$7,000. 224-8764 or 224-6695.

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**CALAIS 1985:** 2 door, power brakes, power steering, cruise, air, stereo, tilt, excellent condition. 5,500 miles. \$9,800. 627-7871.

**CAMARO 1984 Z-28:** Automatic, cruise, tilt, air, rear defogger, stereo cassette, low miles. Excellent. 351-4301 mornings.

**CAMERO 1984 V-8:** Automatic, power, Ziebart package, 16,000 miles, like new. \$8,700. 627-3426.

**CHEVELLE 1972 Stock car:** Brand new tires and wheels. Raced only 2 weeks. Must sell. \$800 or best offer. Phone 694-2496, 8am - 5pm, and ask for Scott.

**CHEVETTE 1983 RED:** 2 door, grey cloth interior, 23,000 miles. \$3,850. 517-566-8261 after 6pm.

**CHEVETTE 1979:** 4 door, good condition, new radial tires, new muffler, tail pipe and battery. \$1,300 or best offer. 627-9181.

**Autos for Sale 900**  
**CHEVY MALIBU, 1983:** 4 door, V-8, power steering, power brakes, air, ect. Excellent tires, excellent overall condition. 484-0786.

**CITATION 1980 4 DOOR:** V-6, automatic, air, tilt-wheel, new tires. \$2,000. 647-7976.

**CUTLASS SUPREME BROGHAM 1985:** 2 door, dark burgandy, landau top, loaded, 12,000 plus miles. \$11,200. Call 372-3578 after 4pm.

**CUTLASS SUPREME BROUGHAM:** 1984, cruise, tilt, air, am/fm stereo cassette, burgundy, \$8,800 or best offer. 482-5301, 627-7454.

**DELTA 88 BROUGHAM:** 1979, white, nice car, \$4300. Will consider offer. 647-6119, Portland.

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**FIREBIRD 1984:** 4-speed, air, defogger, stereo, mags, stored winters. \$5,900. Craig 351-4118 or 353-8786.

**FORD BRONCO 1983:** Excellent condition, 34,000 miles, 6 cylinder, 4 speed overdrive, am/fm stereo cassette. \$8500. 616-374045.

**FORD ESCORT WAGON 1985:** Automatic, power steering and brakes, stereo, warranty. \$7,000. 646-8449, Dimondale.

**FORD EXP 1985:** 2 tone, 5-speed, cassette, excellent. 13,000 miles. \$5,975. 224-8422 after 5pm.

**GMC 1985 S-15 JIMMY:** 4 wheel drive, full off-road package. High level trim interior, rear seat, aluminum wheels, loaded. Ready for fall and winter bad weather. 12,000 miles. \$11,900. 323-3210.

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**Vans 911**  
**1973 POSTAL VAN:** 1/2 ton, good tires, rebuilt transmission, recently replaced engine, recently replaced starter and other parts \$500 or trade. 626-6553.

**1975 FORD VAN:** 6 cylinder stick, needs steering work. \$500. 627-7106 after 6pm.

**FORD VAN 1980:** Low mileage, many extras. 627-2077 after 3pm.

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**10 1/2 FOOT TRUCK CAMPER:** sleeps 8, gas and electric, good condition. \$500. 647-6878 after 5.

**1974 PUMA FOLD DOWN CAMPER:** Sleeps 6. \$750. Phone 224-3697.

**Motor Homes 920**  
**1972 CHAMPION MOTOR HOME:** Low mileage, good condition. 543-0739 after 3pm or weekends.

**HONEY 1983, 26 FOOT:** 15,000 miles, Chevy, sleeps 5-6, seats 12, clean, extras. 647-6609.

**Motor Homes 920**  
**1974, 32 FOOT EXECUTIVE:** loaded! \$19,990. Call (517) 855-2087.

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**MORTGAGE SALE**  
 Default having been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Michael M. Bohacz and Gloria V. Bohacz, his wife, of DeWitt, Clinton County, Michigan, mortgagors, to Cambridge Financial Corporation, a Michigan Corporation, Mortgagee, dated November 5, 1984 and recorded November 8, 1984, in Liber 418, Page 97, Clinton County Records, Michigan, and assigned by said mortgage to Cowger & Miller Mortgage Co., Inc. by an assignment dated November 5, 1984 and recorded November 8, 1984, in Liber 418, Page 103, Clinton County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date hereof Ninety-Nine Thousand Five and 67/100 Dollars (\$99,015.67) including interest at 11.75% per annum.

And no suit or proceedings having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now, under the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to Michigan Statute, notice is hereby given that December 13, 1985, at 11:00 o'clock A.M. Local Time, said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public auction, to the highest bidder immediately at the North door of the Court House in St. Johns, Michigan (that being the building where the Court House for Clinton County is held) of the mortgaged premises or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage with interest, legal costs, charges and expenses, including attorney fees allowed by law, and any sums paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises. The redemption period shall be 1 month from the date of such sale, unless an affidavit of record or intent to occupy is recorded in accordance with the 1948CL 600 3241(d) and given to the mortgagee, in which case the redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale.

