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United Way campaign set to go



Tony Myers, Fowler Marching Band drum major, helped strike up a victory for the Eagles last Friday against Portland St. Patrick. For details on county games, see page 2. Photo by Jeff Wilson.

By GREG LaFOUNTAIN
Staff Writer

The 1983 Clinton County United Way campaign is underway with a goal of \$50,000, and campaign chairman J. R. Robinson said he felt there was a good chance of reaching it.

Robinson noted that last year the campaign set an identical goal for the county, but fell just a little short collecting just over \$47,300. "I think that was reflective of the economic conditions at the time," he stated. "There should be a little better response this year. If everybody gave a little, the goal would be easily met."

Clinton County's campaign is part of the Capital Area United Way drive, which has a total goal of \$4,415,000, a six percent increase over last year.

Campaign materials were sent out to Clinton County group coordinators on September 19, and the first report, said Robinson, is due October 7.

The seven coordinators and their groups are Brandon White (Pacemaker),

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More supervision

Prisoners to go on TV

By GREG LaFOUNTAIN
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The Clinton County Sheriff's Department is going to begin keeping closer tabs on its lodgers in the county jail.

A portion of the business attended to by the Clinton County Board of Commissioners at its meeting on Tuesday, September 27 was the authorization for the county to purchase additional barrier-type wire for the prisoners' exercise area and a T.V. camera and remote monitor for the detoxification cell.

The total expenditure would amount to \$1,034. The matter was originally discussed by members of the Building and Grounds Committee at meeting on September 20.

Clinton County Sheriff Anthony Hufnagel told the News that "The State Department of Corrections recommended highly" the use of a T.V. camera and remote monitor to assist with the supervision of the holding cell.

"The Department of Corrections rules require unhampered supervision," the Sheriff stated. Some facilities, he noted, have their holding cells within easy sighting from the duty desk. He explained that because of the location of the detox-

ification cell in the Clinton County Jail, supervision was carried out via checks at regular intervals by sheriff's department officers.

"In the absence of that luxury," Hufnagel explained, "it would be to our benefit to have that equipment, not just because the Department of Corrections recommends it, but because of recent civil litigation."

Litigation referred to by Hufnagel took place near Grand Rapids and was a result of a suicide by a person lodged in a holding cell. Hufnagel noted that the litigation was quite costly.

"We're just trying to cover ourselves," he explained.

In other business, the commission: Approved the contract for sale to the State of Michigan the Clinton County Land Use Study. The contract would provide \$6,087 for work that had performed in Clinton County.

In view of anticipated costs of jail construction, approved the transfer of \$300,000 from the delinquent tax umbrella to the public improvement fund.

Approved the starting salary for the new probation officer at \$16,720. Lynne Edin of Bath Township will be the new officer, starting in mid-October.



Adam Collins, 8, of Eagle rolls a new coat of paint on his parent's home before the chilly, autumn weather sets in. Several neighborhood kids also pitched-in to help the Collins' with their painting task last Saturday. Photo by Greg LaFountain.

City studies County request

Clinton County drain commissioner Arden S. Pierson, closing out his first month in office, has asked the City of St. Johns to pay at least \$4,600 to replace a culvert.

In a letter addressed to city manager Randy Humphrey, Pierson requested that the city shoulder most of the burden for repairing a failed farm crossing north of Parks Rd. and west of US-27.

Pierson told city officials that higher peak flows and discharge levels downstream into the drain channel helped damage the crossing, which is part of Steel and Wallbridge Drain.

The new drain commissioner said he was submitting the letter "to encourage participation by the City of St. Johns, as a good neighbor, in the replacement of the culvert."

City officials, however, decided to table the matter at Monday's city commission meeting.

Clerk Rick Coletta said city officials would be checking back with Pierson about whether the city would have to pay for repairs on three culverts and the drain. In that case, the city could pay as much as \$30,000, Coletta said.

Pierson could not be reached for comment Tuesday.

In other matters, commissioners approved a slew of purchases. Included in the buys were a new fence for the city park, tires, a dump truck and a lawn and garden tractor.

The fence, purchased for \$1,662 from Dean's Hardware, will be installed at the ball field at the southern end of the city park by the summer of 1984.

The tires, for a loader, grader and Vector, cost \$2,545 from Hub Tire. Commissioners also approved a \$25,428 bid from St. Johns-Ford Mercury for the dump truck, which will serve the Department of Public Works.

A Sears bid of \$2,488 was accepted for

the lawn and garden tractor.

Also, commissioners approved the Paine-Gillam-Scott Museum's request to erect a sign advertising St. Johns' "Victorian Christmas." The sign will hang between the sidewalk and State Street in front of the county courthouse from Nov. 1 through Jan. 4, 1984.

Homecoming parade was authorized for Oct. 7, starting at 5 p.m. Participants will gather at 4:30 p.m. at Lincoln Street and march down Main Street, turning left at the court house and right at the next street.

In a maintenance move, commissioners authorized a Bloomfield Hills engineering firm to spend \$1,900 to study the city's problem with Bio-Disk bacteria buildup in the Wastewater Treatment Plant. Beyond the study, commissioners also approved spending \$2,500 to work on the problem further.

The city's \$48,792 street paving program was also officially approved for 1983.

No change of venue

A Clinton County lawsuit alleging sexual harassment by the St. Johns Michigan Federal Credit Union will apparently be tried in Clinton County after all.

Judge Lawrence Root, of the 49th Judicial District, Big Rapids, ruled Sept. 20 that no change of venue would occur in the case.

The lawsuit has been filed by five women who have charged that former credit union manager Roy Ebert made

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Armed robber bolts with \$200 cash

DeWitt Township Police are looking for a young white male who robbed a farm market at gunpoint Monday night and escaped with about \$200 cash.

Police said the man entered Hessler's Farm Market, 15965 Turner Ave., shortly before 10 p.m. and confronted store clerk Patrick Ridge, 35, of DeWitt Township.

The suspect forced the clerk to lay on the floor, police said. The man tried to open the cash register but couldn't, so he told the clerk to open it, police said.

When the clerk told him he could not open it because it had malfunctioned earlier in the day, the suspect told the clerk to "open it or I'll blow your head off," police said.

The clerk then ripped open the cash register drawer, police said, and the suspect escaped with \$200 plus assorted checks and food stamps.

Police said they are looking for a man standing about 5-foot-7 and weighing about 170 pounds, wearing a green Army jacket and a dark ski mask.

Clinton County Sheriff's Deputies reported 93 complaints for the week ending Sept. 25. Of those, 25 resulted in arrests. Deputies booked 11 people

for drunk driving during the week.

• Leonard Puetz, 108 S. Scott Rd., St. Johns, reported the theft of 40 gallons of gas, several end wrenches, a socket wrench and a battery charger from his tractor that was parked at a field along M-21, reports said. The items were stolen sometime last Tuesday, reports said.

• A breaking and entering at the Fowler Bowl cost the owners \$583 in cash, plus some beer, reports said. Entry was gained by breaking glass which was valued at \$153, reports said.

• Two mounted Goodyear Arriva tires were reported stolen from a car owned by David Randall of Harphan Dr., Eagle, parked at

Jerry's Sunoco, M-100 and I-96, Eagle. Value of the tires is \$225, reports said.

• David Ice, 9800 S. Williams, DeWitt, was burglarized at the home for a Lindy Star ring, a Beretta pistol, Kodak 8mm movie camera and a ladies' digital watch, reports said. Value of the property was not estimated, reports said.

• David Austin, 378 Poplar, Maple Rapids, ran out of gas on Wright Rd., south of Stone and left his car parked along the road side, reports said. Early Monday morning, someone broke all the windows out of the car and tipped it upside down in the ditch, reports said.

• Lt. Gene Wriggelsworth of the Tri-County Metro Narcotics Squad said Lynn Marie Childress, 22, of 728 W. Willow, Lansing, was arrested and charged with delivery of L.S.D. and marijuana last Tuesday at her home. The arrest was connected with recent drug arrests at the Northside Drive-In, DeWitt Township, Wriggelsworth said.

• Bath Township police reported Gary Hull, 36, of 7056 Coleman Rd., East Lansing, was arrested and

charged with operating while under the influence of liquor. The accident occurred Sunday night, at about 10 p.m., when Hull ran off the road and struck a sign off of I-69, police said. He suffered minor injuries but was not hospitalized, police said.

• Jack Lovaas, 51, of 7226

S. Chandler Rd., St. Johns, was charged with operating a vehicle while under the influence of liquor, Bath Township police said. He was northbound on Chandler Road when he crossed over the center line slightly and veered into the path of an officer's patrol vehicle, police said.

looking ahead

ARTALES, MYTHS AND LEGENDS, stories about Greek gods and heros portrayed in art from the Kresge Collection, will be held Thursday, Oct. 13, from 3:45 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. at Kresge Art Gallery, Michigan State University. Children from grades one through five are invited to the free sessions. Parents are also welcome. For more information, call 355-7631.

THE FOURTH ANNUAL CHARLOTTE HISTORIC HOME TOUR will be held Sunday, Oct. 2, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Seven private homes will be featured, in addition to a vintage Victorian schoolhouse and a Gothic-

style church. Tickets may be purchased the day of the tour on the lawn of the old Eaton County Courthouse at \$4 apiece. For more information, phone 543-7534.

THE WHARTON CENTER at Michigan State University is offering free tours of the \$22.7 million facility on Sundays at 2 p.m. and 3 p.m.

THE ST. JOHNS WOMAN'S CLUB will hold its first meeting Wednesday, Oct. 5, with a noon luncheon at the Family Fare Restaurant. Betty Sewell, president of the West Central District, will be the speaker.

CITY OF ST. JOHNS

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS October 12, 1983

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the St. Johns Zoning Board of Appeals will be held on October 12, 1983 at 7:30 p.m. in the Commission Chambers, 121 E. Walker Street, St. Johns.

PURPOSE:

A request for a variance to allow a sign to be placed perpendicular to the building at 105 W. Walker Street. The Zoning Ordinance requires signs be placed flat against the building.

