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Notes Interlochen

ST. JOHNS The Interlochen Arts Academy Brass and Percussion Ensembles will perform at the St. Johns High School auditorium at 7:30 p.m. on April 30, not the date reported earlier.

Library

ST. JOHNS The next meeting of the library project will be held in the Clinton County Board of Commissioners room, in the county courthouse, on April 29.

The steering committee will meet at 6:30 p.m., followed by full committee meeting at 7:30 p.m.

Senior jobs

CLINTON COUNTY Attention senior citizens! Employment opportunities are available for residents of Clinton County who are at least 55 years of age and meet the following income guidelines:

Family size 1 — yearly household income of \$6,700.

Family size 2 — yearly household income of \$9,050.

Family size 3 — yearly household income of \$11,400.

Various positions and locations are available, including van drivers for the St. Johns area. For further information call 482-6281 and ask for the Senior Aide Program or call 224-7998 and ask for Pauline Baert.

White cane

ST. JOHNS Members of the St. Johns Lions Club will be out and about in the community April 25 and 26 selling miniature white canes as part of Michigan's 1986 White Cane Week.

The event is part of the continuing effort by Lions clubs across the state to promote knowledge of the state laws requiring motorists to stop for people carrying a white cane or walking with a leader dog.

Funds from the sale of the miniature white canes will be used to purchase white canes, braille watches, eyeglasses, examinations and various other aids to help the blind help themselves. The statewide goal is \$1.5 million.

In St. Johns, the Lions will be stationed at the Wheel Inn, Fishers Big Wheel, Goff the Food Store, Krogers, Clinton Bank and Trust, Bob's IGA and Parr's Pharmacy.

Child ID

ST. JOHNS The Photo Imaging store, 222 N. Clinton Ave., St. Johns, will next month offer free child identification photographs to area children.

Owner Jim Ortman said the photos are intended to be used in conjunction with the fingerprinting program conducted by the Clinton County Sheriff's Department. Parents of children who have been fingerprinted can place the free photograph on the identification document provided by the Sheriff's Department.

Parents of children who have not been fingerprinted can save the photo and take advantage of the fingerprinting program at a later date. The Veterans of Foreign Wars will offer fingerprinting during the Mint Festival this summer, in addition to the continuing program provided by the Sheriff's Department.

The free photographs will be taken on the first three Fridays and Saturdays in May. Parents may bring their children in May 2, 9 and 16, from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. and May 3, 10, and 17, from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE



Photograph by Rich Wertz

MINT SUPPORTERS — St. Johns Area Chamber of Commerce Director Joann Martis and Secretary Judy Price display Mint Festival buttons and pens that are now available at area businesses. The buttons are numbered and will be used during the Mint Festival for prize drawings. At \$1 each the buttons and pins are available currently at Goff the Food Store, Kroger's, the Chamber office, the St. Johns Reminder and the Clinton County News.

Dillingham's officially in Senate race

Rep. Fred Dillingham made Clinton County his first stop last week when he traveled around the 30th State Senate District, officially announcing his candidacy for the seat being vacated by Senator Alan Cropsey.

He met with local government officials for breakfast at the Dutch House of Beef, east of St. Johns.

Dillingham presently holds the 51st District State House seat, which covers almost all of Livingston County. He lives in Fowlerville, with his wife Pat and their six children. He says they do not plan on leaving Fowlerville, which has been their home for five generations.

"Our district is our community. We have the pleasure, in announcing my candidacy for the 30th district, of extending our community," Dillingham said to township and county officials who attended the breakfast. He said he had been in Clinton County seven out of the past 10 days.

"I hope you will feel comfortable having someone who lives in Livingston County representing Clinton County. I know it's hard because Al (Cropsey) lives here," he said. Cropsey was at the breakfast.

Cropsey said, "As a judicial candidate (he is running for the Third District Michigan Court of Appeals). I can't endorse anyone. But when I wasn't a candidate, I certainly endorsed Fred Dillingham."

Veterans Memorial nears completion

St. John's new veterans memorial is in place at Mt. Rest Cemetery and with final landscaping expected any day now, the project is nearly complete.

However, one task yet remains — to finish paying for it. Still lacking is about \$700 out of a total cost of \$3,200.

To help get over that final hurdle a Veterans Memorial Dance is planned for the evening of May 10. The dance will be held at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Hall on North US-27, from 8 p.m. until midnight.

Tickets are \$10 per couple and are available at Silvestri Paint, Antes Dry Cleaners, the American Legion Hall, Dean True Value Hardware or by calling Kathy Masarik at 224-3338 or Roger Dershem at 224-4072.

The memorial, produced by the Granite Works of St. Johns, bears the inscription, "Dedicated to all veterans through peace and war, their memories will never die."

It will be dedicated on May 30 at approximately 6:30 p.m.

Those wishing to donate to the memorial are encouraged to call John Caudy at 224-2778.



MEMORIAL — The Veterans Memorial at Mt. Rest Cemetery is in place and lacks only final landscaping. It will be dedicated May 30.

Polls open until 8 p.m.

The polls opened today (April 22) at 7 a.m. and will stay open until 8 p.m. as voters decide the fate of the St. Johns Board of Education.

Each of the seven members of the board will be voted upon separately. A "yes" vote on each ballot proposition is a vote to recall an individual board member. A "no" vote is a vote to retain that member on the board.

Following is a list of voting places for the five precincts in the school district:

• **PRECINCT 1** — Residents of St. Johns, Bingham Township, Bengal Township, Ovid Township cast ballots at the Rodney B. Wilson Middle School.

• **PRECINCT 2** — Residents of Essex Township and Fulton Township cast ballots at East Essex Elementary School.

• **PRECINCT 3** — Residents of Greenbush Township, Duplain Township, Elba Township and Washington Township cast ballots at Eureka Elementary School.

• **PRECINCT 4** — Residents of Olive Township and Victor Township cast ballots at East Olive Elementary School.

• **PRECINCT 5** — Residents of Riley Township, Watertown Township and Westphalia Township cast ballots at Riley Elementary School.

US-27 causes more concern

By **RICH WERTZ**
Editor

County officials will meet with the director of the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) on May 12 to ask the department to include a section of highway from I-69 to Price Road on a ten-year MDOT priority list.

And some St. Johns business owners fear that unless plans for the bypass — already on the ten-year priority list — are changed, city businesses will suffer.

County officials are concerned that if only the bypass section is built — and not the section from I-69 to Price Road — then the result will be simply a shifting of traffic congestion and related problems from St. Johns to DeWitt.

"The only part that's in the plan is the bypass around St. Johns, which makes DeWitt very vulnerable," said Roger Overway, chairman of the Clinton County Board of Commissioners. "You just take care of one problem, and cause another, by not taking care of the whole thing."

Overway said he, along with Commissioner Richard Hawks, county road supervisor Robert Ancel, Rep. Gary Randall and Sen. Alan Cropsey, will meet with the director of the MDOT on May 12.

"We'll plead our case at that time," he said.

Meanwhile, some merchants in St. Johns expressed concern last week that the bypass around St. Johns, as presently proposed, will be bad for business. At a Chamber of Commerce monthly luncheon meeting on

Thursday, at least one business owner said she believes the bypass should be constructed such that St. Johns businesses will be visible to motorists.

"When the traveling public can not see what's off the expressway they tend to fly right by," said Cathy Sanderson, owner of the Capri Motel, 1204 S. US-27. "And consequently a lot of small businesses go out of business."

Chamber Director Joann Martis said after the meeting that although the Chamber has not taken a formal position on the proposed bypass, she believes it is the general consensus of Chamber members that the bypass should be built in such a way that businesses will be visible to motorists.

Maurice Wittenveen, director of maintenance for the MDOT, said at the Chamber meeting that the MDOT plans an access ramp at Price Road, which would allow motorists an exit convenient for reaching Sleepy Hollow State Park. Another access ramp, closer to St. Johns, would involve two ramps very close together at increased expense, he said.

The bypass plan currently on the MDOT priority list calls for construction of the highway from Price Road to Kinley Road. It would bypass St. Johns to the east, between Williams Road and Krepps Road.

"The businesses won't be visible from the highway," Overway said. "I'm not saying it can't be done, but it is not in the ten-year plan... Maybe a massive effort on the part of St. Johns could change that but they'd have to get going on it."

Man charged with robbery of home

A Clinton County man is free after posting a \$10,000 cash bond after he allegedly entered a local home, apparently mistaking it for a dope house, and demanded drugs and money.

Detective Richard May, of the Clinton County Sheriff's Department, said the incident occurred as follows:

Todd Edward Nickols, 19, of 7021 S. St. Clair Rd., St. Johns, entered a home on St. Clair Road, at about 1 p.m. on Wednesday. He was armed with a handgun and demanded drugs and money from the residents of the home.

The homeowners informed him that there were no drugs in the home but did give him about \$100 cash. Nickols then left the home, fired three shots into the ground, and fled on foot.

The victims called the police and reported hearing a motorcycle. A neighbor, listening to a police scanner, called police and reported seeing a motorcycle return to Nickol's home. Sheriff's deputies arrested Nickols

at his home. He was arraigned Thursday on charges of armed robbery and use of a firearm in the commission of a crime.

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opinion

My contention...the problem's Mr. Gabriel

To the Editor:

Much has been said about the recall issue that is before the voters on April 22. It has been said it was a busing issue. It has been said that it would tear the school district apart for the lack of experience on the school board. Many of the decisions that have been made in the past would indicate that anyone with normal intelligence could have done as well or better, meaning that experience of being a school board member is not a prerequisite to becoming one, only a desire to represent the people of this district in good decisions making capability.

However, the problem arose some time ago through issues such as:

1. Attempts to close schools (which were unfeasible), not recognizing the need to close schools (which were feasible).
2. The issue of building a K through 8 school in St. Johns and closing all outlying schools including St. Johns, which by a vote was turned down at near 5 to 1.

This district over the years has been conservative and I would maintain that the issue is one of conservatism versus those who would spend more money than they have or the district is desirous of supporting. In this issue, no one at anytime has said that education was bad in the St. Johns district. In fact, almost every letter applauds the reason for parents either moving here or living in this district is because the education in the St. Johns School District is considerably above average. So the issue becomes one of those who are either conservative as opposed to those who would spend more money than the district has or

is desirous of raising.

If we take a look at the series of problems leading up to the decision by the school board to use school busing as a means of putting pressure on a positive vote for millage, we find several things. The first and foremost being that Mr. Gabriel and his administration have fostered most of the problems that we have faced since his coming to St. Johns. So it is my contention that the problem is Mr. Gabriel, and until we are free of this problem, the district will not get on down the road in the job of education.

The board is presently balanced in support for Mr. Gabriel. However, he has become the issue by forcing things that are not the desire of the people by a popular support. Therefore, it is only proper that the people when pushed hard enough and often enough would use the means available to them to correct the situation. First being to recall the school board for fostering circumstances that have not been in the best interest of the people, for which the school board is obligated to uphold.

The so-called positive people would have you believe that the vote to recall the school board would tear up the community. I submit that it has already been done by the board's actions and not by the effect of a school board recall. The effort should be to recall the school board; upon completion of recall the efforts of the board should be to change the administration so that is truly reflects the wishes and desires of the people.

Douglas Cook
St. Johns

We need to fight pornography, writer urges

Dear Editor:

What control does pornography have over the viewers? Statistics have proven that behind in a high percentage of cases of molestation and rape of children and adults, pornography was the culprit. The age and sex of the victim doesn't matter, the only thing that matters is the satisfaction of the assaulter. Baby boy Zachary, 18 months old, was raped and died hours later. Seven year old Jana had to have a hysterectomy resulting from pornography. On record as victims are 36 babies and children raped in a town very close to home. Each case was proven to be the result of pornography. How many children are crying out right now? How many are being sacrificed for the pleasure of pornography?

7-11 Stores have been one of the biggest distributors of porno magazines. Christians and moral, up-right people have picketed and boycotted the stores, and those in charge of these stores have finally seen the light. After months of following many cases of the innocent it was confirmed that pornography was linked to child molestation. Praise God that 7-11 is removing this smut from their shelves in order to protect the lives of the innocent. Twenty percent of pornography sales has been distributed by 7-11, but now they have

joined with the concerned to help eliminate quick access, and to save the minds of the could-be assailants and the lives of innocent victims. Thanks 7-11!

Pornography is still on the rampage and the innocent lay at the hands of the money-makers. \$45,000 a day is being made by devilish schemes to destroy the minds of our youth. Those who dial-a-porn, hear the filthiest, dirtiest, mind-boggling, devilish destruction as pure minds are turned bad. As the pockets of the innocent are picked so is their innocence.

Come hear Judy Trivillan, April 24 at the Capitol Federal Savings Bank, 301 N. Clinton in St. Johns, sponsored by the National Fedecy of Decency Chapter of St. Johns.

Whether church people or morally, up-right people, come and be educated on the evils of pornography. The next victim could be your child or loved one, or maybe they have already been victims. Come and learn about this most vital subject facing our young and old.

For more information call 224-8358.
Love in Christ Jesus

Cora Grace Goldman
St. Johns

Why chop down trees on US-27? asks writer

To the Editor:

Do the Clinton County Road Commission and State Highway Department have nothing better to do than cut the beautiful pine trees along US-27? These trees are beautiful to look at and provide something to see other than the many disgustingly huge billboards lining US-27 in Clinton County.

It appears that our recently increased gas tax and registration fees are used for make-work activities

such as cutting down trees that are harming absolutely nobody, rather than for fillig pot-holes or other necessary work.

It's time to tell the County Road Commission personnel that we don't want our roadside trees destroyed; if anything, we want more of them.

Thank you.

Tim Mulaney
DeWitt

Taxing as business prices bad government

To the Editor:

The application of commercial business technique, such as the more use of a product the cheaper the rate, or the less you pay, when applied to township property tax policy, produces generally unfavorable local government.

Middlebury Township Board uses a forty-acre ownership ordinance requirement for agricultural (lesser rate) tax classification, regardless what usage lesser acreages of land are employed in. This strict application of business theory to government rule allows entire parcels of Middlebury township land which may, in their proper description (boundaries) sprout small acreage fields of corn, soybeans, alfalfa, orchards or pasture for animals, to be assessed in the residential (higher rate) tax classification.

Ordinance law invoking disregard of land usage that produces by classification higher property tax rates for similar agricultural use of property is truly unfavorable government in the nation of a low tax rate president.

Senate 30th district leaders have in the past expressed little sympathy for property tax reform discussion.

It is time in Shiawassee County to look closely at the relationship of education funding and local government abuse. No Gramm-Rudman Act or other legislative mechanism is operating to limit property tax abuse in the economy of declining land value.

County residents should scrutinize carefully the property tax systems established by township boards in neighboring townships throughout the current tax year. No uniformity of property tax rule will be discovered if township boards are pre-disposed to the use of ordinance law.

Michigan citizens will solve education provider and funding problems locally. As American citizens it should be pointed out to county commissioners and township boards that at election polls political corrections to eliminate government abuse is rule.

Bruce Byrnes
Ovid

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Card of Thanks

Our special thanks to friends and neighbors for your support and help of food and for your donations to the Hope Bible Baptist Church.

We would like to thank the Lady's Church Auxiliary of Perrinton for having the meal.

Thanks also to Carson City Hospital for your care of Betty and to Mark Dodge for your kind consideration.

A very special Thank-You to Pastor Wes and Dr. Steigerwald for your care of Betty and special help in our sorrow.

God bless you
The Family of Betty Eyer

PUBLIC NOTICE

1972 Chevrolet Pick-up, one-half ton.
The Southern Clinton County Municipal Utilities Authority is accepting bids for the sale of the above vehicle until 4:00 p.m., May 2, 1986.
The vehicle may be inspected at the South Clinton Waste Water Treatment Plant, 3671 Heribson Rd., DeWitt, between 8:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. Monday through Friday.
The Authority reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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Letters

'Pray tell why he' dictates to board?

To the Editor:
Voters of Clinton County: did we not hire Gabriel? Are we not his boss?
Does the school board decide how the monies are spent, administration salaries set, "how to hold them and when to fold them?" If so, why does Gabriel decide what's to be done, and then tell the school board what to do!
His residence is in Detroit with the rest of his family, where big business is, where there is wheeling and dealing, half-truths abound. Pray tell me why he dictates to the board?
Let's get down to the nitty-gritty and let the school board and the people decide what they want done in our school district.

Gossip and rumor should not decide

To the Editor:
The issue of the recall of the school board has indeed rent the fabric of this community in a way never felt before. Irregardless of the outcome at the polls there will be no winners as the sores opened throughout this ordeal will fester for some time to come.

I find it truly ironic that the school system finds itself faced with its darkest hour as I prepare to celebrate the 20th anniversary of my graduation from Rodney B. Wilson. There are so many things for which I am appreciative and thankful to the school system that seem to be lost in the debate over the recall effort. Lost in all the anger are all the good things that happen in this community.

I see a lot of my fellow citizens being swayed by a great deal of emotional harangue over the issues here. I would certainly hate to see this election decided based upon gossip and rumor.

If I were asked to put this whole thing into proper perspective and describe the situation, I would respond that I see this as an issue of the Democratic process and the attempt by a particular segment of the community to circumvent the electoral process. Recall should be left to remove those in the public trust who are found guilty of criminal activity, be it illegal or immoral. I would not contend that unpopular decisions are grounds for recall. The results of this referendum will not only have an effect on the present board but will linger on as an albatross for future boards to wear about their necks. The board of the future will have to consider politically what effect their policy decisions will have. Will we define term of office as being from one recall election to the next?

Recall can only further erode the relationships of urban and rural sectors of the community. It has been alleged that the school bus is the thread of commonality for this community. I strongly disagree! Our children and the hope they provide for the future are what we all share!

Each time we enter the voting booth we reaffirm our belief in the electoral process that began well over two hundred years ago. Recall is a part of that process but, the need for recall is the same as the need for impeachment. Illegal acts and improper conduct are the usual grounds; do we now change those rules? The normal school election takes place in June, that is the time and place to evaluate the board.
Participate in the process! Vote No to recall!

Michael Pung
St. Johns

Send us a letter

The Clinton County News encourages letters from its readers concerning topics of public interest. Letters must be signed originals. We reserve the right to edit letters for reasons of space and clarity. Send letters to the paper at 117 E. Walker St., St. Johns, MI 48879.

Central school is a district-wide issue

To the Editor:
This letter concerns the closing of Central School. This issue has been put on the back-burner because of the recall issue. The closing of Central Elementary School effects all the school district. This is not just a "city" issue.

If you've been keeping up on the issue you will notice that there is a very good possibility that our children will be bused all over the district for their next school year. Families are not being kept together. Some parents will have children in two or three different schools throughout the district. This is supposed to be a "short term" solution. The big fear of many Central parents is that this plan will become the "long term" solution. If this happens will our children receive the same educational opportunities of others if they must be shipped to a different school every year throughout their elementary years? Our children deserve more security and consideration! If you want good students in junior high and senior high they need a solid and secure elementary experience.

Because of the closing of Central School all our elementary schools are going to be very full. I urge the parents of all elementary children of all our schools to consider what effect this closing will have on your child. Larger classes, less teacher/student time, crowded busses, and possible longer bus rides. You, too are going to feel the bite of Central's closing. Please be concerned. Take the time to learn about this issue. Come to the meetings. Your child's educational welfare will also be effected.

Next comes our wish for a neighborhood school. The reason many of us chose to live where we do was so our children would be near their school, so they could walk and wouldn't have to depend on bus service. The closing of Central comes as quite a blow to those of us who, as many others both "country" and "city", bought their home close to their neighborhood school for their children's safety and welfare.

This leads to the effect Central's closing will have on your property value. This aspect affects all who own property in the area served by Central, if you have children in this school or not. Who is going to want to purchase your property when any child living there has no idea of where they will go to school from year to year? Would you consider buying a home here with the Central issue in the air as it is?

And what if...think to the future; Central is not remodeled or rebuilt and the property is disposed of; what will happen to our neighborhood? Apartments? An empty building collecting vermin? There goes our nice, conservative, and relatively safe neighborhood right down the tubes.

