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## Notes Correction

The article last week listing winners of the Art Council photography competition neglected to list winner Thomas Karek, whose color print "Eerie Splendor" was judged Best of Show.

Our apologies to Mr. Karek.

## Take back the night

**ST. JOHNS** — Relief After Violent Encounter, the organization in St. Johns that provides help to victims of domestic assault, will participate in a march to protest violence against women and children.

The theme of the march is "To Take Back the Night" from violence threatening women and children in their cities, towns, streets and homes.

The march will be held in Lansing on the evening of May 16.

If at least 35 St. Johns area people plan to participate, RAVE will make plans for a bus. Those interested in marching should call RAVE at 224-7283 or 224-6162.

## Batman

**FWLER** A 50th year remembrance will be held April 25 for Michigan's "Bat Man," Clements Sohn, a native of the Fowler area. It will be held April 25 at Most Holy Trinity Cemetery in Fowler at 1 p.m.

On April 25, 1937, Sohn fell to his death during an air show in Paris, France, when his parachutes failed to open. He began free-fall parachuting in 1933 at the age of 23, and established a world's record by free-falling 18,500 feet.

To get to the Most Holy Trinity Cemetery, go three miles west of Fowler on M-21, then go one mile north on Grange Road.

Following the remembrance, a reception will follow at Most Holy Trinity Parish Hall. The hall is at 11144 W. Kent St. in Fowler, north of M-21.

The Michigan Sesquicentennial aviation subcommittee will meet at the East End Restaurant in Fowler at 10 a.m. A brunch will be served at 11:30 a.m. at a cost of \$4 per person.

For more information, call 224-2894 or 224-7402.

## Spring clean-up

**ST. JOHNS** — City of St. Johns will again offer city residents the chance to get rid of trash from spring cleaning. The collection is held each spring to allow residents to get rid of trash from basements, attics, yards and garages.

Trash will be collected on four different dates in four different areas of the city:

**April 27** — Trash will be collected from only that area of the city east of US-27 and south of State Street.

**April 29** — Only the area of the city west of US-27 and south of State Street.

**May 4** — Only the area of the city north of State Street and west of US-27.

**May 6** — Only the area of the city north of State Street and east of US-27.

Trash should be placed at the curb prior to 7 a.m. on the date specified for your area. Major building demolition material, concrete and dirt piles will not be collected.

The annual garbage collection fee included on summer property tax bills pays for the spring clean-up program. Houses with more than four dwellings, mobile home parks, commercial property, and industrial property do not pay the fee and are not included in the weekly garbage collection or the spring clean-up.

## Public hearing April 27

# Central tentatively sold to Barber

By **RICH WERTZ**  
Editor

St. Johns Board of Education trustees last week agreed to sell Central School to St. Johns developer Mark Barber for \$48,000 but left themselves a way to cancel the agreement within 30 days.

Barber plans to convert the building into 12 luxury condominiums while preserving its historical status. The option to cancel the sale was

included in the agreement so board members can keep their promise to hold a public hearing before taking final action on the century-old school building.

The public hearing will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, April 27, in the library of Rodney B. Wilson Middle School.

Board trustees tentatively agreed to accept the purchase offer so that Barber can begin the process of rezoning the property to R-3, a

residential multiple dwelling designation.

The property is currently zoned municipal and would have to be rezoned no matter what it was to be used for, said Barber.

The tentative sales agreement stipulates that Barber can withdraw his purchase offer and recover his \$5,000 deposit if his rezoning request is denied.

**BOARD PRESIDENT** Gary Whitford said the school district will not only gain the \$48,000 from the sale of the building but will also benefit from an estimated \$16,000 to \$17,000 in taxes the new owner will pay on the property.

"This is a first year benefit of about \$63,000," said Whitford.

Board Secretary Kevin Kirk said bids for the demolition of the building ranged from \$60,000 to \$90,000 and that it would cost \$100,000 to \$120,000 to convert the space to a park.

"I appreciate the track record

Mark has in the community," said trustee Robert Craig. "If it was anybody else, I might have some reservations."

Barber has successfully renovated an office building at 108 Spring Street and a Victorian-style apartment building at 306 S. Lansing, both in St. Johns.

The sales agreement stipulates that Barber will not seek local property tax relief for improving the property. However, there are state tax incentives for renovating historical buildings. The school is listed on the Michigan Register of Historic Buildings.

Barber said he is working with the Michigan Historical Commission in planning his renovations in order to maintain the building's status.

"The whole idea is to keep that building historic," he said.

The interior of the building will be converted into 12 "deluxe luxury" condominiums of 1,100 to 1,500 square feet, said Barber.

Other than landscaping, the only exterior change he proposes is the conversion of a boiler room into a garage, said Barber. He does not yet know if the Historical Commission will allow that change.

"That's the only thing on the outside that would be any different," he said.

Barber said he anticipates opposition to his proposal by some of the residents of the Central School neighborhood. However, he said, he believes his plan would be good for the area.

"I think it would be such a boost to the area that their property values would actually go up," he said.

There will be less traffic than if a new school were built on the site, he added.

"It's also going to be something the entire community can be proud of even though it won't be a public building anymore," said Barber. "We want to make that sort of the premier area to live."



**BASIC EGG HUNTER** — Zachary Abraham, 21 months, was one of hundreds of children who participated Saturday in the annual Easter Egg Hunt in St. Johns sponsored by the St. Johns Jaycees.

Photograph by Ken Quartermus

## 100 new jobs expected

# Rivendell groundbreaking July 10

Groundbreaking is tentatively set for July 10 for the construction of a hospital in St. Johns that will add 100 jobs and thousands of tax dollars to the area, announced Rivendell of Michigan and the City of St. Johns last week.

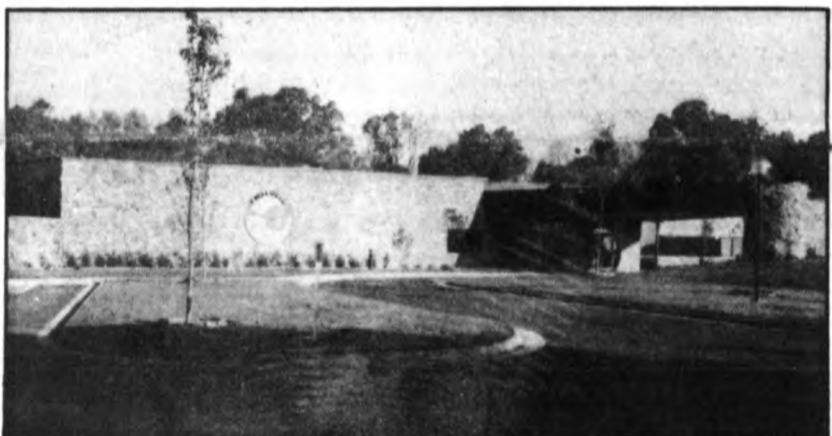
Rivendell of Michigan is the company that intends to build the 64-bed psychiatric facility for emotionally disturbed youths.

"Approximately 100 new jobs will be created with an annual payroll approaching \$2 million," said St. Johns City Manager Randy Humphrey, who worked with Rivendell while the company was searching for a location for the facility.

The \$3 million facility will be fully taxable, said William Dutton, executive director of Clinton Area New Development Organization. CANDO contributed to the effort to attract Rivendell to St. Johns.

The facility will include a pentagon-shaped 43,000 square foot building on a 20-acre site on Townsend Road near Lansing Street. A press release from Rivendell describes the intended landscaping around the building as "a campus-like setting developed for recreational activity therapy."

"A tentative date of July 10 has been set for the ground breaking ceremony," said Kathleen Kennally, a Rivendell senior vice president.



**RIVENDELL** — This is a Rivendell facility in Benton, Arkansas, like the one that will be built in St. Johns.

"Plans are underway now and we should have the details worked out within the next month."

Dutton said the facility is expected to be completed in July of 1988.

**RIVENDELL** Children and Youth Center will provide inpatient services to emotionally disturbed youths between five and 18 years of age. Because of the specialized nature of its programs it will serve the entire state, says Rivendell.

The facility will be divided into two units, one for children five to 12 years of age and one for the older youths. A treatment regimen will be designed for each unit and will include par-

ticipation by a variety of staff members.

Kennally said patients will be screened to determine if they should be admitted to the facility.

"Only those patients who would not benefit from less restrictive treatment methods will be accepted," she said.

Assisting in the effort to attract Rivendell to St. Johns were the St. Johns City Commission, the Clinton County Board of Commissioners, Probate Judge Marvin Robertson, Sen. Fred Dillingham, Juvenile Court Officer Fred Olmstead and Tom Wiseman and Paul McNamara of Clinton Memorial Hospital.

## City to hold tax hearing April 27

The St. Johns City Commission will convene a public hearing on the city's 1987 tax levy at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, April 27, at the City Commission Chambers, 121 E. Walker.

The budget proposes an operating tax levy of 9.8337 mills. In order to bring in no more operating revenue than last year the millage would have to be rolled back to 9.65 mills. In order to levy more than that 9.65 mills, the City is required by Michigan's Truth-in-Taxation law to convene a public hearing on the tax

levy.

Even with the public hearing, the City cannot levy the full 10 mills authorized by the city charter. The Headlee Amendment to the state constitution limits the amount property tax revenue can rise as a result of increased assessments. The amendment limits such increases to the increase in the Consumer Price Index, which this year is 1.9 percent.

The City's proposed millage rate would increase tax revenues by 1.7 percent, or \$14,493. Because of an

across-the-board increase in assessments of residential property this year, most of the additional revenue will be generated by taxes on residential property.

In addition to the tax levy for operating, the City will levy 4.2237 for debt repayment.

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## Teachers get six percent raise, extra workday

The St. Johns Board of Education last week unanimously ratified a three-year teachers' contract that includes a six percent yearly pay hike and one additional workday.

The contract also eliminates the bottom two steps of the salary schedule, raising the pay for starting teachers.

Board President Gary Whitford said the contract is "fair and equitable" even though it is "financially not as good as we would have hoped."

Under the terms of the contract:

• During the 1987-88 school year, the salaries range from a low of \$19,883 for a starting teacher with a bachelors degree to \$33,380 for a teacher on the highest step of the

schedule who holds a masters degree. Salaries range from \$21,076 to \$35,383 during the 1988-89 school year and from \$22,341 to \$37,506 during the 1989-90 school year.

• The number of teacher workdays was increased from 184 to 185. The extra day will be used for in-service training, said Superintendent-designate Steve Bakita.

"With the older staff we feel the in-service day is that much more valuable," he said.

• The pay schedule was reduced from 14 steps to 12 steps. Bakita said this will make the school district more competitive with other school districts. Last year the salary for a starting teacher with a bachelors degree was \$16,307. In the 1987-88

school year that salary will be \$19,883.

"Many of the districts our size are right around \$20,000," said Bakita.

He said St. Johns has on occasion lost teachers to other districts.

"They have gone to other districts for \$4,000 or \$5,000 raises," he said.

Additionally, said Bakita, legislation is pending in Lansing that would offer financial incentives to school districts that have starting salaries of at least \$20,000. The new salary level brings the district close to \$20,000, he said.

**ALSO AT THE** April 13 meeting:

• The board voted 6-1 to accept an insurance proposal from a pool operated by the Michigan Associa-

tion of School Boards. The decision to accept the \$88,000 proposal came after lengthy discussion.

John Wenglariski, of the Lansing Insurance Agency, appealed to the board to accept his own proposal that would have cost \$10,000 more but which, he said, offered better security.

Board members Gary Whitford, Jeanette Adams, James Parr, Kevin Kirk, Robert Craig and Thomas Irner voted to accept the MASB proposal. Neil Barnhart voted against acceptance.

• The board voted to deny a grievance from Nancy Moinet, a secretary in the Community Education Department who said she had

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# opinion

## Bennett's Jewelry takes care of customer

To the Editor:

Seldom do we take the time to tell of the excellent service provided by local merchants. This is just such a letter.

In 1978, I purchased a watch from Bennett's Jewelry as an anniversary present for my husband. After having some problems with the watch during the past few months and several unsuccessful attempts by the watch company to make the necessary repairs, we believe Bill Bennett went far beyond his responsibility, and his store policy to "take care of his customers" by providing a very generous allowance towards a replacement. This is far more than one would expect for an eight-year-old watch.

### Letters

Bill Bennett, in our opinion, is an extremely honest individual who is genuinely concerned about customer satisfaction. It's for that reason that Bennett's Jewelry will get all our future business. St. Johns is fortunate to have him as one of our merchants.

Bob and Joyce Worthington  
St. Johns

## Support efforts to stop food irradiation

To the Editor:

The Food and Drug Administration was established as a consumer watchdog agency. In 1909, the first patent for irradiation was issued for using x-rays against tobacco pests.

When irradiation strikes food, it alters and damages cells, destroys vitamins, enzymes, alters compounds, etc. Radiation levels range from 15,000 rads which prevents sprouting on potatoes, onions, garlic, to three million rads for killing bacteria in spices. By comparison, a chest x-ray gives off less than one rad. One main source of gamma radiation, cobalt 60 and cesium 137, are products of nuclear power; there are other sources. Food irradiation is a way of disposing of radioactive garbage.

Some sources have found that animals fed irradiated food have developed testicular tumors.

kidney diseases, increased rates of death in offspring of rats, etc.

Congressman Douglas Bosco (D-Calif.) has introduced a bill to stop food irradiation. Write your representative at the House of Representatives, Washington, D.C., 20515, to support this bill, H.R. 4762. For more information, write: National Coalition to Stop Food Irradiation, Box 590488, San Francisco, Calif., 94159; Consumers United for Food Safety, Box 22928, Seattle, Wash., 98122; Coalition for Alternatives in Nutrition and Health Care, Box B-12, Richlandtown, PA., 18955; People for the Responsible Management of Radioactive Waste, 17 Baird Place, Whippany, N.J. 07981.

Clara Handy  
Ashley



**HATS, HATS, HATS** — Swegles School in St. Johns had an Easter Parade last Friday in which children displayed hats they made at home with their parents. Shown here are Missy Werbish, Angela Sigfoose, Patrick Haywood and Dereck Bancroft.

## Dillingham Comments Speed limits

By Fred Dillingham



Flexibility is the key to meeting society's changes. With that in mind, the Senate approved a plan allowing motorists in Michigan to travel 65 miles per hour on rural interstate highways.

We approved senate bill 163, which hiked the speed limit on certain highways and banned the use of radar detectors, and sent it to the house for action. Once our bill clears the legislature and is approved by the Governor, signs will be quickly posted where speed limits change. That will be determined by the state and federal transportation officials. Under our 65 mph plan, a violation of any speed law by 10 mph or less carried a two-point penalty. A violation of 10 to 15 mph above posted speeds carries a three-point penalty and 15 mph or faster brings a four-point penalty.

Our plan also includes a two-year expiration date. After two years, we'll determine whether higher speeds caused more traffic accidents, injuries and deaths. If the higher limits are safe, the legislature would be able to restore the higher limits on rural interstates after the sunset date.

I believe the new speed laws must be enforced if we are going to allow motorists to drive faster. That's why our bill includes a provision banning "fuzz-busting" radar detectors. Motorists arrested for speeding who have radar detectors could be fined \$25 and have two points assessed against their driver's license on a first offense. Drivers caught speeding with a fuzzbuster a second time could be fined \$100 and be given four points. To help save lives and prevent traffic accidents, we have a responsibility to help police enforce the law.

Our plan was patterned after federal rules permitting the 65 mph speed limit on interstates outside urban areas with more than 50,000 people. Parts of nearly all state highways designated by "I," including stretches of I-75, I-94, I-69, I-275 and I-196 are eligible for the higher speed limit under our plan. Higher speeds would apply to all vehicles except trucks that

weigh more than 10,000 pounds, which would still be limited to 55 mph. When added together, more than 700 miles of Michigan interstates could have their speed limit increased.

On the congested highways jammed with thousands of motorists leading in and out of Detroit the 55 mph is acceptable. But, on other sparsely traveled interstates in northern and lower Michigan it's reasonable to me to raise the speed limit to 65 mph. *Frederick Dillingham is the 30th District Senator in the Michigan State Senate.*



## Conservation corner Tree seedlings

By Eileen Gillespie

The Clinton Soil Conservation District will have tree seedlings ready to be picked up on April 23 and 24.

This year we will be located at Smith Hall in the St. Johns City Park. Smith Hall is at the end of Sickles Street, west of Morton Street, and past the St. Johns High School.

The hours we will be there are from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. on both days, Thursday and Friday.

Most trees are best planted at about 7x10 feet, or 8x8 feet, spacing apart. When planted closer, the trees will need thinning before the trees are of commercial value. When planted too far apart, the tree is not using all of the space and growing space is wasted. Also, trees planted too far apart become limby with poor form, thus being low value for future timber.

Following are some of the common planting spacing and the resulting trees per acre needed:

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  - 7'x10' — 622/per acre
  - 8'x10' — 544/per acre
  - 10'x10' \* — 435/per acre
  - 12'x12' \* — 302/per acre
- \* Recommended only for Christmas trees.  
\* \* These are for hybrid poplars.

Be sure to keep your seedlings cool and moist until they are planted.

*Eileen Gillespie is the administrative assistant of the Clinton Soil Conservation District.*

## Ovid piano students try out for fraternity membership

A number of local piano pupils from the class of Margaret Castner, St. Clair Road, Ovid, have registered as candidates for membership in the National Fraternity of Student Musicians.

Local entrants include: Emily Arnold, Jon Arnold, Amanda Batterbee, Jessica Batterbee, Kathleen Bird, Kristen Burkhardt, Phillip Burkhardt, Chrystie Groom, Amy Jones, Sally Low, Rene Patrick, Kirk Rasmussen, Angela Riggan and Mai Lynn Spriggs.

The group of piano students will play in the National Piano Playing Auditions at Marshall Music Company in Lansing on April 30.

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**CITY OF ST. JOHNS**

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON INCREASING PROPERTY TAXES**

There will be a public hearing for the purpose of receiving testimony, concerning the 1987 City tax levy, in the City Commission Chambers at 121 E. Walker Street, St. Johns, Michigan, on Monday, April 27, 1987, at 7:45 p.m.

Under State Law (Act 5 of 1982), the change in State Equalized Value for existing property would result in a base tax rate of .35 mills lower than that authorized by City Charter. The proposed 1987-1988 budget assumes the 9.8337 mill rate allowed under the Headlee Amendment to the State Constitution for operating purposes. The estimated increase, as calculated under Act 5 of 1982, for City operating tax revenues is 1.7% or \$14,493.00.

The millage increase proposed for debt is required by a scheduled principal payment on one of the four outstanding bond issues, resulting in a total debt millage rate of 4.2237 mills.

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In Pewamo-Westphalia

## Young Authors recognized for writing

Pewamo-Westphalia school district held its second annual Young Authors Creative Writing Contest April 4. There were 165 entries from grades two through five. The students chose to enter in either the poetry category, short story category, or both.

The goal of the Young Authors Program is to encourage students to express themselves creatively and with originality. Students may choose their entries from any creative writing done in the classroom throughout the school year.

Poetry winners were: Second grade — 1. Mandy Klein, "The Cake Poem;" 2. Linda Cook, "Butterflies;" 3. Nicki Fowler, "Rhymes."

Third grade — 1. Autumn Droste, "Stoney Creek;" 2. Denise Lott, "Dogs;" 3. Pete Smith, "The Smith's Ride."