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 105 W. Walker Street
PROPERTY CODE NO.: 19-300-000-011-013-00

DESCRIPTION:

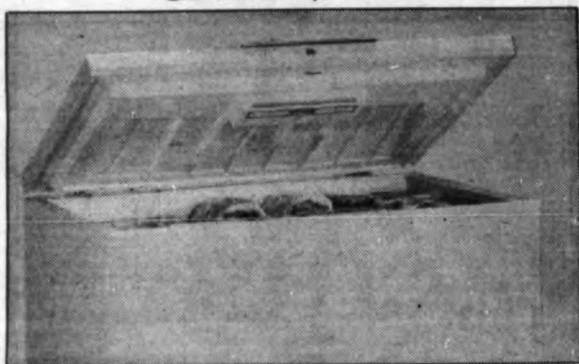
Original Plat. Blk 11, W 98.5 Ft. of Lot 12, and 3.9 Ft. of W 58.5 Ft. Lot 11, Also E 40 Ft. of W 98.5 Ft. Lot 11.

Diane M. Edwards
Zoning Administrator

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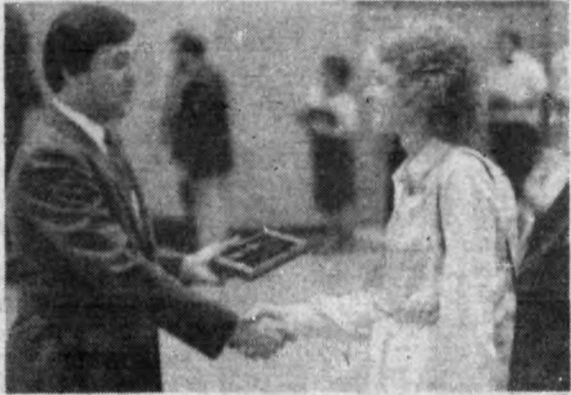
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Call "The Japan Adventure 1984" at 483-1527. Or visit the LCC Business Division Office, Room 210, Old Central Building. Application deadline is October 28.

Attend a special information meeting, Sunday, October 16, 2:00 p.m. at Dart Auditorium, LCC campus.

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Ellen Simon of St. Johns receives her plaque from Gov. James Blanchard.

Two receive awards

Two Clinton County residents were among 46 individuals honored for suggestions to improve state government.

Ellen M. Simon of St. Johns and Mack L. McDonald of DeWitt received plaques from Gov. James Blanchard at a reception at the Lansing Civic Center Sept. 12.

Each received \$1,000 through the State Suggestion Award Program, administered by the Michigan Department of Civil Service.

Miss Simon, a Michigan Department of Health employee, suggested that payment vouchers for the same payee should be combined, instead of preparing multiple vouchers as done in the past. This suggestion saved the state \$35,675 in



Mack McDonald of DeWitt receives his award from Gov. James Blanchard.

the first year.

McDonald, also a Michigan Department of Public Health employee, suggested that mosquito traps used in the department's mosquito-borne encephalitis monitoring program be designed and constructed. This suggestion saved the state \$30,549 in the first year.

The Suggestion Award Program, which began in 1978, gives cash awards for suggestions where there is monetary benefit to the state and monetary or recognition awards in cases where benefit cannot be translated into dollar savings.

news notes

□ Pvt. Kevin L. Kelly, son of Beverly J. and Timothy D. Kelly of 204 Lewis St., St. Johns, has completed basic training at Fort Dix, N.J. During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military

justice, first aid and Army history and traditions.

□ Harvey A. Thornton, who joined the U.S. Postal Service as a City Carrier at St. Johns in 1962, was sworn in as postmaster at Ithaca Sept. 16. He had been Supt. of Postal Operations at St. Johns. Harvey takes over an office serving about 8,600. The office

has 14 employees and delivers mail to two cities and four delivery routes. A native of Elsie, Harvey has lived in St. Johns since 1953.

□ Jill M. Becker of St. Johns is representing Michigan in the Leadership project area at the 62nd National 4-H Congress Nov. 27-Dec. 1 at the Conrad Hilton Hotel in

Chicago. More than 1,600 teenage 4-H members will be honored at the event. Also, more than 290 scholarships, valued at \$280,600, will be awarded in some 40 program areas.

□ William Buggs of St. Johns provided horses for the fourth annual Michigan 4-H Standardbred Horse Production Project Show Aug. 27 in Adrian.

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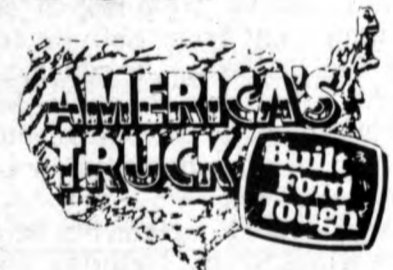
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editorial

**Capt. Scott
would be
proud today**

DeWitt has come a long way since its humble beginning back in 1833.

First a wilderness area filled with Chipewewa Indians, DeWitt was nothing more than a pasture along the Looking Glass River when Capt. David Scott arrived as its first white settler 150 years ago.

Capt. Scott would be proud if he saw DeWitt today. Preparations are going strong for its Sesquicentennial celebration next week — a series of events marking DeWitt's 150th birthday.

Actually, DeWitt has been celebrating the occasion for nearly a year now. The first event was a Sesquicentennial Christmas Sing and Tree Lighting Ceremony back on Dec. 4, 1982. Assorted events earlier this year such as a cake contest, sports day, parade and pow-wow have built up the big event.

In the midst of all of the pomp, however, it is comforting to reflect on one of the central themes of the celebration. Sesquicentennial organizers say that one of their main goals is to give today's children a flavor of what it took to establish the United States. Capt. Scott and his wife, Eunice, are being heralded as true pioneers. Said one organizer: "It took a lot of guts to come into this area."

The same organizer mentioned how radical the changes were in DeWitt from the 1830's to 1860's, as compared to the era when her daughter grew up, from 1955 to today. DeWitt back then went from nothing to a bustling village that served as the county seat.

DeWitt may have relinquished its role as the county seat to St. Johns, but it takes a back seat to no other Clinton County community next week.

We would like to extend out warmest birthday greetings to you, birthday, DeWitt. Many happy returns.

looking ahead

PARENTS ANONYMOUS has formed a chapter in St. Johns which plans to meet at the Congregational Church on Wednesday, from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Parents who think they can benefit from group involvement can call 224-6729 or 224-6134 for further information. No fees or dues are charged.

THE LAINGSBURG COMMUNITY KITCHEN serves meals daily from 4:30 to 6 p.m. at the Baptist Church across from Mahoney's Grocery in La-

ingsburg. Meals are free. Take-out meals for handicappers or senior citizens are available. Call Phyllis Grove at 651-5797 or Judy Malitz at 651-5955 for more information.

A REUNION for the 14th Coast Artillery of World War II will be held in Holland, MI, on Oct. 8. Anyone who served in the 14th Coast Artillery and has not been contacted should write or call Harry Vledder, 1765 Winchester Drive, Muskegon, 49441; phone (616) 755-3053.



CLINTON COUNTY NEWS APRIL 1, 1965 — Honored for long service to Clinton Memorial Hospital was this group of five women (left to right): Mrs. Dorothy Motz, 10 years; Florence Cornell, 10 years; Mrs. Margaret Antes, 10 years; Miss Julia Walton, 20 years and Mrs. Shirley Craner, 20 years.

Memory Lane...

224-7028

This list of names from the Dec. 18, 1924 issue of the Republican News should make a few of you remember:

National Red Cross gives certificates to graduates

CLINTON COUNTY REPUBLICAN NEWS, DECEMBER 18, 1924 — Seventy Clinton County women, trained in home hygiene to take care of the sick, were presented with certificates from the National Red Cross organization at the impressive graduation exercise held at the Methodist church in St. Johns Friday afternoon. Clad in their dark gray uniforms with white collars, cuffs and head-dresses, this group of women who have pledged themselves to aid in the prevention of disease and promote better health, made an impressive sight as they marched down the aisle of the church and took their places before the opening of the exercises.

Miss Helen Eyres, Red Cross public health nurse for Clinton County who conducted the five classes, acted as chairman and announced a selection by the St. Johns Episcopal quartet as the first number on the program. The quartet, accompanied at the piano by Miss Huey, responded with an encore after which Dr. Sumwall, head of the public health department of the University of Michigan, was introduced as the speaker.

Following is a list of the graduates:

ESSEX TOWNSHIP — Mrs. Carrie Blemaster, Mrs. Margie Blemaster, Mrs. Nellie Blemaster, Mrs. Mae Bradley, Mrs. Lura Catlin, Mrs. Clara Cowels, Mrs. Bernice Creaser, Mrs. Nettie Daniels, Mrs. Lillian McNeil, Mrs. Edna Scott, Mrs. Lulu Smith, Mrs. Inez Schulze, Mrs. Elma Roberts and Mrs. Maude Wolcott.

DUPLAIN AND OVID LIBRARY CLUB — Mrs. Sadie Treat, Mrs. Daisy Neelands, Mrs. Ina Simons, Mrs. Anna Webber, Mrs. Jessie Goodrich, Mrs. Gladys Hall, Mrs. Edna Myers, Mrs. Mae Hall, Mrs. Vina Smith, Mrs. Carrie Coleman, Mrs. Florence DeVries, Mrs. Della Olson, Mrs. Mabel Bartlett, Mrs. Bertha Treat, Mrs. Mary Gleason, Mrs. Majel Miller, Mrs. Effie Wilson, Mrs. Lydia Lapham, Mrs. Pearl Mulder, Mrs. Eva Schwark, Mrs. Walter Jones and Mrs. Izetta Lang.

WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP — Miss Irene Anderson, Mrs. Mary Anderson, Mrs. Sarah Bedaine, Mrs. Hazel Bowers, Mrs. Effie Bush, Mrs. Mable Ingalls, Jr., Miss Esther Ingalls, Mrs. Carrie

Patterson and Mrs. Mable Ingalls, Sr.

MAPLE RAPIDS — Mrs. Bertha Abbott, Mrs. Sylvia Aldrich, Mrs. Gladys Annis, Mrs. Pearl E. Brown, Mrs. Ethelyn Chase, Mrs. Mary Allen, Mrs. Grace Upton, Miss Mary Snyder, Mrs. Alma Smith, Mrs. Erma Smith, Mrs. Nina Reist, Mrs. Bertha Winsor and Mrs. Leatha Wyman.