Said premises are situated in the City of DeWitt, Clinton County, Michigan, and described as follows: Lot 48 of Geneva Shores City of DeWitt, Clinton County, Michigan, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, Pages 37 and 38 Clinton County Records.

Dated: October 29, 1985

COWGER & MILLER MORTGAGE CO., INC.  
 Assignee of Mortgage

LAW OFFICE OF PETER COOPER  
 Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage  
 30100 Telegraph Road  
 Suite 408  
 Birmingham, Michigan 48010  
 Phone: (313) 645-2600

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**NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE**

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage made by Timothy L. Sheldon, a single man of 6498 East Colony Road, Elsie, Michigan 48831 to Clinton Bank & Trust Company, a state banking corporation of 200 North Clinton Avenue, St. Johns, Michigan 48879 dated September 25, 1981, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Clinton and State of Michigan, on September 28, 1981, in Liber 316 of Mortgages, on pages 899, 900, 901 and 902, on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of Twenty-five Thousand Six Hundred Ninety and 15/100 (\$25,619.15) Dollars, and no proceedings having been instituted to recover the debt now remaining secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said Mortgage has become operative.

Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Thursday, the 14th day of November, A.D., 1985, at 10:00 a.m., Eastern Standard Time, said Mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public auction to the highest bidder on the Clinton County Courthouse, steps, front door, located in the City of St. Johns, County of Clinton, State of Michigan, that being the place for holding Circuit Court in the County of Clinton, State of Michigan, and that being the county in which the premises described herein are located, and so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amounts due as aforesaid on said Mortgage, with interest thereon at the rate of two (2%) percent over the bank's prime, together with all legal costs, charges and expenses, delinquent taxes, interest and penalties due thereon, and attorney fees as allowed by law, also any sums which may be paid by the undersigned to protect its interest in said premises, which premises are legally described as follows:

Lot 3, in Outlot Q, City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan.

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

Dated at St. Johns, Michigan, this 7th day of October, A.D., 1985.

CLINTON BANK & TRUST COMPANY, Mortgagee

William G. Jackson  
 Attorney for Mortgagee  
 120 East Walker Street  
 P.O. Box 246  
 St. Johns, MI 48879

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

**PUBLICATION NOTICE DECEASED ESTATE**

Estate of LUDLOW RALPH JOHNSON, Deceased. Social Security Number 382-09-3424.

To ALL INTERESTED PARTIES: Your interest in the estate may be barred or affected by this hearing.

**TAKE NOTICE:** On October 17, 1985 at 9:00 A.M., in the probate courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan, before Hon. MARVIN E. ROBERTSON, Judge of Probate a hearing was held on the petition of WOODROW A. DEPPA requesting that WOODROW A. DEPPA be appointed Personal Representative of LUDLOW RALPH JOHNSON who lived at 13584 Grand River, Eagle, Michigan 48822, and who died September 20, 1985; and requesting also that the will of the Deceased dated December 14, 1984 be admitted to probate.

Creditors are notified that copies of all claims against the Deceased must be presented, personally or by mail, to both the Personal Representative and to the Court on or before January 17, 1986. Notice is further given that the estate will then be assigned to entitled persons appearing of record.

Dated: October 17, 1985

Woodrow A. Deppa  
 326 N. Bridge Street  
 P.O. Box 54  
 Grand Ledge, Michigan 48837  
 Phone: (517) 627-2401

Woodrow A. Deppa (P12690)  
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**STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CLINTON**

CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK OF ST. JOHNS, a national banking association.

vs.

MARY L. SCHMITT, survivor of herself and her deceased husband, E.J. SCHMITT, a/k/a ED J. SCHMITT.

Defendant.

**NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE**

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain real estate mortgage made by E. J. SCHMITT, a/k/a ED J. SCHMITT and MARY L. SCHMITT, of 905 East Walker Street, St. Johns, Michigan, mortgagors, to CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK OF ST. JOHNS, a national banking association with offices located in the City of St. Johns, County of Clinton, State of Michigan, mortgagee, said Mortgage being dated the 12th day of March, A.D., 1980, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan, on the 13th day of March, A.D., 1980, in Liber 309, Page 783. That said Mortgage is claimed to be due at the date of this Notice of Foreclosure with principal and interest thereon in the sum of EIGHTEEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED FIFTY-NINE and 31/100 (\$18,559.31) DOLLARS.

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Thursday, the 14th day of November, A.D., 1985, at 10:00 a.m., Eastern Standard Time, said Mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public auction to the highest bidder on the Clinton County Courthouse, steps, front door, located in the City of St. Johns, County of Clinton, State of Michigan, that being the place for holding Circuit Court in the County of Clinton, State of Michigan, and that being the county in which the premises described herein are located, and so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amounts due as aforesaid on said Mortgage, with interest thereon at the rate of two (2%) percent over the bank's prime, together with all legal costs, charges and expenses, delinquent taxes, interest and penalties due thereon, and attorney fees as allowed by law, also any sums which may be paid by the undersigned to protect its interest in said premises, which premises are legally described as follows:

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