Fourth grade — 1. Sue Cook, "My Puppy Got Into Trouble;" 2. Matt Schneider, "April fool;" 3. Fran Thelen, "The Sky."

Fifth grade — 1. Christina Smith, "A Mother's Love;" 2. Kimberly Stump, "Our Neighbor's House;" 3. Jason Hafner, "The Tiger."

Essay winners were: Second grade — 1. Mindy Huhn, "Jane's Two Surprises;" 2. Kristie Thelen, "Fiddle in the Mud;" 3. Tonya Simon, "Soup."



Photograph by Rich Wertz

**YOUNG AUTHORS** — These are the first place winners in the Pewamo-Westphalia school district's second annual Young Authors Creative Writing Contest: Front row: Christina Smith, fifth grade; Aaron Keilen, third grade; Sue Cook, fourth grade. Middle row: Mandy Klein, second grade; Autumn Droste, third grade. Back row: Anthony Pline, fifth grade; Steve Nurenberg, fourth grade.

Third grade — 1. Aaron Keilen, "The Singing Pigs;" 2. Lindsay Pohl, "Red Feather Mountain;" 3. Angela Smith, "The Time Machine."

Fourth grade — 1. Steve Nurenberg, "The Search for the Lost Diamond;" 2. Justin Lott, "A Martian in My Closet;" 3. Stacey Klein, "The Underwater

Adventure."

Fifth grade — 1. Anthony Pline, "The Glowing Ball;" 2. Dawn Barker, "Birthday Party;" 3. Todd Simon, "The Cave."

school teacher from Iasco County; Nell Ahl, Ph.D., MSU; and Virginia Ferris, third-grade teacher at Portland.

Each entry received a participation award sponsored by Portland Veterinary Service. In addition, first, second, and third places were chosen at each grade level.



Photograph by Rich Wertz

**STATESMEN** — St. Johns High School juniors Marty Suidgeest, Jim DeBrabander, Blaine Heavener, Ronald Heibeck, and Dwight Pierson qualified recently for special citizenship programs. Suidgeest qualified for the Farm Bureau's Citizenship Seminar while the others qualified for Boys' State, an annual seminar on government put on by the American Legion. They will be sponsored by the St. Johns Rotary. Not shown are Keri Ballard and Emily Holley, who qualified for Girls' State.

## Elsie searches for a dairy fest queen

Candidates for the 1987 Elsie Dairy Festival crown will take part in the annual Queen's Pageant on April 24 at 8 p.m. at the Ovid-Elsie High School. The 1987 queen will reign over the Elsie Dairy Festival on July 16-18 in downtown Elsie. Susan Saylor is the reigning queen.

The nine candidates who hope to wear the queen's crown are:

• **Shannon Alexander**, 16, daughter of David and Betty Alexander of Vincent Road, Elsie. She is a junior at Ovid-Elsie High School and is sponsored by Carolyn's Country Cuts.

• **Lisa Bernath**, 17, daughter of Robert and Sandy Bernath of Carland

Road, Elsie. She is a senior at Ovid-Elsie High School and is sponsored by Miller Farms.

• **Karen Cook**, 18, daughter of Don and Janet Cook of Oak St., Elsie. She is a senior at Ovid-Elsie High School sponsored by The Village Pizzeria.

• **Shannon Fowler**, 17, daughter of Roger and Mary Fowler of Vestaburg and Paulette Sisung of Ovid. She is sponsored by Gene's IGA and is a senior at Ovid-Elsie High School.

• **Tamra Heimberger**, 19, daughter of Mike and Ann Luznak of Grenlund Road, Bannister. She is a sophomore at Lansing Community College sponsored by Dr. Peggy Roth.

• **Theresa Horak**, 17, daughter of Jerry and

Margaret Horak of Maple Rapids Road, Elsie. A junior at Ovid-Elsie High School, she is sponsored by Greg White Insurance.

• **Tammy Korienek**, 17, daughter of Dan and Cathy Korienek of Island Road, Elsie. She is a junior at Ovid-Elsie High School and is sponsored by The Mane Attraction.

• **Darlene Munson**, 17, daughter of Diane and Gary Munson of Riley Road, Elsie. She is a senior at Ovid-Elsie High School.

• **Tamara VanHaun**, 18, daughter of Clarence and

Sonya VanHaun of Hollister Road, Elsie. She is a senior at Ovid-Elsie High School, sponsored by Carter Funeral Home.

Tickets for the pageant are \$3 for adults, \$1 for children aged 12 and under, and pre-schoolers are free.

Karen Francis Herbers, an Ovid native who was recently crowned Mrs. Michigan 1987, will be among the featured entertainers at the pageant along with Kelly Lynn Garver, Miss Michigan 1986.



Reynold and Rita Goerge

### The Goerges Celebrate 40th Anniversary

Reynold and Rita Goerge will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary at the 10:30 a.m. Mass on May 3 at Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Fowler.

The couple will be honored at an open house from 2-5 p.m. at the parish hall, hosted by their five children and 18 grandchildren.

Reynold Goerge and the former Rita Thelen were married on May 7, 1947, at Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church. They have been lifetime residents of Fowler.

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# IRS ruling could be bad for county

Funding for operation of government public services and schools in Clinton County is being seriously jeopardized by an unexpected development at the federal Internal Revenue Service, said Clinton County Treasurer Patricia Purtill.

Purtill said she was informed by John Axe, president of Municipal Financial Consultants Incorporated (MFCI), the county's financial consultant, that this new development has caused the postponement of the sale of the county's general obligation limited tax notes, which had been set for April 15, 1987.

Axe said a concern was raised by the IRS, in an unrelated situation dealing with consolidated tax anticipation notes issued by some Michigan cities, that interest on those notes might no longer be considered tax exempt. It was further suggested that interest on county-issued general obligation limited tax notes also might not be considered tax exempt.

AS A RESULT, no bond counsel in Michigan is currently willing to issue the necessary legal opinions in connection with the delivery of such notes. That caused the cancellation of Clinton County's sale of notes until its bond counsel, Dykema, Gossett, Spencer, Goodnow and Trigg, can obtain clarification of the position of the IRS.

The tax notes in question are sold to provide dollars that go into the county's 100 percent tax payment revolving fund, established a number of years ago. Under this program, the county borrows an amount equal to the amount of real property taxes that are delinquent as of March 1. It then distributes this amount to cities, townships, school districts and other units of government within the county. The borrowing is repaid by the county treasurer as she collects the delinquent taxes. Many counties will not be able to issue these tax notes unless they remain tax exempt because interest rates on the notes would have to be increased beyond the counties ability to pay back the notes.

"The suspension of this program, even for a few months, will have serious detrimental effect on the cash flow for all units of government within the county," Purtill said.

Purtill said the Michigan Association of County Treasurers will spearhead an effort to gain relief from the impasse through congressional action.

Last year Clinton County borrowed \$3,625,000 by issuing general obligation limited tax notes, a process that is unique to Michigan.

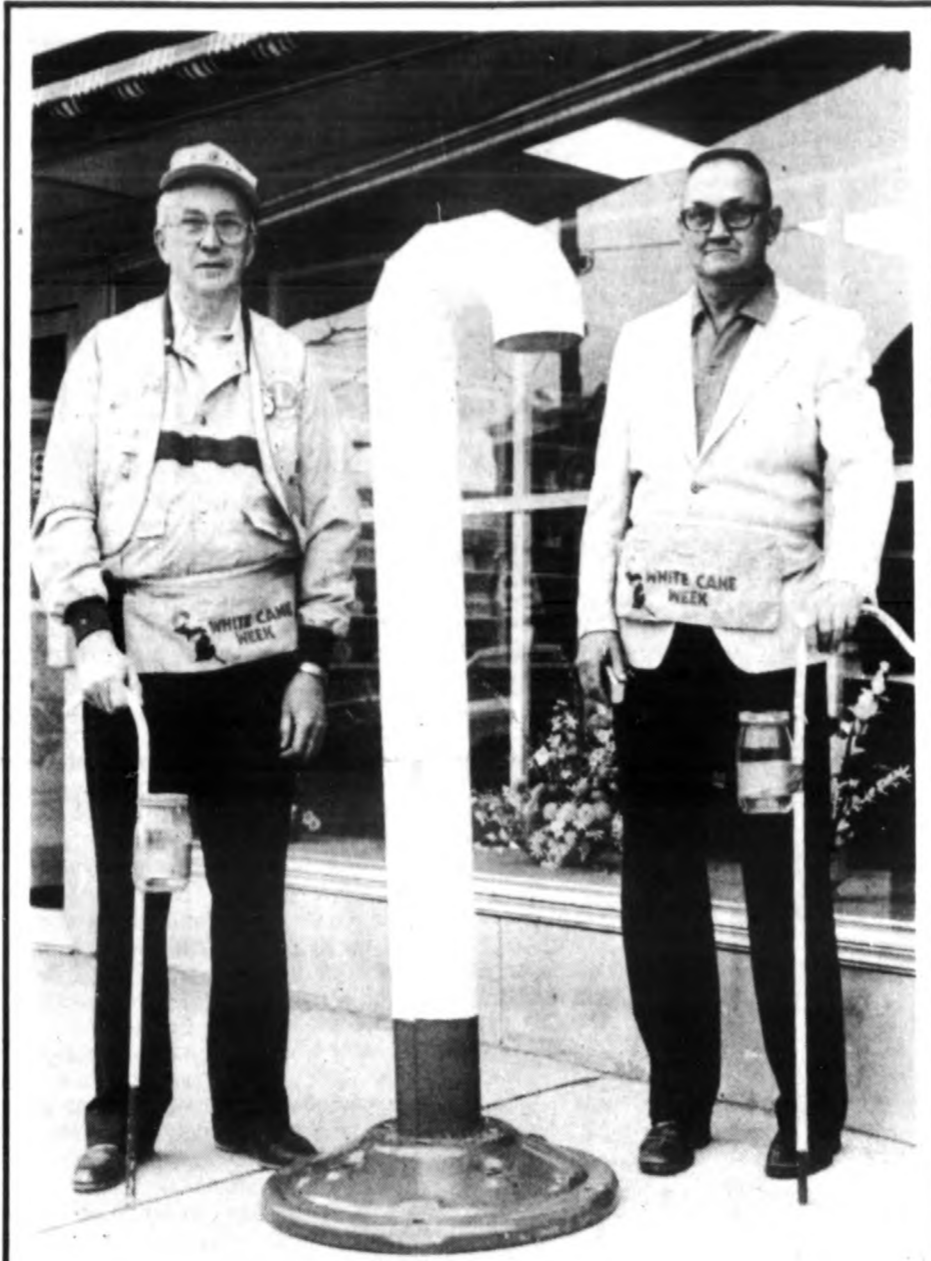
## In the service

### Allen Schafer

Arman Allen Schafer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Schafer, 51 Walker Road, Fowler, has graduated from the U.S. Air Force vehicle equipment

mechanic course at Chanute Air Force Base, Ill.

During the course, students were taught to inspect and repair vehicle equipment and to use special tools and test equipment.



WHITE CANE WEEK — Maple Valley Lions Club member Parmer Phillips and St. Johns Lions Club member Howard Woodbury promote Lions White Cane Week. The Lions will sell white canes April 25 and 26 at various locations around the county. The proceeds will support Lions Club projects that benefit the blind.

Photograph by Rich Wertz

### Fowler's Mary Lou Thelen wins cook-off

Mary Lou Thelen of Fowler was one of the finalists chosen to compete in a cook off at the Frankenmuth Bavarian Inn Motor Lodge on May 3 and 4.

Her recipe for molded ambrosia salad was among

the 513 recipes from across Michigan and three other states as contenders for the Grand Prize of a weekend for two at the Frankenmuth Bavarian Inn Motor Lodge and a \$300 Frankenmuth shopping spree.

Finalists will prepare

their recipes before a live audience at the Motor Lodge, beginning with the appetizer category on May 3 at 1 p.m., followed by desserts at 4 p.m. Competition on May 4 will begin with the salad category at 10 a.m. and end with chicken recipes at 1 p.m.

### Always Alert Alex appears

"Alex the Always Alert Talking Bicycle" will roll into Hubbardston Elementary School on April 23 for a program on bike safety beginning at 1 p.m. The

program is sponsored by AAA Michigan.

Bicycle accidents accounted for 46 deaths and 3,785 injuries in 1985.

# Serious crime up in St. Johns; follows previous year decrease

Serious crime in St. Johns increased nine percent in 1986 compared to 1985, said Police Chief Lyle French last week.

The increase follows a 10.5 percent decrease in serious crime the year before, he told city commissioners in his annual report.

Serious crime — including murder, assault, robbery, rape, larceny, auto theft, breaking and entering and arson — increased from 276 incidents in 1985 to 301 incidents in 1986.

French's report also said:

- There were two suicides in the city during 1986. There were none in 1985.

- Liquor law violations, including minors in possession of alcohol and open intoxicants in a public place, increased from 62 in 1985 to 105 in 1986.

- Driving under the influence of alcohol arrests decreased from 89 in 1985 to 65 in 1986.

"I think this is due to the fact that the courts are really socking it to them," said French.

He added that public education and media coverage of the problem also contributed.

- Personal injury accidents increased from 56 in 1985 to 73 in 1986.

- During the year the department conducted numerous programs in the schools on bicycle safety, drug use and wariness of

strangers. Several programs were presented to civic groups.

- Approximately 330 children toured the department and listened to officers explain the operation of the department and its equipment, including patrol cars.

- The department will continue to assist motorists who lock their keys in their cars. Most area police departments have discontinued this service.

"As far as I'm concerned we'll keep doing this until we have a problem," said the police chief.

### Open house for Tom Wiseman set

An open house honoring Thomas Wiseman is planned for April 23 from 2-4 p.m. in the cafeteria of Clinton Memorial Hospital.

Wiseman, vice president of administrative services at the hospital, resigned to

accept the position of human resources director for Michigan Farm Bureau in Lansing. He was employed at the hospital since 1975.

The public is invited and refreshments will be served.

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# St. Johns school board, cont.

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not been given the customary credit for past experience when her starting salary level was set. She asked to be moved up a step on the pay schedule.

Paul Almli, her representative from the St. Johns Secretary Association, said, "She was almost alone in not getting a schedule advancement for prior experience."

Almli said there was no contract language pertaining to credit for previous work experience but that a practice had evolved in the district of granting such credit.

George Johnson, representing the school administration, agreed the contract did not address past work experience. But, he said, since the contract does not spell out the policy for granting past credit, it is a "total exercise of administrative judgment."

"Therein lies our disagreement with the union," he said.

Assistant Superintendent Gordon Vandermark said Moinet was told what her salary would be when she was hired and that she had been willing to accept the job at that wage.

- The Clinton County Substance Abuse Center said it has a \$24,279 grant to develop and implement a drug abuse prevention curriculum in county schools.

The grant requires a 20 percent match from the school districts. The amount needed from St. Johns was \$600 cash and \$375 in in-kind payment. Board members indicated their support for the project, asking that the Substance Abuse Center work with school administrators to blend the material in with existing curriculum.

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# business

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ACTION AUTO will open its St. Johns store within two or three weeks.

## Action Auto opening within weeks

The Action Auto store under construction near the Southpoint Mall in St. Johns will open sometime late this month or early in May, said the chief financial officer for the firm last week.

Don Nance said the store will contain 2,800 feet of retail space, four service bays and self service gasoline pumps. The store will employ 14 people, including mechanics and parts people, he said.

Nance said those interested in employment should wait until the store opens, then stop in or call for application information. The St. Johns Action

Auto store is one of 49 stores operated in Michigan by the publically held parts retailer. Construction of the store is being financed by Old Kent Bank in St. Johns, said Nance.

## Hire-A-Youth begins new season

Clinton County Intermediate School District's Job Training Program began its summer jobs campaign with a Hire-a-Youth breakfast at the Chef's Cafe in St. Johns last week. Members of the Clinton area Hire-a-Youth committee representing business, government and industry attended the meeting.

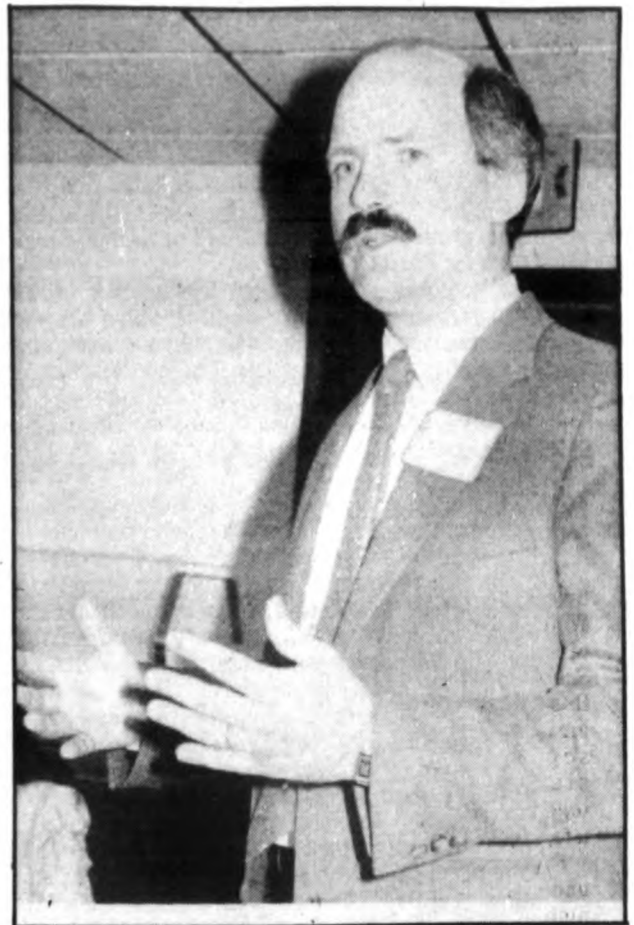
CCISD job training coordinator Jim Davis spoke to the group, giving statistics from last year's successful program. Davis said that the CCISD's program had almost as many placements as the five other tri-county Hire-a-Youth organizations combined (48 percent). "This can be attributed to the cooperative spirit that exists with our staff and many county businesses, the business community has been very supportive of our goals to

help youth get a positive start in the world of work," Davis said. "We look forward to another successful program again this year."

The Hire-a-Youth program is conducted every spring and early summer by the CCISD job training program through funding from Lansing Tri-County Private Industry Council. Its main goal is to provide a link between youth looking for summer jobs and businesses looking for summer help.

Other summer youth programs operated by CCISD include the Summer Youth Employment and Training Program (SYETP) and the Michigan Youth Corps (MYC). Both of these programs place eligible youth in public sector jobs from June 15-August 7. Students work in a variety of jobs for 30 hours a week at minimum wage.

For more information about Hire-a-Youth, SYETP, or MYC contact Davis or Rose Randolph at 224-6834 or 374-8883. Applications for summer jobs are being taken from 1:30-4 p.m. daily at the CCISD office, 4179 S. US-27.



Photograph by Rich Wertz

JIM DAVIS explains how the Clinton Intermediate School District's Hire-A-Youth program works.



Photograph by Rich Wertz

**FREEZER WINNER** — Vivian Esch of Ashley won a free freezer recently from Beck's Farm Market on US-27 north of St. Johns. She won the freezer in a drawing held by Beck's as part of its 29th anniversary celebration.