LEBANON — Mrs. Nora Jaquish, Mrs. Clara Parker, Mrs. Emma Mundell, Mrs. Lizzie Foley, Jr., Mrs. Minnie Chapman, Mrs. Ethel Moss, Mrs. Effie Salisbury, Mrs. Anna Schaffer, Mrs. Carrie Jaquish, Mrs. Edith Sowle, Mrs. Woodbury, Mrs. Eda White and Mrs. Nina Gordanier.

Here is a list of births in the Dec. 15, 1955 issue of the Republican News. This tells of the birth of my very first grandchild!!!

Births in the county

CLINTON COUNTY REPUBLICAN NEWS, DEC. 15, 1955 — It's a girl, Dec. 8:

Debra Sue, Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor, DeWitt (Ardis DeMarais); Kathryn Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Simmon, Fowler (Germaine Pline).

It's a girl, Dec. 10:

Luann, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gensterblum, Westphalia (Marcella Martin); Lora Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Earle Thornton, Elsie (Cereta DeVries); Rosalie Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Aurelio Vallin, St. Johns (Beatrice Medina).

It's a girl, Dec. 11:

Debra Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Schafer, Muir (Patricia Riley).

It's a boy, Dec. 6:

Mark Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Benjamin, Lyons (Naomi Roland).

It's a boy, Dec. 10:

Thomas Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Zamaron, Ithaca (Mary St. Pierre); Russell Arden, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Densmore, Ashley (Dorothy Mitchell).

It's a boy, Dec. 12:

Kim Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Delo, Carson City (Nettie Freeland).

It's a boy, Dec. 13:

Randy Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Dallray Spiece, DeWitt (Francis Ishmead).

Letters

Coaches should emphasize fun

In being close to someone who lives and loves football, I have come to realize not only the technical aspects of the game, but also many different aspects of coaching. I know that coaching on any level, especially the high school level, should be more than any ego trip for the coach. It should be more than making the team run extra sprints and more than winning or losing on game nights.

It should be fun for the kids and a learning experience for them. The at-

mosphere during practices and on game nights should be kept loose, in order for the kids to have a positive mental attitude and to put forth their best team effort.

I know from first-hand experience that the St. Johns junior varsity football team operates this way because my father, Roger DePaepe, is the head coach. Ask anyone on the j.v. team about the team attitude. They'll tell you they work hard, but that they do this and have fun at the same time. I ad-

mire my Dad for running his practices this way and also for being a friend to those on the team. He feels that if you treat the kids as more than just players they will show you the respect you deserve.

There is another coach in town who doesn't have the respect of the majority of his players nor of most of his fellow coaches. His name is Joe Gonzales and he is on an ego trip, folks. If his team wins, HE did a fantastic coaching job. However, if they lose, he is quick to blame others; his team, his assistant coaches, the officials, the fans... you get the picture.

I believe that if it isn't fun for the kids, the coach should be replaced. In pro football, the players can

demand to be traded if they don't like the coach or the team they're with. However, in high school, kids don't have much say. They can't demand their parents move, and since they love football they'll stay with the team.

Isn't it unfortunate, though, that they aren't happy with the program? I think so. If you agree with me, send a note to (Superintendent) Earl Gabriel, care of St. Johns High School, and tell him so. Don't sit back and think something should be done. It's gone too far. Together, we can stop it.

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DeWitt mother upset by doll's 'death'

To the editor:

My husband's Friday evening started out with what was to be fun night for Father and sons at the DeWitt Panther football game Friday, Sept. 23.

Our sons, one preschooler and one first grader, each brought along with them a favorite stuffed toy. Just before

halftime, Daddy took the boys to the concession stand. One of our sons accidentally left his "Ernie" doll on the bleacher seat.

When Father and sons returned, to their seats, trauma instantly set in! The "Ernie" doll that had been left there was torn to shreds and left on the seat for our son to witness a favorite toy's death!

What possible could have made a young adult do such a cruel thing? Parents of DeWitt children - I am calling on you to take responsibility for your children's actions at our football games!

It is our responsibility as parents to care and know how our children are performing in public places.

Mary Anne Lerner
A Caring DeWitt
Mother

Ovid-Elsie spaghetti dinner termed a success

To the editor:

Many thanks should go at this time to the more than 400 people who attended the Ovid-Elsie Sports Boosters Spaghetti Dinner on Friday, Sept. 23. Your support of Marauder athletics is much appreciated.

Praise should first be heaped on our co-

chairpersons and cooks, Judy Burl, Loretta Holt, Jean Fisher and Pat Gardner. For help and donations we also wish to thank the following: Sue Wakefield and her kitchen staff, Sue Smith, Larry Martin, Michigan Milk, Don Hinkley and The Elsie Advertiser, Smith's Party Store and Main Street Pizzeria in Ovid. Likewise,

thanks should be given to all team members and their parents who gave long hours in the preparation and serving of the many meals.

And so, to those of you who enjoyed the meal - we are very happy, and we hope you will return again to our next one.

Don Barlow, cross country coach
Mary Ann Lewis, girls tennis coach

Births

LINTS: To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lints of St. Johns, Sept. 20 at Clinton Memorial Hospital, a daughter, Sara. She weighed 7 lbs. and 13½ ozs. The baby has one brother. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bickford of Ashley and Mr. Clifford Lints of Detroit. The mother is the former Teresa Bickford.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON INCREASING PROPERTY TAXES

The Board of Commissioners of Clinton County will hold a public hearing on a proposed increase of .6605 mills in the operating tax millage rate to be levied in 1983.

The hearing had been scheduled for Tuesday, September 27th at 10:00 o'clock in the a.m. has been rescheduled for October 11th at 10:00 a.m. in the Board of Commissioners Room, Clinton County Courthouse, St. Johns, MI 48879.

If adopted, the proposed additional millage will increase operating revenues from ad valorem property taxes 13.6% over such revenues generated by levies permitted without holding a hearing.

The taxing unit publishing this notice, and identified below, has complete authority to establish the number of mills to be levied from within its authorized millage rate.

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obituaries

Arlene M. Fox

Arlene M. Fox, 72, of 2489 Mapes Rd., Mio, died Sunday, Sept. 25, at Grayling Mercy Hospital.

Born Jan. 31, 1911, at Bay City, she was the daughter of John and Bernice (Hylar) Davis. She lived 21 years in Mio and most of her life in Lansing before then. A housewife, she married Glen L. Fox Aug. 22, 1970, in Atlanta, MI.

Survivors include her husband; one daughter, Mrs. Keith (Darlene) Bushnell of Lansing; one son and daughter-in-law, Dale and Doris Moss of Atlanta, MI; seven grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. Carol Wilson of Atlanta, MI.

Services were held Wednesday, Sept. 28, 1 p.m., at Abbott Chapel of the Osgood Funeral Homes, with Rev. Lionel Mohr. Burial was at Sowle Cemetery.

Hazel F. Blayney

Hazel F. Blayney, 92, of Elsie, died Wednesday, Sept. 21, at National Health Enterprises.

Born Dec. 22, 1890 in Elsie, she was the daughter of Jefferson and Philena Huffman. She lived most of her life in Elsie and married George Blayney in Elsie Aug. 20, 1919. He preceded her in death in December of 1972.

She was a life member of the Elsie Order of the Eastern Star and the Elsie Literary Club. She also was a member of the Elsie United Methodist Church. Prior to her wedding, she taught at Mead rural school, St. Charles and

Sault Ste. Marie. She was also a principal at Wyandotte.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Lulavene Purves of Lansing; four grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren.

Services were held Saturday, Sept. 24, 1 p.m., at Elsie United Methodist Church, with Rev. Joseph Glover. Burial was at Riverside Cemetery.

Louis A. Spitzley

Louis A. Spitzley, 86, of 321 Washington St., Portland, died Sept. 23.

Born May 13, 1897 in Westphalia, he was the son of William and Mary (Thelen) Spitzley.

Survivors include his wife, Theresa; two sons, Daniel of Portland and Eugene of Lansing; two daughters, Mrs. Marie Manning of Portland and Mrs. Margaret Miekko of Baraga; 15 grandchildren; one great-grandchild; one

brother, Anthony of Portland and eight sisters, Theresa of Grand Rapids, Catherine Williams of Portland, Anna Miller of Lyons, Ida Fox of Pewamo, Amelia Tanghe of Lansing, Rosella Huhn of Grand Ledge; Genevieve Clark of Wacousta and Antonio of Nazareth.

Services were held Monday, Sept. 26, at St. Patrick's Church of Portland.

Marguerite Catherine Banks

Marguerite Catherine (Mimi) Banks, 83, of 1202

Alpine Dr., DeWitt, died Sunday, Sept. 25.

She was the wife of the late William James Banks, formerly of Chandler, Az., and Evanston, Ill.

Survivors include one daughter, Anne Liebrecht of DeWitt; three sons, Jim of Glenview, Ill.; Aubrey of Scottsdale, Az. and Bob of Louisville, Ky; 15 grandchildren; three great-grandchildren and one sister, Elizabeth Boyle of Chicago.

Services will be held in Glenview, Ill., on Friday, Sept. 30, at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church.

Burial will be at All-Saints Cemetery, Des Plaines, Ill., with arrangements being made by the DeWitt Area Chapel.

Births

WEBER: To Mr. and Mrs. Gary J. Weber, 134 E. Randolph, Lansing, Sept. 10 at Lansing Sparrow Hospital, a son, Trevor James. The mother is the former Marie E. Wieber.

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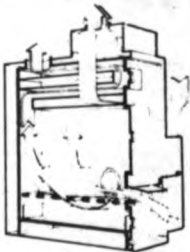
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THE CLINTON COUNTY FARM BUREAU will hold its annual meeting Tuesday, Oct. 11, at the St. Johns High School cafeteria. An open buffet dinner will be served from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. with the annual business session following. Ticket price is \$5 per person.