Parents of Central students and property owners served by Central School get out and show your support for our neighborhood school. Please come to the CCSO and school board meetings. Become involved before it's too late. The loss of Central will be a critical blow to the future of our neighborhood.

This is a school district issue! Don't sit back and laugh up your sleeve because it's not your child's school. You may be next. Give us your support. Offer us your opinion. Please come to these meetings. In the end it's the welfare of our children and their educational needs that is the most important issue.

Meetings for CCSO: April 22, SJHS library, 7 p.m.; April 26, Central School, 9 a.m.; April 29, SJHS library, 7 p.m.; May 13, SJHS library, 7 p.m.; School board meeting, May 19, Rodney B. Wilson library, 8 p.m.

Please come and learn about the Central School situation.
Sincerely, a concerned parent

Karen Devereaux
St. Johns

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank everyone for the love and kindnesses shown us at the time our dear Husband and Father passed away. They were deeply appreciated. May God Bless You All.

Leola Latimore
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April showers at St. Joseph's



STYLE SHOW — The St. Joseph Altar Society's annual fashion show was marked by good humored displays by the models and rousing jazz dance routines by teachers and instructors from Melanie's Dance-exercise (above right). The wares of 12 different St. Johns clothing stores were modeled. **Far Left** — Caesar Medina displays a white summer outfit for men available at Dancer's Fashions. **Near left** — Angie Fedewa models summer swimwear, also available at Dancer's Fashions.



Photos by Rich Wertz

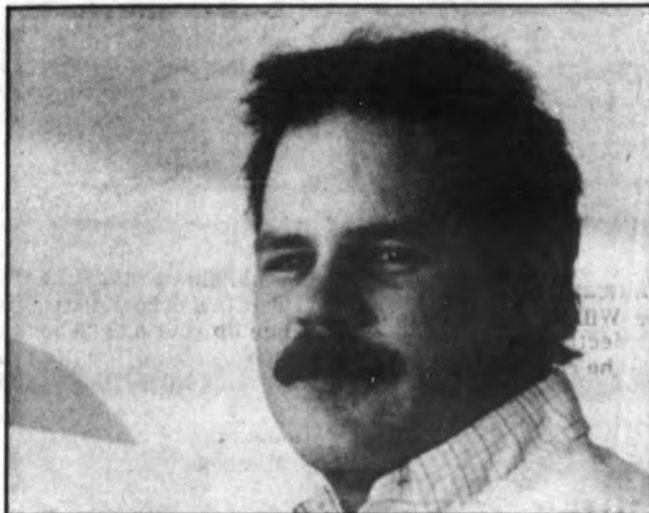
Equal Ground provides help for families with troubled teenagers

Troubled families in Clinton County have one more place to turn in Equal Ground, a non-profit family counseling agency recently opened in St. Johns.

The agency, formerly located in DeWitt, moved to St. Johns to increase its visibility and to make itself more accessible to families in the county, says Bill Bathie, one of two family counselors who will staff the office two days each week.

The mission of the agency is to serve families that have youths 17 years or younger who are "status offenders" — or potential status offenders.

Status offenses are offenses that are violations of the law only because of the age of the offender. These include running away from home, school



Family Counselor Bill Bathie

truancy, curfew violations and refusal to obey reasonable commands of parents.

For families in which such troubles are developing, Equal Ground offers counseling for both in-

dividuals and groups, as well as crisis intervention, emergency shelter, information and referral to other sources of help.

parents," says Bathie. Besides moving to the county seat, Bathie says, Equal Ground will try to increase its contact with the school.

"We see a great need to reach families with a pre-delinquent youth, a potential runaway, a youth in trouble with the law," says Bathie. "Our shelter is to offer assistance before the situation gets to that point."

Equal Ground accepts referrals from parents, teachers, the courts, police, doctors and others, as well as self-referrals from youths themselves.

Funding is provided by the Michigan Department of Social Service, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, and Eaton and Ingham counties.

The office, located at 911

E. State St., is currently open on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Call 224-2082 for an appointment.

The agency, a division of DECC, which offers a wide range of counseling and health services, also offers a 24-hour emergency hotline. That number is 1-800-292-4517.

Reading Council to meet for discussion of dylexia

The Clinton County Reading Council will present a program on dylexia on April 29. Kay Howell, executive director of the Meridian Language Arts Center will be the guest speaker.

Parents and teachers are encourage to attend. It will take place at the St. Johns High School Cafeteria. Dinner will be served from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., with the program following.

Cost is \$5.50 for dinner and speaker; or \$3 for the speaker only. The speaker is free to members of the council.

Reservations should be made by April 25 by calling Jane Knight at 224-7380 or Peg Zink at 224-6251.

"It's in the Bag"

by **Bob Beck**



They didn't have airplanes three hundred years ago. But if they had, the stewardess ... on British planes, at least ... wouldn't have come up the aisle asking if you wanted "coffee, tea or milk."

Instead, she would have said: "Coffee, tea or lemonade?"

All of which introduces today's subject, probably the oldest soft drink known to man. And it is a fact that lemonade ranked right along with coffee and tea in popularity back in seventeenth century England.

For that matter, it was very big in France, too. And as long ago as 1676, peddlers on the streets of Paris sold lemonade out of tanks strapped to their backs.

Not that they invented lemonade. Credit for that, believe it or not, goes to the Mongolians, who discovered --- in the thirteenth century B.C. --- that a delicious and refreshing beverage could be made from the juice of lemons. And historians tell us that for many centuries afterwards, lemons were grown almost entirely for use in lemonade ... which was considered a very rare and exotic beverage indeed.

Today, of course, lemonade doesn't enjoy quite the status. But things are looking up. For it is very high in Vitamin C. And Vitamin C is one of our fastest-growing diet fads. In fact, in a new book called "Vitamin C and the Common Cold," one enthusiast is even quoted as saying that high daily doses of Vitamin C might add fifty years to your life!

Well, I don't know about that. But I do know that Vitamin S ... for Savings ... is good for your budget. And everything here at Beck's is high in that!

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Family focus Love and money

Dawn Harris

Love, marriage and money management sound like an unromantic mix. However, engaged couples will likely have a happier, more successful marriage if they share their financial goals and expectations before tying the knot.

Money is a difficult topic to talk about, especially at a time in your relationship when you're eager to avoid disagreements with your fiancée. If you hide your spending expectations, you may be setting the stage for future misunderstandings.

Money is generally listed as a source of conflict by a majority of families that are experiencing difficulty. So, engaged couples may want to make sure they are as compatible in money matters as they are in other areas.

A good way to open up communication about money is to take an inventory of financial priorities.

Together, draw up a list of all the expenses you and your fiancée expect to face in a month, including appliance repairs or payments, church contributions, clothing, furniture, hair styling, insurance, rent, food, recreation, utilities, savings, schooling and others. Then individually rank in order the first ten items you would pay for.

Comparing the lists can help you see whether your priorities are the same or if you have very different expectations. Researchers have found that men and women frequently rank their first three priorities alike, choosing rent, food and medical insurance. Priorities begin to differ further down the list.

Couples also need to discuss their expectations for

credit card and installment debt, car purchase, rent or mortgage costs, income needed to live comfortably and paycheck allocation.

Budgeting can reduce the number of conflicts couples will face. Even though it may be difficult to agree on a budget, it will make it easier for the couple to understand their daily expenses in relation to their total financial picture.

Couples also need to discuss long-range goals. If his dream is to save for an expensive boat, and she hopes to save for a trip to Europe, some negotiation will need to take place.

They also need to decide who will manage the money, pay the bills and keep the records, and to clarify how major decisions will be made.

As couples compare their priorities and expectations, they may find that they cannot agree on everything. If their differences are so great that they decide they could never live together happily, it's better to discover those differences before the marriage.

But most couples will be able to use financial differences to strengthen their relationship by building communication skills and learning to solve problems together.

Extension bulletins, "Managing Your Money" and "Worksheets for Managing Your Money" are very helpful in creating a budget. Single copies are free of charge from the Clinton County Cooperative Extension Service Office at 306 Elm Street, St. Johns, 48879. Dawn Harris is the Home Economist for the Clinton County Cooperative Extension Service.



Germaine Kowatch and James Dedyne

Dedyne — Kowatch June wedding planned

Leo and Sarah Kowatch, of Walker Road, Pewamo, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Germaine Anne, to James Dedyne, son of Robert and Marsha Dedyne, 500 W. Baldwin, St. Johns.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Pewamo-Westphalia High School and will graduate from Lansing Community College in June with an associate degree in communications. She is currently employed with the Michigan Department of Transportation as an executive secretary.

The prospective groom is a graduate of St. Johns High School and will graduate in June from Michigan State University with a bachelors degree in accounting. He is currently employed with Michigan National Bank, Lansing, and upon graduation will be employed with the accounting firm of Price-Waterhouse, Battle Creek. A June 21, 1986, wedding is planned.



Lisa Baird and James Fouch

Baird — Fouch July wedding planned

Stanley and Pat Baird of DeWitt wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Lisa, to James Fouch. He is the son of Bill and Natalie Fouch of East Lansing.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Bath High School and is employed at the Apple Blossom Learning Center in Lansing. She also attends Lansing Community College.

The prospective groom graduated from Bath High School and is employed by Michigan National Bank. He is also attending Lansing Community College.

A July 26 wedding date has been set.



Clover Clippings Winter wind-up

Theresa Silm

4-H Winter Wind-Up is the 4-H Council's answer to spring fever and they hope that you'll want to come and see what it is all about. Activities are planned for 4-H members, leaders and parents and also for anyone in the community who is interested in seeing what 4-H'ers are doing or in learning about how they could get involved in the 4-H program.

Winter Wind-Up will be held at the St. Johns High School on Saturday, April 26 beginning at 10 a.m. and concluding at 3:30 p.m. Throughout the day a Club Exhibits and 4-H Open House will be held in the cafeteria and anyone who wants to learn more about 4-H is encouraged to attend.

There will be teen leaders on hand to do project demonstrations, club representatives to tell about their clubs, 4-H Council members to answer questions about enrolling and anything else that you're interested in.

Also during the morning, a variety of 4-H competitions will be taking place and 4-H members are encouraged to try their hand in as many of the project areas as they want.

Lunch will be available at the school and there will be a special visit by the 4-H Care Bear during the lunch break.

In the afternoon, the Open House will continue and members will have an opportunity to compete in the Public Speaking and Demonstration Contest and/or the Annual 4-H Style Revue.

The theme for the Style Revue this year is "Up, Up and Away in 4-H." 4-H members between the ages of 9 and 19 will model their clothing and knitting garments on the stage in the high school. The Style Revue is also open to the public and is sure to be a good look at what will be in fashion this year.

All of the events during Winter Wind-Up are open to the public and I hope that many of you will stop in for a visit. If you have someone in your family who would be interested in joining 4-H, this is the place to be. We

4-H openhouse scheduled

The Clinton County 4-H Council and Cooperative Extension Service are sponsoring a 4-H Open House on April 26 from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the St. Johns High School.

Exhibits will be on display in the high school cafeteria and 4-H Council members will be on hand to answer questions about getting involved in the 4-H program. Interested youth will be able to see what opportunities are available in 4-H.

Adults who are interested in becoming 4-H project leaders or in starting their own club will have a chance to talk with the 4-H staff.

The Open House is being held in conjunction with 4-H Winter Wind-Up which will include a variety of project skill competitions and annual Style Revue. For more information on the Open House or any 4-H program, call the Service at 224-3288.

can identify a club in your area and tell you who to contact. We can even help you start a club of your own.

If you have any questions, please call. 4-H has something for everyone and we want to help you see what there is in it for you. Theresa Silm is the 4-H Youth Agent for the Clinton County Cooperative Extension Service.

Food dollar stretching class

Interested in stretching your food dollars and varying your menus with new ideas? The Cooperative Extension Service is holding a four-part series of classes at the Suntime Apartments Conference Room on April 22, 24, 29 and May 1 from 1 to 2:30 p.m.

Broiler contest entries due on April 28

The deadline for entry in this year's 4-H broiler contest is April 28. Interested 4-H'ers should contact the Extension Office by that date.

Participants should have a minimum of 15 birds per entry to start the project. The Extension Service will order the Hubbard White Mountain chicks from the Townline Hatchery in Zeeland. Cost of the chicks is 46 cents each.

The State Broiler Contest is planned for July 11 at Michigan State University. Members may also show these birds at the Clinton County 4-H Fair if they meet the weight requirements and at the State 4-H Poultry Expo on Aug. 12.

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Tickets for the dance may be purchased at Silvestri Paint, Antes Dry Cleaners, American Legion Hall, Dean True Value Hardware or from Kathy Masarik, 224-3338 or Roger Dershem, 224-4072. ALL DONATIONS WELCOME FOR THIS MEMORIAL.



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MAY 7, 1986


Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the St. Johns Zoning Board of Appeals will be held on May 7, 1986, at 7:30 p.m. in the Commission Chambers, 121 E. Walker St., St. Johns, MI

PURPOSE: A request for a variance to allow a residential addition to be within twelve (12) feet of the corner side property line. The zoning ordinance requires a twenty (20) foot corner side yard set back.

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 411 S. Oakland Street
PROPERTY CODE NO.: 19-300-000-064-003-00

Diane M. Edwards
Zoning Administrator

224-066 4/22/86



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Two young women die in auto accident

Two county high school students were killed in an early morning traffic accident April 13.

Dead are Lori Jo Knight, 18, of 7552 W. Maple Rapids Rd., near Maple Rapids, and Julie L. Staley, 16, of

2182 N. Hollister Rd., Ovid.

Police said the two were driving westbound at 6:40 a.m. on Maple Rapids Road, west of Essex Center Road, when the car ran off the road, hit a culvert, flipped over, and hit a tree.

The car caught fire after hitting the tree.

The victims were pronounced dead at the scene of the accident.

Lori Jo Knight was to have graduated from Fulton High School in Mid-

dleton in June, 1986. She was employed at Burger King in St. Johns and was active in high school softball and volleyball and in 4-H.

Julie L. Staley was a junior at Ovid-Elsie High

School. She was employed at Burger King in St. Johns. She was active in softball, the Youth Bowling Association and had taken top honors in several 4-H events. She enjoyed rock music and was an avid reader.

Hitchhiker attacked by men offering a ride

A DeWitt hitchhiker suffered bruises and a fractured foot after he was attacked by three men who had picked him up in Olive Township earlier this month.

The Sheriff's Department reported the following:

Jeffery L. Dumont, 9536 Bond Rd., was hitchhiking home from Lansing on April 4, when he was pick-

ed up in the area of State Road and US-27 by three men in a dark colored Ford Granada. When the men stopped to pick up Dumont, one of the men moved from the front passenger seat to the back seat, allowing Dumont to sit in front.

The driver turned east onto Chadwick Road and drove for a short ways, at which time the man who had changed seats grabbed Dumont by the hair, jerk-

ing the hitchhiker's head back.

The men then began beating Dumont about the face and body, asking for money. When Dumont said he had no money the men pushed him from the car. Dumont's left foot was caught in the door and he was dragged about ten feet as the car sped away.

He was treated at Clinton Memorial Hospital for several bruises and a frac-

tured foot.

Investigation is continuing. Police are looking for a 1977 or 1978 dark blue or black Ford Granada.

The driver of the vehicle is described as a white male, 35 years, six foot, 240 pounds, with black hair. He was wearing a blue flannel shirt and blue jeans.

The man seated behind

the driver was described as a white male, 35 to 40 years, six foot/one inch, 240 pounds, with black hair and a slight beard. He was wearing a t-shirt and blue jeans.

The second passenger was described as a white male, 190 pounds, clean shaven with light brown hair.

Wreck, break-in last week

An Angola, Indiana, man was injured when his car swerved out of control last Monday afternoon on US-27 near French Road.

Ronald L. Hodge told sheriff's deputies he did not realize a semi-truck ahead of him was slowing down to turn into a ruck stop restaurant. When he realized the truck was slowing, he said, he swerved sharply to left, causing his car to roll over.

He was treated for injuries at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

The Rev. Dan Bowditch, pastor of the First Church of God on US-27 and DeWitt Road, St. Johns, reported a break-in April 15 at his church. Entry was gained through a kitchen door.

Amount of damage and missing items remained undetermined. Sheriff's deputies are investigating.



Photograph by Ken Kralik

FIRE — Electrical wiring was cited as the cause of a \$50,000 fire on Lindy Lane in St. Johns last week.

Fire causes \$50,000 in damage

Faulty electrical wiring was blamed for the fire that caused \$55,000 in damage last week to the home of Bonnie Schultz, 200 Lindy Lane, St. John.

Schultz was home at the time and was alerted to the

fire by neighbors. The St. Johns Fire Department was called to the scene at 11:02 a.m. and cleared the scene at 12:39 p.m.

The fire is believed to have been started by electrical wiring in the attic,

said John Criswell, of the Clinton County Sheriff's Department.

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NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to applicable law, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on May 1, 1986, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Main entrance of the Courthouse, State Street, St. Johns, Michigan (that being the place of holding Circuit Court within said County) said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public auction to the highest bidder of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due as aforesaid, with interest thereon, and all other sums paid by the undersigned pursuant to law and to the terms of said mortgage, including costs and allowable attorneys fees, which premises are described as follows:

Unit 1, Country View Condominium according to the master deed recorded in Liber 379, page 805, Clinton County Records and designated as Clinton County Subdivision Plan No. 2, together with rights in general common elements and limited common elements as set forth in the above master deed and described in Act 59 of the Public Acts of 1978 as amended, City of DeWitt, Clinton County, Michigan.

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

Dated: April 1, 1986

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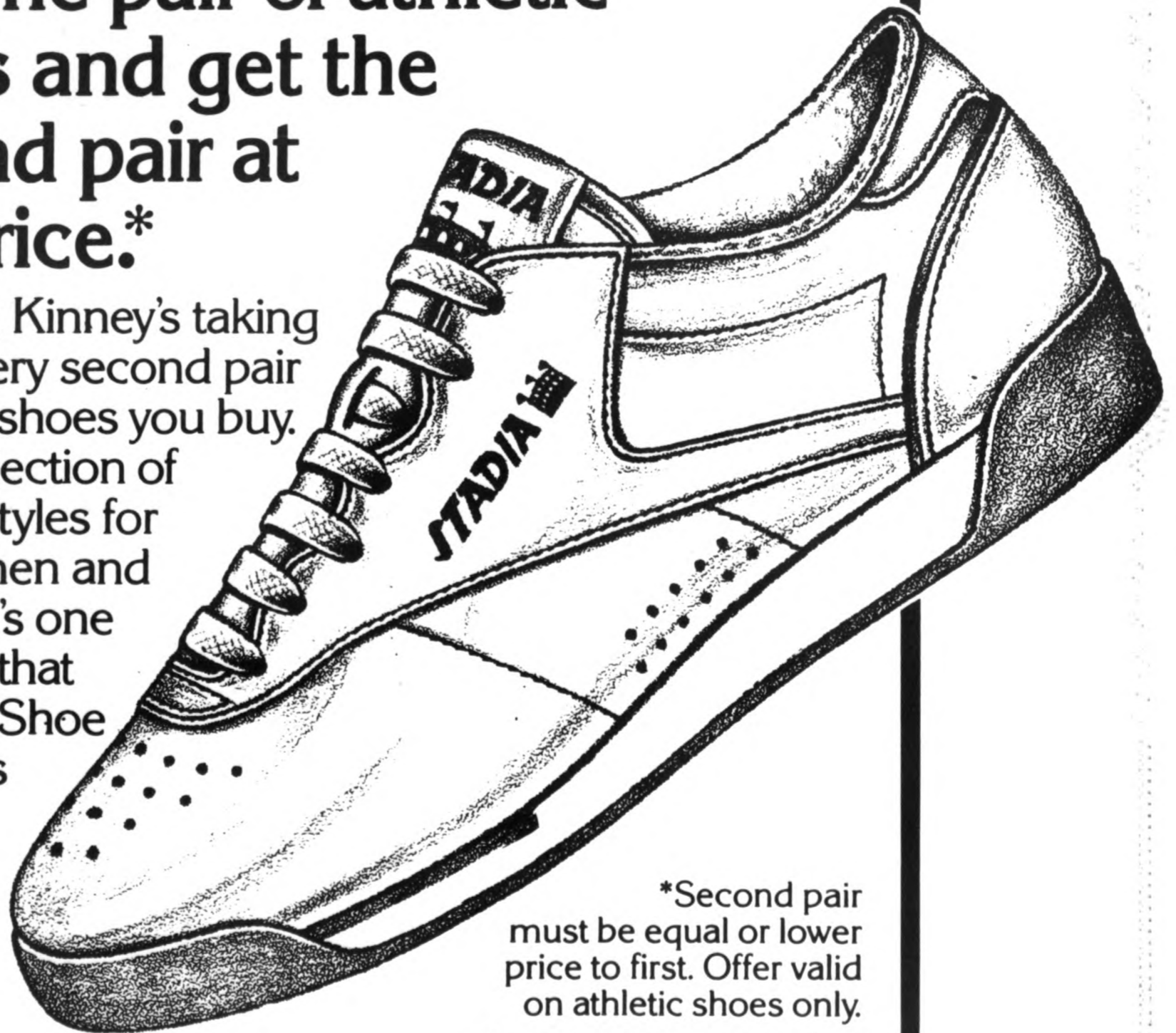
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THE EDWARD WEISS ENSEMBLE will perform at the St. Johns High School this Thursday evening.