## Farm Bureau names French among top '86 sales agents

Tom French, local agent for Farm Bureau Insurance Group, has been named one of the company's top agents for 1986 based on his excellent record of sales and service for the year.

French, who lives at 507 S. Swegles Street in St. Johns, received Farm Bureau's "All American" award during the company's recent annual sales convention in Grand Rapids.

The award, reserved for the company's top producers, recognizes agents for their outstanding sales achievements and superior client service.



Tom French

## More long distance ballots sent

Customers who did not make a choice of a telephone company for "equal access" long-distance service will receive a mailing that includes the name of a long distance carrier randomly selected for them, says Bill Buschle, division manager

for General Telephone Company.

The packet will also include a second ballot for customers wishing to make another selection.

About 5,100 GTE customers in St. Johns began making "one-plus"

direct-dialed calls using the long distance company of their choice when equal access stated on March 28.

"With equal access, customers select a preferred long distance company for one-plus calls beyond GTE's serving area," Buschle said.

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**BINGHAM TOWNSHIP ELECTRIC SERVICE FRANCHISE ORDINANCE**

TAKE NOTICE that at a regular meeting of the Bingham Township Board of Trustees on April 6, 1987, the following Electric Service Franchise Ordinance was unanimously passed.

**ELECTRIC SERVICE FRANCHISE ORDINANCE**  
 AN ORDINANCE granting unto Tri-County Electric Cooperative, Inc. its successors and assigns, the right, power and franchise for a period of thirty (30) years from and after the adoption and approval hereof, to acquire, construct, operate and maintain in Bingham Township, Clinton County, the necessary facilities for the production, transmission, distribution and sale of electric energy for public and private use, and to use and occupy the highways, streets, alleys, and other public places of the township to set poles, string wire, lay pipes or conduits, and to transact a local electric business.

**BE IT ORDAINED:**  
 Section 1. That Tri-County Electric Cooperative, Inc. its successors and assigns, be and it is hereby granted and vested with the right, power and franchise for a period of thirty (30) years from and after the adoption and approval hereof, as provided by law, to acquire, construct, maintain or operate in the Township of Bingham the necessary facilities for the production, transmission, distribution and sale of electric energy for public and private use, and to construct and maintain along, upon, across or under the highways, streets, alleys, and other public places of the township to set poles, string wires, lay pipes or conduit and other necessary fixtures and equipment for such purposes and to transact a local electric business.

Section 2. The franchise granted herein is subject to confirmation at the next regular election or special election by a majority of the Bingham Township electors voting upon the question in the affirmative.

Section 3. This ordinance will take effect 10 days after the first publication of this ordinance.

A copy of said ordinance is available for inspection at the Bingham Township Hall.

Jeanett Mehney  
 Bingham Township Clerk

224-064 4/21/87

**WATERTOWN CHARTER TOWNSHIP**  
 Synopsis - Regular Meeting, April 6, 1987

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor O'Bryant at 7:00 p.m. Pledge given. Roll call. Present - Supervisor O'Bryant, Clerk Rathbun, Treasurer Fraser, Trustees Gorman, Porterfield, McKeon, Miller and approximately 80 members in the audience. Agenda approved as amended. Minutes of the March 12 meeting were approved with corrections. Minutes of the March 16 meeting were approved with corrections. Bills were approved for payment as amended. Correspondence was read.

**ACTION ITEMS:**  
 1. Moved by Porterfield that the township not pay for those attending the Heads of Government breakfast. Approved.  
 2. Porterfield moved to send Miller to the Great Lakes and Water Resources Planning Commission meeting in Grand Rapids. Approved.  
 3. McKeon moved that the Board suspend policy to allow a free exchange between the board and the audience. Approved.  
 4. McKeon moved to disapprove of the Supervisor recommendations of John Morelan, Sandra Felzke, and Richard Bulkin for the Planning Commission as presented. Roll Call: Yes: Fraser, Miller, Porterfield, Rathbun, McKeon, No: Gorman, O'Bryant.  
 5. Fraser moved to approve the recommendation of Boughton, Felzke, and Bulkin to the Planning Commission. Approved. Roll Call: Yes: O'Bryant, Fraser, Gorman, Miller, No: Rathbun, Porterfield, McKeon.  
 6. McKeon moved that a committee of Fraser, Gorman and McKeon be formed for the purpose of requesting bids and making a recommendation to this board regarding the awarding of a contract for the assessing and assessment roll maintenance activities in the township rolls to be prepared in 1987 & 1988. In addition, the assessing duties and the related salary are hereby terminated effective April 30, 1987. The bids will be reviewed at a committee meeting prior to a full review and a contract recommendation by this board at its regular meeting scheduled for June 30, 1987.  
 7. Rathbun moved to table the motion. Passed.  
 8. McKeon moved that the superintendent's role be referred to personnel & policy committee to be studied and to be returned to the board in August. Approved.  
 9. McKeon moved to adjourn. Passed.  
 Meeting adjourned 11:40 p.m.

Phyllis J. Rathbun, Clerk  
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CAST — 'Fiddler on the Roof' opens this weekend at the St. Johns High School.

## 'Fiddler on the Roof' opens April 24

"'Fiddler' is going to be awesome," says Chris Woodruff, student director of the St. Johns High School production opening this week. "It is truly amazing how so many separate groups of students can come together and produce such a fantastic musical." Final rehearsals are underway for the opening night performance of "Fiddler on the Roof," the St.

Johns High School spring musical. Curtain times are 8 p.m. on April 24 and 25 and 2:30 p.m. on April 26.

The plot of "Fiddler" centers around the feeling of community which builds up among the Jews of Anatevka, Russia, who struggle in the face of a changing society to keep the traditional values of their ancient heritage alive.

Gerry Nichols, a junior

at SJHS, has the lead male role of Tevye, a poor farmer "blessed" with five daughters. Mary Buckwalter, SJHS senior, plays the part of Tevye's wife, Golde.

Stage director of the production is Barbara Markman and William Tennant is the orchestra director.

Tickets for all performances are \$4 for adults and \$3 for children,

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**WOMEN** — Dionne O'Dell plays Chava, Trish Shoemaker plays Hodel and Alli Dickens plays Tzeitel.

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## Calendar

### TUESDAY, APRIL 21

Compassionate Friends, an organization offering friendship and understanding to bereaved parents, meets at the Ingham Community Mental Health Center, 107 W. Greenlawn, Lansing, from 7-10 p.m.  
A.A. and Alanon meetings at St. Anne's Church, Webb Road at US-27, DeWitt at 8 p.m., and in Westphalia across from the church, behind the funeral home at 7:30 p.m. Alateen meeting at St. Johns Episcopal Church, Walker and Mead Streets, St. Johns, at 7 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22

The St. Johns Womens Club meets at the home of Jean Lenon at 1 p.m. Plans will be determined for the Senior Girls Reception on April 29 at Smith Hall.  
Support group for emotionally and physically battered women meets from 7-9 p.m. For more information, call RAVE, 224-7283 or 224-4662. Meetings are held on the first and third Wednesdays of each month.  
A.A. and Alanon meeting at Holy Trinity Catholic Church, 545 Maple St., Fowler, at 8 p.m.

### THURSDAY, APRIL 23

In-house lecture on dyslexia given by Dr. Peggy J. Parker, a clinical kinesiologist in the Lansing area. Evening session begins at 7 p.m. at Parkers Chiropractic Clinic, 101 Northcrest Rd., Lansing.  
A.A. and Alanon meetings at: St. Johns Lutheran Church, 511 E. Sturgis St., St. Johns at 8 p.m.; Laingsburg High School, 7:30-8:30 p.m. A.A. meeting at St. Isidore Catholic Hall, Laingsburg, 7:30 p.m. Women only A.A. at the First Congregational Church, 100 Maple St., St. Johns, from 2-3 p.m. and from 3-4 p.m. adolescent A.A. only.

### FRIDAY, APRIL 24

Maple Twirlers Square Dance Club will have their 18th cake walk at the Municipal Building in St. Johns, 8-11 p.m. Wendell Law caller.  
A.A. meeting at St. Johns Episcopal Church, Walker and Mead Streets, St. Johns, at 8 p.m. Non-smoking.

### SATURDAY, APRIL 25

Open A.A. meeting at St. Johns Lutheran Church, 511 E. Sturgis St., St. Johns at 8 p.m.

### SUNDAY, APRIL 26

A.A. meeting at the Congregational Church in Laingsburg at 7:30 p.m.

### MONDAY, APRIL 27

At the Clinton County Senior Citizens Center, public lunch will be served featuring homemade soup, sandwiches, pies and a tasty special for just \$2.50 including beverage. Come support your senior citizen center. All proceeds go to building maintenance. Wanda Dietrich's famous crew cooks and serves today.

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A.A. and Alanon meeting at St. Johns Lutheran Church, 511 E. Sturgis St., St. Johns, at 8 p.m.

### TUESDAY, APRIL 28

The new Audubon Group will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Suntree Apartments recreation room.

### MONDAY, MAY 4

Annual meeting of the South Bingham Cemetery Association at the Open Bible Church, corner of Taft and County Farm Roads, at 7:30 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 6

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### FRIDAY, MAY 8

Special concert at the First Free Methodist Church, 305 Church St., St. Johns, at 7 p.m. presented by young adult musicians. No admission charge, but a free-will offering will be taken. Please direct questions to the church (517) 224-3349.

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### ST. JOHNS CITY COMMISSION MINUTES - MARCH 23, 1987

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

COMM. PRESENT: Arehart, Starck, Wiseman, Munger, Parr.

COMM. ABSENT: None.

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

Motion by Comm. Starck supp. by Comm. Parr that the Mins. of the Mar. 9, 1987 Reg. Mtg. of the City Comm. be app. as presented.

YEA: Arehart, Starck, Wiseman, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Parr supp. by Comm. Wiseman that Warrant Nos. 2400-2507 be app. in the amt. of \$442,227.11 as presented.

YEA: Arehart, Starck, Wiseman, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Mayor Arehart asked if there were any additions or deletions to the Agenda. There was one addition.

Motion by Comm. Wiseman supp. by Comm. Starck that the Agenda, be app. as amended.

Motion by Comm. Parr supp. by Comm. Munger that the City Comm. accept the Wtr. Dept.'s annual report and auth. a letter of commendation to Supt. Fonger and the Wtr. Dept. personnel for a job well done.

YEA: Arehart, Starck, Wiseman, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Munger supp. by Comm. Starck that the City Comm. auth. the Clerk to write a letter to the Co. Clerk stating the City has no objection to the Swanchara Farmland App.

YEA: Arehart, Starck, Wiseman, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Wiseman supp. by Comm. Starck that the City Comm. app. the YMCA pool lease and the fee inc. and the Mayor and Clerk be auth. to sign on behalf of the City.

YEA: Arehart, Starck, Wiseman, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Parr supp. by Comm. Starck that the City Comm. app. the auth. for a change in the standard st. lighting contract and adopt the res., and further that the Mayor and Clerk be auth. to sign.

YEA: Arehart, Starck, Wiseman, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Starck supp. by Comm. Munger that the City Comm. auth. the City Atty. to draft a proposed res. of intent to vacate six and one half feet of the easement in question from M-21 to Park St.

YEA: Arehart, Starck, Wiseman, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Wiseman supp. by Comm. Starck that the City Comm. auth. Adm. Asst. Edwards to take bids on the annual spring clean up.

YEA: Arehart, Starck, Wiseman, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Starck supp. by Comm. Munger that the City Comm. auth. partial pmt. to SOS Service Group for the san. sewer insp. and the Scott Rd. sewer insp. in the amt. of \$8,465.25.

YEA: Arehart, Starck, Wiseman, Munger, Parr. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Munger supp. by Comm. Parr that the City Comm. adj. to Closed Session for labor negotiations.

Mayor Arehart called a Roll Call Vote.

YEA: Starck; YEA: Wiseman; YEA: Munger; YEA: Parr; YEA. Motion carried.

The City Comm. adj. to Closed Session at 8:35 p.m.

Motion by comm. Parr supp. by Comm. Munger that the City Comm. adj. the Closed Session and reconvene in Open Session.

Mayor Arehart called a Roll Call Vote.

YEA: Starck; YEA: Wiseman; YEA: Munger; YEA: Parr; YEA. Motion carried.

The Reg. Mtg. reconvened at 9:05 p.m.

There being no further business, Mayor Arehart adj. the Reg. Mtg. at 9:06 p.m.

ST. JOHNS CITY COMMISSION MINUTES - SPECIAL MEETING - MARCH 30, 1987

The Special Mtg. was called to order by mayor Arehart at 7:00 p.m.

COMM. PRESENT: Arehart, Starck, Wiseman, Munger, Parr.

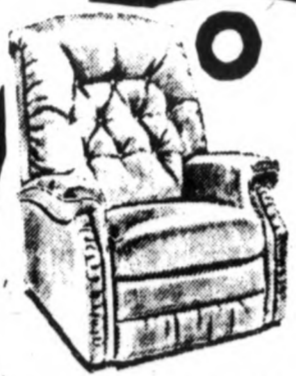
COMM. ABSENT: None.

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

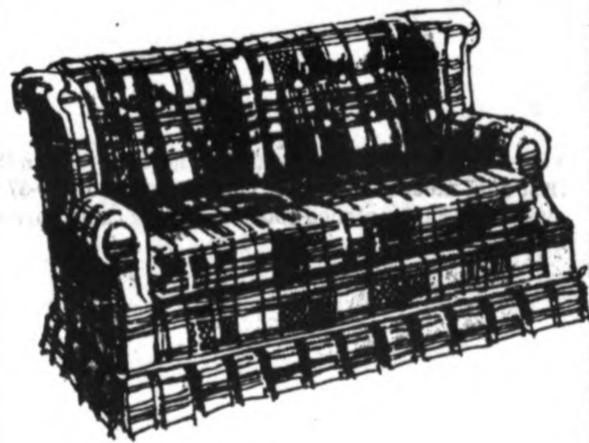
City Mgr. Humphrey updated the Comm. on the St. Johns Big Ditch project.

City Mgr. Humphrey presented and discussed his proposed 1987-1988 by budget.

There being no further business, Mayor Arehart adj. the Special Mtg. at 8:40 p.m.



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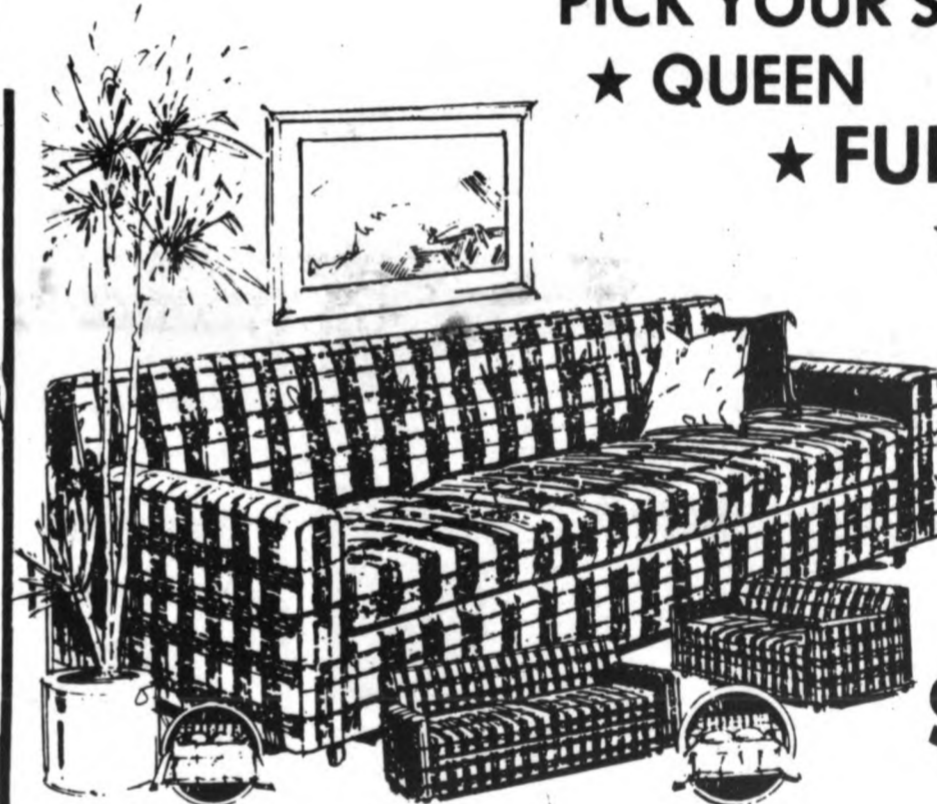
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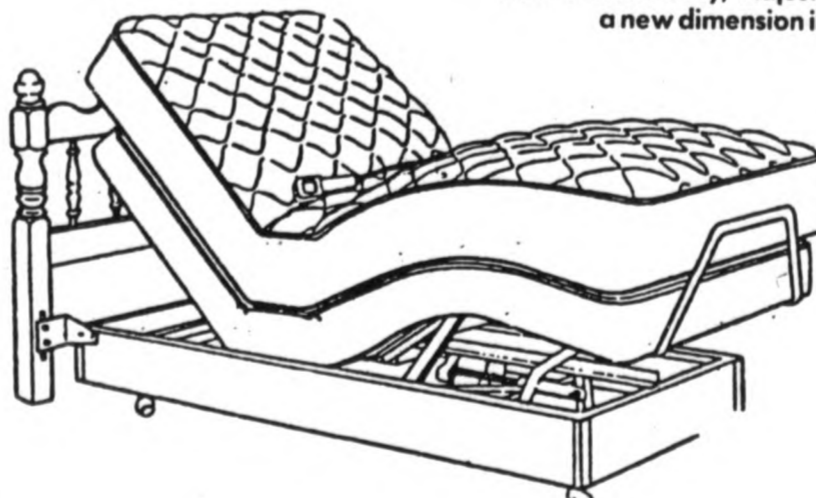
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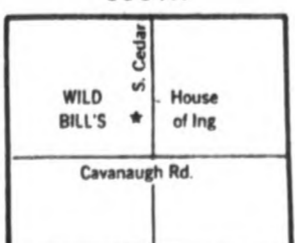
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# Sports



**LEFT** — Jim Andros scores for Fowler off a sacrifice fly by Rex Thelen in Saturday's doubleheader with Ovid-Elsie. The Marauders split with the Eagles, winning the first game 12-5 and losing 13-12 on an error in the final inning.

**BELOW** — Safe on a steal into second base was Bonnie Patrick during softball action on Saturday between Ovid-Elsie and Fowler. The Marauders swept both games of the non-conference series winning by scores of 9-6 and 15-3.

Photographs by Ken Quarterman



## O-E and Eagles play ball

By RHONDA WESTFALL Sports Editor

Baseball and softball players from Ovid-Elsie and Fowler could not have asked for more perfect weather conditions for their doubleheader games last Saturday.

Balmy weather, blue skies, and plenty of sunshine were the order of the day as the Marauder girls swept two games from Fowler, 9-6 and 15-3, while the boys split — Ovid-Elsie taking the first game 12-5 and the Eagles picking up a last-inning win in the second 13-12.

The weather was like an answer to a prayer for Ovid-Elsie girls' coach Mary Hudacek.

"It seems like we've been rained-out or rained-in in just about every game that had been scheduled so far," Hudacek said. "It has been very frustrating because this team has improved so much over last year."

Besides the sweep over Fowler, in other games last week Marauder girls split with DeWitt 9-8 and 9-5, and lost a doubleheader with Bullock Creek 6-0, 6-1.