THE CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH at 410 Maple St., Maple Rapids, will be holding its annual Turkey Supper and Bazaar on Thursday, Oct. 6. The bazaar will open at 4 p.m. and serving for the family-style supper will begin at 5 p.m.

THE PEWAMO-WESTPHALIA COMMUNITY PLAYERS will be holding tryouts for "The Impossible Years," a comedy which will be held at Pewamo Elementary School Oct. 3-4 at 7 p.m. For more information, contact Phil Thelen at 587-6770 or Dennis Pilmore at 593-2265.

THE BATH BAND BOOSTER CLUB will hold a meeting Monday, Oct. 3, at 7 p.m. in the high school band room. The Band Boosters will be taking

orders for apple pies until Oct. 30. Prices are two for \$5, four for \$11 or \$3 each.

A COLOR CRUISE AND ISLAND FESTIVAL will be held in Grand Ledge Oct. 7-9. Boat rides will be available every hour from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. each day. Admission to the Island and parking are free. Cost of the 45-minute boat ride is \$2. For more information, call Mardelle Weymouth at 627-2383.

STUDENTS INTERESTED IN CENTRAL MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY'S external degree programs may obtain information at a meeting Oct. 8 in Lansing. The meeting will begin at 9:30 a.m. and will last about 90 minutes, at Ingham Medical Center, Suite 30, 405 W. Greenlawn. For more information, call 774-3865, ext. 257.

SENIOR CITIZENS FIELD TRIPS to Cedar Springs and Meadowbrook Mall in Rochester are being planned now. The Oct. 1 trip to the Cedar Springs Red Flannel Festival will include arts and crafts, a flea market, mule pull, chicken barbeque, music and the fiddlers' jamboree

and old-fashioned square dancing for \$14. The Meadowbrook Christmas Walk tour is set for Dec. 7 and includes transportation, admission to the walk and lunch for \$24. For more information, call the Clinton County Senior Citizens Drop-in Center at 224-4257 or stop at 315 N. Clinton Ave., St. Johns.

DANCE CELEBRATION, a new entertainment series this season, will be presented at the Michigan State University Wharton Center

beginning Oct. 27. Featured performers will be the Caracas New World Ballet, the Black Light Theatre of Prague, the Feld Ballet and Bella Lewitzky of Los Angeles. All performances are at 8:15 in the center. Series tickets are \$25, \$30, \$40 and \$50 for the public and are being sold at the Wharton Center Box Office. Phone orders can be placed at 355-6688.

THE DEWITT TOWN AND COUNTRY HERITAGE HOME TOUR

will be held Oct. 8 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tickets are \$3 a person or two for \$5. Home to be visited are: the Dills-Vaughn House, built in 1873; the Scott-Robison House, built in 1847; the Blizzard-Dieter House, built in 1873 and the Pate-Coin House, built in 1883. Other events include a chicken barbeque from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Memorial Building, a history display and a monument dedication honoring Eunice Scott, the first woman pioneer of Clinton County, which will

be held at 2 p.m. at the cemetery.

THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE RADIO AUCTION has been set for Thursday, Oct. 20 and Friday, Oct. 21. The Clinton County Child Safety Committee will share in the proceeds. Each Chamber member will be asked to donate an item or service. Phone bids for the auction will be taken on Auction Days from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. by calling either 224-7911 or 224-7181.

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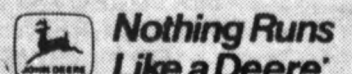
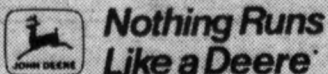
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St. Johns' Joyce Fedewa to wed

Francis and Viola Fedewa of 105 Oak St., St. Johns, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Joyce Marie, to Stephen Michael Wahoski of East Lansing.

The groom-elect lives at 1516 Cedarview Lane, Lansing, and is a graduate of St. Johns High School. She attended Lansing Community College and Michigan State University and is employed by the U.S. Postal Service, Lansing.

The groom-elect lives at 308 Michigan Ave., Apt. 207, East Lansing, and is the son of Clarence and Mary Wahoski, 7521 Williamsburg, Lansing. He is a graduate of Lansing Catholic Central High School and a 1977 Michigan State graduate.

The groom-elect is also employed by the U.S. Postal Service, Lansing.

A May 5, 1984, wedding is planned.

looking ahead

A GIRL SCOUT MEMBERSHIP RALLY day is being held Saturday, Oct. 1 at the Civic Center in Lansing from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Plenty of activities include clowns, special guests, dancing and more.

A RADIO AUCTION will be held by the St. Johns Area Chamber of Commerce Thursday and Friday, Oct. 20 and 21. Each chamber member will be asked to donate an item for bidding.

CLINTON COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY AUCTION will be held Oct. 1, 2 p.m., at Uncle John's Cider Mill, north US-27 7.5 miles north of St. Johns. For more information, call Sally White, 669-3625.

A SWISS STEAK DINNER will be held Saturday, Oct. 15, at the Maple Rapids Masonic Temple at 5 p.m. Menu includes potatoes, green beans, rolls, salads and home-made pie and beverages. Prices are \$4 for adults and \$3 for children under 12 years old. Children under age five are admitted free.

A DRAMA ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING will be held Sept. 29 at 7 p.m. at the DeWitt Memorial Building. Adults or children interested in community drama productions are invited. The meeting is sponsored by the DeWitt Arts and Crafts Council. For more information, call 669-3625.

THE CLINTON COUNTY REPUBLICAN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the county courthouse, St. Johns, Oct. 6. The public is welcome.

ST. JOHNS BAND ALUMNI will be meeting Friday, Oct. 21, for their annual gathering.

THE FULTON BOOSTERS will be having their second annual Fall Harvest Festival Saturday, Oct. 1 and Sunday, Oct. 2. Boosters are selling raffle tickets on a hog. A chicken barbeque and softball tournament will be held at Fulton High School, at the corner of Ely Highway and M-57. Proceeds will go to Fulton sports. For more information, call Marilyn Winsor at 236-7234.

THE 10TH ANNUAL CLINTON COUNTY MARCHING SHOW will be presented Saturday, Oct. 1, at the St. Johns football field at 7 p.m. Nine area bands will be represented — Ashley, Bath, DeWitt, Fowler, Laingsburg, Ovid-Elsie, Pewamo-

Westphalia, St. Johns freshman band and St. Johns High School band.

THE MICHIGAN ASSOCIATION OF RETIRED SCHOOL PERSONNEL will meet for a potluck luncheon at the Eagle Township Hall at noon Monday, Oct. 3.

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□ Marine Pfc. **Jerald K. Peters**, son of James W.

and **Joyce B. Peters** of 5086 E. Centerline Rd., St. Johns, has been promoted to his present rank while serving with the 3rd Marine Aircraft Wing, Marine Corps Helicopter Air Station, Tustin, CA.

□ **Lorie Shooltz** of DeWitt, a graduate student in theatre at Western Illinois University, is serving as assistant director for "Ladyhouse Blues," which is playing today through Saturday, Oct. 1, in Browne Hall Theatre.

WATERTOWN CHARTER TOWNSHIP

ORDINANCE No. 7
"Watertown Charter Township
Liquor License Ordinance"

Notice is hereby given of the publication of Ordinance No. 7, to be known as the "Watertown Charter Township Liquor License Ordinance", an ordinance to create and establish procedures and standards for the review of new applications for liquor licenses, for periodic renewals thereof, for revocation of such licenses, and for the hearing of objections to such renewal and/or request for relocation, to establish standards for applicants and to delineate criteria for the utilization of any license permitting the sale of beer, wine or spirit with said township and, to provide for hearings and to provide an effective date hereof.

A true copy of the proposed ordinance is available for public inspection at the Township Offices, 12803 S. Wacousta Rd., Grand Ledge, ph. 626-6593, on Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., or at the home of the Township Clerk, Charlene Borgeson, 13744 Summer Lane, Grand Ledge, ph. 626-6973.

A public hearing of the proposed ordinance will take place at the regular board meeting, October 11, 1983, 7:00 p.m.

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Wedding



Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Grubaugh

St. Johns couple exchanges vows

St. Joseph Catholic Church was the site of a Sept. 3 double-ring ceremony uniting Annette Jean Fero and Kevin Duane Grubaugh.

Parents of the bride are Richard and Mary Ann Fero of 605 N. Ottawa, St. Johns. Parents of the groom are Kieth and Barbara Grubaugh of Maple Rapids Rd., St. Johns.

The bride wore a white gown of chantilly lace. Her Queen Anne neckline was accented with pearls and sequins, with a long sleeve of chantilly lace.

An A-line skirt flowed into a chapel length train, with the bottom of the skirt built with tiers of chantilly lace. Her hat of chantilly lace was accented with pearls and bridal illusion accents.

Flowers were white daisies and carnations with blue forget-me-nots with light blue streamers. She also wore her late grandmother's green and gold emerald earrings.

White daisy mums adorned the altar as Jackie Snyder played on the organ and Margaret Pitman sang.

Maid of honor was Chris Fero, sister of the bride, from St. Johns. She wore a light blue nylon chiffon dress with a ruffle on the bottom. It was gathered into a bustle and accented with chantilly lace on the neckline and cuffs of long sleeves. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Teresa Malek of DeWitt and Miss Tina Rewerts of St. Johns.

Best man was Kieth Grubaugh, brother of the groom, from St. Johns. Groomsmen were Rod Atkinson of St. Johns and Dan Myers of Haslett.

Ushers were Jan Muller of St. Johns and Kurt Wright of St. Johns.

Special guests included Pearl Phillips and Glen McNeil, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kosth, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Grubaugh and Mr. and Mrs. Joe VanRooyan of St. Johns.

A reception was held at the VFW Hall of St. Johns, which was decorated with white and blue streamers with white wedding bells and light blue candles on each table. Joyce Stoddard, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Pettigrew, Trisha Wood and Pam Kosloski assisted at the reception.

The couple honeymooned at Niagara Falls, N.Y., and returned to their home at 206 E. Lincoln St., St. Johns.

Classified is the people-to-people form of advertising.

WATERTOWN CHARTER TOWNSHIP

Synopsis of minutes
Regular meeting, Sept. 12, 1983

Meeting called to order at 7:08 p.m. by Supervisor Huntoon. Pledge given.