Courtesy photograph

Multi-media show this week

By RICH WERTZ
Editor

Looks like another coup for the Clinton County Arts Council.

Armed with a \$1,280 grant from the Michigan Council for the Arts, and working in cooperation with the fine arts department at St. Johns High School, the council will this week bring to St. Johns the Edward Weiss Ensemble — an avant-garde, multi-media performing group "specializing in performances that go beyond the traditional."

'It's right on the cutting edge of what's happening in art, in terms of new art'

Which is to say you have probably never seen anything like it. The show will combine electronic music with traditional instruments, slide projections with dance, gregorian chants with synthesizers — in general terms, the old with the new.

"It's all mixed into one

format," says Edward Weiss, the composer/director of the ensemble. "Depending on the sophistication of the audience there are some people who find it right in tune with the 20th Century."

"Even if you don't like it," says Kaye Pilmore, director of the Clinton County Arts Council Gallery & Giftshop, "You're going to be interested. All of your senses are involved."

Pilmore, who saw a recent performance in Grand Rapids, continues: "It's right on the cutting edge of what's happening in the arts, in terms of new art." "Most of the work would

probably be considered abstract," says Weiss. But, he says, "I usually make some comment to make it more accessible."

In addition to the public performance, the seven-person ensemble will conduct two performances for students at St. Johns High School, as well as afternoon lecture/demonstrations, and an after-school performance for students based in from other school districts in Clinton County.

Following the evening performance, a reception for the artists will be hosted by the St. Johns Morning Musicales.

The public performance will be held at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, April 24 in the St. Johns High School auditorium. Admission will be \$4 for adults, \$3 for students or \$10 for family tickets.

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will be Laingsburg, Fulton and Carson City Schools from May 25 to 31.

Receptions will be held on the Sunday of each new exhibit from 1 to 5 p.m. so parents and friends may come and view their students' art work and meet instructors and administrators. Music students will provide entertainment through the afternoon as well.

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School Arts Festival is planned

Plans are underway at St. Johns High School for a Festival of the Arts — a highlighting and drawing together of all Fine Arts disciplines which the staff at SJHS hopes to make an annual event. May 16, 17 and 18 are the dates of the first-time venture.

Area residents may expect to see the Festival of the Arts logo, designed by Art Department instructors Judy McEnaney and Linda Warrington, in many places between now and May 16. The logo represents all the Fine Arts areas including band, orchestra, vocal music, drama, art/literary works, which will be represented at St. Johns High School.

Displays, demonstrations, concerts, productions and galleries will be the primary focus of the Festival. More detailed information will be featured in the Clinton County News in the next few weeks.



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DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by FEDEWA BUILDERS, INC., a Michigan corporation, of 12228 South U.S. 27, DeWitt, Michigan 48820, Mortgage, to BANK OF LANSING, of Lansing, Michigan, Mortgage, dated April 19, 1983, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Clinton, State of Michigan on April 21, 1983, in Liber 399, Page 359, on which there is claimed to be due and unpaid on the date of this Notice for principal and interest, the sum of FORTY-TWO THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED FIFTY-NINE AND 42/100 (\$42,859.42) DOLLARS; and no civil action or suit or proceeding at law or in equity now pending to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to applicable law, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on May 1, 1986, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Main entrance of the Courthouse, State Street, St. Johns, Michigan (that being the place of holding Circuit Court within said County) said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public auction to the highest bidder of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due as aforesaid, with interest thereon, and all other sums paid by the undersigned pursuant to law and to the terms of said mortgage, including costs and allowable attorneys' fees, which premises are described as follows:

Unit 4, Country View Condominium according to the Master deed recorded in Liber 379, page 805, Clinton County Records and designated as Clinton County Condominium Plan No. 2, together with rights in general common elements and limited common elements as set forth in the above master deed and described in Act 59 of the Public Acts of 1978 as amended, City of DeWitt, Clinton County, Michigan. The redemption period shall be six (6) months from the date of sale.

Dated: April 1, 1986

BANK OF LANSING
Mortgagee

Kenneth W. Beall
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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by DOUGLAS P. WARREN and KATHLEEN M. WARREN, husband and wife of 7119 North Red Lodge, Paradise Valley, Arizona 85253, Mortgage, to BANK OF LANSING, of Lansing, Michigan, Mortgage, dated November 17, 1982, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Clinton, State of Michigan on November 24, 1982, in Liber 395, Page 581, whose interest was conveyed to Kathleen M. Warren by Quit-Claim Deed on October 21, 1985, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Clinton on October 24, 1985, in Liber 429, Page 778, on which there is claimed to be due and unpaid on the date of this Notice for principal and interest the sum of ONE HUNDRED FORTY-FIVE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED FIFTY-FIVE AND NO/100 (\$145,355.00) DOLLARS; and no civil action or suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to applicable law, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on May 29, 1986, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Main entrance of the Courthouse, State Street, St. Johns, Michigan (that being the place of holding Circuit Court within said County) said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public auction to the highest bidder of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due as aforesaid, with interest thereon, and all other sums paid by the undersigned pursuant to law and to the terms of said mortgage, including costs and allowable attorneys' fees, which premises are described as follows:

Lots 1, 2 and 3, except the West 150 feet thereof, all of Lots 10, 11 and 12, Block 85, Original Plat of the City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan according to the recorded plat thereof in the frame on the wall in the Office of the Clinton County Register of Deeds.

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

Dated: April 22, 1986

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MORTGAGE SALE-Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by

Irvin R. Everts and Elizabeth N. Everts, husband and wife, of City of Ovid, Clinton County, Michigan, Mortgage, to Norman Berger and Josephine Berger, husband and wife, Mortgages dated the 27th day of March, A.D. 1980, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Clinton and State of Michigan, on the 28th day of March, A.D. 1980, in Liber 309, of Clinton County Records, on page 979, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of Eleven Thousand Four Hundred Thirty and 88/100 (\$11,430.88)

And no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Thursday, the 8th day of May, A.D. 1986, at 10:00 o'clock forenoon said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the main entrance to Clinton County Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan, that being the place where the circuit court for the County of Clinton is held, Clinton County, Michigan, of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage, with the interest thereon at eighteen percent (18%) per annum and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises. Which said premises are described as follows: Lot 3, Block D, Village of Ovid, Clinton County, Michigan, according to the plat recorded in Liber 21 of Deeds, page 367, Clinton County Records.

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

Dated: Royal Oak, MI, March 13, 1986

David C. Sloan
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Julie Staley

OVID Julie Staley of 2182 N. Hollister Road, Ovid, died April 13, 1986, in Clinton County.

She was born in Owosso on June 1, 1969, the daughter of Jerry and Joyce (Harmon) Staley.

She was a junior at Ovid-Elsie High School, and was employed at Burger King in St. Johns.

She was a member of the girls softball team, active in the Youth Bowling Association since the age of 5, and received top honors in several categories at the Clinton County 4-H Fair. She loved rock music and was an avid reader.

Surviving are her mother and step-father, Joyce and Richard Young of Ovid; father, Jerry Staley and wife Pat of Lansing; brother, James Staley of Mobile, Ala.; sister, Jamie Staley of Ovid; grandfather, Ollie Harmon of Eagle; grandmother, Ethel Staley of Middleton; four step-sisters, Mrs. Cindy Fruchey and Mrs. Charlene Gruesbeck both of Ovid, Mrs. Carol Moore and Mrs. Cathy Young both of Elsie; one step-brother, Jim Young of Ovid.

Funeral services were held on April 17 at Holy Family Catholic Church with Rev. Fr. Terry Healy officiating. Interment was made at Maple Grove Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Osgood Funeral Homes. Memorials may be made to the Ovid Public Library.

Lori Jo Knight

ST. JOHNS Lori Jo Knight of 7552 W. Maple Rapids Road, St. Johns, died April 13, 1986, in Clinton County.

She was born in Lansing on Dec. 2, 1967, the daughter of Larry and Barbara (Meinke) Knight.

She moved from Lansing to Maple Rapids in 1976, and was a member of Maple Rapids Methodist Church.

She was a senior at Fulton High School, and was employed at Burger King in St. Johns.

She was a member of the volleyball and softball teams at the high school, played 4-H softball, and was a member of the Royal Wranglers 4-H club.

Surviving are her parents, Larry and Barbara Knight; one brother, William at home; her grandmother, Isabelle Meinke of Maple Rapids; several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Funeral services were held on April 17 at Maple Rapids Congregational Church with Rev. Lyle Heaton officiating. Interment was made at Sowlie Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Abbott Chapel of the Osgood Funeral Home.

Neta Blackford

ELSIE Neta Blackford of 144 E. Elm Street, Elsie, died April 13, 1986, at her home.

She was born in Big Rapids on Nov. 24, 1909, the daughter of Peter and Mae (Hammond) Peterson.

She was married to Spencer Blackford in Lansing on March 5, 1928, and moved to Elsie from Lansing in 1950.

She was a homemaker and she and her husband managed Dancers Department Store in Elsie for 25 years.

Surviving are her husband, Spencer, of Elsie; one daughter, Barbara Harcus of Saginaw; two grandchildren, Renee Cowdrey and David Harcus, of Lansing; and one great-grandchild, Tory Cowdrey, of Lansing.

Funeral services were held on April 16 at Carter Funeral Home with the Rev. Fred Fischer officiating. Interment was made at Riverside Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Carter Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made to Elsie United Methodist Church.

Arthur Searles

ST. JOHNS Arthur Searles of 2570 N. Krepps Road, St. Johns, died April 10, 1986, at St. Lawrence Hospital in Lansing.

He was born in St. Johns on Sept. 4, 1953, the son of Leon Sr. and Betty (Kimmel) Searles.

He graduated from St. Johns High School in 1971 and had resided all his life in the St. Johns area. He was single.

He was employed at Motor Wheel Corporation and was a veteran of the Vietnam conflict.

Surviving are his mother, Betty; one sister, Linda Searles of Ocala, Fla.; three brothers, Leon Jr. of St. Johns, Mark of Lansing, and Randy of Hollywood, Fla.; two nieces; two grandmothers, Mrs. Emma Kimmel of Bay City, and Mrs. Josephine Phinney of St. Johns.

Funeral services were held on April 12 at Osgood Funeral Home in St. Johns with Rev. Dan Bowditch officiating. Arrangements were made by Osgood Funeral Home.

Catherine Brown

ST. JOHNS Catherine Brown of 1551 W. Parks Road, St. Johns, died April 11, 1986, at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

She was born in Grover Hill, Ohio, on Feb. 14, 1911, the daughter of Homer and Pearl (Kinkade) Paxton.

She was married to Dewey Brown who preceded her in death in 1969.

She was employed by the State of Michigan in the highway department.

Surviving are two sons, Erban Royce Brown of DeWitt, and Dale Roger Brown of Cedarville; two grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Marquerite Crampton of St. Johns.

Graveside services were held at South Bingham Cemetery on April 14 with Rev. Kenneth Anderson officiating. Arrangements were made by the Osgood Funeral Home in St. Johns.

Guy Smith

ST. JOHNS Guy Smith of Route 3, St. Johns, died April 14, 1986, at Fulton Medical Care Facility.

He was born in Greenbush Township, Clinton County, on Feb. 9, 1891, the son of Henry and Myrty Smith.

He was married to Emma Jane Harp who preceded him in death.

He was a member of Greenbush United Methodist Church and had resided most of his life in the Clinton County area. He was a farmer.

Surviving are one son and daughter-in-law, Victor and Bettie Smith of Edyville, Ken.; two grandsons, William Smith of Evansville, and Jeffrey Smith of Indianapolis, Ind.; three great-grandchildren.

Graveside services were held at Eureka Cemetery on April 18 with Rev. Merritt Bongard officiating. Arrangements were made by Osgood Funeral Home in St. Johns.

Dr. Nathan Ellis

HAWAII Dr. Nathan Kent Ellis of Honolulu, Hawaii, died March 24, 1986, in Hawaii.

He was born in Maple Rapids in 1908. He was a former resident of St. Johns and graduated from St. Johns High School in 1927. He attended the First Congregational Church.

He received a B.S. and M.S. from Michigan State University as a soils specialist.

Surviving are his wife, Betty; two daughters, Kitty and Natalie; one son, Nate.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

Obituaries

Florence E. Colby

DEWITT TOWNSHIP Florence E. Colby, 66, of 14926 IdylCrest Drive, DeWitt Township, died April 10, 1986, at her residence.

Mrs. Colby was born Feb. 19, 1920, in Okemos to R.P. and Grace (Dunn) Harvey. She was formerly employed at the J.W. Knapp Company in Lansing as a bookkeeper and was also an ardent bowler in the Lansing area.

She is survived by her husband, Wayne A. Colby of DeWitt Township; four daughters, Belle Webb of Lansing, Georgianna Alspaugh of Wacousta, Margo Suter of Charlotte and Connie Colby of Lansing; one son, Terry Colby of Wacousta; 11 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and three sisters, Catherine Brown and Donna Dunn both of Howell and Grace Hummel of Arizona.

Graveside services were held at the Evergreen Cemetery, Lansing, April 12. The family was served by the Gorsline Runciman-DeWitt Chapel.

Lonel Bensinger

ST. JOHNS Lonel Bensinger of 807 N. Mead Street, St. Johns, died April 12, 1986, at Sparrow Hospital.

He was born in Ovid Township on March 30, 1906, the son of Edward and Viola (Jeffery) Bensinger.

He was married to Neva Chase in Duplain Township on Feb. 26, 1928. He resided most of his life in Elsie, the last 16 years in St. Johns. He was a retired Motor Wheel machinist and a member of the First Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Neva; two daughters, Mrs. Calvin (Wanda) Stevens of Laingsburg, and Mrs. Edward (Doris) Loznak of St. Johns; six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren; one brother Durward Bensinger of Chesaning; two sisters, Wilma Grubaugh of Alanson, and Nida Dunham of Elsie. He was preceded in death by two brothers Leo and Marshall Bensinger.

Funeral services were held on April 15 at the First Baptist Church in St. Johns with Pastor Thomas Dolph officiating. Interment was made at Riverside Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Osgood Funeral Home.

Thelma Rule

ELSIE Thelma Rule, of 122 E. Maple Street, Elsie, died April 14, 1986, at Ingham Medical Center.

She was born in Sault Ste Marie on Sept. 13, 1908, the daughter of George and Jennie (McDonald) Collins.

She was married to Everett Rule in Sault Ste Marie on Aug. 4, 1947, and moved to Elsie in 1947.

She attended the University of Michigan, University of Wisconsin, Michigan State University, and graduated from Ripon College in Wisconsin.

She was a member of Elsie United Methodist Church, the Elsie Library Board since 1960, Delta Kappa Gamma, International Education Sorority, Elsie Literary Club, Elsie Library Historical Society, and the Elsie United Methodist Women.

She retired as a teacher from Ovid-Elsie High School in 1970.

Surviving are her husband, Everett, of Elsie; and many cousins.

Funeral services were held on April 17 at Elsie United Methodist Church with the Rev. Fred Fischer officiating. Interment was made at Riverside Cemetery in Elsie. Arrangements were made by Carter Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made to Elsie United Methodist Church or the Elsie Library Fund.

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College news

Janel West

Janel West of DeWitt was among the 31 Alma College seniors who received Senior Leadership Awards, sponsored by Alma's Alumni-Student Association.

The award selection process gives campus organizations the opportunity to nominate the most outstanding senior from their members, with recipients selected on the

basis of total involvement and contributions to campus life. West was nominated by Gamma Sigma Sigma, a service sorority she served as president this year.

West, a 1982 graduate of DeWitt High School, is the daughter of Richard and Deanna West of 4195 Driftwood, DeWitt. She is a business administration major and a candidate for a bachelor of arts degree in April.

John Eric Silm

John Eric Silm has been named to the quarterly Dean's List at Ferris State College in Big Rapids. He is the son of LaVern and Betty Silm of 5578 S. Lowell Road, St. Johns.

To be named to the list, students must have earned a grade point average of 3.5 or above.

Maureen Asher Silm

Maureen Asher Silm, daughter of William and Yvonne Asher of DeWitt Road, St. Johns, has been

named to the Dean's List of Ferris State College.

To qualify for the list, students must have maintained a grade point average of 3.5 or better.

Barbara Storks

Barbara Storks, from 305 S. Prospect Street, St. Johns, has been named to the Dean's List at Anderson College, Anderson, Ind.

Dean's List recognition is given to students who earn a grade-point average of 3.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale.

Storks is a sophomore at Anderson College.

In the service

Scott Winans

Marine Pvt. Scott Winans, son of Harry and Betty Winans of 8657 Maple Rapids Road, Elsie, has completed the Infantry Combat Training course at Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton, Calif.

During the six week course, Winans received classroom instruction and participated in field exercises involving infantry tactics; the construction and camouflage of fighting positions; and the use of mines, demolitions and intra-company communications equipment.

Paul Weeden

Marine Lance Cpl. Paul Weeden, son of Earl and Mary Weeden of 16231 S. Merrill Road, Elsie, has been promoted to his present rank while serving with the 1st Marine Aircraft Wing, Marine Corps Air Station, Futenma, on Okinawa.

A 1984 graduate of Chesaning High School, Weeden joined the Marine Corps in December, 1984.

Findlay Manor gets garden grant

Hazel I. Findlay Country Manor in St. Johns has been selected as one of 75 National Garden Grant recipients for 1986 by the National Gardening Association (NGA).

Each garden grant

package contains seeds, tools, gardening equipment, gardening publications and a one-year membership to the National Gardening Association. The package, valued at over \$600, is made possi-

ble by contributions from a variety of seed and manufacturing companies.

The Manor applied for the grant and was chosen from among 700 applicants because of their "outstanding quality of leadership and programming, high level of community sup-

port and need for necessary tools, seeds and supplies," said Carol DeFeciani, National Garden Grants Project Coordinator.

The NGA is a non-profit, membership supported organization based in Burlington, VT.

VFW post sets Loyalty Day

Mark Daniels VFW Post 1735 and its Ladies Auxiliary will hold their annual Loyalty Day Program on April 26 at the Post Home in Perrinton. A parade in the village is planned for 1:30 p.m. Rep. Gary Randall will be the guest speaker.

Sterling Heights. For the past 15 years the Vietnam veteran has kept a two-hour vigil at the grave of a fallen friend, Mark Daniels, for whom the Perrinton Post is named. Mark Daniels was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Daniels of Perrinton.

Parade Grand Marshall this year will be Christopher Scalise from

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ST. JOHNS CITY COMMISSION MINUTES - MARCH 24, 1986

The Reg. Mtg. was called to order by Mayor Arehart at 7:30 p.m.

COMM. PRESENT: Arehart, Starck, Munger, Parr.
COMM. ABSENT: Wiseman
STAFF PRESENT: R. L. Humphrey, City Manager, R. L. Colletta, City Clerk, P. A. Maples, City Attorney, D. M. Edwards, City Assessor.