In the opening game win over DeWitt, Chris Wittenberg was the winning pitcher, giving up 9 hits and 5 earned runs while striking out 4 batters and walking just 2. Richiene Atkins, Sue Zalecki and Amy Thornburg each collected two hits apiece with Zalecki also having 3 RBIs.

The Marauders were behind 6-0 in the game, before coming back to win with 2 runs in the fourth inning, 1 in the fifth, and 6 big runs in the final inning.

In the nightcap, Cheryl Baese took the loss with a number of O-E batters netting single hits in the game. "Jami Jones played an excellent defensive game," Coach Hudacek said. "She's really doing a good job for us at first base."

Games played in the rain at Bullock Creek saw errors take their toll in the Marauders' losses, along with excellent pitching by a better-than-average Bullock Creek squad.

"Pitchers from Bullock Creek are always really good — they throw fast," Hudacek said. "Their girls work throughout the off-season with three former ASA teachers — that really helps."

Meanwhile, the Marauder baseball team was also busy last week picking up splits in doubleheaders with

Bullock Creek and Montrose. Coach Jack Nutter's boys lost the first game 8-7 versus Bullock Creek, and rebounded for a 5-4 win in the nightcap.

Ovid-Elsie had 7 runs and 7 hits with 3 errors in the opening game with Nick Hurst going the distance and earning the loss. Bullock Creek had 8 runs on 5 hits with 3 errors, winning the game in the bottom of the final inning.

Steve Kirinovic had the big hit of the game — a 3-run home run in the second inning — while a variety of Marauder batters tallied singles. Jeff Davis, Jeff Conklin, Hurst, Rich Stutzman and Randy Lockwood all had singles with Hurst getting 1 RBI and Lockwood netting 2 RBIs.

Sophomore pitcher Jason McCurry went the distance for O-E in the nightcap getting the win with 4 strike outs, 5 walks and giving up just 4 hits. In the hitting department, Bob Foreback was 2-3, Conklin was 2-4 with an RBI, Stutzman was 2-4 with an RBI triple, Kevin Scott had an RBI that scored 2 runs, and Walt Knickerbocker had a double.

The games with Montrose were complete opposites, according to Coach Nutter.

"In the first game we just could not hit the ball," Nutter said. "Then in the second game we got 13 hits and won the game in five innings with the 10-run rule. Everything we hit was a shot."

The Marauders used two pitchers in the first game — Conklin going the first, five innings before being relieved by Scott who finished the contest.

"Both Conklin and Scott pitched well," Coach Nutter said. "We just couldn't get any hits."

Doug Pumphord got the only Marauder hit of the game.

Some of the "best pitching of the year" according to Coach Nutter was thrown in the nightcap by Chet Atkins, who fanned 7 batters in his five innings of work. Hitters included Davis, 2-3 with 2 RBIs and a double; Conklin, 3-3 with 2 RBIs and a double; and Stutzman, 2-3 with an RBI. A number of Marauder batters got single hits.

Both Marauder baseball and softball teams have games scheduled with Portland tonight (April 21) before taking part in the Mason Invitational this Friday. Fowler's teams hosted Laingsburg last night (April 20), and will play at home versus Pottsville on April 23.

## 6-0 record for Redwings

By RHONDA WESTFALL Sports Editor

Although a perfect 6-0 record has St. Johns baseball coach Doug Parker smiling, he knows his team has a lot of games left to play in the just-begun 1987 season.

"We're always looking to do things better," Coach Parker said.

The Redwings picked up four of their six wins last week, defeating Mason 5-2, outlasting Waverly 6-1 in a game that took eight innings to complete, and sweeping a doubleheader from Lansing Sexton on Saturday 12-5, 13-5.

St. Johns scored the first run of the game in the Mason contest when a single by Matt Wilcox in the bottom of the fourth inning allowed Dwight Pierson to cross the plate. Mason answered with two runs of their own in the top of the fifth to take a 2-1 lead.

Action in the bottom of the fifth, saw Dan Dorn give the Redwings a 3-2 advantage when he blasted a home run, scoring Barry Kiel who had singled to open the inning.

The final runs of the game came in the bottom of the sixth inning when Andy Ball stroked a double to score Tim Cleaver and Wilcox.

Tom Bates went the distance for St. Johns and picked up his second win of the year, giving up 6 hits and 4 walks, and fanning 9 Mason batters. The Redwings tallied 7 hits and played a perfect game defensively, committing no errors.

"I was really pleased with our defense," Parker said. "It was a very well-played ballgame."

The game with Waverly was deadlocked at 1-1 from the fifth inning until St. Johns broke the game open in the over-time eighth inning, tallying their remaining five

runs. The Redwings picked up their first run in the top of the third when Dorn walked, advanced to second on an infield throwing error, and scored on a wild pitch. The Warriors scored their only run of the game in the fifth inning.

The big eighth inning saw Jerry Duwell lead-off with a double and come home on a wild pitch. Pierson walked, moved to third on a single by Cleaver, and scored on a ground ball by Wilcox. A wild pitch scored Cleaver and moved Wilcox to third. St. Johns had runners on second and third when Ball walked and stole second, and a double off the bat of Dorn scored both Ball and Wilcox to give the Redwings more than enough runs for the win.

Once again, St. Johns played a flawless game with no errors.

"The keys to the win were the wild pitches by Waverly, no errors by us, and a good pitching game by Pierson," Parker said. "He pitched well."

Going the distance for the Redwings, Pierson added his record to 2-0 and struck out 8 batters while giving up 6 hits and 2 walks.

"We hit the ball well throughout the game," Parker said. "Before that, we had been struggling with our hitting somewhat. I think the kids realize if they play hard like they have been they can do some things this year. We've been playing some good teams and playing well."

Duwell was the hero of the day in the doubleheader with Sexton. He was the winning pitcher in the second game and ripped a three-run home run in the opening game to help the Redwings sweep the series. Dorn, Wilcox and Kiel also held big bats for St. Johns, each picking up more than one hit.

Coach Parker and his Redwing team have the week off before participating in the Mason Invitational this Friday (April 24).

## Fowler track teams win big at Olivet, Byron, Ovid-Elsie

Fowler boys and girls track teams opened their outdoor season last week in successful fashion.

Coach Kim Spalsbury's girls' crew scored a coup of sorts when they won the Olivet Relays on Saturday by defeating Athens, the defending Class D state champs.

Eagle girls brought home the runner-up trophy from the Byron Relays, placing second with 78 points behind Perry (86 points), and defeated Ovid-Elsie 76-52 in their first dual-meet of the year. The boys scored a 99-37 win over Ovid-Elsie, placed fourth at Byron, and earned a big second place finish at the Olivet Relays on Saturday.

"The Ovid-Elsie meet is generally one of the toughest dual-meets of the year for us," girls Coach Kim Spalsbury said. "We did have some very good early season times. Marcy Sillman's time of 51.2 in the 330 hurdles was super, as was Sherine Rowell's 17.1 in the 110 hurdles."

Boys Coach Neil Hufnagel was also pleased with his teams' overall performance.

"We had some guys who turned in good times," Hufnagel said. "We're about where we want to be at this point in the season. This team has a different complexion from past years. We lost a lot of our sprinters to graduation — we don't have the pure speed of last year."

"Our distance runners are strong. We're going to have to get more mileage out of them this year."

Following are place finishes and times from Byron and the Ovid-Elsie meets.

### Byron Relay-girls

First place finishes — Shot put relay: Kim Spitzley, Theresa Feldpausch, Angie Myers, Donna Feldpausch. 3200 relay: Mendi Sillman, Theresa Miller, Kathy Schmitz, Kim Epkey. 800 relay: Marcy Sillman, Jamie Pendel, Melinda Koenigsnecht, Sherine Rowell. Distance medley (meet record): Sherri Schneider, Lisa Rademacher, Lori Thelen, Epkey. 1600 relay: Mi. Sillman, Lisa Farley, Ma. Sillman, Sherine Rowell.  
Second place finishes — Shuttle hurdle relay: Ma. Sillman, Kathy Schmitz, Beth Esch, Sherine Rowell. 2 1/2 mi. x-country: S. Schneider, L. Thelen, Lynette Feldpausch, Kelly Nobis.  
Third place finish — Discus relay: K. Spitzley, T. Feldpausch, A. Myers, D. Feldpausch.  
Fifth place finish — Long jump relay: J. Pendel, Mi. Sillman, Ma. Sillman, Sherine Rowell.

### Fowler/Ovid-Elsie-girls

First place finishes — Shot put: T. Feldpausch. 31' 4 1/4 in. Long jump: Sherine Rowell. 14' 1/2 in. 100 dash: Ma. Sillman. 2-mile relay: S. Schneider, L. Thelen, K. Schmitz, K. Epkey. 11:11.2. 110 hurdles: Sherine Rowell. 17.1. Mile run: K. Epkey. 5:44.7. 440 relay: J. Pendel, M. K-13, Mi. Sillman, Ma. Sillman. 55.3. 880 run: K. Epkey. 2:30.5. 330 hurdles: Ma. Sillman. 51.2. 2-mile run: S. Schneider. 13:16.1. Mile relay: K. Epkey, Stacie Rowell, Mi. Sillman, Ma. Sillman. 4:28.1.  
Second place finishes — High jump: Mi. Sillman. 4' 4". Discus: K. Spitzley. 95' 5". Mile run: L. Thelen. 6:19.7. 440 dash: Sherine Rowell. 1:06.3. 220 dash: Sherine Rowell. 29.2. 2-mile run: L. Feldpausch. 14:38.4.  
Third place finishes — Shot put: K. Spitzley. 28' 2". Mile run: T. Miller. 6:34.9. 440 dash: Mi. Sillman. 1:07.2. 880 run: Stacie Rowell. 2:50.5.

### Byron relays-boys

First place finishes — 8-mile, x-country: Darrin Feldpausch, Tim Becker, Jamie Myers, Paul Wirth. Sprint medley relay: Matt Hufnagel, Jim Thelen, Bruce Feldpausch, Mike Pohl. 3:47.8. Distance medley relay: P. Wirth, J. Thelen, Troy Irter, Steve Bierstetel. 11:30.2.  
Third place finishes — Mile relay: B. Feldpausch, Scott Koenigsnecht, M. Pohl, M. Hufnagel. 3:41.2. 400 relay: Jeff Miller, Ron Schaffer, Jeff Armbrustmacher, Scott K-13. 1:47.2. 800 relay: B. Feldpausch, J. Miller, S. K-13, M. Hufnagel. 1:38.2. 3200 relay: Kurt Rademacher, Marty Fox, Tom Wirth, M. Pohl. 8:48.7. Discus relay: Tony Bertram, Jay Bancroft, Jim Weber. Shot put relay: T. Bertram, J. Bancroft, Steve Schaffer.

### Fowler/Ovid-Elsie-boys

First place finishes — 2-mile relay: Dan Feldpausch, M. Fox, T. Wirth, M. Pohl. 8:50.8. 120 hurdles: M. Hufnagel. 16.4. 100 dash: B. Feldpausch. 10.8. 880 relay: B. Feldpausch, J. Thelen, Scott K-13, M. Hufnagel. 1:40.5. Mile run: S. Bierstetel. 4:46.9. 440 relay: J. Miller, R. Schaffer, J. A-14, Scott K-13. 47.9. 440 dash: M. Hufnagel. 53.4. 880 run: M. Pohl. 2:07.8. 330 hurdles: B. Feldpausch. 42.9. 2-mile run: S. Bierstetel. 10:24.2. Mile relay: B. Feldpausch, J. Thelen, M. Pohl, M. Hufnagel. 3:43.6. High jump: Scott K-13. 5' 6". Long jump: J. Miller. 17' 6 1/4". Pole vault: R. Schaffer. 11'.  
Second place finishes — 100 dash: J. Miller. 10.9. 120 hurdles: J. Thelen. 16.7. Mile: Troy Irter. 4:47.7. 880 run: M. Fox. 2:14.9. 330 hurdles: J. Thelen. 44.2. 220 dash: Scott K-13. 25.6. 2-mile: T. Irter. 10:33.1. Discus: J. Bancroft. 113' 6". High jump: Jack K-13. 5' 4".  
Third place finishes — Mile run: T. Becker. 5:00.0. 440 dash: T. Wirth. 57.0. 220 dash: J. Miller. 26.0. 2-mile: D. Feldpausch. 10:45.3. Shot put: T. Bertram. 39' 9 1/4". Discus: T. Bertram. 112' 11".

Both teams participated in the Olivet Relays on April 18.

"We had the opportunity to see Pottsville at Olivet and two of the top Class D girls teams in the state in Lynchfield and Athens," Coach Spalsbury said. "That gives us an idea of how we stack up in comparison."

## SJ netters play well at Invit.

In what was an extremely close finish, the St. Johns varsity tennis team come home from the Waverly Invitational last weekend with a third-place 18-point tie with Holt. Waverly finished in first place with 24 team points, and Grand Ledge was second with 20 points.

"Any number of combinations in final matches would have changed the point totals in our favor," Coach Al Werbish said. "It was very close. The third-place finish shows improvement over the previous invitational we had entered."

"We had some good play by our number three singles player and number one and two doubles teams to reach the finals."

Number three singles player, Chris Briggs, won his first match with a player from Howell 6-1, 6-3; defeated his opponent from Marshall 4-6, 7-5, 7-5; and lost in the final match with Waverly 6-4, 6-2.

Eric Fish and Dave Schroeder at number one doubles won matches over teams from Holt (6-4, 6-3) and Howell (1-6, 7-5, 7-6), before losing in the finals to Grand Ledge 6-4, 6-3. The number two doubles team of Jesse VanDeCreek and Mike Giesecke defeated teams from Ionia (6-2, 6-3) and Haslett (4-6, 6-4, 6-2), and lost in the final match to Holt (6-7, 6-3, 6-2).

The number three doubles team of Todd Keim and Tom Sovereign won the consolation final match over Ionia 6-1, 7-5, after falling in their opening match to Marshall 2-6, 6-0, 6-4. They won their second match with Howell by scores of 6-1, 7-5.

At number one singles, Roger Seabrook beat his man from Haslett 6-2, 6-2, but lost to Ionia 6-4, 6-2. Kevin Zimmerman at number two singles lost to Waverly 6-2, 6-0, beat Howell 6-2, 6-0, and lost to Ionia 6-3, 6-3. Number four singles Jason Zimmerman lost to Grand Ledge 6-0, 7-5, beat Marshall 6-0, 6-2, and lost to Haslett 6-2, 6-0.

In a non-conference match with Grand Ledge last week, Redwing netters earned a 4-3 win.

"We lost to Grand Ledge last year," Werbish said, "and they returned seven letterwinners along with an outstanding exchange student from Brazil. We have to feel that we have improved from last season to upset them 4-3."

In singles matches, Seabrook won 6-3, 6-3 as did Briggs by scores of 2-6, 6-2, 6-1. Kevin Zimmerman was defeated 6-1, 6-0 and Fish lost 6-3, 5-7, 6-2.

"Roger (Seabrook) played extremely well," the coach said. "He hit shots that were difficult but necessary to win. Chris (Briggs) also played smart to win the second and third sets after losing the first one."

St. Johns' number two and three doubles teams of VanDeCreek/Giesecke and Keim/Sovereign both won by scores of 7-5, 6-3 and 7-5, 7-5. Schroeder/Jason Zimmerman, the number one doubles team, lost 1-6, 6-4, 6-1.

"Both number two and three teams turned in good performances," Coach Werbish said. "It was a very stable and consistent effort on the part of VanDeCreek and Giesecke."

The Redwings have a busy week in store for them with matches slated for last night (April 20) with Lansing Eastern, April 21 with Ionia, and April 23 at Ovid-Elsie. St. Johns is undefeated with a record of 2-0 in regular matches.

## Fulton runs tri-meet

With a number of track members missing from Fulton's boys and girls teams due to spring break, the Pirates found themselves somewhat short-handed in their triangular meet with Breckenridge and Mt. Pleasant Sacred Heart last week.

Coach Leo Rosencrantz's girls team lost to both schools, while the boys, coached by Ron Merritt, defeated Sacred Heart but lost to Breckenridge.

Don Price's first-place finishes in both the 3200 and 1600 meter runs sparked the boys club. He also placed third in the 800 meter run.

The 800 meter relay team of Tom Ceccihin, Ben Burk, Jason Langdon and Tod Koone earned a first place finish, and the same team members placed second in the 400 meter relay. Koone finished first in the long jump. Ceccihin was second in the 200 dash and Burk was second in the 100 dash. Scot Cater placed second in the discus.

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# Redwing tracksters sweep Ionia

St. Johns boys and girls track teams swept past Ionia in their opening MMB league meet of the season last week. The girls won 11 of the 16 events on their way to a 97-30 victory, while the boys outscored the Bulldogs 75-62.

"It was a fun meet," girls Coach Teri Brown said of her squad's efforts. "The athletes ran very well and we're looking forward to the rest of the season."

Coach Linden Lade, the boys' track mentor, was also happy with the boys' performance and noted that the group was improved from the 1986 season.

"I have been pleased with all the hard work and the excellent attitude that has created a positive approach to our workouts," Lade said. "We appear to be improved over 1986, but will have to wait a few more weeks until we have had more meets so that we can compare times with last year."

"Our own track has been in such bad condition that we cannot really get accurate times."

In the meet held at Ionia last Wednesday, the girls swept all places in the 440 dash, 880 run, 330 hurdles, and the 2-mile run. They also won all four relay events.

Place finishes for both boys and girls were as follows:

Girls first place finishers — High jump: Kerry Porter, 110 and 330 hurdles: Deanna Stump, Mile and 880: Sandra Terrell, 440: Krista Schrauben; 2-mile: Luanne Hurst.

Relay teams — 2-mile: Kim Korienek, Nicki Freed, Sharra Feeley, L. Hurst, 880: Vickie Asher, Christine Ebert, Gina Manas, Anne Brocker, 440: V. Asher, JoAnn Smith, G. Manas, A. Brocker, Mile: Anita Manas, Dana Malesky, Katrina Koenigskecht, G. Manas.

Second place finishers — Long jump and 100 dash: C. Ebert, Shot put: A. Brocker, Discus: Shelly Langlois, Mile and 2-mile: Jessica Kuge, 440: D. Malesky, 880: L. Hurst, 330 hurdles: K. Koenigskecht, 220: K. Schrauben.

Third place finishers — Long jump: G. Manas, Shot put: Janice

Rademacher, Discus: Kerry Porter, 110 and 330 hurdles: Kari Simon, 100 dash: K. Schrauben, 440: A. Manas, 880: Kim Korienek, 220: C. Ebert, 2-mile: Lori Monty.

Boys first place finishers — 880: Scott Terrell, 2:09.1; 100 dash and 220: Zane Ballard, 10.8 and 24.7; Mile and 2-mile: Greg St. John, 4:54.0 and 10:46.0.

Relay teams — 2-mile: Eric Bolyard, Corey Henningson, S. Terrell, Jim DeBrabander, 8:43.3; Mile: E. Bolyard, Jim Can, S. Terrell, David McAllister, 3:48.1; 440: Dale Feldpausch, Mike Fleischman, Eric Gramlich, Z. Ballard, 47.5.

Second place finishers — 440: J. Can, 55.9; 100 dash and 220: D. Feldpausch, 11.0 and 24.9; 330 hurdles: Gary Zimmerman, 43.1; Shot put: Randy VanDeusen, 38'11 1/2"; Discus: R. VanDeusen, 115'8"; High jump: Josh Isenhower, 5'8"; Long jump: J. Isenhower, 19'9".