Roll call: All present. Agenda approved with additions. Minutes of August 8, August 10, and Sept. 7 were approved. Treasurer's report received subject to audit. Bills approved for payment.

Action Items:

1. Approved Case ZBA 19-9-83, variance request for G Patrick.
 2. Tabled complaint re: 1983 rate of taxation.
 3. Preliminary budget for 1984 approved.
 4. Budget adjustments approved.
 5. Maner, Costerisan and Ellis requested to evaluate internal control factors between Clerk's and Treasurer's office.
 6. Attorney directed to recommend changes in Cablevision Ordinance.
 7. Act 641 Solid Waste Plan disapproved.
 8. Liquor Ordinance approved for publication.
 9. MTA District meeting attendance approved.
 10. Tax administration fee proposal tabled.
 11. Purchase of phone answerer approved.
- Meeting adjourned, 9:55 p.m.

Charlene M. Borgeson, Clerk

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Over the Fence

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□ **Barbara Lehnen**, daughter of David and Margaret Lehnen of 505 S. Mead, St. Johns, will be participating in Olivet College's fall production of the musical "Cabaret" on Nov. 17-19. The 1982 St. Johns High School graduate will be performing the part of Sally Bowles. Barbara is a sophomore studying theatre performance.

□ **Army Reserve Pfc. Larri L. Gabrion**, daughter of **Gerald I. Gabrion** of 809 W. Geneva Dr., DeWitt, and **Carolyn E. Gabrion-Rench** of Ithaca, has completed basic training at Fort Dix, N.J. During the training, she received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid and Army history and traditions.

Hunters receive safety tips

By AL PALMERI

When Clinton County bow and arrow hunters head for the woods Saturday to mark the start of deer season, many of them will remember the tips they learned from Larry Plowman, Roger Jorae and Bill Butler.

The St. Johns men are certified hunter safety instructors who have been instructing county youths for years in the ancient art. Recently, their hunter safety course at Sleepy Hollow Conservation Club ran from Sept. 7-9.

None of the instructors receives wages for their efforts. It's strictly volunteer.

"I like working with kids," Plowman said. "I've worked with Little League in the past. If I didn't enjoy it, I wouldn't do it."

Plowman has taught the class since 1973. He has instructed his two sons, Daniel and Terry, and daughter, Jennifer, in the course, which is designed for hunters between the ages of 12 and 16.

The instructors teach the young hunters such things as gun handling, sportsmanship, survival, hunter-landowner relations, boating, hunter ethics and hunter responsibilities.

Starting in 1971, first-time Michigan hunters between the ages of 12 and 16 were required to have a certified hunter's safety certificate. That's when

the 11 hours of hunter safety instruction became mandatory.

Instructors are certified after passing a test administered by the state Department of Natural

Resources.

One of the aspects Plowman likes to emphasize is hunter-landowner relations. He shudders when he hears stories of hunters trampling

ing down farmer's fences or abusing other aspects of a landowner's property.

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Fowler stays perfect

By AL PALMERI
Sports Editor

Football

It was one of those plays that seemed innocent but nearly proved to be deadly.

The situation seemed simple for the Fowler football team. The Eagles were leading Portland St. Patrick, 13-6, last Friday, and were running out the clock. St. Patrick was desperately holding its ground deep in its own territory, stopping Fowler's runners and calling timeouts.

Soon, it was fourth down, with under a minute to go, and Fowler coach Steve Spicer faced a decision. Out trotted kicker Bob Simon to attempt a chip-shot field goal.

Instead of conceding the clinching points, the visiting Shamrocks smashed through the line and blocked Simon's kick. Then, with no Eagles between the ball and the Fowler goal line, the ball bounced upward toward the arms of a St. Patrick's player.

Fortunately for Fowler, the player couldn't scoop it in time to dash for a touchdown. Players converged on the ball and no one could advance it. Then, St. Patrick could only get off two passes before time expired.

Spicer, whose team improved to 3-0, admitted to a touch of anxiety when he saw the blocked kick.

"We probably should have run the ball," he said.

In assessing the Central Michigan Athletic Conference opener, Spicer was pleased his team could turn back the previously unbeaten Shamrocks.

"It helps make us mentally tough, because we're going to see a lot of close ballgames in the last six," Spicer said.

Fowler broke to a 7-0

lead after Scott Rowell recovered a Shamrock fumble on the St. Patrick's 30 in the first quarter. Tom Simon carried one yard for the touchdown and Bob Simon kicked the extra point.

The Eagles scored the winning touchdown with 46 seconds left in the first half on a beautifully executed pass from Steve Goerge to Giles Feldpausch. Goerge led Feldpausch perfectly on a slant pattern, and Feldpausch weaved through the defense to complete the 41-yard play.

St. Patrick climbed back into the game in the fourth quarter. Quarterback Kirk Beard found Jim Simon on a 40-yard bomb which moved the ball to the Fowler 8. The Shamrocks ran their leading rusher, Bruce Cook, four times, and the senior tailback scored from three yards out on an option pitch with 10:04 left.

After Fowler's Joel Thelen recovered an on-side kick, St. Patrick's forced an Eagle punt. Beard started passing the team upfield, but Fowler's Joe Bertram helped stall the drive by sacking Beard for a six-yard loss.

Bertram also came up with a big play in the second quarter, after the Shamrocks had marched to the Fowler 28. He smelled out a fourth-down screen pass and tackled Cook for a loss.

In a third quarter highlight, Bertram booted a punt 66 yards.

Fowler finished with 157 total yards, with Tom Simon gaining 64 on the ground. The Eagles completed two of four passes for 49 yards.

St. Patrick had 139 yards. Cook rushed for 59 and Beard passed for 85,



Fowler's Tom Simon was held in check for most of the night by Portland St. Patrick, but he did score one touchdown. (Photo by Jeff Wilson)

completing eight in 18 attempts.

Fowler faces another 3-0 team this week when it travels to Laingsburg.

Two Eagle linemen — guard Seth Wright and tackle Ken Farley — could miss the game because of injuries suffered in the St. Patrick game. Wright will miss the game with a bruised knee and Farley could be sidelined with a sprained ankle, Spicer said.

Ovid-Elsie

Chesaning's 21-12 victory over Ovid-Elsie last Friday was not a pretty sight for O-E football coach Russ Pope.

"We looked lousy, we played lousy and I kind of coached lousy," Pope said.

The Marauders, falling from the ranks of the unbeaten, had trouble both offensively and defensively against 2-1 Chesaning. Quarterback Mark Schneider was sacked four times and top rusher Jon Martin could manage only 52 yards in 13 carries.

When Chesaning had the ball, the Indians were busy racking up 172 yards rushing and 105 passing.

Quarterback Rob Stewart put Chesaning ahead for good in the first quarter when he found Mark Forsyth on a 27-yard touchdown pass.

O-E came back to score in the second quarter, when Schneider ran 15 yards for a touchdown to cap a 95-yard drive. The Marauders trailed, 7-6, after missing the extra point kick.

Chesaning then scored two touchdowns before O-E came back to score late on a three-yard run by Martin.

Three fumbles and one pass interception hurt the Marauders. Chesaning, on the other hand, did not have a turnover.

"It's one of those teams if you played them again, we could have beaten them," Pope said.

Scott Gardner led the Marauder defense with 12 tackles.

Corunna, 1-2 overall and 1-0 in the conference, visits O-E Friday after whipping Ionia, 20-0 last week. In that game, Corunna piled up all of its 280 yards in total offense on the ground.

Besides figuring out a way to slow down Corunna's running backs, Pope has to come up with a backup quarterback. O-E coaches spent two days of practice this week training a new backup in the wake

of senior Thad Ridsdale quitting the team.

Pewamo-Westphalia

For the first time in at least a decade, Pewamo-Westphalia's football team has lost two of its first three games.

When the Pirates fell, 7-0, to Laingsburg last Friday, after losing by the same score to DeWitt the week before, coach Mike Folk had to search the years to remember a similar season's beginning.

His thoughts drifted back to 1973, when his Pirate junior varsity team started off 1-2. He could not remember a varsity team in that 10-year span that had started off in similar fashion.

A major reason for the start, Folk said, is the presence of only six seniors on the varsity roster. The graduation of 10 starters from last year's offense has also been felt.

"It's pretty hard for kids to step right in and execute," said Folk, reflecting on an offense which has produced one touchdown in three games. "We had to throw mainly j.v. kids in. We had three linemen that played varsity ball last year, but none of the three played much offense.

"The cycle revolves, and sometimes you don't get the talent. We're going to have an excellent team, but it takes time."

Against Laingsburg, Folk shouldered the burden of defeat. He blamed himself for not preparing the team well enough for Laingsburg's backfield fakes.

After recovering a fumble on the P-W 37, Laingsburg's ground-oriented offense moved for the game's only touchdown. Faking efficiently on their handoffs from the "T" formation, the Wolfpack moved into position for John Cody's three-yard touchdown run. One key was fullback Scott Shaw's 14-yard burst on a trap play.

"We just ran by him," Folk said. "The fakes were so good we didn't realize he had the ball. I think it was more of a coaching mistake."

"You have to read what the blocker ahead of you does. You have to know, based on what he does, what to expect. You can't sit and watch the fakes. They're too good."

Clinton County

Sports

Redwing rally topples Alma

When a team loses its first two games and falls behind by two touchdowns in the first quarter of its third game, there isn't much cause for rejoicing.

Such was the case last Friday, when host Alma struck for 14 quick points against St. Johns.

"On the sidelines, I said, 'I know we can move it, we've just got to stop them,'" related Redwing coach Joe Gonzales. "We're worried at this point. We're sitting there saying, 'My God, we haven't stopped them yet.'"

But when the Redwings finally stopped the Panthers, the tide swiftly turned. Powered by Chad Munger's running and Brian Bates' artful execution at quarterback, St. Johns recovered to post a 21-14 victory.

Munger, switched from upback to tailback, rambled for 166 yards in 30 carries. Bates repeatedly fooled Alma with fakes and completed four of five passes for 81 yards and two touchdowns.