Motion by Comm. Starck supp. by Comm. Parr that the Mins. of the Mar. 10, 1986 Reg. Mtg. be app. as presented.
YEA: Arehart, Starck, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Parr supp. by Comm. Starck that Warrant Nos. 1732-1837 be app. in the amt. of \$163,989.15 as presented.
YEA: Arehart, Starck, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Mayor Arehart asked if there were any additions or deletions to the Agenda. There were two additions and one deletion.

Motion by Comm. Starck supp. by Comm. Munger that the Agenda be app. as amended.
YEA: Arehart, Starck, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Parr supp. by Comm. Munger that the City Comm. accept the DPW Annual Report and that a letter sent to the DPW Supt. and workers commending them for a job well done.
YEA: Arehart, Starck, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Munger supp. by Comm. Starck that the City Comm. open the public hearing on the Saylor-Beall Ind. Dev. Dist.
YEA: Arehart, Starck, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Bob McFee was present in support of the request. There was no one else present wishing to present testimony.

Motion by Comm. Starck supp. by Comm. Munger that the City Comm. close the public hearing.
YEA: Arehart, Starck, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Munger supp. by Comm. Starck that the City Comm. adopt the reso. establishing an ind. dev. dist.
YEA: Arehart, Starck, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Parr supp. by Comm. Starck that the City Comm. grant the Lions Club perm. to sell donuts in the City on Mar. 27 and 28, 1986 and further that all fees be waived.
YEA: Arehart, Starck, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Starck supp. by Comm. Munger that the City Comm. grant the request of the Mint Fest. Comm. and auth. the purchase of "Mint Festival City" signs for \$140 from the State, with the stipulation that the Mint Fest. Comm. and the Chamber of Commerce reimburse the City for the orig. cost and any replacement or maint. costs involved with the signs.
YEA: Arehart, Starck, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Munger supp. by Comm. Parr that the City Comm. app. the purchase of the equip. and modifications to the tanker and plant as outlined in Supt. Gramlich's memo.
YEA: Arehart, Starck, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Parr supp. by Comm. Munger that the City Comm. auth. the staff to take quotes for expanding the City's present IBM System 36, purchasing the Police Dept. an IBM System 36, and for a pc system using a data base program, and further that the Police Dept. prepare a report on the type and number of apps. they wish to put on the computer.
YEA: Arehart, Starck, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Parr supp. by Comm. Munger that the City Comm. adj. to Closed Session to discuss labor negotiations.
Mayor Arehart called a roll call vote.
ROLL CALL VOTE: YEA: Arehart, Starck, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

The City Comm. adjourned to Closed Session at 8:30 p.m.
Motion by Comm. Parr supp. by Comm. Starck that the City Comm. adj. the Closed Session and reconvene in Open Session.
Mayor Arehart called a roll call vote.
ROLL CALL VOTE: YEA: Arehart, Starck, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

The City Comm. reconvened in Open Session at 8:46 p.m.
Motion by Comm. Parr supp. by Comm. Starck that the mtg. be adj.
YEA: Arehart, Starck, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

The mtg. was adjourned at 8:47 p.m.

ST. JOHNS CITY COMMISSION MINUTES - SPECIAL MEETING - APRIL 7, 1986

The Special Mtg. was called to order by Mayor Arehart at 7:00 a.m.

COMM. PRESENT: Arehart, Wiseman, Parr, Comm. Starck arrived at 7:45 p.m.

COMM. ABSENT: Munger.
STAFF PRESENT: R. L. Humphrey, City Manager, R. L. Colletta, City Clerk, D. M. Edwards, City Assessor.

Motion by Comm. Wiseman supp. by Comm. Parr that the City Comm. app. the liquor license trans. and adopt the resolution.
YEA: Arehart, Wiseman, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

City Manager Humphrey reported on the proposed 1986-1987 fiscal year budget.
There being no further business, Mayor Arehart adj. the mtg. at 8:40 p.m.

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The Mid-Michigan Genealogical Society will meet at 7:15 p.m. at the Foster Community Center, Room 213, 200 N. Foster Ave., Lansing. This month's program is entitled "Traveling to Germany for Genealogical Research" by Sweena Buter-Harger. The public is invited. There is no admission charge.

THURSDAY, APRIL 24
Performance of Edward Weiss Ensemble combining music, theatre, dance, art with lighting and film at the St. Johns High School Auditorium beginning at 7:30 p.m. Adults \$4, students \$3, family \$10. Reception follows.

FRIDAY, APRIL 25
Maple Twirlers Square Dance Club will have an "After Taxes-Hard Times" dance at the Municipal Building in St. Johns from 8 to 11 p.m. Prize for the "best rags", badges and dangles available. Wendell Law caller. New dancers welcome.

MONDAY, APRIL 28
April 28 through May 2 free Colorectal Cancer take-home tests available at Clinton Memorial Hospital from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Sponsored by the American Cancer Society and Clinton Memorial.

SATURDAY, APRIL 26
The Bath Shootin' Stars Square Dance Club will host their 19th annual Bathtub Dance at the High School in Bath from 8 to 11 p.m. Wendell Law is the caller. All square dancers are welcome.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30
Eagle Senior Citizens will meet at Eagle township hall for a noon potluck. Mary Polhmano of Consumers Power will speak on energy conservation. All are welcome.

MONDAY, MAY 5
Women Business Owners of Greater Lansing will meet at Scofes Restaurant for dinner at 6 p.m. followed by guest speaker, Dr. Lenna Dines. She will speak on breast cancer and reconstructive surgery. Cost of the dinner is \$6.50. Reservations should be made to the Skein Haus, 517-351-7833, by May 2.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 7
WXYZ will meet at Wacousta Methodist Church for a noon potluck. Naturalist Alan Wernette will talk on Fitzgerald Park. All are welcome.

SATURDAY, MAY 17
Evangelistic Reach Out 4th annual amateur gospel talent search at 6:30 p.m., Rodney B. Wilson Jr. High, Cass Street in St. Johns. For applications write or call 682-4143 or 862-5635 or write E.R.O. 4867 Skyline Drive, Perrinton, 48871. Deadline is May 10. \$15 fee will cover the cost of the trophies. Will be televised on Channel 29 Christian T.V. Open to the public, free admission.

Happy birthday to: William Steere, April 22. Cards are appreciated.

The residents of H.I.F.C.M. will attend the Maple Syrup Festival in Shepherd on April 26.

Everyone at the manor is looking forward to the maple syrup and pancakes!

We will have a Baby Day on April 29 at 3:30 p.m. Anyone with a baby is encouraged to bring he/she in for our "Baby Day" at H.I.F.C.M.

We currently have a new volunteer: Carol Estes of St. Johns. Carol is currently helping with Bible study, our Good Morning Cart, and is interested in helping with outings. A big welcome is extended to Carol by everyone.

The residents attended the country music spectacular sponsored by the Clinton County Sheriff's Possee on April 19. The show was enjoyed by everyone, and the residents greatly appreciated the donation of tickets by the Sheriff's Posse.

Did you know that:
• Trixie's Pixies has performed for the residents at H.I.F.C.M. for the past two years. Thank you to Trixie and the girls! You do a wonderful job!

• Diana VanOrsdol, a volunteer at the Manor, has taught our weekly Bible study class for the residents since the Manor opened in 1982.

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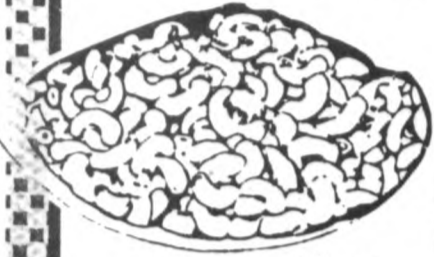
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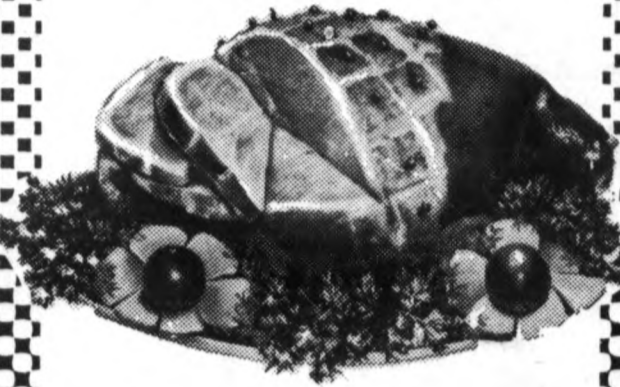
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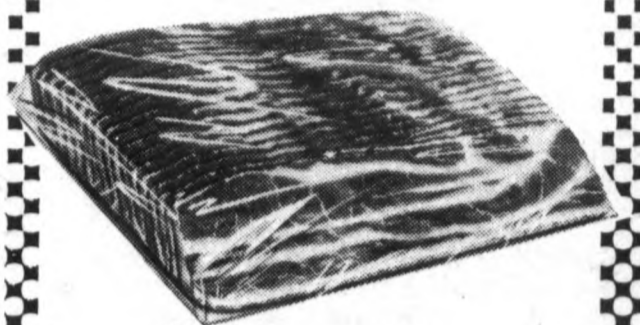
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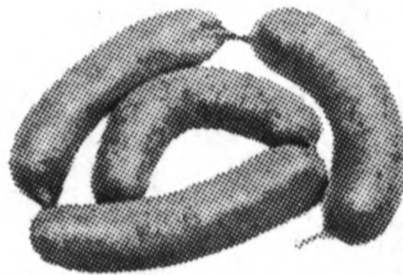


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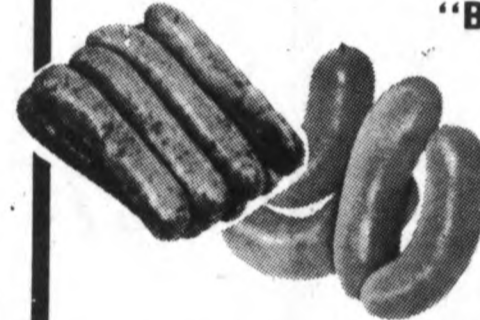


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Marauder batmen are busy hitting, fielding, winning

By RHONDA GAFFNEY
Sports Editor

The Marauders baseball team has an even 5-5 record after a busy week that saw them take 3 of 5 games played.

Ovid-Elsie batsmen opened with a doubleheader last Monday against Bath. They split the decision, taking the opener 7-3, and dropping the nightcap 0-3.

O-E took one from Owosso on Thursday, 10-9, and was ahead in the second game 5-0 when it was called in the second inning due to darkness. The Marauders closed out the week with a doubleheader on Saturday against Fowler. They split that contest also, winning the first game 7-5, and losing the second 9-8.

Saturday's action saw O-E take the lead 2-0 in the second inning on singles by Jeff Conklin who scored, and Richie Stutzman who knocked in Jeff Davis. They added three more in the third inning on runs by Stutzman, Doug Pumford and Rick Kieffer.

FOWLER CAME BACK to make the score 5-2 in the top of the fourth on runs by Jim Schmitz who singled and a sacrifice fly by Tony Schafer which drove in the second run.

The Marauders tallied two more runs in their half of the fourth on an RBI single by Mike Howard. The Eagles ended scoring in the sixth inning when starting pitcher, Chet Atkins, allowed three runs to score on walks. He was relieved in that inning by Nick Hurst who finished the game.

Atkins picked up the win and Bob Foreback was 2-3 at the plate for the Marauders.

In the nightcap, Rex Thelen from Fowler was the man

with the big stick, as he slugged two home runs and one single. Thelen had his first homer in the first inning, driving in two runs, and another two-run homer in the sixth inning. He was also the starting pitcher, relieved by Dan Simon who picked up the win and also had two hits for Fowler.

A three-run, round-tripper by Tony Schafer was icing on the cake for the Eagles, putting the game away. Foreback collected two of O-E's three hits in the game, with Stutzman picking up the third. The Marauders runs came as a result of walks and errors by Fowler. Hurst took the loss for O-E.

IN THE OWOSSO CONTEST, a double by Stutzman in the seventh inning proved to be the game winner for O-E. The game was tied at 9-9 before Stutzman's blast scored the winning run. He was 3-5 in the game with 5 RBIs.

The Marauders collected a total of 14 hits in the game with Joel Bohil going 2-2 and Jeff Davis 2-5. Pumford picked up the win coming in relief of starting pitcher Conklin in the bottom of the fifth.

Bohil allowed just one hit in the Monday contest with Bath, and picked up an RBI on a single shot. The Marauders totaled their 7 runs on 4 hits and 2 errors with Foreback scoring two on a single, and Pumford and Randy Lockwood picking up the remaining hits.

Coach Jack Nutter's batsmen open their MMB season tonight with a home doubleheader versus Corunna.

"We'll play a doubleheader at Bullock Creek on Thursday, take part in the Mason Invitational on Friday — and go to Detroit to see the Tigers play on Saturday," Nutter said.

Sounds like just the kind of week devoted baseball players would enjoy.

Eagle tracksters win big at Olivet Relays and in duals

The Eagles' boys track team captured first place honors in the Olivet Relays held on Saturday, scoring 119 total points. Richfield came in second with 102 points.

"We had a good day," said Coach Neil Hufnagle. "It was the first overall good performance where we really did well across the board. The whole team performed well."

First place finishers
Long jump — Jerry Wohlfert and Jim Thelen, 40'8 1/2"; 4-mile relay — Darrin Feldpausch, Ross Feldpausch, Troy Irer, Steve Bierstetel, 19:38.6; 800 relay — Dean K-13, Ken Armbrustmacher, Matt Braun, Wohlfert, 1:34.4; Sprint relay — D. K-13, Armbrustmacher, Braun, Matt Hufnagle, 1:40.9; 2-mile relay — Bierstetel, Tom Wirth, D. Feldpausch, Mike Pohl, 8:31.4; Varsity 440 relay — D. K-13, Armbrustmacher, Braun, Curtis Feldpausch, 46.2; mile relay — Bruce Feldpausch, Mike Pohl, Wohlfert, M. Hufnagle, 3:35.4.

Second place finishers
Shuttle relay — C. Feldpausch, B. Feldpausch, Jim Thelen, M. Hufnagle, 52.5; Distance Medley — M. Pohl, J. Thelen, T. Irer, Bierstetel, 18:18.1; discus relay — Chad Theis, Mike Feldpausch, Tony Bertram, Ron Schafer, 1:51.2; Freshman distance medley — Marty Fox, Jeff Miller, Scott K-13, Ross Feldpausch, 6:28.5.

Fifth place finisher
high jump — D. K-13 and S. K-13, 11'6".

Fowler girls track

The Fowler girls' track team overcame a big loss in the form of an injury to Sharean Rowell to defeat Ovid-Elsie 69-59 in a dual meet held last week. Rowell, top long jumper and key relay runner, broke her collarbone in an automobile accident and will be out for an indefinite period.

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Redwing netters open well

The St. Johns Redwings boys tennis team dropped their opening match of the season, 6-1, to a strong Grand Ledge team last Thursday, and picked up a fourth place spot in the Waverly Invitational held on Saturday.

"Grand Ledge was a good opener for us," said Coach Al Werbish. "They returned their same starting ten players from last year. A loss against good competition will help us to improve."

The number three doubles team of Jason Zimmerman and David Schroeder captured the lone win for the Redwings on set scores of 6-4, 6-7, 6-4. Number two doubles team, Chris Briggs and Trent Byra, dropped a close match on set scores of 7-5, 4-6, 6-4, as did Brad Thompson, number one singles player, who lost 3-6, 7-5, 8-6.

Other scores versus Grand Ledge were: number-2 singles, Curt Luttig, losing 6-0, 6-3; number-3 singles, Eric Fish, losing 6-3, 6-3; number-4 singles, Kevin Zim-

merman, losing 6-2, 6-4; number-1 doubles, Eric Signs and Rich Kirby, losing 6-3, 6-4.

Highlights of the Waverly meet included the number-3 doubles team of Schroeder and Zimmerman winning their three-doubles flight, defeating Charlotte, Waverly and Grand Ledge; number-2 doubles team of Briggs and Byra winning the consolation bracket in matches with Howell and Charlotte; number-1 doubles consolation champions, Signs and Kirby, defeating Marshall and Charlotte.

"We were encouraged by the results at Waverly," Coach Werbish said. "We finished sixth there last year and were fourth this year, so we are improving."

The Redwings see action this week in matches at Lansing Eastern (April 21), and in home MMB match-ups with Ionia tonight and Ovid-Elsie on Thursday.

Redwing track off to fast start

By RHONDA GAFFNEY
Sports Editor

The Redwing girls' track team won all four relay events as well as sweeping the mile, 2-mile, 440 dash, and 330 hurdles on their way to a 92-36 win over Ionia last week.

"The relays are looking good and coming together," said Coach Teri Brown. "We also had a number of performances that were pleasant surprises."

Among those surprises were Erin Masarik in the sprinting events, Melinda Martin in the 440, Deanna Stump in the 330 hurdles, Erin Fox in discus and Anita Manas in the 330 hurdles.

"I was encouraged by the positive attitude of the team...it was also nice to see so many parents out watching." Coach Lade

St. Johns is looking forward to their MMB clash with Ovid-Elsie tomorrow (April 23) which will be run at the Redwings home track. They will be traveling to the Mason Invitational this Friday.

First place finishers
3200 relay — Sharra Feeley, Theresa K-13, Jennifer Woodward, Becky Ir-rer, 11:40.45; 100 hurdles — Kari Simon, 19.64; High jump — Sandra Terrell, 4'8"; 800 relay — Anne Brocker, Erin Masarik, Brenda Yallup, Ginger Rapelle, 1:59.36; 1600 run — Irer, 6:00.30; 400 relay — Vickie Asher, Masarik, Yallup, Rapelle, 55.95; 400 dash — Luanne Hurst, 1:08.65; 300 hurdles — Deanna Stump, 53.85; 3200 run — Terrell, 13:16.66; 1600 relay — Feely, Hurst, Irer, K-13, 4:48.85.

Second place finishers
3200 relay — Colleen Bunn, Sheri Johnson, Dana Malesky, Lori Montry, 11:59.90; 100 dash — Yallup, 14.62; discus — Erin Fox, 84.7"; shot put — Janice Rademacher, 8'8"; long jump — T. K-13, 14'7 1/2"; 1600 run — Terrell, 6:06.41; 400 dash — Masarik, 1:12.05; 800 run — T. K-13, 2:51.08; 300 hurdles — Anita Manas, 56.84; 200 dash — Rapelle, 29.94; 3200 run — Korienek, 13:48.53; 1600 relay — Woodward, Martin, Tabitha Dunning, Mari Hannia, 5:08.38.

Third place finishers
100 hurdles — Deanna Stump, high jump — Kerry Porter, 100 dash — Asher, discus — Cheryl Rademacher, shot put — M. Martens, long jump — Hurst, 1600 run — Korienek, 400 dash — M. Martin, 800 run — Johnson, 300 hurdles — Simon, 200 dash — Masarik, 3200 run — Bunn.

St. Johns boy track

St. Johns boys' coach, Linden Lade, was "extremely pleased," with his Redwings opening meet of the year against Ionia. The Redwings lost 60-77 in what was a "very close meet."

"I was encouraged by the positive attitude of the team," said Coach Lade, "and by the performance level of the younger athletes and the efforts of the older athletes. It was also nice to see so many parents out watching. It was a well-attended meet."

"Ovid-Elsie definitely has more experience coming into our meet this Wednesday," Coach Lade said of the Redwings upcoming MMB meet. "They have four meets under their belt. But we have a very positive attitude and are looking forward to it."

First place finishers
2 mile relay — Cory Henningson, Trent Jakus, Greg St. John, Eric Bolyard, 9:08.2; 800 relay — Dale Feldpausch, Zane Ballard, Jim Cain, Bill Keeney, 1:40.52; shot put — John Glover, 42'11 1/2"; 800 run — Jim DeBrabander, 1600 relay — Tim Boak, Gary Zimmerman, Bolyard, Jakus, 3:49.5.

Second place finishers
High jump — Josh Isenhower, long jump — Zimmerman, 1600 run — Bolyard, 100 dash — Ballard, 400 dash — David McCallister, 800 run — Jakus, 300 hurdles — Matt Holzhey, 200 dash — Zimmerman, 3200 run — St. John.