Third place finishers — High jump: Bill Keenoy, 5'6"; Long jump: G. Zimmerman, 18'7"; Pole vault: G. Zimmerman, 9'0"; 440: D. McAllister, 55.9; 120 hurdles: Brad Moore, 19'2; 880: J. DeBrabander, 2:11.1; 100 dash and 220: E. Gramlich, 11.0 and 25.0; 330 hurdles: M. Fleischmann, Mile: C. Henningson, Shot put: B. Keenoy, 38'8 3/4".

In a non-conference meet with Lansing Eastern run during the Redwings' spring break, the boys were defeated 89-48. Place finishes from that meet were as follows:

First place finishers — 3200 mile relay: E. Bolyard, C. Henningson, G. St. John, S. Terrell, 8:42.0; 880: S. Terrell, 2:09.8; 1600 and 3200 meters: G. St. John, 4:48.7 and 10:38.5.

Second place finishers — 110 hurdles: B. Moore, 18.68; 100 dash: D. Feldpausch, 11.6; 800: E. Bolyard, 2:12.1; 300 hurdles: M. Fleischmann, 42.42; 1600 and 3200 meters: C. Henningson, 4:54.4 and 10:49.8; Long jump: Bob Paks, 18'10".

Third place finishers — 400 run: D. McAllister, 55.1; 110 hurdles: McNamara, 20.15; 300 hurdles: D. Zimmerman, 20.0; Feldpausch, 23.8; Discus: R. VanDeusen, 112'0"; High jump: Jason Lounds, 5'6"; Pole vault: D. Zimmerman, 9'6".

Both boys and girls teams travel to Ovid-Elsie for a MMB dual meet tomorrow (April 22) and will take part in the Mason Invitational on April 24.

# Racing underway at Crystal

Crystal Raceway opened its 1987 racing season with a season sampler before a full house. The enthusiastic fans enjoyed the late model feature, won by Frank Seder, that included six lead changes. Johnny Robert was second and Roger Wing finished in third place.

Troy Vanderveen was the feature winner in pro stocks, while Jeff Reist placed second and Bill Simpson took third. Vanderveen took the lead from his 11th place position in the ninth lap, and stayed there for the remainder of the race.

Pro stock heat winners were Don Borgman, Tom Newman, Gene Carson, Joey Fowler and Nate Britting. Moving up from con-

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# No luck for Pirate baseball

The Pewamo-Westphalia baseball team had no luck at all in their opening CMAC game with Laingsburg last week.

The Pirates' hopes for a victory were blasted out of their newly renovated park along with back-to-back home runs by the Wolfpack in the final inning. That erased the 4-3 lead which P-W had going into the seventh inning, and gave Laingsburg a 5-4 win.

All of the Pirates runs came in the bottom of the second inning, courtesy of a double off the bat of Loren Thelen with the bases loaded. Laingsburg got one run in the second inning on a solo home run, and picked up two more in the top of the third.

P-W had a chance to tie the game in the bottom of the seventh inning when Thelen walked, stole second and advanced to third. The Pirates could not move him across home plate, however.

## Track season begins for Marauder teams

Ovid-Elsie track teams opened their 1987 season last week by hosting a "marathon" of sorts in the form of a quadrangular meet, and taking a dual-meet loss at the hands of Fowler's teams — Marauder girls lost 76-52 and the boys were upended 99-37 by the Eagles.

Teams from Portland, New Lothrop and Bath competed in the quad meet along with Ovid-Elsie with the competition lasting well into the early evening.

"Even though we got through the events pretty quickly, we still weren't finished until after 8 o'clock," girls Coach Doug Long said. "That was a long meet."

The lady tracksters finished second with 74½ points in the quad behind Bath's 80½ points. Portland had 62 points and New Lothrop ended with 23 points. Team scoring was close among all four boys teams: Portland 76 points, New Lothrop 64½ points, Bath 63 points, and Ovid-Elsie 51½ points.

"I really think we would have come out better in a dual meet arrangement with the teams," boys coach Sherm Hazelton said. "I don't think we'll be trying the quad format again."

Individual place finishers in both meets follows:

**Ovid-Elsie/Fowler girls**  
**First place finishers —** Discus: Cheryl Batora, 108'6"; 100 dash: Denise Thering, 12.3; 880 relay: Sandy Gardner, Kris O'Dell, Lynn Sue Thornton, Jodi Donaldson, 2:02.2; 440 and 220: D. Thering, 1:03.5 and 28.6; High jump: Carrie Darling, 4'6"; 2-mile: Shaundee Elowski, 14:55.8.  
**Second place finishers —** High jump (tie): Shelly Parker, 4'4"; Shot Put: J. Donaldson, 30'10"; Long jump: Sarah Waite, 13'5"; 110 and 330 hurdles: S. Parker, 17.5 and 53.5; 880: C. Darling, 2:39.1.  
**Third place finishers —** Discus: K. O'Dell, 84'8"; Long jump: Tini Ridsdale, 13'14"; 110 and 330 hurdles: S. Gardner, 18.1 and 56.7; 100 dash: J. Donaldson, 12.5; 220: Tracie Pohl, 30.1.  
**Ovid-Elsie quad meet, girls**  
**First place finishers —** Discus: C. Batora, 109'10"; Long jump: S. Waite, 14'2"; 110 and 330 hurdles: S. Parker, 17.4 and 51.7; 100 and 440 dash: D. Thering, 12.3 and 1:02.7; 440 relay: K. O'Dell, T. Pohl, L. Thornton, J. Donaldson, 55.8.  
**Second place finishers —** 220: D. Thering, 28.6; High jump: C. Darling, 4'8"; Mile relay: C. Darling, S. Parker, D. Thering, Vicki Donaldson, 4:29.3.  
**Third place finishers —** Shot put: J. Donaldson, 30'10"; 110 hurdles: S. Gardner, 18.0; 880 relay: S. Gardner, T. Pohl, D. Thering, J. Donaldson, 2:03; 880: C. Darling, 2:35.4.  
**Fourth place finishers —** Discus: K. O'Dell, 99'6"; Long jump: T. Ridsdale, 13'2"; High jump: S. Parker, 4'6".  
**Fifth place finishers —** 440 dash: V. Donaldson, 1:11.2; 100 dash: tie, J. Donaldson and T. Pohl, 12.9; 110 hurdles: C. Batora, 18.1; Shot put: C. Batora, 26'8".

**Ovid-Elsie/Fowler, boys**  
**First place finishers —** Discus: Brian Held, 118'3"; Shot put: Chad Bush, 44'5"; 220 dash: Lee McCallister, 25.6.  
**Second place finishers —** Shot put: Dave Holley, 44'2"; Pole vault: Chris Good, 11'6"; 120 and 330 hurdles: Eric White, 16.4 and 43.5; 440: David Chamberlain, 56.9.  
**Third place finishers —** Pole vault: Jody Hodak, 11'; 100 dash: L. McCallister, 10.9; 880: Troy Luznak, 2:17.  
**Ovid-Elsie quad meet, boys**  
**First place finishers —** Discus: D. Holley, 128'11"; Shot put: C. Bush, 44'9"; Pole vault: J. Hodak, 12'.  
**Second place finishers —** Discus: C. Bush, 119'6"; 2-mile relay: Jason Berndt, T. Luznak, Allen Bossel, D. Chamberlain, 9:10.9; 440: D. Chamberlain, 55.9; 330 hurdles: E. White, 43.3; 2-mile: J. Berndt, 10:57.2.  
**Third place finishers —** Mile relay: C. Good, E. White, T. Luznak, D. Chamberlain, 3:51.9; Pole vault: Dave Hinkley, 9'; Long jump: J. Hodak, 17'4"; Discus: B. Held, 119'2"; Shot put: D. Holley, 42'.  
**Fourth place finishers —** 110 hurdles: E. White, 17.3; 100 dash: tie, L. McCallister and E. White, 11.0; 440: C. Good, 56.8.  
**Fifth place finishers —** 220: L. McCallister, 25.6; Long jump: L. McCallister, 16'7".

"Probably the highlight of the quad meet for us was Jason Berndt's second-place finish in the two-mile run," Coach Hazelton said. "It was the first time he had ever run that event."

The teams open their MMB dual meet season when they host St. Johns tomorrow (April 22). They take on Owosso in a dual meet on April 24 and travel to Central Michigan University for the Lyle Bennett Relays on April 25.

## Sports note

### Murphy leads Cardinals

Mary Murphy, 1986 graduate of St. Johns High School, is the leading hitter on the Saginaw Valley State College women's softball team with a .579 batting average in league competition, and is second in overall games with a .480 average.

The freshman has collected 12 hits, including two doubles, and has made 14 outs from her catcher position. Her fielding percentage is .938, and she has scored six runs on the young season. She had the game-winning RBI in the Lady Cardinals' 4-2 win over Spring Arbor College on April 13.

Stan Bauer pitched all seven innings for P-W, giving up 6 hits, walking 5 batters, and striking out 4.

In earlier action last week, the Pirates dropped both games of a doubleheader with DeWitt, losing the first 14-2 in five innings, and the nightcap 9-5 in a game called after five innings due to darkness.

Brent Becker earned the loss in the first game, allowing all 14 runs in three innings pitched. He was relieved by Pat Heckman who finished the game. Dale Jander-noon was the pitcher of record in the second game.

In the called nightcap, DeWitt got two runs in the second inning, one in the third, and four in the fourth on a grand slam, home run.

The Pirates picked up two runs in the second when Jeff Wirth blasted a home run, got one run in the fourth on a solo home run by Bauer, and plated their last two runs in the fifth inning on a single by Tod Smith.

Coach Mark Rademacher's team takes to the road this week, with CMAC games at Fulton last night (April 20) and at Portland St. Patricks this Thursday (April 23). The Pirates are 0-1 in the conference and 1-4 overall.



PIRATE HURLER Pat Heckman saw action in last week's contest between DeWitt and Pewamo-Westphalia. Both Pirate baseball and softball teams are enjoying playing on their newly renovated fields located at the high school.

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## Redwing softball girls enjoy wins

By RHONDA WESTFALL  
Sports Editor

St. Johns softball coach Paul Sternburgh was quite pleased with his girls' team play in early season games last week. The Redwings thumped Mason 13-3, earned a split in a doubleheader with Waverly, taking the first game 4-2 before losing the nightcap 1-6, and swept two games from Lansing Sexton on Saturday 11-5, 17-11.

"I'm not at all unhappy about being 5-2 at this point in the year," Coach Sternburgh said. "It's about what I would expect. This will be a good defensive team."

"The girls played a nice ballgame against Mason. We had quite a few delay steals and real aggressive base-running. We have some girls with a lot of speed."

The Redwings totaled nine hits to get their 13 runs against Mason, picking up one run in the first and fifth innings, two runs in the second through fourth innings, and putting the game away in the sixth inning

when five runners crossed home plate. The game was called following the sixth inning.

Gina Schneider was the leading St. Johns hitter, going 3-3 with 2 RBIs and 2 stolen bases. Jennifer Rositas was 2-4 with 2 RBIs and 3 stolen bases.

On the mound for the Redwings was Tanya LaBar, who went the distance and picked up the win. She gave up 2 hits, 2 earned runs, fanned 2 batters, and walked 5.

"She (LaBar) is doing a real super job for us," Sternburgh said. "Especially considering she had never pitched competitively before this year. She has worked hard on her own in the off-season and has a good, smooth form."

In the doubleheader played at Waverly last Thursday, the Redwings held off a last-inning rally by the Warriors in the first game to claim the win.

"It was an excellent game," Sternburgh said. "Nerve wracking, but fun."

Ahead by a score of 3-0

going into the bottom of the sixth inning. St. Johns allowed Waverly to pull to within one run, 3-2.

Karin Tetens singled in the top of the seventh, stole second, and came home on a fielder's choice to give the Redwings a 4-2 lead with the Warriors coming to bat for the last time.

Walks and errors loaded the bases and put Waverly in good position to get the win with no outs. Heads-up defensive play by Redwing second-base man, Rositas, turned a Warrior scoring threat into outs when she grabbed a line shot and turned the double-play.

LaBar went the distance for St. Johns and picked up the win, allowing just 2 hits, 6 walks, and striking out 3 batters. Hitters for the Redwings were Karen Simon and Missy Vitek.

In the nightcap, Waverly pitcher Kristy Dechelbor fanned 11 batters and allowed just 3 hits to give the Warriors the win.

"She (Dechelbor) was throwing bullets," Coach Sternburgh said. "The girls were getting behind and swinging at bad pit-

ches. They were a lot of called third strikes also."

St. Johns lone run of the game came in the second inning when Simon singled, went to second on a wild pitch, to third on a fly-out, and crossed the plate on a squibber off the bat of Tetens. Waverly scored twice in the second and fourth innings, and once each in the third and fifth innings.

Melanie DeWitt pitched all seven innings for St. Johns and earned the loss, although she gave up just 6 hits and fanned 5 batters.

In the opening game at Sexton, Gina Schneider connected for two big home runs with 4 RBIs, while Missy Vitek went 3-4. LaBar went the distance for St. Johns, allowing Sexton just four hits in the game. Simon was 2-4 in the second game, including a bases-loaded triple.

The Redwings play Holt on tonight (April 21) and will try to repeat as champions at the Mason Invitational this Friday (April 24).

## Bowling league standings at Redwing Lane

Team	Wins	Loss	Team	Wins	Loss
Nite Hawks, 4-14	26	30	Little Ceasars	26	30
Beck's Market	30½	17½	Golden Comb	25	31
Aro Sales	30	18	Mazeys Sales	23	33
Linda Studio	29	19	JJ Timber	13½	42½
Hospital	27	21	Coffee Cup, 4-16		
Aro Rentals	26½	21½	Clinton Memorial	40	20
Central Mt. Tractor	25½	22½	Jims Wrecker	34	26
Century 21	22½	25½	All Phase Electric	33	27
Goodrich Brothers	22	26	Woodburys	31	29
Roberts Ceramics	22	26	Century 21	29½	30½
Bruno's	20	28	DeWitt Area Chapel	29	31
Campbells	18	30	The Misfits	29	31
Home Med. Equip.	14½	33½	RLT Electronics	27	33
			Big Ten Lounge	26	34
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Ten Pin Keglers, 4-15			City Classic, 4-16		
Brinks Machine	37	19	Clinton Automotive	27	15
American Legion	32	24	Allaby and Brewbaker	26	16
Woods Five	32	24	Sports Section 1	25	17
Allaby, Brewbaker	32	24	Searles Const.	23	19
The Granite Works	31	25			
Fowler Bowl	30	26			
Haas Plumbing	29½	26½			
McKenzie Ins.	29	27			

**Women's 185 games**  
 186, Jan Baese; 187, Eleanor Murton; 188, Denise Geiresbach; Marilyn Sehlke; 190, Lynn Williams; Karen Ward; 191, Debbie Burgess; Thelma Miller; 198, Dianne Hildabridge; Jan Cornell; 201, Kathy Masarik; Mary Cole; Marilyn Bowen; 202, Arlene Myers; 206, Shirley Koschmider; 224, Jan Cornell.

**Women's 500 series**  
 502, D. Geiresbach; 505, K. Masarik; 506, M. Sehlke; 513, K. Ward; Donna Schaler; 518, Nancy Lott; Jean Bradley; 537, T. Miller; 539, Judy Beebe; 577, J. Cornell; 581, A. Myers.

**Mens 200 games**  
 200, Bill Saurbek; 201, Doug Weese; Dick Pease; 203, D. Pease; Charlie Robinson; Gale Price; 204, Don Roesser; 205, Bruce Thelen; Ted Silvestri; 206, Al Tiedt; Bob Hevel; Gene Dunkel; Rick Bishop; 209, Gary Purvis; 211, K. Tiedt; 212, B. Saurbek; Jon Tatroe; 213, Steve Rapp; 216, Dick Crowell; Mike Berry; J. Tatroe; Dan Martin; 220, Lyle Floate; 222, Gale Price; 223, Kurt Knight; 224, Mike VanElls; 225, D. Weese; 226, D. Martin; 232, Ed Maris; 233, D. Crowell; 234, D. Crowell; 236, Greg Kirby; 241, Tom Bullard; 245, J. Tatroe; 246, D. Weese.

**Mens 575 series**  
 575, Charlie Hankins; 584, G. Kirby; 588, S. Rapp; 591, B. Saurbek; 617, E. Maris; 622, T. Bullard; 630, D. Martin; 641, J. Tatroe; 672, D. Weese; 683, D. Crowell.

### Fulton track

(Continued from page 9A)

For the girls, second place finishes were turned in by Deb Walden in the shot put (26'6"), and the 3200 meter relay team of Lori Helman, Kelli Upham, Noelle Schieder and Dee Johns (12:27).  
 Placing third were Sherry Fabus in the 100 dash (16.7), Schneider in the 1600 meter run (6:23), Helman in the 400 dash (1:16), Upham in the 800 (3:00), and Johnson in the 200 (31.0).

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## Roehl lines Soil compaction

By Giles Roehl



Farmers should map rutted areas of their fields this spring so they can observe these areas for soil compaction problems.

"It is not practical for growers to use the same methods and instruments that researchers use to identify soil compaction problems," says L.S. Robertson, retired Michigan State University agronomist. "But it is possible for farmers to observe the growing crop and to determine if soil compaction is reducing yields in these areas."

Symptoms of soil compaction vary throughout the season. With large-seeded crops such as corn, the first symptom is usually a distorted, frequently crooked, stem shoot. This symptom is common when strong soil crusts are present but may develop when the entire plow layer is compacted. With dry beans and soybeans, "bald" seedlings (bean plants with no primary leaves) may be a symptom of both compaction and wet soil conditions.

Plants in fields with a compacted soil layer frequently vary in height. Shorter plants may be observed in wheel tracks of manure and fertilizer spreaders that were operated on excessively wet soil. The equipment compacted this wet soil, restricting root growth.

In tilled fields, farmers may notice that the plants on top of tile rows are taller than those in the rest of the field. This indicates that the soil is naturally compacted. Deep tillage and deep-rooted legumes will help solve this problem.

During dry weather, plants in compacted areas of the field will show signs of wilting sooner than other

plants. In non-compacted areas, plant roots penetrate deep to reach the moisture needed to prevent wilting, but in compacted areas, the compacted soil layer restricts root growth. A shallow root structure also causes increased lodging problems.

When observing their fields during the growing season, farmers should also look for soil conditions that indicate compaction.

In fine-textured soils, clod strips develop when high moisture soils are plowed. Additional tillage is required after the soil dries to break up these clods.

Soil crusts are the most common symptom of compacted soil. These dry crusts are strong and limit seedling emergence. When these crusts get wet, soil pores become filled with water, limiting oxygen movement into the root zone.

Soil cracks in tractor wheel marks may indicate compaction in fine-textured soils. These cracks run parallel to the row cop and will not be found in rows between the wheel marks.

Standing water in wheel tracks and ponded water in shallow depressions are an indication of excessively compacted soil. Because compacted soil restricts water drainage, seedlings and older plants growing in compacted soil are more susceptible to root rot diseases. During extended periods of wet weather, plant roots may be seen growing on the soil surface. These roots on the surface will die rapidly.