The win boosted St. Johns into a first-place tie in the Mid-Michigan 'B' Conference entering Friday's home opener against Ionia. It was Alma's first loss following two non-conference wins.

St. Johns scored its first touchdown on Munger's one-yard plunge in the second quarter.

Alma marched to the

Redwing 8 and threatened to rebuild its lead to two touchdowns. But St. Johns' Rick LaBar intercepted a pass in the end zone to squelch the threat.

St. Johns tied it up before halftime when Bates hit Chris Loucks on a 40-yard play-action pass for a touchdown. Another play-action pass to Loucks, this time covering 11 yards, produced the game-winning score in the fourth quarter. Bates then kicked the last of his three extra points.

In between those scoring plays, Munger kept hammering away at the Panther defense. St. Johns profited from strong blocking, but also from an Alma scouting report which listed Loucks as the team's primary ballcarrier.

"They were keying on Loucks," Gonzales said. "Everytime he would take off, they would say, 'Watch 32! Watch 32!'"

Gonzales praised the downfield blocking of end Marty Martens, in particular, as one of the keys to St. Johns gaining 222 yards on the ground.

Alma rushed for 188 yards and passed for 83, but five interceptions by the St. Johns secondary wrecked the Panthers' hopes.

Ionia comes to St. Johns 0-3, after losing, 20-0, to Corunna. St. Johns is presently tied with Corunna and Chesaning atop the conference standings.

County picks

We swallowed humble pie last week for picking only three winners in the six county football games. That left the season record at 10-7, for a .589 pick percentage.

Corunna vs. Ovid-Elsie: The Marauders have incentive since it is Homecoming, but Corunna has a powerful rushing attack. Corunna 22, Ovid-Elsie 13.

Ionia vs. St. Johns: The Redwings finally open their home schedule and they don't disappoint the fans. St. Johns pounces on the Bulldogs and climbs to 2-2. St. Johns 20, Ionia 0.

DeWitt vs. Okemos: Don't waste your time reading this pick. The Panthers have fooled us three straight times. The best prediction is that they'll probably fool us again, which would mean a loss. DeWitt 14, Okemos 0.

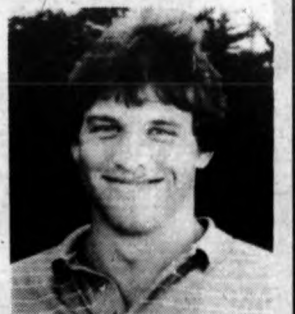
Bath vs. Fowlerville: The Bees hit the road again and pull out another victory. Bath slips past the Gladiators and moves to 3-0 in the Ingham County League. Bath 13, Fowlerville 12.

Fowler vs. Laingsburg: A pair of 3-0 teams butt heads for the Central Michigan Athletic Conference lead. Fowler finds out Laingsburg's win over Pewamo-Westphalia was no fluke. Laingsburg 7, Fowler 3.

Pewamo-Westphalia vs. Fulton: P-W needs a victory to stay in the CMAC hunt, but Fulton's experience in the skill positions pays off. Fulton 14, P-W 6.

Redwing Diary

By CHAD MUNGER



Thirsting for a victory, the St. Johns football team traveled to Alma to open the Mid-Michigan 'B' football season last Friday. Sparked by Chad Munger's 166 yards rushing in 30 carries, the Redwings quenched that thirst.

Munger expresses the thrill of victory this week in the latest installment of his weekly diaries for the Clinton County News.

Game No. 3 — It seems like it took forever, but we finally came out on top. It feels great!

Everyone was ready to play Friday, especially the offensive line. From end to end, it manhandled the Alma defense all night long. And the Panther defensive ends began to wonder if they should have stayed in bed after the first couple of times they met junior upback Pat Makara.

Quarterback Brian Bates showed how he can really play as he threw two touchdown passes and led the offense smoothly all evening.

After a slow first half, the defense came on a little stronger, with defensive backs Rick LaBar, Chris Loucks and Jeff Hayes stealing five Eric Smith aeriars.

This week, we take on a hard-hitting Ionia team in the second game of our campaign to defend the MMB title.

Marauders stop P-W express

After Ovid-Elsie shocked the mid-Michigan basketball world by knocking off non-conference rival and state-ranked Pewamo-Westphalia last Thursday, Marauder coach Mary Hudecek was not afraid to say her team was worthy of a state ranking of its own.

Well, coach, good things come to those who wait.

Listed among the honorable mentions in the latest girls basketball coaches' poll is — surprise — Ovid-Elsie. The Marauders are one of four teams in the Lansing area to pop up in the Class B rankings.

Lansing Waverly is rated seventh, while Haslett and Okemos join O-E as honorable mentions.

The Pirates, meanwhile, dropped to seventh in the Class C poll. The Detroit Free Press, however, had

Basketball

them second in its weekly top 10.

O-E's victory over P-W was the classic case of David beating up on Goliath. Hudecek's specially-designed triangle-and-two defense worked effectively in negating the Pirates' height advantage and allowed the quicker Marauders to pull out a 50-45 upset.

"I think there were 11 people in the gym who thought we could win the game — me and the kids on the team," Hudecek laughed. "We always think we have a chance against anybody. You have to have that attitude if you want to win consistently."

It is difficult to pinpoint one heroine for the

Marauders. Junior Paula Coleman probably had the best all around game on paper, recording 13 points and nine rebounds.

Mary Perrien added 12 points and five steals while Kelly McCue chipped in with 10 points. Guard Teri Woodbury, who started the game on the bench because she was under the weather, made her presence felt before the night was out by racking up a game-high eight thefts.

O-E led 10-8 after one quarter and increased the lead to 24-15 by halftime. From there, it hung on for dear life.

The Pirates played the Marauders to a 14-14 draw in the third period and then outscored them 16-12 in the final eight minutes. It was too little, too late, however, and the O-E gym reverberated with sounds of ecstasy.

In other action last week, Ovid-Elsie outlasted Chesaning, 18-14, in a slow-down game. Chesaning attempted just 11 field goals the entire night, making good on five of them.

O-E hit seven of its 25 shots from the floor.

Fowler

Get ready for the new-look Fowler basketball team.

Sluggish is out and aggressiveness is in.

"We're going to start fast-breaking more and pressing more," promised Eagle coach Denny Smith. "We have to start forcing the tempo a little bit."

Smith decided to employ his new game plan after watching his Eagles drop back-to-back decisions to Laingsburg, 47-41, and Ashley, 57-20, last week. In each case, Fowler fell behind early and was never able to recover.

"We're having a tough time getting started," Smith explained. "I'm not sure what it is. Maybe we're not mentally prepared."

Case in point: Thursday's loss to Ashley, the fourth-rated Class D team in the state. The Eagles fell behind 15-4 by the end of the first quarter and trailed 23-5 at halftime.

After mounting

St. Johns

somewhat of a comeback in the third period, in which they enjoyed a 15-12 scoring advantage, the Eagles were shutout in the final quarter, 18-0.

"The game was every bit as one-sided as the score indicated," Smith sighed. "Ashley's a very, very nice ball club. If they play like that all the time, they'll definitely go some places."

Foul shooting has also been plaguing Fowler. In its two games last week, the team made just 11 of 35 shots from the charity stripe.

"You just can't win games doing that," Smith pointed out.

Fowler entered action this week with a 3-3 overall record and 1-1 in the Central Michigan Athletic Conference.

The Redwings have been playing heads and shoulders above their competition this year — literally.

"We're taller than quite a few of the schools we play," smiled Redwing coach Beth Swears. "We're penetrating inside

and getting some good shots."

Such was the case in St. Johns' 48-38 win over Alma last Tuesday. Center Brenda Eiseler led the front-line attack with 16 points, hitting eight of nine shots from the field.

Pam Sehlke and Amy Hartsuff, meanwhile, dominated the boards and grabbed 21 rebounds between them.

St. Johns enjoyed a seven-point lead at half, 23-

16, and then ballooned that to 41-22 by the end of three quarters.

"If and when we get it all together, we could be dynamite," Swears said. "Right now it's been offense one night and defense another, but we can't seem to get them both together."

The Redwings entered play this week with a 4-1 record. Their only loss previous to this week was to Williamston.

Sports briefs

DeWitt beats Lakewood, O-E

The DeWitt girls' tennis team beat Lakewood and Ovid-Elsie last week before losing, 6-1, to Capital Circuit foe Eaton Rapids.

In the matches against Ovid-Elsie and Lakewood, No. 1 singles player Jennifer Russell, No. 2 Micki Cassada, No. 3 Debbie Striater and No. 4 Pam Liebricht helped out with victories. Liebricht was the only winner against Eaton Rapids.

Fowler golf team cancels season

Due to lack of interest, Fowler school officials decided to drop boys golf as a varsity sport this season.

The decision was made, athletic director Steve Spicer said, when only one boy who was not involved with football expressed an interest in the team.

Spicer said interest in golf declined when five senior players graduated last year. That group included Dave Koenigsknecht, state Class D runner-up medalist.

The Fowler athletic boosters had budgeted about \$400 to finance the sport, Spicer said.

Briggs, Humphrey win in tennis

Randy Briggs and Kerry Humphrey won first-place honors in the City of St. Johns tennis league.

Briggs topped Mark Mercer and Jack Davis in men's singles, while Humphrey beat Vicki Messenger and Karlena Barber in women's singles.

John Trudeau and Leslie Foy earned mixed doubles honors, beating Jeff and Debra Lator and Clare and Karen Armbrustmacher. Jack Davis and Norm Holm won in men's doubles.



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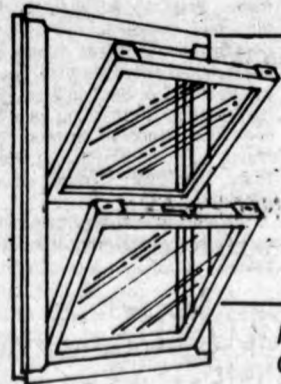
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David Reynolds

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Two St. Johns artists have been chosen to participate in the 15th annual Fallasburg Fall Festival to be held Sept. 24-25 in Fallasburg Park, four miles north of Lowell. Selected were Jerry Fedewa, 2750 N. Bauer Rd., and Bette Anne Tozer, 5611 W. Townsend. They

competed for the juried show with approximately 140 applicants. Jerry crafts wooden cabinets and toys, which has been practiced by his family for 25 years. Bette creates hand woven baskets in many styles.