Third place finishers
100 hurdles — Thayer, discus — Thayer, 1600 run — Henningson, 100 dash — Keeney, 400 run — Kim Boak, 800 run — Bolyard, 200 dash — Feldpausch, 3200 run — DeBrabander.

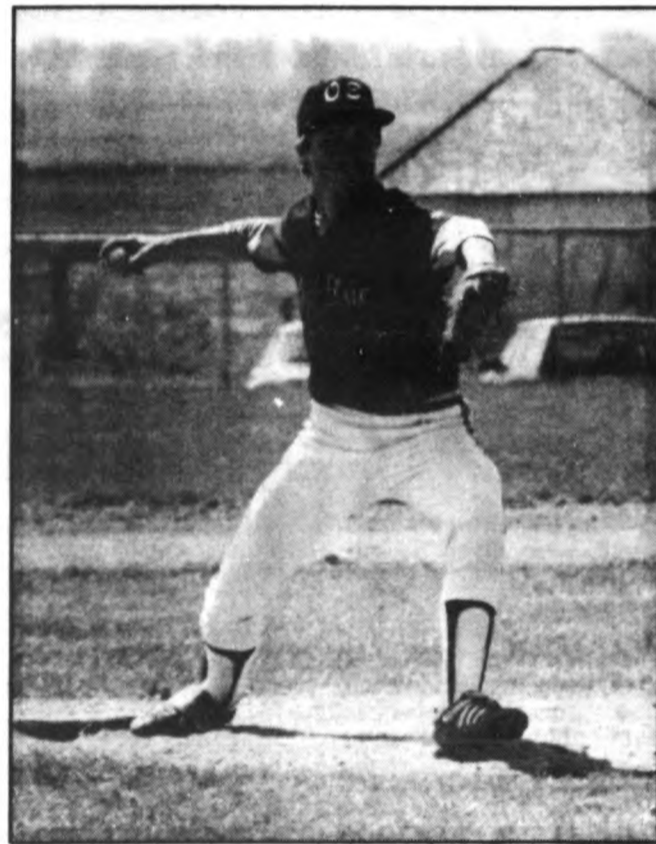


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PITCHING FORM — Jeff Conklin, one of the Marauders' pitchers, shows his form one of Ovid-Elsie's games played last week. The Marauders have an even 5-5 record so far this season.

Fulton track has eventful week in tough competitions

The Fulton girls track team, who placed fourth in the State Meet last year, has some top talent returning from that squad in the form of tri-captains Janice Kresge, Sheila Welch and Kelly Stoudt along with several others.

Coach Roger Thelen's "talent" showed up in Fulton's two meets last week which they won 66-62 over Breckenridge and 80-46 over Mt. Pleasant Sacred Heart. "We're starting to round into form a little better," Coach Thelen said.

It didn't hurt the Pirates to have Janice Kresge, their top hurdler, back either as the team swept the 100 hurdle event.

Kresge was the state champ last year in the 300 hurdles, third in the state in the 100 hurdles, and was a member of the second and third place State relay teams. Welch is a top hurdler and Stoudt a key distance runner.

Also returning are Sherri Johnson, hurdler and shot put; Dee Gardner, high jumper and half-mile; Deb Waldren, shot put and discus; Sue Root, long jump, 220 and 440; Sheri Fabus, sprinter; Julie Sluka, high jump, 440 and 880; and Kim Friesen, sprinter and long jump.

"The CMAC is a tremendously tough league," said Coach Roger Thelen. "We expect it to be just as strong this year. There are some very good female athletes in this part of the state."

Fulton will take on Bath tonight (April 22) in a dual meet before playing host to 18 schools at the Fulton Invitational this Saturday.

First place finishers, Breckenridge
Long jump — Dee Gardner, 13'8"; high jump — Gardner, 5'; 800 relay — Kim Friesen, Amber Upton, Kelly Upham, Sheri Fabus, 2:09.3; 1600 relay — Kresge, Julie Sluka, Fabus, Lori Helman, 4:38.2; 100 hurdles, Kresge, 18.2; 100 dash — Kresge, 14.2; 800 run — Gardner, 3:00.9; 300 hurdles — Kresge, 51.1.

First place finishers, Sacred Heart
Shot put — Sherri Johnson, 28'4 1/2"; discus — Deb Waldren, 91'1"; high jump — Gardner, 4'6"; 3200 relay — Sluka, Sherry Butcher, Upham, Kelly Stoudt, 11:57.5; 100 hurdles — Kresge, 18.1; 1600 run — Gardner, 6:32.6.

400 dash — Helman, 1:08.3; 300 hurdles — Kresge, 50.6; 800 run — Welch, 3:05.8; 1600 relay — Kresge, Helman, Waldren, Sluka, 4:41.6.

Second place finishers
shot put — Waldron, 26'10 1/2"; discus — Helman, 66'3"; high jump — Sluka, 4'2"; 100 hurdles — Upton, 19.7; 100 dash — Kresge, 13.9; 400 dash — Sluka, 1:08.9; 300 hurdles — Welch, 1:03.0; 800 run — Stoudt, 3:17.7; 3200 run — Butcher, 15.55.

Third place finishers
long jump — Friesen, 13'6"; 100 hurdles — Sheila Welch, 21.0; 100 dash — Friesen, 14.8; 800 run — Kara Martyn, 3:25.0.

FULTON BOYS TRACK

The Pirate boys split a pair of dual track meets last week, losing to Breckenridge 84-53 to open the week on Monday, and coming back to defeat Sacred Heart on Friday 79-55.

Coach Ron Merriott had known going into the 1986 season that his team would be depending heavily on returning members Don Price, Joel Parker, Scott Cater and Tod Koone to earn points for this year's team.

"We lost some top point-getters off from last year's squad," Merriott said, "and that will hurt us." Fulton finished third in the CMAC last season with a 5-3 dual meet record.

Price, a junior who placed third in the State Meet last year in the mile and two-mile, should be a key runner for the Pirates. Steve Berry, Mike Martin, Brad Smeltzer, and Matt Kissane are likely candidates as new members to give Fulton a boost in a variety of events.

"We may have some trouble scoring points, especially early in the season," Coach Merriott said, "but I'm looking for improvement as we go along."

First place finishers, Breckenridge
Pole vault — Koone, 10'; 800 relay — Parker, Berry, Biddinger, Koone, 1:42.2; 1600 run — Price, 4:41.8; 800 dash — Price, 2:07.7; 3200 run — Price, 10:46.7.

First place finishers, Sacred Heart
discus — Cater, 112.7'; pole vault — Koone, 10'6"; 3200 relay — Price, Martin, Wright, Smeltzer, 9:11.2; 110 hurdles — Baker, 18.8; 100 dash — Parker, 12.5; 1600 run — Price, 4:31.8; 400 relay — Berry, Toth, Cater, Biddinger, 50.1; 300 hurdles — Biddinger, 45.4; 200 dash — Parker, 25.2.

Baseball season is in full swing in county

All area baseball teams saw action last week, as most schools got conference play underway for the 1986 season. Following is a brief round-up of play on County diamonds.

PEWAMO-WESTPHALIA

The Pewamo-Westphalia baseball team came back from a 16-3 drubbing by DeWitt last Tuesday to win their opening CMAC game with Laingsburg 7-1 on Thursday. The Pirates record stands at 2-1 overall.

"I was pleased with the Laingsburg game," said Coach Mark Rademacher. "The kids played well as a team and made their own breaks."

The Pirates scored in the third inning of the Laingsburg contest to take an early 2-0 lead on a triple by Stan Bauer and fielders' choice by Doug Nuremberg.

One more run was added in the fourth when Scott Smith scored on a hit by Ted Smith. Laingsburg picked up their only run of the game in their half of the fourth to make the score 3-1.

P-W ended scoring in the top of the fifth when they totaled four runs. Singles by Bauer and Loren Thelen plus three walks and a wild pitch put the Pirates' score across.

Laingsburg threatened in the sixth when they loaded the bases with two outs, but the Pirates held them off.

Bauer pitched the entire game for P-W, allowing only two hits and one unearned run. He struck out seven and walked five batters. Prior to the game, Bauer had pitched only one inning.

Loren Thelen was 3-4 with 1 RBI, and Bauer was 2-3 with 1 RBI.

In earlier action with DeWitt, the Pirates could muster only two hits total

for the game; those from Loren Thelen and Darrell Heckman. DeWitt jumped off to a 7-1 lead at the end of the first inning and P-W never got on track after that. Their three runs came in the top of the fourth inning.

The Pirates have a busy week in store for them as they have conference games at Fulton (April 21) and host Portland St. Pat this Friday. P-W also plays at Saranac tonight in a non-conference game.

FOWLER

The Eagles had a down and up week, losing a contest on Monday to DeWitt 6-2, and to Portland St. Pat in their CMAC opener on Thursday, 9-0. They came back to take a split in their doubleheader with Ovid-Elsie on Saturday, dropping the first 7-5 before coming back to salvage a win in the second game 9-8.

Home run blasts were the highlight of the Eagles' week with Tony Schafer hitting a two-run home run in the DeWitt game and Rex Thelen and Schafer plating round-trippers in the second O-E game.

Fowler faced Laingsburg in a CMAC game last evening (April 21) played on the Eagles' home diamond. They have two away games scheduled for this week: at Potterville in a CMAC match-up on Thursday, and a

doubleheader with Saranac on Saturday.

ASHLEY

The Bears were good on two of three games played last week, falling to Portland St. Pat on Tuesday, 6-2, and coming back to sweep a doubleheader with Vestaburg on Friday by scores of 1-0 and 10-4.

Ashley picked up just three hits in the contest with Portland.

Mike Litwiller pitched a two-hit shut-out in the opening game of the doubleheader with Vestaburg. The Bears only run in the first game came on a single by Steve Hardman who stole second and came home on a single by Tom Lamey in the fourth inning.

Litwiller struck out five and walked one batter in the opener.

In the nightcap, Litwiller had two singles and a double to drive in one of the Bears' runs. Hardman pushed three runs across the plate on a single and triple, and Scott Paksi had three hits and an RBI for the Bears.

At the end of the week, Ashley's record stood at 5-2.

The Bears open their Mid-State Athletic Conference season tonight (April 22) in a doubleheader at Genesse, and play Ithaca at home on Saturday in a non-conference clash.



Photo by Rhonda Gaffney

STRIKE OUT QUEEN — Redwing softball senior, Brenda Eiseler, has fanned 50 batters in the new softball season for St. Johns. Eiseler helped her team to its current 5-1 record, tossing two, one-hitters, and two, no-hitters from the mound last week.

Eiseler, Redwings on record breaking pace

By RHONDA GAFFNEY
Sports Editor

It was quite a week for the St. Johns girls softball team who won 5 of their 6 games played — and for senior pitcher, Brenda Eiseler, who was the winning pitcher in four of the five wins.

In chronological order beginning last Monday:

St. Johns opened the week at Mason in a non-conference game which they won 5-1. Eiseler threw a one-hitter for the Redwings, striking out eight batters. Teammate Mary Murphy had a single and triple for St. Johns, picking up two RBIs.

On Thursday, Eiseler blanked Lansing Everett in the opening game of the Redwings' doubleheader,

8-0, and powered a solo home run in the seventh inning to tie the score at 6-6. Everett came back to win in the bottom of the inning, 7-6.

Eiseler added another no-hitter to her win column on a 22-1 trouncing of Portland St. Patrick on Friday. A total of 20 Shamrock batters fell on strike-outs to the awesome arm of Eiseler in that five-inning "mercied" game. Redwing catcher, Mary Murphy, knows her pitcher very well and should be credited with much of Eiseler's success in finding the strike zone consistently.

The Redwings ended their week with a doubleheader on Saturday against Lansing Sexton. They took the pair from the

Big Reds on scores of 16-0, 15-2.

Eiseler again tossed a one-hitter in the opening game, and teammate Lara Foy took the win in the second game, allowing just five hits. Both games were five-inning "mercy" contests.

Foy and Murphy combined for three hits each in the opener which saw the Redwings total 14 hits.

A total of 50 batters were strike out victims of Eiseler during the week-long Redwing onslaught. The season could definitely prove to be one for the record books if Eiseler's pace continues.

Coach Paul Sternbaugh leads his Redwings into opening MMB action tonight in a game with Ionia at home.

Sports briefs

Fulton invitational

Male and female athletes from 18 mid-Michigan high schools will be participating in the Fulton Invitational Track Meet at Fulton High School on April 26. The meet begins at 9:30 a.m. with finals in the running events scheduled to begin at 11 a.m.

Admission is \$2 for adults and \$1.50 for students. Concessions will be available. Awards will be presented to the top six finishers in each event and to the top three teams. Plaques will be awarded to the outstanding male and female performer of the meet.

Area schools participating include: Fulton, DeWitt, Carson City, Fowler, Laingsburg and Portland St. Pat.

Sports briefs

Paul Pioszak

St. Johns senior, Paul Pioszak of Western Michigan University's mens' track team, was first in the 5,000 meter run at the Northwestern University relays last week.

Pioszak was timed in 14:34.08.

Perry's annual road race set for April 27

The Perry Athletic Boosters are sponsoring their annual 10,000 meter race and one mile fitness run/walk on April 27 in cooperation with various local merchants. The start and finish are in downtown Perry with the 10,000 meter at 2 p.m. and the one mile walk/run at 1:30 p.m.

Check in time is 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. behind the First of America Central Office in downtown Perry. Restrooms and showers will be available. The course is flat over country roads with splits at each mile.

Trophies and medals will be awarded to 10,000 meter

race division winners, and certificates given to all finishers of the race and walk/run.

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Fowler track rolls on

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"The kids really came through," said Coach Kim Spalsbury. "It was as close a dual meet as we've ever had, coming down to the last race, last leg, last 100 yards."

That was the mile relay with the team of Kim Epkey, Staci Rowell, Mindy Sillman and Nancy Sillman taking first place in a time of 3:31.8.

"If we would not have won that event, the meet would have been tied," Spalsbury said.

First place finishers
2-Mile Relay — Epkey, Shari Schneider, L. Thelen, Cindy Schneider, 10:44
880 Relay — N. Sillman, S. Rowell, Marcy Sillman, LuAnn Weiber, 1:55.6
440 Relay — S. Rowell, M. Sillman, Lisa Farley, L. Weiber, 55.8. **Mile Run** — C. Schneider, 5:40.5. **440 dash** — N. Sillman, 1:05.8; **long jump** — Ma. Sillman, 13'9 1/2".

Second place finishers
110 hurdles — L. Weiber, 18.5. **Mile run** — K. Epkey, 5:46.1; **880 run** — K. Epkey, 2:36.4; **330 hurdles** — Ma. Sillman, 53.5; **220 dash** — N. Sillman, 30.2; **2-mile run** — L. Thelen, 13:34.9; **high jump** — N. Sillman, 4'8"; **long jump** — Deb Sillman, 13'3".

Third place finishers
100 dash — L. Farley, 12.7; **Mile run** — Sheri Schneider, 6:22.4; **high jump** — L. Thelen, 4'6"; **discus** — L. Thelen, 79'7"; **shot put** — L. Farley, 23'9 1/2".

Fowler boys track
 "I was satisfied," Coach Neil Hufnagle said of his Eagles' 93-44 dual meet win over Ovid-Elsie last week. "I'm pleased — I hope we're on an upward swing."

First place finishers
2-mile relay — Steve Bierstetel, Tom Wirth, Darrin Feldpausch, Mike Pohl, 8:44.9; **880 relay** — Dean Koenigsnecht, Ken Armbrustmacher, Matt Braun, Matt Hufnagle, 1:38.9; **440 relay** — D. K-13, K. Armbrustmacher, Curtis Feldpausch, M. Braun, 46.8; **Mile relay** — Bruce Feldpausch, Jim Thelen, M. Pohl, M. Hufnagle, 3:46.7; **110 hurdles** — M. Hufnagle, 16.7; **100 dash** — D. K-13, 10.4; **Mile run** — Troy Irner, 4:52.1; **440 dash** — Jerry Wohlfert, 54.3; **880 run** — M. Pohl, 2:05.9; **2-mile run** — S. Bierstetel, 8:44.9.

Redwings take first win in baseball doubleheader split

The Redwing baseball team got on the winning track in their doubleheader played last Saturday with Lansing Sexton. St. Johns picked up their first win of the season, defeating Sexton 5-4 in the nightcap of their doubleheader.

Coach Doug Parker's young Redwings dropped the opening game by a score of 9-3.

Scott Heibeck got the game-winning hit on a single scoring the Redwings' run in the bottom of the sixth inn-

Marauders lose dual track meets to stiff competition at home

The Marauders girls' track team lost two close meets by identical scores last week — 69-59 against Fowler on Monday and with Corunna in MMB action on Thursday.

"Our times keep improving," said coach Doug Long "so we're not too disappointed. Both Fowler and Corunna field very good teams."

First place vs. Fowler
 Discus — Batora, 106'3"; shot put — Batora, 28'1/2"; 110 hurdles — Parker, 17.7; 100 dash — Thering, 12.7; 880 run — Darling, 2:36.4; 330 hurdles — Parker, 51.9; 220 dash — Tracie Pohl, 30.9; high jump — Terstra, 4'10".

First place vs. Corunna
 discus — Batora, 107'11"; long jump — Sarah Waite, 12'10"; 110 hurdles — Parker, 17.6; 100 dash — Thering, 13.4; 880 relay — Parker, Jodi Donaldson, Thering, Pohl, 1:57.8; 880 run — Darling, 2:36.5; 330 hurdles — Parker, 51.2; mile relay — Parker, Thering, Gibbons, Darling, 4:31.9.

Second place vs. Corunna
 shot put — Batora, 27'6 1/2"; 330 hurdles — Gardner, 54.9; 2-mile run — Rice, 13:55.5; 110 hurdles —

Gardner, 18.8; mile run — Rice, 6:25.
Third place vs. Corunna
 discus — O'Dell, 84'5 1/2"; long jump — Jenny Woodbury, 12'6"; mile run — Shaundell Elowski, 6:35.9; 880 run — Rice, 2:49.7; 220 dash — Pohl, 29.8; high jump — Darling, 4'6"; 2-mile run — Elowski, 14:14.

Both the girls and boys teams participated in the St. Louis Invitational on Saturday with the girls scoring 13 points and boys scoring 12 points.

Girls scoring, second place
 discus relay — Cheryl Batora and Kris O'Dell, 206'6"; mile relay — Shelly Parker, Denise Thering, Kristin Gibbons, Carrie Darling, 4:33.9.

Boys scoring
 shot put relay, third place — Dave Fowler and Chad Bush, 87'3 1/2"; discus relay, fourth place — Dave Fowler and Brian Held, 232'11".

The Marauders take on St. Johns at the Redwings home track in a MMB dual meet tomorrow, April 23. They host Owosso on Friday and will participate in the Bath Invitational this Saturday.

10:32.5; high jump — D. K-13, 5'10"; long jump — J. Wohlfert, 19'3 1/2"; discus — C. Feldpausch, 121'10".

Second place finishers
110 hurdles — J. Thelen, 17.5; **880 run** — T. Wirth, 2:08.5; **330 hurdles** — B. Feldpausch, 43.2; **220 dash** — M. Braun, 24.9; **2-mile run** — D. Feldpausch, 10:35.9; **long jump** — Jeff Miller, 17'8"; **discus** — Jay Bancroft, 117'3".

Third place finishers
100 dash — C. Feldpausch, 10.8; **Mile run** — Ross Feldpausch, 5:11.7; **440 dash** — M. Hufnagle, 54.5; **330 hurdles** — J. Thelen, 45.7; **220 dash** — Scott K-13, 25.7; **high jump** — S. K-13, 5'4"; **shot put** — C. Feldpausch, 38'1 1/2".

Sports briefs

Monica Hayes

Monica Hayes from St. Johns received her third Varsity letter in swimming at Northern Michigan University. Hayes, a junior at NMU, was one of 91 athletes recommended by coaches and approved by the University's athletic council to receive letters for 1985-86 winter sports season.