*Giles Roehl is the director of the Clinton County Cooperative Extension Service.*



Courtesy photograph

4-H CAPITOL EXPERIENCE — Clinton County participants in a the 4-H Capitol Experience included (front row) Therese Nichols, Anne Huhn and Kyle Graham; and (back row) Martin Garn, legislative aide to Sen. Fred Dillingham; Dana Burghdoff, Patti Jo Straub, and Douglas Wadell.

## County 4-H group visits Capitol

Six Clinton County 4-H members were among nearly 100 young people and adults from across Michigan who attended the 4-H Capitol Experience on March 29-April 1 in Lansing.

Dana Burghdoff of Grand Ledge, Douglas Wadell of Elsie, Anne Huhn and Therese Nichols of DeWitt, and Kyle Graham and Patti Jo Straub of St. Johns spent three days learning about the many functions of state government and how individual involvement is important at the city, county and state levels.

"The purpose of the program is to make young people aware of how their state government works and encourage them to take part in public affairs," said Margo Smith, 4-H capitol experience coordinator.

Participants visited the Michigan Senate and House of Representatives and met individually with their district representatives. They also heard presentations from government lobbyists, members of the news media and state agency representatives, and took part in Lansing-

area community service projects. Participants also spent time working together in small group sessions to share what they had learned and improve their leadership and interviewing skills.

After returning home, the Clinton County delegation is expected to put to use the knowledge they gained through the 4-H capitol experience program by participating in area community action programs.

4-H capitol experience is sponsored by the Michigan State University Cooperative Extension Service 4-H youth and natural resources and public policy programs.

## Agricultural news

### Off-farm jobs

By Marilyn Loudenslager



If you are looking for off-farm employment you may want to visit the Cooperative Extension Service. The CES offices across the state have been working with the job training and placement of farmers for one year now.

The program offers a wide range of assistance tailored to the particular circumstances encountered in preparing for off-farm employment. Some of the most often used services are:

- Developing job-seeking skills, including a formal skills assessment, group self-help sessions and direct job referrals;
- Classroom occupational training in areas such as data processing, accounting and teaching certificate renewal;
- On-the-job training in positions such as mechanical technician, butcher, custodian, heavy equipment operator;
- Refresher courses in skills such as typing and welding.

The program is open to farm family members active in the farm business or employees of the farm business when the farm meets any one of the following conditions.

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Anyone interested in this program is encouraged to call or stop by the extension office. I work with this

program in Clinton County and I would be glad to answer any questions about the program.

*Marilyn Loudenslager is the agricultural agent for the Clinton County Cooperative Extension Service.*

### Centennial Farm owners to hold annual conference

Members of the Michigan Centennial Farm Association will hold their annual meeting on April 28 at the Clarion Hotel in Lansing.

Registration begins at 10 a.m. A portion of the business meeting begins at 11 a.m. The luncheon begins at 12:15 p.m. The remainder of the business meeting and program will be held in the afternoon.

Reservations for the luncheon may be sent to the Michigan Centennial Farm Association, Department of State, Bureau of History, Lansing, 48918. The fee of \$12 per person covers the luncheon and other ad-

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During the program, special recognition will be given to the Sesquicentennial farm owners in Michigan.

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NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that a public hearing will be held on Monday, May 26, 1987, at 7:45 p.m., in the City Commission Chambers of the Municipal Building, in the City of St. Johns, Michigan, at which time persons interested are welcome to attend and give testimony in support, or in opposition to, said vacation proceedings.

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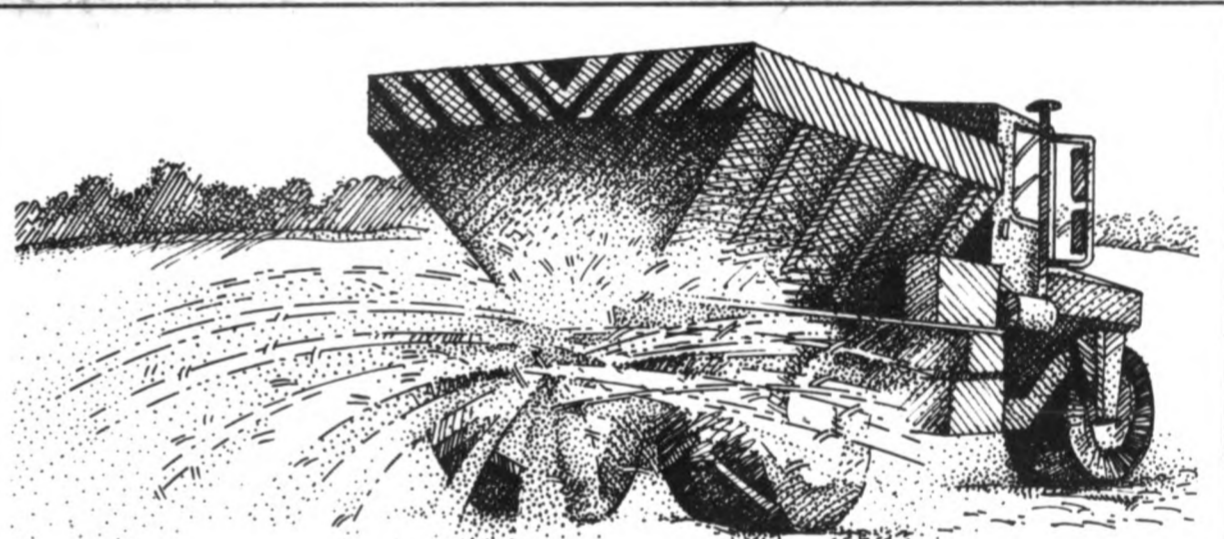


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# 1987 Spring Car Care



**FEMALE FORESIGHT** — The growing percentage of women performing do-it-yourself auto maintenance has prompted many automotive product managers like Quaker State Oil Refining Corporation to gear marketing strategies to include female customers. Not only do women add or change their own motor oil more than any other maintenance task, they also are more likely than men to service their cars regularly.

## Automotive Market

### Targets female customers

Women, representing two of every five drivers on the road, are fast becoming a significant force in the automotive market.

Not only do women make 30 percent of all domestic new car purchases, but they also are taking on more responsibility for the maintenance and repair of their automobiles.

According to the Newspaper Advertising Bureau (NAB), 39 percent of all maintenance or repair decisions are made by women. Interestingly, women also are more likely than men to service their cars more regularly.

Fifty-nine percent of women responsible for car maintenance have their cars checked at regular intervals, as opposed to 41 percent of the men.

#### Growing role

As women continue to play a larger role in purchasing and maintenance decision-making, many automotive product companies are adjusting their male-oriented marketing strategies to make room for the growing number of female customers. This also includes the do-it-yourself market, where women now comprise 27 percent of all DIYers.

consumer research, females overwhelmingly indicated they would switch to Quaker State motor oil based on the cleaner packaging design," says Philip Petraglia, manager of Quaker State's marketing services.

In addition to more attractive packaging design, Quaker State, along with many of the auto makers, now targets both male and females in the development of its advertising.

#### A question of numbers

But while the number of female DIYers is growing, not surprisingly women

are still less likely than men to do maintenance tasks themselves, instead preferring to rely on others to perform the service.

"According to our research, there's a good number of women, as well as a growing number of men, who prefer to have others perform their routine service need," says Petraglia.

To help target this non-DIY market, Quaker State recently acquired a chain of fast lubrication centers, Quaker State Minit-Lube, to provide oil changes, lubrication services and other maintenance activities to its customers in 10 minutes or less.

## Take this car care quiz to find out how much you really know

"How often should the muffler bearings be lubricated?" "Where does one add exhaust fluid?" "How often should the air in your tires be changed?" "How hot can your engine get before it is considered overheated?"

If you recognize the first three of the above as trick questions and are not sure about the answer to the fourth, you are like most of the 66 drivers tested by University of Michigan Transportation Research Institute's Paul Green.

Dr. Green's goal was to determine how drivers might respond to various types of instrumentation being considered for cars of the future. His first step: to find out how much people know about the workings of their cars.

He learned that most of the people in his test group did not know much about their cars' mechanical functions. Most of them could not correctly answer questions about the operating temperature of their cars' engines, nor tell how much antifreeze/coolant their radiators held.

Although 10 people attempted to answer the trick questions, most realized these were "put-ons" by the time they reached the third.

If you recognized the first three questions as tricks, and stated 250-270 deg. F. as maximum temperature before overheating, you're ready for a few more legitimate questions from Car Care Council about the cooling system.

(1) For improved engine efficiency, cooling systems

are pressurized. Normal range of pressure is 8 to 10 p.s.i. True or false?

(2) You're stuck in a traffic jam on a hot day. Your car overheats. Until you can safely pull off the road to get help you should: 1) Close all the windows and turn on the air conditioner to MAX-IMUM; 2) Open the windows and turn the heater to its hottest setting with the fan on high; or 3) Turn on the headlights and emergency flashers. Choose one.

(3) Cooling system hoses circulate up to: a) 500 gallons per hr.; b) 1,500 gallons per hr.; or c) 7,500 gallons per hour.

hood temperatures of up to 280 deg. F. and are subject to pressures nearing 18 p.s.i., a good reason to be sure hoses and connections are up to the task.

For further information on cooling system

maintenance, write for an informative booklet offered by the Automotive Cooling System Institute. Send 50¢ and a stamped, self-addressed envelope to Cooling, 222 Cedar Lane, Teaneck, NJ 07666.

#### ANSWERS TO CAR CARE QUIZ

1) False. Typical cooling system pressure ranges from 14 p.s.i. to 17 p.s.i. The boiling point of coolant increases three degrees for every pound of increased pressure. The radiator cap, which regulates pressure, should be tested as part of seasonal cooling system maintenance. A weak pressure cap will cause coolant loss and engine overheating.

2) You'll have to bear some discomfort to help your car through this crisis, says Car Care Council. Turn off the air conditioner and turn on the heat. It will increase circulation of coolant, thereby helping dissipate engine heat.

Also, shift the car to neutral whenever possible, and "rev up" the engine to fast idle speed.

3) The answer is (c), 7,500 gallons per hour. Hoses must survive under-

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### Neglect can cause car troubles to compound

Pay attention to a car's warning signals when it's "acting up." It could pay enormous dividends, says Car Care Council, which reports cases of catalytic converters being damaged through neglect of other components.

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Today's computer technology

## Makes happy endings possible for car crash horror stories

Accidents will happen. Unfortunately, many of us experience a fender bender. Fortunately, getting our car back on the road isn't the problem it once was. Computer technology is helping to speed the insurance claims process, locate replacement parts, and keep costs as low as possible.

As recently as five years ago, car owners plowed through red tape to get their cars operating after an accident.

Insurance adjusters were caught up in endless paperwork and the claims procedures could be time consuming. The prices at auto repair shops were high and many times owners were told that parts were out-of-stock.

added up to higher insurance premiums, expensive parts and service charges, and the inconvenience of not having one's car.

Today's procedures have been reduced to a claim adjuster checking off damaged items on a line drawing of a car. Such skeletal drawings are available for every American car and most imported cars built during the past 10 years.

This information can be transmitted by either computer terminal or phone modem to a central database. Immediately, a printout is returned containing replacement parts identification, location and cost. In addition, labor costs are indicated.

This information comes

from a database containing more than 40 million items. It is apparent that this computerized system of ADP Collision Estimating Services (a division of the computer services giant Automatic Data Processing Inc.), saves auto insurance policy-holders both time and money.

The ADP Parts and Assemblies Locator System (called "PAL") is a special feature developed two years ago to provide even more help to auto insurers, repairers and auto parts distributors in providing the very best service possible to the public.

Due to the vast number of auto replacement parts produced — both by the manufacturers of cars and by independent manufacturers of auto parts — a single simplified system was needed to locate replacement parts at reasonable cost in any area of the United States.

The system developed by ADP Collision Estimating Services does just that. It even goes so far as to give the specific name, address and phone number of auto parts distributors.

available inventory, part numbers, name and cost.

With the use of telephones, portable computer terminals and modems, such detailed information is instantly available at any location in the country. It's literally "quick as a wink," and from an independent source not controlled by an insurance company or repair service.

All of this adds up to getting your car back on the road within the least amount of time.

According to ADP Collision Estimating Services

president Garen K. Staglin, the company is processing more than 20,000 computerized auto damage estimates each day in the United States and Canada. This adds up to more than four million estimates a year.

In addition, The system provides a detailed inventory and the location of graded salvage parts, which offers the potential for even greater savings.

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up. Blot up liquid or oily spills. Vacuum up dry soil. Use a table knife to scrape up solid spills, such as pizza or catsup. If the spill should dry, scrape off the residue and sponge the area with water. Regular vacuuming will help to en-

Many contain abrasives

## Car wax may reduce the shine

Many commonly-used wax products can actually dull your new car's mirror finish. They use a combination of wax or silicone and a harsh abrasive polish which causes tiny scratches.

The scratched paint can't reflect light as well as new paint. This results in an overall reduction in shine.

Your new car should not be exposed to these abrasives. It just needs washing and a follow-up with a good abrasive-free wax.

Early car wax products were abrasive-free. If an abrasive polish was needed, it was sold as a separate product and by the strength of the abrasive used, from strong

to extremely mild.

The best waxes were made with imported Carnauba wax. Carnauba grows on a select group of palm trees that grow mainly in Brazil.

As the costs of gathering and importing this natural wax skyrocketed, chemists created cheaper 'wax-less' substitutes. Abrasives were then added to these new products.

They were billed as the lazy man's one-step car polish. Unfortunately they've never been able to equal the extreme high gloss and lasting power of pure Carnauba wax.

Since the change from Carnauba to man-made synthetics progressed over many years, only the astute consumer realized he was getting less shine for his money.

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 9:30 (HBO) MOVIE: 'Time Bandits' A small boy travels back in time for some exciting adventures with a host of strange characters. John Cleese, Michael Palin, Shelley Duvall. 1981. Rated PG. (In Stereo)  
 10:30 Sunday Mass  
 11:00 Church of Today  
 11:30 Robert Schuller  
 12:00 Daywatch  
 12:30 Welcome to Pooh Corner  
 13:00 Belle & Sebastian  
 13:30 Oral Roberts  
 14:00 CBS Morning News  
 14:30 Kenneth Copeland  
 15:00 Mass from St. Thomas Aquinas  
 15:30 Billy Westmoreland Fishing  
 16:00 SpeedWeek  
 16:30 Sunday Mass  
 17:00 Jerry Falwell  
 17:30 Jerry Falwell  
 18:00 Donald Duck Presents  
 18:30 Turkey Television  
 19:00 (HBO) MOVIE: 'The San Pedro Bums' Five happy-go-lucky young men who live on a leaky old boat find themselves in a series of madcap adventures when they try to collar a gang of waterfront toughs following the robbery of their best friend Christopher Murkey. Jeffrey Drue, John Mark Robinson. 1977.  
 19:30 Bassmasters Classic  
 20:00 Andy Griffith  
 20:30 Koznowe (CC) A look at anesthesia.  
 21:00 Bugs Bunny  
 21:30 (HBO) MOVIE: 'The Great American Traffic Jam' A massive bumper-to-bumper tie-up on the Los Angeles freeway system is the subject of the comedy. John Beck, Shelley Fabares, Ed McMahon. 1980.  
 22:00 (MAX) MOVIE: 'Cocoon' (CC) After coming in contact with extraterrestrial cocoon-like pods, a group of retirees find themselves miraculously rejuvenated. Don Ameche, Willard Brimley, Hume Cronyn. 1985. Rated PG-13. (In Stereo)  
 22:30 Wind in the Willows  
 23:00 Lassie  
 23:30 Robert Schuller  
 24:00 Mister Rogers  
 24:30 (HBO) MOVIE: 'The Rich and Famous' (60 min.)  
 25:00 Mesquite Championship Rodeo (In Stereo)  
 25:30 Good Guys  
 26:00 On the Menu  
 26:30 Wonderworks: Daniel and the Towers A streetwise Hispanic boy becomes friends with the Italian immigrant who built the towers in Los Angeles. (60 min.)  
 27:00 Real to Reel  
 27:30 Day of Discovery  
 28:00 Jem  
 28:30 James Kennedy  
 29:00 Newkammer Sunday  
 29:30 (HBO) MOVIE: 'Kelly' A young girl who is having trouble adjusting to life with her stepfather, leaves the city to live with her father in the Alaskan wilderness. Christopher Chapman, Robert Logan, Twyla-Dawn Vokins. 1981.  
 30:00 Bad News Bears  
 30:30 Faith Twenty  
 31:00 3-2-1, Contact (CC)  
 31:30 Davey Crockett  
 32:00 (HBO) MOVIE: 'The Greatest Show on Earth' A circus manager and his girl, an aerialist, are in competition with a French star for the center ring. Charlton Heston, Betty Hutton, James Stewart. 1952.  
 32:30 World Wide Church of God  
 33:00 (HBO) MOVIE: 'Continental Divide' A political reporter is sent into the wild country to interview a reclusive lady ornithologist. John Belushi, Blair Brown, Allen Garfield. 1981. Rated PG.  
 33:30 SportsCenter Sunday:  
 34:00 G.I. Joe: Revenge of Cobra Animated. G.I. Joe travels around the globe to stop the evil forces of Cobra from destroying the Earth with a weather-controlling machine. (2 hrs.)  
 34:30 WWF Wrestling Challenge  
 35:00 Day of Discovery  
 35:30 Spartacus and the Sun Beneath the Sea  
 36:00 Jerry Falwell  
 36:30 Sun Spoons  
 37:00 The World Tomorrow  
 37:30 Wonderworks: Room to Move (CC) Carol must choose between track or her new love, ballet. (60 min.)  
 38:00 Superbook Club  
 38:30 Cartoons  
 39:00 Star Search (60 min.)  
 39:30 Motoworld (In Stereo)  
 40:00 CNN Travel Guide  
 40:30 Wild Wild World of Animals  
 41:00 (HBO) MOVIE: 'Face the Nation'  
 41:30 Kenneth Copeland  
 42:00 This Week With David Brinkley (CC)  
 42:30 Sportsweek  
 43:00 Star Trek Cartoon  
 43:30 Wish You Were Here (In Stereo)  
 44:00 AFTERNOON  
 12:00 Wall Street Week With Louis Rukeyser  
 12:30 Community Center  
 13:00 SportsCenter  
 13:30 Bowling  
 14:00 Fame (60 min.)  
 14:30 Newday  
 15:00 (HBO) MOVIE: 'Enemy Mine' (CC) A space pilot and his half-human, half-reptilian enemy must put aside their differences in order to survive on a desolate planet. Dennis Quaid, Louis Gossett Jr., Brian James. 1985. Rated PG-13. (In Stereo)  
 15:30 You Can't Do That on Television  
 16:00 The World Tomorrow  
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 25:30 Harness Racing from Hazlet Park  
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 20:45 (HBO) MOVIE: 'The Desert Fox' Story of Field Marshal Rommel's defeat in Africa during World War II. James Mason, Sir Cedric Hardwicke, Jessica Tandy. 1951.  
 21:15 Evans and Novak  
 21:45 Mr. Wizard  
 22:15 One Big Family  
 22:45 (HBO) MOVIE: 'The Organization' A detective joins forces with an organized vigilante group in an attempt to stop the drug traffic in their area. Sidney Poitier, Barbara McNair, Sherie North. 1971.  
 23:15 NBA Basketball: Playoffs First Round (Live)  
 23:45 Wish You Were Here (In Stereo)  
 24:15 Great Performances: Dance in America: Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater The dance theater performs "Blues Suite," "Fever Swamp," and "Rainbow Round My Shoulder." (60 min.)  
 24:45 Wild, Wild World of Animals  
 25:15 Lifestyles of the Rich and Famous Scheduled: Prince Charles talks about polo; Larry Hagman and Linda Gray attend a horse auction; a day at the track with Michael Douglas, Walter Matthau and other celebrities. (60 min.)  
 25:45 News Update  
 26:15 Rockford Files  
 26:45 Filmmakers  
 27:15 Check It Out  
 27:45 New Gidget Gidget and Jeff become involved in Danni and Gail's (Lil Haydn) videotape project.  
 28:15 Motoworld (In Stereo)  
 28:45 (HBO) Fraggle Rock (CC) (In Stereo)  
 29:15 Wrestling  
 29:45 Newmaker Sunday  
 30:15 Wind in the Willows  
 30:45 Great American Woodrats  
 31:15 Lone Ranger: The Truth Unmasked Unedited versions of the first three episodes reveal the mysteries surrounding the Lone Ranger, including what his real name was, why he never silver bullets, why his horse was named Silver and how he and Tonto became friends. (90 min.)  
 31:45 Double Trouble  
 32:15 Charles and Ray Charles tries to obtain a college loan.  
 32:45 Hidden Heroes (In Stereo)  
 33:15 EVENING  
 6:00 Lord Elgin and Some Stones of No Value Meina Mercouri hosts this program that tells how Lord Elgin moved the friezes and marble carvings from Greece to England. (60 min.)  
 6:30 News  
 6:55 (HBO) MOVIE: 'Ghosts' (CC) A trio of misfits goes into business to rid homes of evil spirits. Bill Murray, Dan Aykroyd, Harold Ramis. 1984. Rated PG. (In Stereo)  
 7:00 Star Trek  
 7:30 Newswatch  
 8:00 (HBO) MOVIE: 'Bill Cosby - "Himself"' Funnyman Bill Cosby looks at the humorous sides of marriage, childbirth and family.  
 8:30 (HBO) MOVIE: 'The Other Side of the Mountain Part II' An athlete's tragic accident spells despair until love, faith and determination take over. Marilyn Hasset, Timothy Bottoms. 1976.  
 8:55 Mesquite Championship Rodeo (In Stereo)  
 9:00 Major League Baseball: San Francisco Giants at Atlanta Braves (Live)  
 9:30 Small Wonder On Thanksgiving Day, James learns the importance of having a family.  
 9:55 Major League Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at Chicago White Sox (Live)  
 10:00 Disney Channel Preview  
 10:30 Heritage Conversations with Bill Moyers Yosef Hayim Yerushalmi discusses the Bible, the Talmud, early Christianity and the Jews of Islamic lands. (60 min.)  
 10:55 Secret of Success  
 11:00 (HBO) MOVIE: 'The Swarm' Millions of African killer bees bring death and destruction to North America. Richard Widmark, Michael Caine, Katherine Ross. 1978.  
 11:30 What a Country! Robert's father threatens to disown him.  
 11:55 Larry King Weekend  
 12:00 Best of Wall Street Presents: The Legend of El Bianco The story, based on the myth of Spanish explorer Hernando Cortez's fabled white stallion. (60 min.)  
 12:30 Minors A struggling minor league pitcher strikes up a unique friendship with a fourteen-year-old girl who just happens to be a baseball whiz kid.  
 12:55 Great Performances: Dance in America: Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater The dance theater performs