John C. Marten and Lisa A. Smith, both of St. Johns, have been chosen as National Merit Scholarship semifinalists for 1984. They will have a chance to advance in competition for about 5,300 Merit Scholarships, worth more than \$18 million, to be awarded in the spring of 1984.

Sister Linda Willette, daughter of James and Gloria Willette, St. Johns, professed her Perpetual Vows as a Daughter of St. Mary of Providence in Como, Italy, Aug. 14, following a year of spiritual and apostolic formation at the Congregation's Generalate in Rome. Sr. Linda is currently stationed at Mt. St. Joseph in Lake Zurich, Ill., near

Chicago. She is the administrator of a 160-bed residential intermediate care facility for mentally handicapped adult women.

NOTICE OF PROPOSED BANK CONSOLIDATION

Notice is hereby given that the Clinton Bank & Trust Company of St. Johns, Michigan has made application to the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, Washington, D.C. 20429, for its written consent to consolidate with the CBF Bank, St. Johns, Michigan.

(A wholly owned subsidiary of CB Financial Corporation of Jackson, Michigan.)

It is contemplated that all of the offices of the above named banks will continue to be operated.

This notice is published pursuant to Section 18(c) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act.

Any person wishing to comment on this application may file his/her comments in writing with the Regional Director of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation at its Regional Office, 1 South Pinckney Street, Room 813, Madison, Wisconsin 53703-2898.

If any person desires to protest the granting of this application, such person has a right to do so if the protest is filed with the Regional Director by November 6, 1983.

The nonconfidential portions of the application are on file in the Regional Office as part of the public file maintained by the Corporation. This file is available for public inspection during regular business hours.

Dated: September 16, 1983

Clinton Bank and Trust Company
200 N. Clinton St.
St. Johns, MI 48879

CBF Bank
200 N. Clinton St.
St. Johns, MI 48879

CB Financial Corporation
One Jackson Square
Jackson, MI 49201

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9-22-83
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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made the 10th day of December, 1971, by Lyle H. Witt and Mary Ann Witt, husband and wife, as mortgagors, to the United States of America, as mortgagee, and recorded on December 10, 1971, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan in Liber 263 of mortgages on pages 480-483; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice eighteen thousand, eight hundred, forty-two and 47/100 Dollars (\$18,842.47) principal and eight hundred, eighty-five and 94/100 Dollars (\$885.94) interest; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt, secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default.

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is Hereby Given that on November 3, 1983, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the north entrance to Clinton Co. Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, together with the legal costs and charges of sale provided by law and in said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to-wit:

That property located in Clinton County, in the State of Michigan. A parcel of land on the Northeast quarter of Section 36, Town 6 North, Range 2 West, in Michigan, described as follows: Commencing at a point 495 feet South of the Northeast corner of Section 36, Town 6 North, Range 2 West, thence South 165 feet, thence West 660 feet, thence North 165 feet, thence East 660 feet to the place of beginning. The redemption period will be six months from the time of such sale. Property may be redeemed by paying the amount of the bid at the foreclosure sale plus 7 1/4% interest and any unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale dated, September 22, 1983.

For additional information, please contact: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, acting through Farmers Home Administration, Room 209, 1405 South Harrison Road, East Lansing, Michigan 48823, mortgagee.

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CCN-373
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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain indenture of Mortgage made on April 21, 1967, by JOHN J. ROLLINS and RUTH ANN ROLLINS, husband and wife, as mortgagors, given by them to AMERICAN BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, (now First of America Bank - Central) a Michigan banking corporation, as mortgagee, and recorded on April 25, 1967, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan, in Liber 249, Page 118; on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid as of the date of this Notice, the sum of \$13,015.54, inclusive of accrued interest; and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt or any part thereof secured by said indenture of Mortgage, and the power of sale in said indenture of Mortgage contained having become operative by reason of such default:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Friday, October 7, 1983, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the main entrance to the Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan 48879, that being one of the places for holding the Circuit Court for Clinton County, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder or bidders at public auction or vendue, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid on said Mortgage, together with all allowable costs of sale and includable attorney fees, the lands and premises in said Mortgage mentioned and described as follows:

Lot 50, Clinton Village, DeWitt Township, Clinton County, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof.

The period within which the above premises may be redeemed shall expire six (6) months from date of sale.

Dated: September 8, 1983

FIRST OF AMERICA BANK-CENTRAL
A Michigan Banking Corporation
Lansing, Michigan, Mortgagee

FOSTER, SWIFT, COLLINS & COEY, P.C.
Attorneys for Mortgagee
313 South Washington Square
Lansing, MI 48933

9-8-83
CCN-350
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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain Mortgage made on the 31st day of July, 1973, between Ronnie B. DeWaters and Judith A. DeWaters, husband and wife, mortgagors, and CAPITOL FEDERAL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION, formerly CAPITOL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION, Mortgagee, and recorded with the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan, on August 2, 1973, in Liber 272, Pages 512-514, said Mortgagors' interest having been subsequently assumed by RONALD L. REYNOLDS and JULIANN REYNOLDS, husband and wife, by way of Warranty Deed dated September 13, 1975, and recorded in Liber 355 of Deeds, Page 720, Clinton County Records, on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this Notice the sum of \$30,092.29 principal and interest, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the debt or any part thereof secured by said Mortgage;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, on Friday, October 21, 1983, at 12:00 o'clock noon at the main entrance to the Clinton County Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton is held, the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, together with interest at 8 1/4% per annum and all allowable costs of sale and attorney's fees, the land and premises in said Mortgage described as follows:

Lot 62; Idyl-Crest Estates No. 3, a subdivision of a part of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 19, Town 5 North, Range 2 West, DeWitt Township, Clinton County, Michigan. Subject to easements, restrictions and rights of way of record.

9-22-83
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STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CLINTON

SUSAN CAROL GROVE,
Plaintiff,

vs. ORDER TO ANSWER IN DIVORCE ACTION
File No. 83-7786 - NO

RONALD CHESTER JOHNSON,
Defendant.

At a session of said Court, held in the Circuit Courtrooms, City of St. Johns, said County and State, on this 1st day of September, 1983.

PRESENT: THE HONORABLE RANDY L. TAHVONEN, Circuit Judge.

On the 1st day of September, 1983, an action was filed by Susan Carol Grove, Plaintiff, against Ronald Chester Johnson, Defendant, in this Court seeking a divorce from the bonds of matrimony.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Defendant Ronald Chester Johnson, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before November 1, 1983. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgment of Divorce by default against such Defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

RANDY L. TAHVONEN
Circuit Judge

ANDERSON, HAY & WONCH, P.C.
BY: Thomas H. Hay,
Attorney for Plaintiff
1300 North Waverly
Lansing, MI 48917
PHONE: (517) 323-3000

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9-22-83
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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage made on the 11th day of March, 1966, between Robert Edly and Evelyn M. Edly, husband and wife, mortgagors and Auto Owners Insurance Co., a Michigan Corporation and recorded with the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan, on March 31, 1966, in Liber 246 Page 65 through 68 which Mortgage was assigned to Michigan National Bank, a National Banking Association by assignment dated April 19, 1972, and recorded at the office of the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan, in Liber 265, Page 193 and which Mortgage was then assigned to Livonia National Bank of Livonia, Michigan by assignment dated April 26, 1972 and recorded in Liber 265, Page 194 and 195 of the Clinton County Records and on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due and owing as of the date of this Notice the sum of \$6,263.47 principal and interest and no suit or other proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt or any part thereof secured by said Mortgage.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided on October 14, 1983 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon at the main entrance to the Courthouse in the City of St. Johns, Michigan that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton is held, the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in said Mortgage with interest at the rate of 6.75% per annum and all legal costs together with an attorney fee as provided by law which premises are described as:

A part of the East One-Half (1/2) of the Northeast Quarter (1/4 of Section Thirty-Four (34), Town Five North (5N), Range Three West (R3W), described as:

Beginning on the East line of Section Thirty-Four (34), Six Hundred Fifty-Eight (658) feet South of the Northeast corner of said section, thence West Six Hundred Fifty-Five (655) feet, thence South Three Hundred Sixteen (316) feet, thence East Six Hundred Fifty-Five (655) feet to the East line of Section Thirty-Four (34), thence North along said East line Three Hundred Sixteen (316) feet to the point of beginning, Watertown Township, Clinton County, Michigan.

The redemption period as provided by law is one year from the date of sale.

Dated: September 12, 1983

LIVONIA NATIONAL BANK, MORTGAGEE

Glassen, Rhead, McLean & Campbell
Attorneys for Mortgagee
800 Davenport Bldg.
Lansing, MI 48933

CCN-353
9-15-83
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Clinton County Board of Commissioners will hold a Public Hearing on the Proposed Use of Anticipated 1984 Federal Revenue Sharing funds.

The Proposed Use Hearing will be held on October 11, at 9:45 a.m. in the Board of Commissioners Room, Clinton County Courthouse, St. Johns, MI.

The Board of Commissioners encourages all interested citizens to participate in this public hearing.

224-290

9-29-83

State of Michigan Office of Clinton County Drain Commissioner

IN THE MATTER OF
CLINTON County Drainage
WESTPHALIA AND RILEY DRAIN

NOTICE OF MEETING OF BOARD OF DETERMINATION*

Notice is Hereby Given that the Board of Determination, composed of Maurice Gove, Walter G. Nobis, Almond Cressman, or alternate Harold Benson, will meet on October 10, 1983, at 10:00 A.M., at Charles D. Fisher property, 9449 South Bauer Road, DeWitt, Michigan (Third house North of Chadwick Road on East side - green house and a red barn) Michigan to hear all interested persons and to determine whether the drain, known as WESTPHALIA AND RILEY as prayed for in the Petition to clean out, relocate, widen, deepen, straighten, tile, extend or relocate along a highway, dated May 23, 1983, is necessary and conducive to the public health, convenience and welfare of properties and residents of Riley, Westphalia, Eagle and Watertown Townships in accordance with Section 72 of Chapter IV of Act No. 40, P.A. 1956, as amended and the public health of Riley, Westphalia, Eagle and Watertown Townships.