Scuba diving

Central YMCA in Lansing is offering a Scuba diving class on Wednesday evenings beginning on April 23. The class will run from 6-10 p.m. through June 4. Registration for the class will be held on April 8-23 with the cost being \$240. A free scuba experience is planned for April 16 from 7-9:30 p.m. Phone 484-4000 for information.

ing. Scott Jones came in to relieve starting Redwing pitcher, Dwight Pierson, in the final inning and struck out two of the three batters he faced. Pierson picked up the win.

The Redwings face Ionia tonight in a MMB clash played on the St. Johns diamond and travel to Mason on Friday for the Mason Invitational. Also participating at Mason will be teams from Holt and Ovid-Elsie.

Calendar

TUESDAY, APRIL 22

Baseball and softball
 Ionia at St. Johns, 3:30 p.m.
 Genesee at Ashley, 3 p.m.
 Bath at Fulton, DH 4 p.m.
 Corunna at O-E, 4:15 p.m.

Tennis
 Ionia at St. Johns, 4:15 p.m.
 Track
 Bath at Fulton, 4 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23

Track
 Ovid-Elsie at St. Johns, 4:15 p.m.

THURSDAY, APRIL 24

Tennis
 Ovid-Elsie at St. Johns, 4:15 p.m.

Baseball and softball
 Fowler at Pottsville, 4:30 p.m.
 Laingsburg at Fulton, 4:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, APRIL 25

Baseball and softball
 St. Johns at Mason Invit., 3 p.m.

Track
 St. Johns at Mason Invit., 4 p.m.
 Owosso at Ovid-Elsie, 4 p.m.

SATURDAY, APRIL 26

Track
 Fowler, Fulton at Fulton Invit., 9 a.m.

O-E at Bath Invit., 9:30 a.m.

Baseball and softball
 Ithaca at Ashley, 10 a.m.
 Fowler at Saranac, DH 11 a.m.

MONDAY, APRIL 28

Baseball and softball
 P-W at Portland, 4:30 p.m.
 Fulton at Fowler, 4:30 p.m.

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Oats and barley
Spring seeding of oats and barley is just around the corner, and seed recommendations include the most popular varieties along with a few new ones.
"Seeds for the most popular certified oat and barley varieties are plentiful, leaving which varieties to grow up to the producer's particular preference," says Larry Copeland, MSU Extension seed variety specialist.
Heritage and Ogle are the most popular oat varieties in Michigan, Copeland says. More than 2,000 acres of certified Heritage seed oats were grown last year, and about 1,300 acres of certified Ogle seed was produced. This means seed availability should not be a problem.
Ogle is a yellow oat that yields 8 to 10 more bushels per acre than Heritage, Copeland says. It is the most disease-resistant but should be grown only if there is a

local market for it. The majority of the oat crop is sold out of state as feed for race horses, and race horse owners prefer white oats. Yellow oat varieties are generally less marketable. If a local feed market is available, however — for dairy cows, for example — Ogle may be the best variety choice, Copeland notes.

Heritage yields 8 to 10 bushels per acre more than most other varieties, especially at upper yield levels, Copeland says. If a producer expects to produce 100 bushels of oats per acre, Heritage will top that yield by up to 10 bushels per acre. Heritage is a white oat variety and is marketable to many large elevators.
Porter is a newly certified white oat variety that has yielded two to three percent better than Heritage in field test plots. Copeland says Porter is expected to perform very well.

Good seed supplies for both malting and feed barley are also available this spring. Copeland recommends Robust and Morex malting barley varieties because of their high productivity and resistance to lodging, as well as acceptable malting quality.

Bowers, a feed barley variety, is recommended, as well as a new variety called Leger, Copeland says. Leger is not certified yet, but it has performed well in both local and regional tests. This is the second year Leger has been made widely available in Michigan, and it is an excellent choice for most growers, he adds.

Other varieties of oats and barley are also still available. Copeland says that producers who want a particular variety that has performed well for them will probably be able to get it from their seed dealer. *Giles Roehl is the Director of the Clinton County Cooperative Extension Service.*

Elsie residents complete farming leadership program

Gwendolyn Nash and Kam Washburn, both of Elsie, recently completed three years of intensive study through Michigan State University's Michigan Agricultural Leadership Program (MALP). Begun seven years ago, the MALP is an outgrowth of the MSU Kellogg Farmers' Study Program.

"This is an exclusive program intended for selected Michigan farmers and agribusiness people

who demonstrate substantial leadership potential, particularly at the local and state levels," said Eugene Trotte, MALP director.

Potential MALP candidates must be nominated by professional acquaintances who can attest to the candidates' capacity for leadership. Acceptance is limited to 30 persons per session. The cost of MALP is partially paid for by industry funding with the rest paid by participants.

During the 27 months of the MALP, each participant is able not only to examine the consequences of his or her individual actions within the family and community, but also evaluation of broad scope questions including international issues.

As part of the program, students spend a week of study in the inner-city of Detroit, a week in Washington, a week in a region of the United States, and three weeks of study

overseas. The main objective of the program is to prepare individuals to make substantial contributions to the social, economic and political effects of agricultural policy decisions.

County farmers growing beans for Mexico should beware of destructive anthracnose disease

Farmers who plant black or pinto beans to help fill the recently negotiated \$24 million contract with Mexico may run the risk of spreading bean anthracnose when they plant uncertified seed.

Anthracnose was brought into Michigan during a bean contract with Mexico in 1981.

"This is a serious, highly contagious disease that is particularly prevalent and destructive in black beans," said Larry Copeland, MSU Cooperative Extension Service seed specialist.

Anthracnose is a seed-borne fungus disease that can be a threat to neighbor-

ing fields of beans of all classes.

"Growers will have to rely on their knowledge of the history of each seed lot and the field where it was produced," Copeland said. "Absolutely no black bean seed should be purchased or planted if growers know or suspect that anthracnose occurred in the year the seed was produced."

No suitable test is available to detect seed-borne infection.

No certified seed of pinto beans was produced in Michigan, but adequate supplies should be available from western sources. There is enough certified seed of three

black bean varieties — Magic, Domino, and Midnight — in Michigan to plant between 4,000 to 6,000 acres.

"This will help meet seed needs, but most of the acreage will have to be planted with uncertified seed," Copeland said.

Michigan growers will receive an average of \$16.25 per hundredweight of beans. The 1981 contract with Mexico paid growers \$25 per hundredweight.

Legislation set to protect farmers with elevator stores

Michigan bean and grain farmers would see increased protection against losses under legislation introduced in the Michigan House by State Rep. Gary Randall.

House Bill 5473 would create a commodity insurance corporation within the Department of Agriculture that would be

funded independently of state revenues.

"The idea for an insurance corporation was prompted by a number of grain elevator failures that left farmers without any income," Randall said.

Under the bill, Michigan farmers who suffer losses due to the failure of a grain elevator would be able to

collect up to \$84,000. The repayment structure within the corporation allows a farmer to collect 100 percent of the first \$20,000 lost and 80 percent of the next \$80,000.

A companion bill (HB 5474) would enable the state to revoke the license of a grain dealer who failed to pay the assessment of the commodity insurance

program. Grain dealers would see an annual assessment of one-fourth of a cent per bushel of grain or one-fourth of a cent per hundred weight of beans. The corporation would collect from grain dealers until the fund reached \$5 million, at which point it would be capped. The collections would resume when the fund reached \$3 million or below.

The proposed Michigan agricultural commodity insurance corporation would have a board of directors of four members appointed by the governor. The director of the Department of Agriculture would serve as ex-officio chairman of the board.

The bills are supported by all the state's major farm groups.

Grange week to be celebrated

Grange Week will be observed in Michigan, and across the nation, April 20 to 26.

Celebrations of all kinds are planned including rural/urban banquets, dances, open houses, window displays, radio programs and more. Roland

Winter, Master (President) of the Michigan State Grange, said Michigan Granges will participate in the week's events.

The Grange, the Order of Patrons of Husbandry, is a farm fraternity for men, women, youth and children. The total program encompasses ac-

tivities for everyone and includes legislation, community service and social involvement. Policy comes from the grass roots level — resolutions start at the local level, moving to the county and state Granges and from there to the National Grange.

DeWitt man gets certification

Wayne Lindow of Landscape Development, Inc., DeWitt, passed the most recent Michigan Certified Nurserymen test and received certification status.

The Michigan Certified Nurserymen Program is administered by the Michigan Association of Nurserymen. The program is designed to identify individuals who are knowledgeable and experienced in their chosen field.

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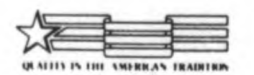
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Jan. 8, 1987-7:30 pm
March 5, 1987-7:30 pm
March 28, 1987-1:00 pm
All meetings will be held in the Maple Rapids Village Hall in Maple Rapids, MI.

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4/22/86

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4-H Volunteer Leaders

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Douglas Smith
Cindie Speer
Marie Vicknair
Julius Remenar
Roger Dennings
Janet Dennings
Sue Chant
Paul Joostberns
Bernie Simon
Steven Sipkovsky
Bev Davis
Ruth Stevenson
Robert Purtil
Blaine Stevens
Tom Woodhams
Pat Zarka

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Dianna Johnson
Jim Johnson
Maryann Sipkovsky
Penny Malesky
Brenda Miller
Bob Stevenson
Brad Anspach
Judy Gensterblum
Vicki Woodhams
Sharon McElroy
Judy Latchaw
Brenda Blauwiekel
Larry Blizzard
Al Wickerham
Patty Wedel
Jeanne Butler
Sue Miller
Karen Grams
Bob Grams
Herbert Bucholtz
Dennis Morrison
Roy Brown
Jody Smith
Brenda Halfman
Margaret Heyboer
Tom Bentley
Jim Ashley
Clara Lewis
Gayla Phillips
Andrea Thornton
Judy Latchaw
Irene Pline
Daniel Brown
Roy Brown

3rd YEAR
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Mary Jane Boak
Sherrie Todd
Jan O'Bryant
Pam Avery
Linda Ward
Beatrice Frechen
Daria Aldrich
Geri Thelen
Linda Kurncz
Linda Gifford
Barb Doerr
Kenneth Nickols
Gary West
Susan Olger
Larry Ladiski
Gertrude Dunham
Joe Galecka
Marve Hayes
Debbie Yock
Lois Burghdoff
4th YEAR
Joan Secord
David Huhn
Ruth Lehner
Mary Lou Thelen
Jan Blizzard
Linda Reynolds
Gerald Brocker
Gwen Coon
Bill Wirth
John Vitek
Ruth Voisinet
Dorothy Ornelas
Earlene Schaub
Kris Schaefer
Wendell Smith
Janet Carpenter
Roger Burghdoff

5th YEAR
William Coon
Paul Schaefer
Claudia Piggott
Gwen Nash
Peggy Andretz
Kevin Kirk
Terri Bentley
Fran Cooper
Bob Shinabery
Dan Matice
Vicki Stringham
Marilyn Kuchar
Karen Stammersky
Jim Rivest
Glen Grieve
Phyllis Moore
Dale Martens
Harry Schaub
Bea Goodrich
Mary Jo Straub
6th YEAR
Jan Blizzard
Linda Reynolds
Gerald Brocker
Gwen Coon
Bill Wirth
John Vitek
Ruth Voisinet
Dorothy Ornelas
Earlene Schaub
Kris Schaefer
Wendell Smith
Janet Carpenter
Roger Burghdoff

7th YEAR
Pat Brown
Cheryl Pardee
Robert Reynolds
Roger Foster
Dana Sue Kirk
George Martin
Sue Thelen
Phyllis Irler
Katherine Messer
Don Messer
Marlene Harris
Larry Phinney
Judy Morrill
Sue Grieve
Sue Hayes
8th YEAR
Judy Foster
Ann Thelen
Cindy Vitek
Judy Bendt
Stuart Hazle
Harold Hurst
9th YEAR
Donna Apostol
Ruth Thelen
Betty Wirth
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Janet Newhall
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Joan Schneider
John Kusnier
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Harold Carpenter
10th YEAR
David Con'lin
Carol Andrus
Ardith Graham

11th YEAR
Marilyn Cotton
Daniel Simmon
Diane Korienek
Judy Matice
Rose Thering
Theresa Silm
Karen Fleischer
12th YEAR
Pat Martin
Mary Pung
Bernice Anspach
Tracy Mohnke
Jim Holmes
13th YEAR
Carolyn Weber
Dolores Phinney
Margaret Horak
Bill Kissane
14th YEAR
Juanita Atkinson
Carolyn Conklin
Elma Valentine
Kathy Hazle
JoAnn Lehman
Nancy Myers
Pat Koenigsnecht
15th YEAR
Eugene Lamb
Alice Bengel
Peg Keilen
Julie Platte
Ilene Nowlin
16th YEAR
Joyce George
Mary Ann Hengesbach

17th YEAR
Alice Hicks
18th YEAR
Joan Smith
Dennis Koenigsnecht
Dale Kuenzli
19th YEAR
Bea Grams
Virginia Martin
Bob Vitek
20th YEAR
Rita Thornton
21st YEAR
Marie Thelen
Karl Schaefer
22nd YEAR
Jean Austin
23rd YEAR
Alice Sullivan
24th YEAR
Donna George
Norman Blakely
25th YEAR
Margaret Schaefer
26th YEAR
Charles Silm
27th YEAR
Shirley Hazle
Elizabeth Blakely
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Fowler woodworker sets up his own shop

Jerry Wohlfert, Fowler, knew he did not care to continue forever as a crane

and press operator at a Lansing factory. So he dabbled in this and that — he

tried a bit of worm warming, studied airplane piloting, thought about becoming a karate instructor.

"I was just trying different things to get out of the factory," he says. "I kept coming back to wood-working."

Today the proprietor and master craftsman of J.J. Wohlfert's Custom Furniture is established in his profession. And although his financial cushion was not as great as he would have liked, he has succeeded enough that he did, last October, quit his factory job of 13 years.

"There was just nothing for me there," he says, telling how cutbacks and low seniority combined to keep him out of a skilled trade.

"I never liked the factory life," he says. "I never intended to stay there."

In order to start something new, he took advantage of the boon or bust

syndrome often found in factory work. After a period of being laid off, he returned to work and found himself working hours of overtime — a good time, he figured, to borrow the capital to start his own business.

"That was the time I knew the banks would listen to me, because I had a good wage."

He bought wood kiln and learned how to use it. Today about half his business is in selling kiln-dried lumber to private industry, home builders and others. He gets his raw material from a Maple Rapids lumber company and then — "I do about everything here except cut the logs into lumber."

With the lumber sales as a base he has steadily increased the other half of his business — the sale of custom made furniture. He makes desks, dressers, tables, gun cabinets, kitchen cabinets — whatever

the buyer wants.

"As long as someone wants, and I can do, and we agree on a price, then we're all set," Wohlfert says.

He learned the profession, he says with little in the way of formal training.

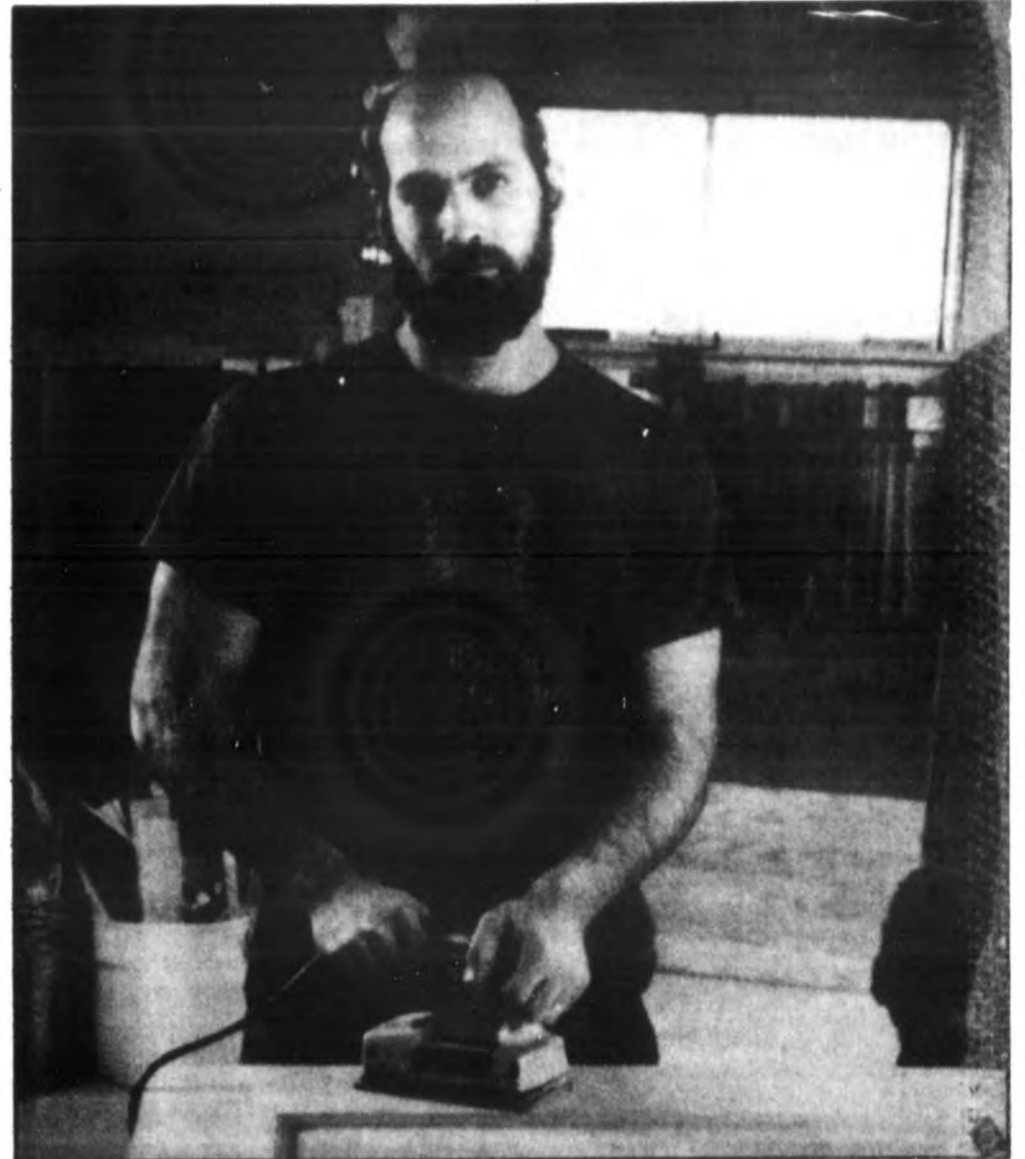
"I read a lot of books and I talked to a lot of people."

And he had a little help from his family.

"My wife was behind me all the way," he says. His family, incidentally, recently welcomed its newest member, John Lawrence Wohlfert.

Wohlfert, pauses for a moment amid the tools and piled lumber of his wood-working shop. "One of the reasons I got into this business," he says, "is I believe the Lord wanted me in it and I went for it."

J.J. Wohlfert Custom Furniture is located on Tallman Road, Fowler. Phone 593-3283. Open regular business hours most days.



Jerry J. Wohlfert

'Business After Hours' set

Area business people are invited to participate in "Business After Hours" — a social gathering for business people sponsored by the St. Johns Area Chamber of Commerce.

"It's a way to let the business people get better acquainted in an informal setting," says Joann Martis, director of the Chamber. "It will be more

relaxed (than usual Chamber meetings) because they won't have to leave to go back to work."

No reservations are necessary and there will be no program.

The gathering will be held at the Shangrila Restaurant from 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. on April 29. Cost is \$1.50 at the door. There will be a cash bar.

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OLD THINGS: 2 round oak tables, 3 pc. wicker set, floor lamps, duck decoys and other old things. **GUNS:** Winchester model 94 with scope, Savage 3030 model 99, Savage 20 ga. series B, Mossberg 3030 with scope, Mossberg 22 model 353 with scope, Marlin 3030 model 336, Stevens 22 single, H&R 12 ga. single, Mauser (Argentine) model 1891 rifle, Japanese rifle with bayonet, Remington Woodmaster 3006 model 742BDL with Tosco scope (reserve). This is a partial listing. Terms are cash or check with ID. Not responsible for accidents day of sale or items after sold.