Obituaries

Mabel (Gower) Reynolds

VALLEJO, CALIF. Mabel (Gower) Reynolds, formerly of Elsie, died April 8, 1987, in Vallejo, Calif. She was born in Eureka on Jan. 2, 1899, the daughter of Edward and Alice (Daggett) Gower. She was married to Arlington "Ladd" Reynolds in St. Johns on Dec. 25, 1919. He preceded her in death in July, 1968. She was employed as a proof reader for the Clinton County Republican News. She also owned and operated a print shop in Gaylord and Algonac before moving to California. Surviving are one son and daughter-in-law, Arlington "Ladd" and Shirley Reynolds of Vallejo, Calif.; one daughter, Marilyn Smulzo of New Port, Calif.; six grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; one sister-in-law, Reta Gower of Eureka. Graveside services were held at Eureka Cemetery on April 13 with the Rev. Doug Jones officiating. Arrangements were made by Osgood Funeral Home.

Maxwell Leonard

ST. JOHNS Maxwell Leonard, 9107 Church Rd., St. Johns, died April 13, 1987, at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He was born in Bath on Feb. 11, 1925, the son of Delmar Everett and Bessie (Sloan) Leonard. He was married to Frances Garner in St. Louis, Mich., on June 14, 1965. He lived the last three years in the St. Johns area, coming from Tennessee. He was a veteran of World War II. He was a farmer and steel hauler. Surviving are his wife, Frances; three daughters, Bonnie O'Neal of Chattanooga, Tenn.; Patricia Sharp of Cleveland, Tenn.; and Carol Goodman of Medway, Ohio; one son, Dan Rue of DeWitt; eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild; two brothers, Gordon Leonard of Mt. Pleasant and Ronald Leonard of Atlanta, Ga.; one sister, Marian Hill of St. Johns. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Connie Louise Corvin, two brothers and one sister. Funeral services were held on April 16 at Osgood Funeral Home in St. Johns. Interment was made at Coe Township Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Osgood Funeral Home.

Births

HETTLER - Jeff and Bonnie, 609 N. Morton, St. Johns, a daughter, Traci Louise. Born April 12 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Weight: 7 lb., 11 oz. Grandparents are James and Dorothy Quick and Jack and Sally Hettler. The mother is the former Bonnie Quick. LUMBERT - Luane and Catherine, 11894 Forest Hill Road, Eagle, a daughter, Lesley Ann. Born April 5 at Lansing General Hospital. Weight: 7 lb., 12 oz. RADEMACHER - Roy and Laure, 11440 Chadwick Road, Eagle, a daughter, Bethany Grace. Born April 9 at Lansing General Hospital. Weight 8 lb., 1 oz; length: 21 in. PLATTE - Chuck and Sue, 11833 Cutler Rd., Eagle, a daughter, Stacey Lynn. Born April 15 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Weight: 7 lb., 10 1/2 oz. Stacey has two brothers. Grandparents are Stan and Therese Klein and Bill and Connie Platte. HORAN - Mr. and Mrs. John, 3330 N. US-27, a son, Matthew. Born March 27 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Weight: 6 lb., 8 oz. Grandparents are William and Loraine Wagoner and Jack and Carol Horan. The mother is the former Sandra Wagoner. IOCCO - Steve and Angie Iocco, 810 N. Oakland, St. Johns, a son, Gabriel Lee. Born April 11. Weight: 7 lb., 5 oz; length: 21 in. Gabriel has one brother, Dominic, and one sister, Starr. Grandparents are Gerald and Shirley Karber and Ralph and Anita Iocco.

BALLINGER - Ronald and Marilyn, 3806 Green Road, St. Johns, a daughter, Nicole Lynn. Born April 4 at Lansing General Hospital. Weight: 8 lb., 8 oz; length: 21 in. WEBER - Mr. and Mrs. Keith of Fowler, a son, Dustin John. Born April 3 at St. Lawrence Hospital. Weight: 7 lb., 14 oz; length: 21 1/2 in. Dustin has one brother, Jason. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Urban Weber of Fowler, and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Smith of Westphalia. The mother is the former Gail Smith.

Marriage licenses

These are the marriage licenses recently issued by the Clinton County Clerk's Office: Terry Lynn Wise, 26 and Patricia Sue Moggo, 24; Philip Lee Smith, 21 and Penny Dee Schmidtman, 20; Frank William Katch, 32 and Vicki Robin DeBar, 33; Steven Blaine-Benner, 25 and Laura Lynn Matson, 25; Dean Richard Sorrell, 29 and Susanne Sproat, 28; Gregg David Madar, 24 and Audrey Rose Wing, 26; Matthew Duane Householder, 20 and Bridget Rene Patnode, 19; Rick Lee Longstreet, 24 and Cheryl Ann Smith, 24; Jon Michael Johnson, 33

and Jane Marie Soukup, 31; Gayland Lou Tennis, 50 and Jean Lorraine Pardike, 40; James Bradford Ginther, 25 and Theresa Marie Nemcik, 29; Patrick Clarence Donahue, 31 and Jill Annette Fleming, 21

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

WHEREAS, default has been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Myrl W. Pierce and Linda L. Pierce, his wife, Mortgagees, to Curtis Homes, a partnership, Mortgagee, dated the 22nd day of June, A.D., 1982, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Clinton and State of Michigan, on the 1st day of July, A.D., 1982 in Liber 392 on Pages 289-291, and

WHEREAS, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage as of the date of this notice is the sum of Sixty-five thousand three hundred sixteen and 98/100 dollars (\$65,316.98), for principal and interest and

WHEREAS, no suit or proceedings at law or in equity have been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and default having been made whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative

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 14th day of May, 1987, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, local time, said mortgage will be foreclosed at a sale at public auction to the highest bidder at the front steps of the Courthouse in the City of St. Johns, County of Clinton and State of Michigan (that being the place of holding Circuit Court in said County), 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 eleven and three quarters percent (11.75%) per annum and all legal costs charges and expenses, including the attorney fee allowed by law, and also any sums which may be paid by the undersigned, necessary to protect its interest in the premises.

The premises described in said mortgage are as follows: Property situated in the Township of Watertown, County of Clinton, State of Michigan, to-wit:

Beginning on the East line of said Section 13, at a point 1442.00 feet North of the Southeast corner of Section 13, Town 5 North, Range 3 West, Watertown Township, Clinton County, Michigan, thence South 89°30'10" West 710 feet, parallel with the South line of Section 13, thence North 221.24 feet to the South line of land owned by Consumers Power Company, thence South 88°02'50" East 710.39 feet along South line of said land owned by Consumers Power Company to a point on the East line of Section 13, which is 4 rods and 50.03 feet South on the Northeast corner of the South 1/2 of the East 1/2 of the Southeast fractional 1/4 of section 13, South 190.87 feet on the East line of Section 13, to the point of beginning. Take notice that the period of redemption, pursuant to M.S.A. 27A.3240 shall be one year from the date of said sale.

Dated: April 7, 1987.

Curtis Homes, Mortgagee

CHARLES A. FORREST, JR. Attorney at Law 703 E. Court Street Flint, MI 48503 Telephone: (313)238-4030

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ORDINANCE NO. 370 AN ORDINANCE TO VACATE A STREET OR RIGHT-OF-WAY WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS, MICHIGAN. THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS ORDAINS: Section 1. Vacation of Street and Right-of-Ways. The City Commission of the City of St. Johns hereby vacates such portion of a public street and platted right-of-way, being more particularly described as follows: That portion of Swegles Street, South of the right-of-way line of Steel Street, South to and adjoining the area described as: The South 51 feet of blocks 102 and 103 of Walker and Steel Subdivision, City of St. Johns, which area was recently vacated. Section 2. Compliance with Charter. The City Commission, in adopting this Ordinance, certifies that a public hearing has been held after due notice to those persons entitled to receive notice and that a Resolution declaring the City Commission's intent to vacate said street or right-of-way and other provisions of the City Charter relative to vacating streets and right-of-ways have been complied with. That notice of said public hearing was, pursuant to Charter, served upon persons entitled to receive such notice. Section 3. Easement Retained. Notwithstanding the vacation of said street right-of-way, the City of St. Johns retains for and unto itself, for the benefit of the public, an easement under, over, and across said vacated premises for the installation, maintenance, and repair of any drain, sewer, water pipes, gas pipes, electric and telephone lines, and other essential public utilities, said easement being perpetual and unlimited, unless hereinafter released and discharged by the City Commission. Section 4. Effective Date. The effective date of this Ordinance shall be the twentieth (20th) day after its passage. Adoption of this Ordinance was moved by Commissioner Wiseman and supported by Commissioner Starck. Yeas: Commissioners Arhart, Starck, Wiseman. Absent: Commissioners Munger, Parr.

PASSED, ORDAINED, AND ORDERED PUBLISHED THIS 13th DAY OF APRIL, A.D., 1987, BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS AT A REGULAR MEETING HELD ON SAID DATE.

224-066

4/21/87

Divorce decrees

Divorce decrees were recently filed with the Clinton County Clerk for:

Eyer, Rebecca and Richard; Henry, Sandra and Carl; Minsky, John and Betty; Lane, Constance and David Lyle; Meek, Cynthia and Larry; Parker, Janet L. and James W.; Duell, Rebecca Jo and Norman James;

Nelson, Anne and Randall; Marquardt, Sharon Kay and Robert Allen; Fink, Timothy Ivan and Laura Louise; Hayner, Edith Jean and William Stewart; Sled, Margery Clark and William Tazwell III; Maag, Brenda K. and Harry W.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default has been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage executed by Donny Milton and Sharon Milton, husband and wife, Mortgagees, to Thomas A. Ebert and Tonia W. Ebert, husband and wife, Mortgagee, dated July 26, 1983, and Recorded on July 26, 1983, in Liber 402, Page 711, in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Clinton, State of Michigan on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, as of the date of this notice, for principal, interest and taxes the sum of Sixteen Thousand One Hundred Seventy-Two and 78/100 Dollars (\$16,172.78); and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity have been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Friday, May 22, 1987, at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon, local time, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the north door of the Courthouse in St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan, (that being one of the places where the Circuit Court for Clinton County is held), 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 ten percent (10%) 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:

Lots 3 and 12, Block 45, Original Plat of the City of St. Johns, County of Clinton, State of Michigan. The length of the redemption period as provided by law is SIX (6) months from the date of sale. Dated: April 21, 1987

Thomas A. Ebert and Tonia W. Ebert, Mortgagee

Williamham & Coté, P.C. Attorneys for Mortgagee 1331 East Grand River Avenue P.O. Box 1070 East Lansing, Michigan 48823

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WATERTOWN CHARTER TOWNSHIP

Synopsis - Regular Meeting, April 13, 1987

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor O'Bryant at 7:00 p.m. Pledge given. Roll Call: Present: Supervisor, O'Bryant, Clerk Rathbun, Treasurer Fraser, Trustees Porterfield, Miller, Gorman and McKeon. Absent were approximately 30 members in the audience. The agenda was approved as amended. Items number 9 and 13 will be discussed at the May 13, 1987 Special Meeting.

ACTION TAKEN:

- 1. Fraser moved to appoint Dan Gorman to the Elections Board. Approved.
2. Porterfield moved that Miller write a cover letter to the home owners involved in the well testing program and to coordinate this well testing program and surface water testing. Approved.
3. Fraser moved to approve the sewer permit, as revised and presented, only as a temporary permit. Passed.
4. Porterfield moved that the Policy and Personnel Committee address the office personnel and the writing of a handbook. Passed.
5. Fraser moved that the Capital Improvement Committee budget be placed in the supervisor's category in the amount of \$300 in account number 101-171-704. Passed.
6. Agreed to honor all those who have retired from serving the township in the past two years.
7. McKeon moved to send a letter to the Clinton County Commissioner asking that they consider for adoption the resolution regarding drug paraphernalia and that we support the concept but have no enforcement powers. Passed.
8. McKeon moved to purchase 10 plat books at \$10.00 per book for sale to the public. The money is to be taken from fund balance and a petty cash fund established solely for monies from the sale of these books. Passed.
9. Gorman moved that the Township take over control of the land that was purchased for cemetery expansion. Monies obtained from rent of that land for farming will become the Township's beginning in 1988. A letter will be sent to the Husted's. Passed.
10. McKeon moved to approve the budget adjustment of \$3000.00 to line item 590-527-801. Passed.
11. O'Bryant moved that the Hilliard's house rent remain at \$250.00 per month for one year and that the township purchase materials to fix the eave troughs and Dave Hilliard will furnish the labor. Gorman, Fraser, and O'Bryant will inspect the property and make a recommendation on what other repairs are necessary. Passed.
12. Fraser moved to approve the resolution naming Clerk Rathbun as administrator of the pension and Chris Hnativ as an alternate. Passed. Meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Phyllis J. Rathbun, Clerk Thomas L. O'Bryant, Supervisor

669-048

4/20/87

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CLINTON ORDER TO ANSWER

CLARENCE L. BENNETT, Plaintiff.

ESTATE OF CALVIN B. CASE, and the unknown Heirs, Devisees, Legatees, or Assigns of CALVIN B. CASE. Defendants.

At a session of said Court held in the Courthouse in the City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan, on this 11th day of April 1987, the following was read: PRESENT: HONORABLE RANDY L. TAHVONEN, Circuit Judge. On the 8th day of April, 1987, an action was filed by CLARENCE L. BENNETT, Plaintiff, against ESTATE OF CALVIN B. CASE, and the unknown Heirs, Devisees, Legatees, or Assigns of CALVIN B. CASE, Defendants, in this Court to quiet title a certain parcel of real estate located in the Village of Maple Rapids, Clinton County, Michigan, and described as follows: Village of Maple Rapids, Clinton County, Michigan; Lot 4 (four) of Block Two (2), B. P. Hutchinson Subdivision, Village of Maple Rapids, Michigan.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED That the Defendants, ESTATE OF CALVIN B. CASE, and the unknown Heirs, Devisees, Legatees, or Assigns of CALVIN B. CASE, answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 1st day of June, 1987. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgment by Default against such Defendants for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

Randy L. Tahvonen Circuit Judge

WILLINGHAM & COTÉ, P.C. By JOHN E. WIEBER (P28441) 103 E. State St. St. Johns, MI 48579

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Crafts & Hobbies 121

BREEZE INTO APRIL: with Brunswick Breeze Yarn Sale, priced \$2.50 skein. Weekdays 1-5pm, Saturdays 9:30-5. Davidson's Old Mill Yarn, 109 E. Elizabeth, Eaton Rapids. 663-2711.

Sporting Goods 122

SHOTGUN SAVAGE; Springfield model 67 series C. Pump action. \$125. 543-3046, 9am-6pm weekdays.

Tools 123

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

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Summer Furniture - SALE - Floyd & Flanders 12 Different Units Good Color Selection 20% to 30% OFF Notice: Carpet Sale Still in progress Becker Furniture Fowler 593-3500

BUILT-IN WHIRLPOOL DISHWASHER; Avocado, works well. 669-9360.

CONSOLE COLOR TV STEREO; tv not working. Oak cabinet. 323-7364.

DOUBLE AVOCADO SINK; w/h faucets. 669-9360.

FIREWOOD 3'-6" CHUNKS; maple. 627-3862.

FREE; 500 gallon oil tank. 322-2016.

FREE KITTENS TO GOOD HOME; litter trained house kittens, 8 weeks old, 3 males & 1 female. Call 669-8451.

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FREE SWING SET; assembled. 627-3307.

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Pets 200

8 BEAUTIFUL FEMALE LAB/SHEPHERD PUPPIES; 7 weeks old, wormed & shots. \$62 each. 371-1657.

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HIMALAYAN FLAMEPOINT; for stud, CFA registered. For more information call after 5pm. 224-7702.

IGROOM DOGS WITH LOVE; your home or mine. 393-6007, 647-4719.

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REGISTERED ARABIAN MARE; and Anglo Arab Filly. Some tack included. Price negotiable to good home. 517-981-6879.