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BEAT THE SPRING RUSH - RENT ANY OF THE FOLLOWING EQUIPMENT
Skid Steer Loaders..... \$150.00 per day
950 Tractor w/Loader & Backhoe..... \$150.00 per day
Utility Tractor & Tiller (for big jobs)..... \$75.00 per day
Thatcher's Walk Behind Tillers are just \$7.50 per hour.
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ESTATE SALE

Friday & Saturday, April 25 & 26
9 a.m. - 7 p.m.
515 North St., Grand Ledge
Behind Paul's Party Store - In-House Sale

Oak sideboard base, Duncan Phylle table with 4 chairs and leaves, fur coats, linens, chest freezer, G.E. refrigerator, double oven gas range, apt. size washer & dryer, drop leaf kitchen table and chairs, older Kroehler couch and chair, silver plated flatware, assorted chairs, Hoover sweeper, Easy Spin-Dr washer, Victoria Strainer, Oriental rug and runner, canning jars, clothing, dishes, pots and pans, much misc. Also Free Coffee! The House is also for sale.

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GARAGE SALES

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.
DEADLINE 11:30 FRIDAY to reach all the publications listed below

We're the best buy around...
Eaton County Newschronicle 543-2301
Clinton County News 224-2012
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 MILLS ESTATES: Neighborhood garage sale. Saturday April 26, 9am-4pm. Lots of bikes, furniture, golf clubs, skis, clothes, toys and a swing-set. Corner Creys and Willow.

DELTA TOWNSHIP SUBDIVISION garage sale, May 3, 8am-2pm. Furniture, kids and baby items, etc. Gettysburg Estates, west of Creys off St. Joe.

ESTATE SALE-Plus: Evergreen Heights near St. Joe and Broad-bent, April 25th and 26th. 8-7 Five horse Johnson motor, several guns, furniture and much more. 8605 Camellia.

ESTATE SALE: of Dora Pohl. April 26, 9:00am to 4:00pm. Some antiques. Custom made sectional, end tables to match, like new. Swan arm rocker, gold freeze, white recliner, with heat and vibrator, rattan pole lamp; metal twin beds, with Beauty-rest springs and mattresses; G.E. stove and refrigerator; G.E. upright freezer, formica kitchen table and chairs, chrome legs. Many small articles, too numerous to mention. 100 Willow St., Westphalia.

PORTLAND: Fri., April 25, 9am-4pm. Collectibles and baby clothes. 340 Elm St.

PORTLAND-IONIA AREA: April 23, 12-7pm, April 24 and 25, 9am-5pm. Baked goods, books, toys, all size clothes, baby items, misc. 9 miles south of Ionia, 1/4 miles west of M-66 on Knoll rd.

PORTLAND: Wednesday April 23, 10-6; Thursday and Friday, April 24, 25, 9-4, 1/2 price Friday. Clothing, furniture, toys, miscellaneous. 1/4 miles east of M-66 or 3/4 miles west of Sunfield Hwy on Clarksville Rd., Sue Pinkston.

PORTLAND: April 23, 6pm-8pm. Mostly kids clothes, 18 months to size 12. 894 Lyons Rd.

PORTLAND: Thursday, Friday, April 24, 25, 10-4, Saturday April 26, 9-noon. Dishes, clothing, material for quilts, 2 old stands, miscellaneous, 11900 Cutler. Rain date following week.

RIVER RIDGE ASSOCIATION: Annual Garage Sales. Saturday April 26, 9-4.

STONEGATE SUBDIVISION: off Willow. April 25 and 26, 9-4. Cleaning out 30 years collection. Vintage and nonvintage: family clothing, jewelry, automobiles, luggage, camping gear, jig saws, cameras, furniture, household accessories, much miscellaneous of all description. 5506 River Ridge.

SUNFIELD YARD SALE: April 24th and 25th, 10am-5pm. Infant through adult clothing, wood items and misc. Corner of Musgrove and Keefer Hwy.

WACOUSTA: April 24-25, 9-5. 4 Families, bikes, downhill ski boots size 9, desk, canning jars, grills, clothing all sizes, new marble top vanity, trailer base, plus more. 3731 Riverside Dr.

WAVERLY AREA: April 24th thru 26th, 9am-5pm. 5 family garage sale. Bargain basement, childrens department, collectibles. 202 Harriet.

WESTPHALIA GARAGE SALE: April 23 and 24, Weds., 5:00pm-8:30pm, Thurs., 9am-6pm. Childrens 1-speed bikes, clothing, misc. 1/2 mile east of Westphalia on Price Rd.

WEST WILLOW MOVING SALE: April 26 and 27, 9am-6pm. Everything must go. Furniture, boys clothing, dishes, tools. 5310 W Willow, Lansing.

Garden & Lawn 109

11HP MURRAY RIDER: 36" mower, excellent condition \$575. 321-0270

BLUE SPRUCE FOR SALE: 6 feet tall, Delta Mills Area. Phone 321-5497.

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WE SELL PROpane GAS
THE DEER BARN, INC.
4898 Saginaw, Grand Lodge
Phone 627-8451

Misc. Wanted 115
5-SPEED MEN'S FULL SIZED; Bicycle. 27" or 26". Cheap. 627-8027 after 6pm.

BABY CLOTHES, GIRLS; Sizes Newborn to 4T, in good condition. 647-7086.

LA-Z-BOY; that needs to be recovered. 517-587-6779.

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; Sliding glass doors. Phone Lake Odessa. 616-374-7045.

Musical Instruments 116
UPRIGHT PIANO; \$200. 1 Electric Organ (Hammond) \$500, both play good. 485-2703.

CONNOR CHAPRICE ORGAN; 20 years old, needs some electronic repair. \$75. 224-8170.

Office Equipment 117
3M BRAND "209" AUTOMATIC COPIER; And 3M brand Thermalax copying machine "The Secretary." Make us an offer. Call Pete 627-4001.

Paint & Wallpaper 118
INTERIOR DECORATING: Painting and Wallpapering. Free estimates. Phone 627-3696.

Radio, TV, Stereo, 119
Tape Deck
GENERAL ELECTRIC VIR II, broadcast controlled color television. PEAKE ELECTRIC, 106 E. Bridge, Portland, 647-6300.

Rent 120
WE RENT
Chain saws, log splitters, hedge trimmers, gas powered weed trimmers, leaf blowers, garden tillers, lawn sweepers, shredders, rollers, thatchers, and more.
THE DEER BARN, INC.
Grand Lodge
Phone 627-8451.

Crafts & Hobbies 121
BROTHER KNITTING MACHINE; KH860. Excellent condition. Reason for selling, arthritis in shoulder. Many accessories. \$400. 517-862-5121.

Sporting Goods 122
FISH FOR STOCKING; Giant hybrid bluegills; Rainbow trout; Walleye; Largemouth bass; Smallmouth bass; Hybrid striped bass; Channel catfish; Perch; Fathead minnows. LAGGIS' FISH FARM, INC., 08988 35th St., Gobles, MI 49055. Phone: (616) 628-2056 Days; (616) 624-8215 Evenings.

FISHING SHANTY; 6x6 plywood fishing shanty. Fold down for easy moving and storage. 2 years old, good condition. \$150. Call 723-6380 evenings.

Tools 123
100 AMP LINCOLN WELDER; 50 foot cable with holder and steel bench. \$135. 647-7753 after 5pm.

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 call audio. C and W Tool Sales, Lonia, MI. 1 1/2 miles north of the expressway on N-66. 616-527-2724.

CUTTING TORCH; 50 foot hose, gauges, acetylene and oxygen tanks. Victor torch with welding tips. \$350. 647-7753 after 5pm.

Wearing Apparel 124
FORMALS; various colors, sizes 9-16. \$25-\$60. Phone 517-236-7271.

PROM DRESS; beautiful white Satin, form fitting, worn once, size 748. Paid \$125 will sell for \$85. Phone 647-7701.

PROM GOWNS; (2) size 9. Pastels, latest style 1/2 price. 627-9336 after 5.

WHITE FIRST COMMUNION DRESS; size 8, with veil, worn once \$25. Call 321-3804.

Absolutely Free 126
ABSOLUTELY FREE

FREE TO GOOD HOME; 2 male cats, both neutered, vaccinated, negative to feline leukemia. Friendly personalities. 626-6900 days.

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FREE TO GOOD HOME; 2 year old registered Old English Sheep dog. Phone 626-6874.

FREE TO GOOD HOME; 1 mother cat, white color, good mouse catcher w/5 kittens 6 weeks old. 647-4652.

FREE TO GOOD HOME; very affectionate, and obedient 2 year old pedigree female English Pointer, vaccinations up to date. Phone 626-6646 or 321-4750.

HORSE MANURE FOR GARDENS; Free, bring container or trailer or truck; fork, rake, shovel and ambition! 626-2146.

WROUGHT IRON RAIL; take all pieces. Call after 1pm, 627-2602.

PEACH CARPET; Approximately 10x11. Some discoloration in walk path. 321-2184.

TO GOOD HOME; fancy hamper and cage, including water bottle, wheel, food, bedding, and exercise ball. 517-855-2000.

TWO FREE KITTENS; tiger striped. 647-7669.

Pets 200
2 BEAUTIFUL SIAMESE KITTENS; 543-5369.

GOOD DOG FOR COUNTRY HOME; 8 month old lab/collier. Great with kids, has had shots and neutered. 224-3788.

SHIH TZU; AKC puppies champion line. Available for Mother's Day giving. \$250 females, \$200 males. Westphalia 587-3685.

Pet Services & Supplies 201
CRESTVIEW BOARDING KENNEL; 2400 Carlisle Hwy, Charlotte. 543-3208. Boarding Dogs and Cats.

HIMALAYAN FLAMEPOINT; for stud c/a registered and pedigree. For more information call 517-224-7702.

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Pets Wanted 203
TOY POODLE FEMALE PUPPY; Not white or apricot. Papers not necessary. Call 323-3846.

Farm Equipment & Accessories 301
12' STOCK TRAILER; 6' wide, 6'6" high. 2 years old. Excellent condition. \$2000 or best offer. 647-6862.

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HYDRAULIC HOSE ASSEMBLIES; Spring Special 10% off. Capital Equipment, 12263 US-27, DeWitt. 669-5533.

JOHN DEERE 2440; with 146 loader. Low hours, excellent condition. 517-593-2008.

JOHN DEERE 15' ROTARY HOE; Case combine 600 Special 10' head. Sprayer 200 gallon tank, 20' boom, 8 roller pump. 224-2868.

MINNEAPOLIS MOLINE PTO CORN SHELLER; w/24' drag line. John Deere H spreader. John Deere 44 2 bottom 14" plow on rubber, remote control. Gehl hay conditioner. Ezee Flow fertilizer spreader 2 kicker bale racks. 2 row John Deere cultivator. Quantity of used steel posts. 647-8140.

PONY WAGON; also has tongue for garden tractor. \$200 or best offer. 647-6862.

TRACTOR-FORD 9N; Reconditioned. New paint, all new electrical system, new tires, MSTA. \$2,350. 321-8222.

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Tractors, Plows, Disks, Planters For Rent or Sale
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7811 State Rd. (M-66)
616-374-8806

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CERTIFIED CORSOY 79 SOY; Beans, 94% germination, \$8.55 a bushel. Call 517-723-7055 or 723-1886.

CERTIFIED HERITAGE SEED OATS; 97% germination, treated with Vita-Vex 200, bagged \$3.42 a bushel. Bulk \$2.92 a bushel. Call 517-723-7055 or 723-1886.

ALFALFA HAY FOR SALE; 1st and 2nd cutting, never rained on, heavy bales \$1.50. Phone 517-587-6800.

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ART AND CRAFT EXHIBITORS; Spaces available for the May 3rd and 4th Mother's Day Show, Masonic Temple, Charlotte. 517-543-4289.

BIDS ARE BEING ACCEPTED; at Maynard Allen State Bank on a 1986 Chevy C-10 pickup 4x4. May be seen at the east side office, or phone 647-4141.

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SCOUTS UNIFORMS NEEDED; for exchange program. People with uniforms to donate to Troop 111 or to sell can leave them at the Elmwood School on Monday evenings, or at 1725 Rockdale. Call 321-7321 or 323-4228 for more information.

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

CLEAN AIR; friendly atmosphere, great workers! Sponsored by Watertown Charter Township Parks and Recreations. Tues. game time 6:30.

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

SPONSORED BY EAGLE LODGE; 4700 N. Grand River, Lansing. Doors open at 6p.m. Wednesday.

SPONSORED BY ST. MICHAEL'S; School, 325 Edward Grand. Lodge Doors open 5:30p.m. Sunday.

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Coming Events 402
COME AND JOIN THE FUN!!! at Greenwood's Annual Spring Carnival. Friday April 25th. 6pm-9pm. Tickets are 4 for \$1.00. Come and have supper with your friends and neighbors.

Lost & Found 408
WHEN YOU PLACE A FOUND AD WITH COMMUNITY NEWSPAPERS, IT'S ABSOLUTELY FREE! We will run any found ad for 2 weeks. Phone 627-4670.

FOUND BLACK AND WHITE YOUNG CAT; West St. Joe and Stoll area. 321-2266.

FOUND, LARGE SHAGGY; dark grey, male dog. Clintonia and Peake Rd. area. Portland. 647-6466.

FOUND; Opal stone at Grand Lodge Laundromat 4-15-86. Must describe. 627-7038.

FOUND; young German Shepard, Saginaw/Broadent area. 627-9664.

LOST CAT; female, black with white stomach and paws. North side of Grand Lodge. 627-1260.

LOST DOG; in vicinity of Marselle Rd. on the Grand River. Female black scottish terrier, answers to Bonnie. Any information would be appreciated. 647-4239.

LOST, GREY AND WHITE; neutered male cat. Stoneybrook Dr. 627-4787.

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Help Wanted 501

DISPATCH-CORRECTIONS; Office. Sheriff's Department. \$7.95 to \$9.82 per hour, under the general supervision of a shift commander. serves a dual function. Such as receiving calls for police and fire services, and processing individuals to be confined. Must be high school graduate. Apply Administrative Services Office, Clinton County Court House, St. Johns, MI. Clinton County is an Affirmative Action Equal Opportunity Employer.

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GOVERNMENT JOBS \$16,040 - \$59,230/yr. Now Hiring. Call 805-687-6000 Ext. R-4791 for current federal list.

HORSE FARM HELP WANTED; Applications now being taken for stall cleaning, horse feeding, walking and grooming, etc. Minimum wage, full time. Horse experience and references required. Bonley Farm, Sunfield, MI 517-566-8927.

INQUIRE AT PORTLAND; Country Club, 647-4521.

MAILROOM CLERK; \$5.25/hour. Will train. Call now. Small membership fee. Job Finders, 337-8431. No placement charge.

MAKE THOUSANDS WEEKLY; simple pleasant work you can do at home, no experience or special skills needed. For more information send self addressed stamped envelope to CL Cunningham and Associates, P.O. Box 795, DeWitt, MI. 48820.

NANNY/BABYSITTER NEEDED; your home or My Delta township home, 11:30am to 5:30pm, 4-5 days a week, more hours during school vacation. Must provide transportation. Call 323-7661 after 5:30pm.

NEW HAIR SALON IN FOWLER is seeking experienced stylist with following full or part time, must be out-going and education minded. Phone 517-593-3416 or 517-981-6734.

NOW TAKING APPLICATIONS; for afternoons and week-ends. Apply in person Mon-Fri, 7am-3pm, Big D Restaurant, Portland.

OPTICAL DISPENSING OPTICIAN; full time, experienced preferred but will train if necessary. Co-Optical Service, South Point Mall, St. Johns, 224-6771.

ORGANIST; small Church close to East Lansing accepting applications. Request application by writing to R. Brook, 7766 E. M-78, East Lansing, 48823.

PART-TIME POSITION; janitorial, yard work and misc. Apply in person A-1 Auto Parts, 3902 S. Canal, Lansing.

PART TIME HELP NEEDED; Taking applications at Agricor Farm Center, 9880 E. Grand River, Portland, 8-12, Mon.-Fri. Must be 21 years of age.

PART-TIME: Now taking applications, apply in person. Michigan Paint Store, 304 S. Bridge St., Grand Ledge.

RECEPTIONIST/SALES SECRETARY; Male or female, some computer and book-keeping experience helpful. Send resume to Clinton County News, P.O. Box 10B, St. Johns, MI 48879.

RELIABLE PERSON WITH: equipment to do yard work and mowing. 647-2481.

RESUMES ARE BEING ACCEPTED; for teller and clerical positions by local Financial Institution. Mail resumes to P.O. Box 251, Portland, MI. 48875. An Equal Opportunity Employer.

SALESPERSON; for recreational and farm equipment. Salary commensurate on ability. Send resume to Clinton County News, P.O. Box 10A, St. Johns, MI 48879.

TELEMARKETING POSITIONS Available
Phone from a very friendly atmosphere. Hours negotiable, hourly wage. Call 627-4001 or 323-1711 ask for Jean Yanna.

TELEMARKETERS; full and part-time. Must have previous experience. Immediate openings, full benefits. Oisten Services, 371-5790.

TOY CHEST IS TOPS
Toy Chest home parties are paying top profit, 25% to 50% plus to hostesses. Managers 6% plus trip. Top quality, low prices, free kit program. Call 800-922-8957.

WAITRESSES AND COOKS Openings available now. Call 641-4492.

If you want to furnish an apartment inexpensively, classified's the way to go.

Help Wanted 501

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 Sales
A billion dollar company opening in Michigan, \$21,000 to \$75,000 per year. Salespeople needed. Interview this week. C.J. & Associates, Call (517) 224-6368

Situations Wanted 502

14 YEAR OLD BOY; would like odd jobs in Portland area. 647-2522.

AHHH****
Holiday Housecleaning Service. 484-2021.

AMBITIOUS AND EXPERIENCED TEEN in Creyts/Willow area would like to mow your lawn and do yard work. Call 321-5910 after 3:30pm week-days, or week-ends.

BARN NEED PAINTING? Call the professional! Book your painting needs now! We are licensed and insured. Call Protec Systems, Inc. for your Free Estimate at 627-8297 today!

FEMALE WOULD LIKE WORK in Florist Shop, has had experience working in large nursery. 517-838-2524.

HOUSE NEED PAINTING? Call the professional! Book your painting needs now. We are licensed and insured. Call Protec Systems, Inc. for your FREE ESTIMATE at 627-8297 now.

MATURE RELIABLE HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR; seeking full time summer employment as baby-sitter in Portland area. Will also do light house-keeping, references available, has own transportation. 647-7168 after 4pm.

QUALITY CEMENT WORK; all kinds, free estimates. Tony Swint, 627-8041.

TIRED OF DOING HOUSE CLEANING? Let me! Call after 3pm and ask for Becky. 647-4011.

WANTED, CUSTOM YARD WORK; in St. Johns and Carson City areas. 838-4120. Will submit bids.

Child Care 503

14 YEAR OLD GIRL WOULD: like to babysit any night, weekend, or for the summer. Experienced. Call Michelle 647-7895.

CHILD CARE; in my licensed west St. Joe, Creyts area home. Opening for 1 year old or older. Phone 323-7188.

LOVING MOTHER; would like to care for your child in my Cochran Rd. area home. Please phone 627-7034.

LOVING PERSON; to care for 2 boys ages 1 and 5 in my westside home, Mon-Wed, 7:30am to 6:00pm, Fri, 7:30am to 1:30pm. Start April 28th, own transportation. Call 321-7227 evenings.

RELIABLE COLLEGE STUDENT; would like to babysit evenings, weekends and nights. References available. 647-2488.

WILL BABYSIT; full or part-time my home, Neff school district. Call 627-4822.

WILL DO BABYSITTING; in my home near Neff School. Full or Part-time. 627-9484.

Business Opportunities 600

MAKE \$2000 MONTHLY; working from your own home. For free details send a self-addressed envelope to DLF, P.O. Box 403F, Grand Ledge, MI 48837.

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

MOTORCYCLE INSURANCE: For good rates and fair claim service contact the REED AGENCY in DeWitt, 669-2911. Open Saturdays until noon.

Real Estate For Sale 700

4 BEDROOM; Cedar siding, country decor, family room, fireplace, Subdivision, trees, \$84,900. Phone 627-4258.

FOR SALE BY OWNER
Montclair County area. Exceptional maintenance free. Lake Front home or cottage. Attached 2 car garage with electric opener, new basement, Anderson windows, huge bedroom downstairs, dormitory bedroom up, very large open living room effect, darling kitchen, full bath. All newly decorated, beautiful carpet throughout. Just about everything new on this place. Huge Wolmanized deck, natural gas furnace, all new utility room, new 100amp service and much more. \$49,500. 517-831-4973.

GOVERNMENT HOMES FROM \$1 (U repair). Also delinquent tax property. Call 805-687-6000 Ext. GH-4934 for information.

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GRAND LEDGE; BY OWNER; 4 bedroom brick, 1 1/2 bath, natural woodwork, fireplace, low 40's. Call 627-7946 after 5:30.

OLDER RANCH; BY OWNER in Middleton. Call 517-236-5003.

PORTLAND BY OWNER Quality brick Cape Cod. 2400 square feet. Priced to sell. 647-4723.

Real Estate For Sale 700

LOG HOME; Situated on a private 10 acres in Grand Ledge school system. Unique with open loft serving as 3rd bedroom. Master bedroom first floor with full bath. 1/2 bath upstairs, fireplace in living room, deck, center entry, full basement and detached 24x40 pole barn. Priced to sell at \$84,900. Call Paula Raffler, 627-7655. (SJ-1144). Century 21 Sasse 627-4075.

LOVELY COUNTRY HOME; on 1.75 rolling acres. Centrally located between Pawmawestphalia and Portland. 2 story, 2 large bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, 1st floor laundry, brand new kitchen with built-in Jenn-air range, dishwasher and microwave. Fireplace in living-room, decks off living and master bedroom. Walk-out basement and garage, wood-electric heat. 517-593-3511.

RIVER FRONTAGE-10 ACRES; on the Grand. Picturesque setting, 1/2 mile private drive, excellent building site. Grand Ledge Schools. For the discriminating buyer. \$40,000. Phone 321-8222 or 627-4008.

SELLERS DESPERATE; 4 bedroom ranch, \$15,000 below cost. 2 baths, fireplace, attached garage \$67,500. No money down possible! Potterville, 645-2833.

TWO BEDROOM BUNGALOW; lots of new features. 2 1/2 acres. 627-4770.

Cemetery Lots 706

1 CRYPT IN DEEPDALE; Memorial Park. Ground floor, in. 485-5034.

Condominiums 708 For Sale

DELTA TOWNSHIP BY OWNER; Newer 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 baths, 2 story, earthtones, partly finished basement, workbench, garage. \$65,500. 7126 Creekside. 321-4640.

GRAND LEDGE LARGE RANCH; end unit. 1415 sq. ft., 2 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths with 1st floor laundry, fireplace, full basement, 2 1/2 car attached garage. Very private, large trees. \$75,900. 627-5429.

GRAND LEDGE; 3 bedroom, formal dining room, 1 1/2 baths, fireplace, garage, full basement, newly landscaped, immediate occupancy, \$56,900. Call 337-7236 evenings.

Lots & Acreage For Sale 712

BUILDING LOT; City of DeWitt, water and sewer. Also 2 acre lots. North of DeWitt. Broker 517-587-4982.

BUILDING LOTS, RIVERFRONT; Wooded, Portland schools. Phone (517) 647-4131. Builders Lumber, Portland, MI.

FARM LAND FOR SALE/RENT; 79 Acres, some woods, will consider dividing. French Rd., Fowler. 51-676-2833.

HUNTING LAND; 80 acres, rolling, pond stocked with game fish. Ithaca area. Asking \$400 per acre. Call 682-4268

Mobile Homes For Sale 714

1985 NASHUA; 3 bedroom, new and sharp, all furniture and appliances included. Phone 647-6115.

AMERICA 1974; 14x70, 2 bedroom includes stove and refrigerator, washer and dryer, and wooden shed. Parkview Estates. Call after 4pm. 647-7651.

BARON 1979 3 BEDROOM; in Grand Ledge, 14x70 with expando. 1 1/2 baths, well-insulated. \$14,500. 627-4654.

FAIRMONT SHANNON 1982; 14x70, 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, expando, 12x16 treated deck. Located in Portland Parkview Estates. 627-1259.

MOBILE HOME LOTS; new and used sales. Phone Webberville 521-3929.

RICHARDSON 1970; 12x60, 2 bedroom, insulated, new furnace, tie-downs. Going to college, must sell. \$4,500 or best offer. Grand Ledge. (517-268-5285)

VINDALE 1974; Superb condition, 2 bedroom, expando, all appliances. Windsor Park, Kuhlman Builders 321-6411 or 321-2666.

Homes to Rent 806

AVAILABLE MAY 17th; partially furnished, security deposit and references required. \$450/month. Call 647-6090.

PORTLAND \$850/MONTH; security deposit, references required, no pets. 647-6679.

Lots & Land to Rent 809

40 ACRES; \$1000. 2 miles south of Maple Rapids on Forrest Hill Rd., first farm north of saw-mill. 313-632-7584.

APPROXIMATELY 140 ACRES; 6 miles north of St. Johns. 224-8301.

Wanted to Rent 817

FAMILY OF 3; would like house with large yard. 372-9398.

Autos For Sale 900

1969 VW BAHU BUG; 3' lift kit, 235-15 tires, CA, glasses, 2000 Pinto w/cam, milled, balanced, completely rebuilt. No rust, also low bar and Terra tires, extra engine and fenders. \$1900. 647-6987.

OLDS 88 1974; 40,000 miles, excellent condition, \$1500. 699-2063 after 5.

1976 PONTIAC LEMANS; reliable, good runner, \$500 or best offer. Phone 393-1876.

1977 FIREBIRD; with new tires and transmission, air, AM/FM and CB. Good shape. Can be seen at 6560 Grand River, Portland or call 517-647-6301 evenings. \$1,750.

CAMERO 1978; 350 engine, 60,000 miles, excellent shape, \$3,500 or best offer. 517-566-8786 after 5pm.

1980 MUSTANG; looks and runs like new, undercoated, \$2,900. 647-7429.

FORD ESCORT WAGON 1981; AM/FM stereo, rear window defogger, sun roof, power steering, power brakes, 4-speed, good condition. Phone 647-7387.

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NEW Sectional Homes On Display
Victorian 300 Series: the ultimate quality in manufactured housing. 1,240 square foot, 2 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, cathedral ceilings, 2" x 6" energy saver construction, built in sprinkler system, built-in stereo, etc. etc. etc. Unmatched quality, but affordable! Walden 2376: 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, sprayed plaster cathedral ceiling, wet-bar, 1,404 sq. ft., oak cabinets, woodburning fireplace, shingled roof with 12" overhang, vinyl lap siding, etc., etc. On display now see them at:
Custom Housing Center,
M-66, 7 mi. south of Ionia at I-96 expressway
Call 616-527-9263

Resort & Lake Property For Sale 716

10 ACRES, TIPPY DAM AREA; wooded \$7995, \$500 down, \$100 month, 10 1/2% land contract. 5 Acres \$4500, \$300 down, \$100 month. Call 616-258-5747 days or evenings. Forest Land Co., Route 1 Box 191A, Kalkaska, MI 49646.

Resort & Lake Property For Sale 716

MECOSTA AREA LAKE FRONT; and lake access cottages at most area lakes. Free picture brochures. McClure Realty-Mecosta. 616-972-7134.

Contracts Wanted 717

\$\$\$CASH\$\$\$
FOR YOUR LAND CONTRACT with facts in hand call 669-9390, ask for Brian or John.

Apartments to Rent 800

2 BEDROOM APARTMENT; in Maple Rapids. Send inquiries to Clinton County News, P.O. Box 10-C, St. Johns, MI. 48879.

DEWITT 2 BEDROOM; apartment. Range and refrigerator furnished. References needed. Manager 517-587-4982. Equal Housing Opportunity.

GRAND LEDGE; Why rent when you can own for just \$177 per month? No down payment, minimum \$17000 income, good credit and job history required. 321-8582.

CABIN FOR RENT; (1) 1 bedroom apartment. Call Jim 647-6717.

PORTLAND ROOMY 2 BEDROOM; apartment. Deposit required, no pets, gas included in rent. Available now. 647-4368 or 647-7718.

SENIOR CITIZENS; JUST FOR YOU! Beautiful one bedroom apartments located in Portland. Rents starting at \$255 per month. Heat and water included. For further information, please contact Edgemont Apartments, 647-2371. Equal Housing Opportunity. Handicapped units available.

SUBLET 1 BEDROOM APARTMENT; \$245per month plus utilities. 627-3771.

Halls to Rent 805

HALL IN BATH TOWNSHIP Rented by Park Lake Improvement League. Hall has equipped kitchen, hall will handle about 200 people. For more information call Pat at 641-4045, or Dick at 641-6289. 9am to 9pm.

HALL WITH KITCHEN; in Mulliken, \$125. Smaller rooms. After 6pm, 649-8710.

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1981 TORONADO; loaded, diesel. \$4,950 or best offer. 321-2091.

1984 MONTE CARLO SS; loaded, excellent condition, low mileage, stored. Phone 517-855-2000.

Autos for Sale 900

1985 CAMERO Z-28; blue, 305, 5-speed, AM/FM cassette, stored last winter, 13,000 miles. \$11,500 or best offer. 627-8938 after 5pm.

1985 CUTLASS CIERA WAGON; cruise, air, AM/FM stereo tape radio, tilt wheel, loaded, low miles. Asking \$9,650-make an offer. Call 627-7648 after 12:00 noon.

1985 DELTA LS; air, cruise, tilt, AM/FM stereo cassette, 6 way power seat, power windows, power locks, rear defogger, wire wheels, 307 V-8 with overdrive. It lists \$16,000 asking \$11,500. 13,000 miles. 593-2187.

OLDS 98 REGENCY 1985; loaded, 5 year warranty transferable, \$11,000. 593-2686.

1986 FORD BRONCO II; XLT, V-6 automatic, loaded, 2 sets of tires and wheels. 647-6987.

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Births

FELDPAUSCH — Lorin and Jodi of 301 N. Chestnut St., Westphalia, a daughter, Amber Lynne. Born April 6 at Saint Lawrence Hospital.

RENNELLS — Alan and Shirley of St. Johns, a son, Spencer Alan. Born April 9 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. The mother is the former Shirley Williams.

JAKUS — Jerry and Susan of 3294 Green Road, St. Johns, a son, Zachary John. Born April 13 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. The mother is the former Susan O'Dell.

NEMCIK — Thomas and Tammie of 6371 N. Williams Road, St. Johns, a daughter, Rachel Leigh. Born April 11 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. The mother is the former Tammie Brandon.

GEHRINGER — William and Angela of 797 W. High Street, Ovid, a son, Edward Lloyd. Born April 6 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. The mother is the former Angela Hustin.

SCHUELLER — Brian and Debbie of Charlotte, a daughter, Christa Marie. Born April 8 at St. Lawrence Hospital. The mother is the former Debbie Menouske.

WEISMILLER — Jerry and Sandra of 9195 Krepps Road, Laingsburg, a daughter, Kelsey Anne Barbara. Born April 7 at Sparrow Hospital.

HATTIS — Mr. and Mrs. Thomas of Route 1, Pewamo, a son, Michael Thomas. Born April 12 at Sparrow Hospital.

COUSINS — David and Tonia of 615 Hannah Street, Lansing, a son, James Joel. Born April 13 at Sparrow Hospital.

SANFORD — Mitchell and Shelley of St. Johns, a son, Zachary James. Born April 5 at Carson City Hospital.

HULL — Michael and Carol of Middleton, a daughter, Stefanie Jo. Born April 13 at Carson City Hospital.

CARD — Myrl and Darleen of Middleton, a daughter, Amanda Marie. Born April 13 at Carson City Hospital.

Lodge ZCBJ 225 reports last meeting of the membership

By Joanne Fornusek Secretary

The March meeting of Lodge ZCBJ 225 was called to order by Pres. Robert Ladiski. Following the Pledge of Allegiance, the secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and approved.

Correspondence included notification from the home office that Lodge 225 had won a "Gold Seal Award." Congratulations to all the members who worked and helped to meet all the qualifications for this award. Members decided they would choose the award plaque rather than the cash prize.

Notice was also received that Nicholas Jerry had transferred from Owosso to Bannister lodge. Welcome, Nicholas, and a fraternal welcome is also extended to new members Janet Houska and Brettney Gewirtz.

Cards were received from Sis. Bessie Santrucek vacationing in Arizona and Bro. Rudy and Sis. Marcella Doubrava, visiting Florida.

Members voted to hold another roller skating party for the young members and dancers. The committee will set a date and make further arrangements with the Ithaca Roller Rink.

A report was given on the CPR classes held at the lodge. More than 40 members attended these classes taught by Bro. Bob Ladiski (EMT) and Sis. Joanne Fornusek (EMT), certified Red Cross Instructors. Many

thanks to Bro. Ed Ladiski (EMT), Sis. Joyce Houska (EMT) and Sis. Shawn Wassa (RMA) for assisting with the practice sessions.

Sis. Helen Wassa reported that tickets are on sale for the Jaternice dance on April 26. Doors will open at 6 p.m. and dinner will be served at 7 p.m. Music will be provided by the Frank Hornak Band. For ticket information contact 862-5173.

Bro. Tom Bradley reported on the district meeting held in Bannister. Congratulations to Bro. Eddy Fornusek Sr. and Sis. Anna Dunay, members of Lodge 225, who were re-elected as district president and secretary.

The Lodge's 75th anniversary cookbooks have arrived and members were very pleased with the finished product. Anyone wishing to order a book by mail can send a check or money order for \$7 (\$6 for book, \$1 for postage and handling) to: Mildred Bradley, Taft Road, Ashley, 48806.

A discussion was held on getting a PA system for the hall and Bro. Bob Ladiski and Sis. Helen Wassa will get more information on this.

March birthdays were celebrated by Sarah Bradley and Martha Maxa. Best wishes for many more happy, healthy years.

Lucky door prize winners were Libby Hauska, Wilma Stambersky and Martha Maxa.

When the meeting adjourned, members enjoyed visiting over lunch.

In the service

Karl Coleman Marine Pvt. Karl Coleman, son of Charlene Braman of 537 N. Main Street, Ovid, and Karl Coleman of 8405 Maple Rapids Road, Elsie, has completed the Infantry Combat Training Course at Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton, Calif.

During the six week course, Coleman received classroom instruction and participated in field exercises involving infantry tactics; the construction and camouflage of fighting positions; and the use of mines, demolitions and intra-company communications equipment.

A 1985 graduate of Ovid-Elsie High School, Coleman joined the Marine Corps in March 1985.

Eric Feldpausch Army Pvt. Eric Feldpausch, son of Richard and Loretta Feldpausch, of 13596 Hill Street, Eagle, has arrived for duty with the 8th Infantry Division, West Germany.

Feldpausch, an armored-vehicle mechanic, is a 1984 graduate of Portland High School.

Raymond Struble Army Pvt. Raymond Struble, son of Barbra Struble of 14420 McCrumb, Eagle, has arrived for duty with the 3rd Infantry Division, West Germany.

Struble, a military police specialist, is a 1985 graduate of Portland High School.

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF CLINTON

PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF HEARING

THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION FOR CHANGE OF NAME OF Eugene Lee Swanchara, File No. 021252-NC.

TAKE NOTICE: On May 6, 1986 at 4:15 p.m. in the probate courtroom, Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan, before Hon. MARVIN E. ROBERTSON, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on petitioner's application to have the name of respondent changed from Eugene Lee Swanchara to Gene Lee Swan.

Dated: April 11, 1986

Eugene Lee Swanchara
207 W. Steel Street
St. Johns, MI 48879
224-8290

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NOTICE OF EXECUTION SALE

NOTICE is hereby given that, by virtue of a Writ of Execution issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton, in favor of Capitol Federal Savings & Loan Association, 112 E. Allegan Street, Lansing, Michigan, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements, of Jon M. Bottom and Nancy A. Bottom, individually and jointly, and d/b/a J&N Farm Sales, in the county to me directed and delivered, I did, on October 24, 1985, levy upon and take all the right, title, and interest of Jon M. Bottom and Nancy A. Bottom in and to the following described real estate:

Commencing 718 feet East of the North 1/4 Corner, Section 36, T8N, R3W, South 215.50 feet, East 31 feet, South 25 feet, West 31 feet, South 49.90 feet, East 150 feet, North 290.04 feet, West 150 feet to beginning, Township of Essex, Clinton County, Michigan.

Commonly known as: 4373 W. Colony Road, St. Johns, Michigan; all of which I shall expose for sale at public sale, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the County Courthouse, at St. Johns, in Clinton County, Michigan, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court within the County on Thursday, May 29, 1986, at 10:00 a.m.

Dated: April 22, 1986

Victor Lotycz,
Deputy Sheriff
Clinton County,
Michigan

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage made on the 22nd day of August, 1974, between Wallace L. Thrushman and Lois J. Thrushman, Mortgages, and Capitol Savings & Loan Association, Mortgagee, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Ingham County, Michigan, on August 23, 1974, in Liber 277, Page 508, the Mortgages' interest having been subsequently assumed by Robert C. Fenby and Judith M. Fenby, by way of Warranty Deed dated February 23, 1981, and recorded in the offices of the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan, in Liber 381, Page 667, and the Mortgagee's interest having been assigned to the Bankers Life Company by assignment dated July 23, 1983, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan, on September 13, 1983, in Liber 404, Page 141, on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this Notice for principal and interest, the sum of Twenty Six Thousand Four Hundred Eighteen and 40/100 (\$26,418.40) Dollars; and an Attorney Fee of Seventy-five (\$75.00) allowed by law, as provided in the Mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the monies secured by the Mortgage or any part.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of the power of sale contained in the Mortgage and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in this case made and provided, on the 1st day of May, 1986, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the North entrance of the Courthouse, in the City of St. Johns, County of Clinton, State of Michigan, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton is held, sell at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in the Mortgage, or so much as may be necessary to pay the amount due on the Mortgage, with 8.75% interest, and all legal costs, including the Attorney Fees allowed by law, and also any amounts which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises, which are described as follows:

Commencing at the Northwest corner of Section 25, Town 5 North, Range 3 West, Clinton County, Michigan, thence East 220 feet along the North line of said Section to the point of beginning, thence continuing 180 feet along the North line, thence South 220 feet parallel to the West line of 25, thence West 180 feet parallel to the North line, North 220 feet to the point of beginning.

The length of the redemption period as provided by law is six (6) months from the date of sale.

Dated April 1, 1986

The Bankers Life Company
Assignee of Mortgagee

CUMMINS and WOODS
217 South Grand Avenue
Lansing, Michigan 48933
Phone: (517) 482-7577
Attorneys for Mortgagee

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MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage by Irvin R. Everts and Elizabeth N. Everts, his wife, Village of Ovid, Clinton County, Michigan, Mortgagee, to Clinton National Bank and Trust Company, a Michigan corporation, Mortgagee, dated the 5th day of February, A.D. 1975, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Clinton and State of Michigan, on the 10th day of February, A.D. 1975, in Liber 279 of Clinton County Records, on page 546, which said Mortgage was thereafter on, to-wit the 14th day of August, A.D. 1985, assigned to Norman Berger and Josephine Berger, husband and wife, and recorded on August 16, 1985 in the office of Register of Deeds in Liber 426 for said County of Clinton County Records, on page 991, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of Ten Thousand Two Hundred Eighty-Three and 68/100 \$10,283.68).

And no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage of any part thereof. Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Thursday, the 15th day of May, A.D. 1986, at 10:00 o'clock forenoon said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the main entrance to Clinton County Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan, that being the place where the circuit court for the County of Clinton is held, Clinton County, Michigan, of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage, with the interest thereon at nine and three-quarters percent (9 3/4%) per annum and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises. Which said premises are described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Village of Ovid in the County of Clinton and State of Michigan and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 3, Block D, Village of Ovid, Clinton County, Michigan, according to the plat recorded in Liber 21 of Deeds, page 367, Clinton County Records.

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

Dated March 13, 1986
Royal Oak, Michigan

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