Farm Equipment & Accessories 301

3 PT. POST HOLE DIGGERS; in stock at Hengesbach Tractor Sales, Divine Hwy., Portland, along with a variety of other 3 pt. attachments. Open 6 days a week. Come see us soon. 647-6356 or 647-2412.

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CERTIFIED CORSOY 79 & ELGINS; soybeans. Over 90% germination. Not treated. \$12.50/bushel. 517-723-1886.

HAY, 400 BALES; 1st cutting. \$1.75/bale. 517-647-4563.

IMPROVED OPEN-POLLINATED SEED CORN; \$20 bushel. Ned Place, Route 4, Wapakoneta, Ohio 45895, 419-657-6727. Will ship.

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HAND FED BABY GOATS; Also 2 milking Doe's. \$15-\$45. Call 517-566-8622.

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Lost & Found 408

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WE'RE GROWING AND WE NEED HELP IN OUR PRODUCTION DEPARTMENT! Successful applicant will be creative, have good spelling and grammar skills, and be a quick learner...

HOUSEWIVES: work out of your home. Your hours - your business. Good income. Free training. Call 517-627-6368

NURSE RN SUPERVISOR Full or Part-time, Shift Negotiable. More and more people are becoming geriatric and we need you for our increased service.

JOB TRAINING ASSISTANCE/PLACEMENT: for women divorced, separated or widowed Lansing YWCA Displaced Homemakers Program 485-7201

LADIES-NEED EXTRA MONEY? sell toys & gifts The Friendly Way. Free use of kit, weekly paycheck.

Situations Wanted 502

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

BABYSITTING WANTED: days, nights or week-ends. Love children. References Call 224-4075.

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Child Care 503

CHILD CARE PROVIDED: in my DeWitt home, weekdays full-time, ages 1-4, experienced 669-3965.

Business Opportunities 600

OWN & OPERATE candy confection vending route, your area. High profit items. Start part-time. Not a job offering. Cash investment \$2475 to \$7500.00. Write Owatonna Vendors Exchange, Box 411, Owatonna, MN 55060. Include phone number.

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.

Mortgages 603

BEFORE YOU SELL YOUR MORTGAGE, or Land Contract, do yourself a favor. CALL (517) 627-5816.

Real Estate For Sale 700

ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A HOME IN THESE AREAS: Delta River, Okemos, Country Club of Lansing? Tim Ellis Real Estate may have the home you are looking for. Call 323-0006.

BUYING A HOME? Call on Coldwell Banker Hacker Co! When you find and purchase a home through a Coldwell Banker/Hacker Co. Assoc. you will receive the Sears Home Buyer Savings Book. This booklet contains valuable coupons good on over 100 items for your new home at any Sears store.

BY OWNER, newer 4 bedroom house 1 full, 2 half baths, 2 car garage, well-insulated. 517-587-6520.

FIRST TIME LISTED: Newer country home for sale, by owner. Located on 3.6 acres, access to creek 24x50 pole barn, 2 miles north of 196 Ionia Schools. Many extras. 1757 E. Peck Lake Rd. 616-527-0445.

Garage Sales



BATH, Saturday, April 25, 9am-5pm. Furniture, clothes, toys, tools & lots of household items. 4180 Whitby, Chandler Estates.

DEWITT SEVERAL FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Friday April 24th 9am-4pm. One day only. Something for everyone. 1210 W. Heribson.

DEWITT, Saturday, April 25, 9am-5pm. Sunday, April 26, 1pm-5pm. Deep freeze pool table set. miscellaneuous. 13134 Farm Lane, Country Meadows.

GRAND LEDGE: April 23 & 24, 9am-5pm. Working 19" colored TV, vacuum, children's clothing & misc. 500 Kennedy, near Holbrook School.

Real Estate For Sale 700

ESTATE PROPERTY: We are accepting sealed bids for the historic property located at 307 E. Walker St. St. Johns, MI. Bids should be received no later than May 4th, accompanied by a bid deposit of \$1,000 mailed to PO Box 67, Maple Rapids, MI 48853. Bid opening date May 5th. Any & all bids may be refused by board action. Open house April 10 & 24, from 5-8pm.

FOR SALE BY OWNER: St. Johns home. One of the best built 3 bedroom brick homes in the area. Located in an excellent neighborhood. Cathedral ceilings, 2 fireplaces, 2 1/2 baths, large screened patio, central air, 2 car attached garage, & many more features. If you take pride in your home & enjoy gracious living & entertaining call for an appointment. Serious buyers only. 224-8675.

MULLIKEN BY OWNER: Lake property home with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 11 acres, pole-barn. \$91,500. 1-649-8822.

GOVERNMENT HOMES: from \$100 (U Repair). Foreclosures, Reposs. & Tax Delinquent Properties. NOW selling in your area. Call (refundable) 1-518-459-3734. Ext. H45248 for listings 24HRS.

GRAND LEDGE BY OWNER: UNBELIEVABLE BUY! Country setting, darling 3 bedroom ranch, full basement, 2 car garage, assume 10% informally, approximately \$4,800 down. 627-1243 after 6pm.

IMMACULATE "ONE-OF-A-KIND": 1,600 square foot brick & aluminum 3 bedroom ranch on large wooded lot in Delta Township. 2 car attached garage, screened porch, 2-way fireplace, finished laundry room, all appliances & window treatments included. Large master bedroom with walk-in closet. You must see inside this unique home to appreciate it. \$25,000 down assumes a 9% 30 year FHA Mortgage. No closing costs except FHA assumption fee. For appointment to see, call 627-5186 or 627-5155.

PORTLAND: 3076 Divine Hwy. 3 bedroom ranch on 1 acre. Full basement, 1 1/2 car attached garage, 12x24 deck, 30x40 pole barn with 3 overhead doors. Call for appointment 647-6895 or 626-6072.

WESTPHALIA: nice 3 bedroom house. Located in town on large lot. Asking \$36,000. Day phone 587-3063, evenings 587-3971.

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Cemetery Lots 706

1 CEMETERY LOT, at Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens. Old Rugged Cross. Opening and closing - vault and markers etc. \$1900. Call 323-3845.

4 SITES CHAPEL HILL, TRINITY GARDENS. Take reasonable cash offer. 322-0075.

Lots & Acreage 712

10 ACRES ANTRIM COUNTY: Hardwoods & Pine. Good access. Surveyed. Title insurance. Only \$6995.00. \$300 down. \$100 per month. 10% LC. Northwoods Land Co. (616) 258-5308.

BUILDING SITES, on blacktop road. Build a ranch or a walkout in a country setting. Pottersville Schools. Please call between 3:30pm and 9:00pm. 645-7458.

CHOICE BUILDING SITES, peace & quiet, wildlife. E-Z terms. 8 miles southwest Lansing at west-end Columbia Rd. Walt Mulkey. 663-3052.

LAND: 10 ACRES, wooded, rolling, perked - 3 miles east of Charlotte on paved road. \$22,000 - cash negotiable. 627-7764 evenings.

LANSGBURG: April 23 & 24, 9am-11pm. Primitive & collectible items, antiques. Solid cherry gun cabinet, lots of crocks, jugs (all size), hand tools (all old), paper baler. 9815 Alward Rd.

LANSING GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH RUMMAGE SALE: Thursday, Friday April 23-24, 9am-6pm. April 24, 9am-11am. Lots of Everything. 528 N Logan.

LANSING WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, SPRING RUMMAGE SALE: April 23 & 24, 9am-4pm. 743 N Logan.

NORTH LANSING GIGANTIC BABY SALE: Thursday, Friday, April 23-24, 9am-5pm. Import, designer and miscellaneous clothing, clothes, toys & miscellaneuous. No presales. Canceled if rain next day. 134 W Willow St.

PORTLAND MULTI-FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Wed. Thurs. & Fri. April 22-23 & 24, 9am-5:30pm. 1/2 price Fri. Clothing, Furniture, Motorcycle & Misc. 778 Clarksville Rd. 1/4 mile east of M-66 or 3/4 mile west of Sunfield Hwy. No pre-sales. Sue Pinkston.

PORTLAND MOVING & MISC GARAGE SALE: Thursday only, April 23, 9am-5pm. 211 Barley St.

WAVERLY 8 FAMILY: Friday & Saturday, April 24 & 25, 9am-5pm. Lots for the cottage gifts and hobby. 202 Harriet.

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THINKING OF BUILDING? Remodeling? Adding-on? Decks? Sunrooms? Garages? Let Delta Builders do the job and get the personal and professional service you deserve. Call 323-0021.

Mobile Homes For Sale 714

1968 MARLETTE: totally remodeled. See to appreciate \$3000. 517-647-4921.

COUNTRY PORTLAND SCHOOLS: mobile home 3/4 acre rented lot. 1981 14x70 Patriot, custom ordered. Extra windows, deluxe interior, full-house insulation, foam-core wrap, self-storing stairs. 20 12x12 bedrooms, full length closets, 2 full baths, 14x18 living-room, 12x14 kitchen/dining area. Microwave and appliances. Utility area. MUST SEE INTERIOR/EXTRA NICE. Also included 12x16 deck, 10x12 shed. Pets allowed. MUST SELL QUICKLY! Asking \$15,500 negotiable. Home-517-566-8920 after 5pm. Work-373-1947. Sheila.

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

Armstrong, Congoleum, Mannington & Tarkett No-Wax Vinyls in stock and on sale. WRIGHT-WAY CARPET WAREHOUSE Ionia 616-527-2540

OPEN HOUSE May 2 & 3 and May 9 & 10 IMPERIAL MOBILE HOMES Spring Super Sale. Deluxe homes available to suit your income. Double Wides, Single Wides & Expando's. Optional Floor Plans Available. Sales lot just north of Grand Ledge on M-100 517-627-7881 or 627-6622

USED Mobile - Homes Recent Trade-Ins and Bank Reps. 12 & 14 Wides Double - Wides 2 & 3 Bedrooms Starting At \$2,700 BANK FINANCING AVAILABLE Custom Housing Center M-66 7 miles S. of Ionia at I-96 Expy. (616) 527-9263

Apartment to Rent 800 CAMELOT APARTMENTS Very pleasant 2 bedroom apartments, stove & refrigerator furnished. St. Johns Under new management. 224-4376.

DELTA TOWNSHIP: Large 2 bedroom, Air, excellent location, clean, \$350 plus electric. 321-8623.

ONE BEDROOM APARTMENTS: \$355. Call for details. 627-2184.

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: Ideal for Weddings, Meetings, etc. Capacity 300, air conditioned. Creys & Saginaw, Phone 323-9100.

Homes to Rent 806

2 BEDROOM HOUSE, GRAND LEDGE: \$400 plus utilities. 627-3512 after 5pm.

FURNISHED 2 BEDROOM HOUSE: Portland, \$250/month plus utilities. 647-2508.

LARGE RECONDITIONED 3 BEDROOM HOME: with garage. Stove & refrigerator furnished, hook-up for washer & dryer available. Portland schools. \$385 plus utilities. Deposit & references required. 517-647-4367.

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Living Quarters 808 To Share

2 HONEST RELIABLE FEMALES: to share a house in Portland. \$75 rent plus share of utilities. For interview call 647-4847.

Office Space to Rent 812

WHY NOT WORK CLOSE TO WHERE YOU LIVE? West Side Professional Office Space. Perfect for 2 attorneys and/or CPA'S plus support staff. Attractive building. Ample parking. Must see to appreciate. Call 323-8020.

Resort & Lake Property to Rent 813

SMALL CABIN FOR RENT: all utilities paid. Portland area. 647-6717.

Rooms For Rent 815

WANTED: non-smoking, non-drinking, gainfully employed person to rent room with house privileges. Phone after 6pm. 647-7725 for more information.

Storage Space to Rent 816

BARN STORAGE: 30'x40'. Located on Saginaw Hwy. Grand Ledge, directly across from A&W. Call 627-7191 after 7:30pm.

Garage/Rummage Sales

GARAGE SALE ADS SPECIAL RATE 20 WORDS \$4.50

Jump on the bandwagon and get into the garage sale action, place a garage sale ad for ONLY \$4.50 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 \$1.75 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 Newchronicle 543-2301

Clinton County News 224-2012 DeWitt/Bath Review 323-1711

The Grand Ledge Independent 627-4670

Portland Review & Observer 647-7508

Delta Waverly News Herald 323-1711

Summer Furniture - SALE - Floyd & Flanders 12 Different Units Good Color Selection 20% to 30% OFF Notice: Carpet Sale Still in progress Becker Furniture Fowler 593-3500

CLOSE OUT SALE ON SELECTED ROLLS OF VINYL & CARPET. Good color selection at WRIGHT-WAY CARPET WAREHOUSE Ionia 616-527-2540

Wanted to Rent 817

PORTLAND AREA: 2-3 bedroom apartment or house. 517-855-3768.

Autos for Sale 900

ABANDONED VEHICLE SALE The below vehicles will be offered at public sale on Thursday April 23, 1987, at 10:00am, at Maple Rapids Auto Salvage, 8275 Hyde Rd., St. Johns, MI.

1. 1974 Plymouth 4 Dr. Vin. No. PH43KAD105277

2. 1977 Chevrolet 2 Dr. Vin. No. 1H57V61412808

3. 1976 Chevrolet 4 Dr. Vin. No. 1X69D6W195316

4. 1970 Chevrolet 4 Dr. Vin. No. 1643801196707

CAMARO, 1985; V-8, 1-top, air, tilt, cruise, rear window defogger, AM/FM cassette stereo, \$7500. Phone 641-4248 after 3pm.

CAVALIER 1984: 2-door, power steering, power brakes, Am/Fm stereo, sun-roof, \$4500. 224-9380.

CHARGER, 1973; Metallic green. Excellent condition, runs good. Call 224-9283.

CHEVROLET 1984 CAVALIER WAGON; 50,000 miles, excellent condition. \$4500. 627-8614.

CUTLASS CRUISER, 1985; loaded, in excellent condition. 517-647-4231.

Autos for Sale 900

CUTLASS CIERA BROUGHAM 1985; 4-door, everything but power seats 3 years warranty. 627-7364.

DATSUN 210, 1980; very good condition. Air, AM/FM cassette, \$1195 or best offer. 641-6288.

DELTA 88 ROYAL BROUGHAM, 1984 DIESEL, loaded, \$5,200. 224-8886 days. 517-834-5831 evenings.

FORD FAIRMONT, 1981; 66,000 actual miles, brown, 2-door, AM/FM cassette, sun-roof, \$1600 or best offer. Must sell. Runs great. 627-7220 or 694-1207.

FORD GRANADA 1982 STATION WAGON; excellent condition. 321-0601.

FORD LTD WAGON, 1984; white, automatic, air, power steering, power brakes, AM/FM radio, rear defroster, 36,000 miles. Excellent condition. \$6,200. 323-1964.

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FORD MAVRICK, 1976; 49,000 miles, \$800. Phone 647-7914 weekdays after 4pm.

FORD MUSTANG II 1977; body bad. Drive-train good. \$450. 627-2514.

GRAND AM, 1986; Air, cruise, tilt wheel, AM/FM stereo cassette, rear defogger, power steering, power brakes, \$9,250. 627-2212.

HONDA ACCORD, 1982; 4-door, 5-speed, air, AM/FM stereo, power steering & brakes, very good condition, \$4,700. Call 627-5738.

NISSAN 1986 STANZA WAGON; 4-wheel drive, misty blue, air, \$10,000. 543-2237.

OLDS 1985 REGENCY; dark blue with extended warranty. Low mileage. 517-587-4413.

OLDS 1986 DELTA BROUGHAM; 4-door, loaded. Great shape, beautiful car. \$11,600. 517-543-7436.

OLDS CALAIS SUPREME 1986; dark grey, loaded. 15,000 miles. \$9600. 321-2141.

OLDS CUTLASS SUPREME, 1973; \$600. For more information call 647-2436.

OLDS DELTA 88 ROYALE, 1973; Dependable. Many new parts, new tires. \$500. 517-236-7387 after 6pm.

PONTIAC CATALINA 1975; runs well. \$300. 543-8012.

REGENCY 98 BROUGHAM 1986; 4-door, loaded, like new. 682-4508.

RENAULT ENCORE, 1984; 4-speed, 78,000 mi. \$1,450. Call 224-4430 ask for George.

VOLKSWAGON RABBIT 1977; 4-speed, \$950 or best offer. 649-2280 after 5:30pm.

Autos Wanted 901

WANTED MEDIUM & FULL-SIZE CARS; to be donated to the Eaton County Fair for the Car Crusher. Must be willing to give up title. Please call David, 543-2610 or Jerry, 543-5600.

WANTED TO BUY: Mid-size GM car, front wheel drive. Preferably under \$2,000. Call between 4-7pm, 627-3361 or 627-2054. No dealers need call.

Auto Parts & Tires 902

1976 CUTLASS S FRONT CLIP; \$60 or best offer. Phone 517-587-3544.

TIRES FOR SALE: Four 15x38x16 5 Gumbo Monster Mudders, \$600. 1 set of 5 1/2 inch front lift kit springs. \$150 firm. Also King Size Waterbed. \$150. Call 627-8608 after noon.

Autos Classic 904

CHEVY 1957 2-DOOR BELAIRE; original classic. \$4995. 669-5994 after 6pm.

Motorcycles 908

HARLEY DAVIDSON, 1981; FLH dresser. Excellent condition. \$4,500. 627-7546 evenings.

YAMAHA MAXIM 550, 1982; 5,500 miles, looks sharp, runs excellent. \$1,000 or trade for mid-size GM body. 641-6428 after 9pm.

Trucks, 4X4's 909 For Sale

CHEVROLET 1987 1/2 TON; pickup. Silverado. 4-wheel drive. Loaded, 350 engine. 8,500 miles. \$13,750. 224-3192.

CHEVY LUV 1980; good rubber, 2 extra wheels w/snow tires. Air. Good mileage, good engine. \$1250. Phone 647-7753 after 4pm.

CHEVY SILVERADO 1985; 1/2 ton, 4x4, 22,000, loaded. Also truck camper. 8' sleeps 4. Sell together or separately. 627-4133.

CHEVY 1/2 TON 4x4 1985; 305 cu. in. engine, automatic with over drive, power steering, power brakes, AM/FM cassette, full length running boards, Rallye wheels, step bumper, tubular grill and brush guard, rust proofed, 28,000 highway miles. Portland. 517-647-6982.

FORD 1977 4-WHEEL DRIVE; with blade, good running condition, must sell. \$3,500 or best offer. 641-6920.

FORD PICK-UP 1976; 1/2 ton club cab. \$950. Call George at 224-4430.

GMC 1983 1/2 TON; 292, six, 4-speed shift, cruise, stereo, dual tanks, undercoated. Aluminum top. 321-5417.

Utility Trailers 910 For Sale

UTILITY TRAILER; 4'x7', 5000lb. axle. New wires & lights. Good condition. \$250 or best offer. Call between 3pm & 8pm. 641-6906.

Vans 911

FORD ARROWSTAR CARGO VAN 1986; 6 cylinder air-conditioning power brakes and steering. 19,000 miles. Like new condition. 355-3033.

VAN SEAT: Front seat out of Ford van with pedestal, green. \$50. 641-6906.

Boats & Motors 916

18' AEROCRAFT COHO SPECIAL, with 60HP Johnson motor on trailer. \$2100. 641-6906 or 651-5894 evenings before 10pm.

1983 STARCRAFT SUPERSPORT; 18ft aluminum boat. Full canvas plus mooring cover. 70HP