ARDEN S. PIERSON
Clinton County Drain Commissioner

224-293

2-29-83

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Clinton County Planning Commission will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday, October 12, 1983 at 8:00 P.M. in the Clinton County Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan.

The subject of the public hearing will be the consideration of the following case:

ZC-11-10-83 Watertown Charter Township - SUP - Mineral Extraction

At this hearing the following described property which generally lies west of Francis Road and north of Grand River Avenue on property owned by the State of Michigan will be considered as the site for the issuance of a special use permit for the removal of sand, silt, clay and/or gravel for the construction of I-69 and I-96 highways for the Michigan Department of Transportation.

S 1/2 of NE 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sec. 28, T5N-R3W, Watertown Township less MDOT r/o/w.

Applicant: A. Lindberg & Sons, Inc. 560 Mather Avenue, Ishpeming, MI 49849-1096

The special use permit application and OR-1-78, the Clinton County Zoning Ordinance are available for public inspection in the Department of Development Control located at 1003 S. Oakland Street, St. Johns, MI 48879 bet. 8:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M., Monday through Friday. Interested persons are requested to attend the hearing and voice their opinions in respect thereto or written comments may be forwarded to the Department. A field trip to view the site will take place on Wednesday, October 5, 1983 at 9:00 A.M. Persons interested in attending should contact the Clinton County Department of Development Control. Telephone No. 224-6761 Ext. 221.

J. Anthony Nelson, Director
Department of Development Control

224-287

9-29-83

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF CLINTON

PUBLICATION NOTICE DECEASED ESTATE

Estate of JOHN E. HOOK, Deceased. Social Security Number: 312-07-1145, File No. 20822.

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

TAKE NOTICE: On September 19, 1983, in the probate courtroom, City of St. Johns, Michigan, before Hon. MARVIN E. ROBERTSON Judge of Probate, a hearing was held on the petition of Beverly A. Mailand requesting that Beverly A. Mailand be appointed Independent Personal Representative of John E. Hook who lived at 1813 W. Parks Road, St. Johns, Michigan, and who died September 5, 1983; and requesting also that the will of the Deceased dated February 18, 1981 be admitted to probate.

Creditors are notified that copies of all claims against the Deceased must be presented, personally or by mail, to both the Personal Representative and to the Court on or before December 19, 1983. Notice is further given that the estate will then be assigned to entitled persons appearing of record.

Dated: September, 1983

Beverly A. Mailand
1813 W. Parks Road
St. Johns, MI. 48879

ROBERT R. COOK (P 12184)
Cook, Nash & Deibel
1201 Second National Bank Bldg.
Saginaw, MI. 48607
Phone: 753-0491

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CLASSIFIED AD DEADLINE NOON TUESDAY
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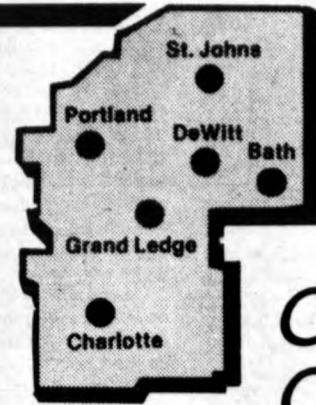
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Clinton County News 224-8902
DeWitt Bath Review 669-5648
Grand Ledge Independent 627-4025
Portland Review & Observer 647-7508

Real Estate-Sale
700-716

Real Estate For Sale 700

CHARLOTTE: HOBBY FARM with some woods. 3 bedroom ranch, full basement, wood-oil heat, 2 pole buildings. Approximately 28 acres. Laundry area, pantry and deck, large yard. Possible land contract. Alice Wiser 616-374-7456 or Yager State Wide 374-8400. (W39)

FOR SALE- House in country, St. Johns school district. 224-3120 after 6pm.

FOR SALE Passive Solor home, well insulated, 5 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bath, family room, fireplace, laundry room, large corner lot, \$62,900. Nice. Call 394-2330.

FOR SALE by owner, 2 or 3 bedroom, all brick, ranch style home in Portland. Large lot, nicely landscaped, recreation room with fireplace, double garage. Seen by appointment only. Phone 647-4621.

FOR SALE by owner. White brick home, 3 bedroom, fully carpeted, 1 1/2 baths, recreation room, patio, new gas furnace, 2 garages. 7 miles South of St. Johns on US-27 to West Pratt Road, 1/4 mile west. 669-3454 for appointment.

GRAND LEDGE quality built new homes ready to move in or we will custom build. Financing to qualified buyer as low as 7.35%. WE HAVE LOTS! Call Thane Belen 627-5682 or Gateway to Homes 321-6373.

MULLIKEN- Darling 2 bedroom home with large country kitchen. This maintenance free ranch was built in 1978. Price has been reduced to \$39,900. Call Jane 647-7355 or C-21 Mike Davis, 627-4075.

NEW LISTING Spotless. Three bedroom remodeled older home. 1 1/2 miles to Frandor and East Lansing. \$36,000 MSHDA financing. Open Sunday October 2, 2 to 5pm. East of Pennsylvania on Kalamazoo, to Shephard, south to address 515 Shephard. Call Jeff Day- Caldwell Bankers- Simon Real Estate, 323-2581 or 321-2346 Home.

NO MONEY DOWN

INTEREST RATES as low as 1% for qualified buyers. Income limits to \$18,000 adjusted. Federal financing. Borrow up to \$50,000. Example: Family income of \$18,000, two children, \$45,000 mortgage- monthly payment, \$178; approximately 5% interest, 33 year loan. Interest subsidy is subject to recapture. Loans are reviewed every 24 months for eligibility determination. Aspen Assoc. Realty, Inc. East Lansing, Mich. (517) 351-8670

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30 year MSHDA mortgage, 5% minimum down payment. \$28,000 plus \$4,000 overtime maximum gross allowed for new construction. \$23,000 plus \$4,000 in overtime maximum allowed for existing homes. Buy down rate possible, making interest rate as low as 7.35% for the first year. Call for details now, since funds are running out. Aspen Assoc. Realty Inc, 351-8670.

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Real Estate For Sale 700

NO MONEY DOWN low interest rate as low as 1%. Income limit, good credit, and no or low debts to qualified. Existing homes / new construction. Call for details. Aspen Associates Realty. 351-8670.

PORTLAND- Ms. Spitzley has entered a retirement home, her home at 230 Chruh Street is for sale. Good location, near shopping, nice street, four bedrooms (two up, two down), two full bathrooms. \$32,000. Call Victor Huhn, Grand Ledge, 627-6514.

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All real estate advertised in this newspaper is subject to the Federal Fair Housing Act of 1968 which makes it illegal to advertise "any preference, limitation, or discrimination based on race, color, or religion, sex, or national origin, or an intention to make any such preference, limitation, or discrimination." This newspaper will not knowingly accept any advertising for real estate which is in violation of the law. Our readers are informed that all dwellings advertised in this newspaper are available on an equal opportunity basis.

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Gulf Sun Realty
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Real Estate Wanted 703

WANTED- Older farmhouse with barn on 20- 40 acres, some woods. Terms can be land contract, trade for our lovely home in one of Lansing's finest neighborhood or contingent upon us selling our present home. All terms considered, no realtors. 482-6313 after 4pm.

Duplexes for Sale 709

DUPLEX- \$65,000. Four bedrooms each, Portland. Call John Pier, Maynard-Allen State Bank. 647-4141.

Investment Property 711 For Sale

PRICE REDUCED 4 unit apartment building. Assumable mortgage. 627-3306 or 627-6361.

Lots & Acreage 712 For Sale

KALKASKA Area- 15 acres of woods, excellent bow hunting, deer galore. \$8800., \$500. down, \$100. a month on 10% L.C. Call Wildwood Land Co. 616-258-4350. Evenings, 616-258-5559.

Land Contracts 713

FAST CASH AVAILABLE to buy your existing Land Contract or mortgage, quick service, highest prices, any amount. Call Bruce or Bob, 517-725-6288.

Land Contracts 713

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Any type property anywhere in Michigan. 24 Hours Call 337-1373 or 1-800-292-1550

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Mobile Homes For Sale 714

CLOSE OUT Sale- new 1983 mobile home, 14x60, 2 bedrooms, sale price \$13,750. Includes set up, skirting, steps, and 1 year factory warranty. Imperial Village, 817 N. Clinton, Grand Ledge, 627-7881.

FOR SALE- House trailer, 10 x 55, located in Portland. Gas furnace. 647-4383.

MOBILE HOME MOVING: Complete tear-down and set-up. Fully insured. Imperial Homes, 817 N. Clinton, Grand Ledge, 627-6622.

MOBILE HOME 1974, 12x 60', Bath and half, two bedroom, washer and dryer. Call 647-2387 after 5pm.

MUST Sell 12x68 mobile home, good condition, 2 bedrooms, large kitchen. Washer, dryer, stove, refrigerator, and utility shed. Located Country Village trailer park on Grand River. \$5000. firm. 627-6948.

NEW & USED Mobile Homes. Lots. 1 month free rent. Webberville, 521-3929.

VICTORIAN- the ultimate luxury in a manufactured home. West Michigans quality dealer. Custom Housing Center, M-66 (South of Ionia, just north off I-96 expressway). 616-527-9263.

Real Estate-Rent
800-817

Apartments to Rent 800

APARTMENT for rent- 119 Grant Street available October 1. \$180 per month, \$100 deposit required, all utilities paid except heat. Phone 647-4434.

CHARLOTTE AREA- Spacious two bedroom apartment, \$260 monthly. Carpeted, decorated, all kitchen appliances and carpets. Senior Citizens: We are now offering a seven percent rent discount, plus a reduced security deposit. For information call 543-6058, Shaker House Apartments.

FURNISHED 1 bedroom apartment. Married couple only. No children, no pets, no drinking. Phone 517-647-6762.

GRAND LEDGE apartment for rent - One bedroom, carpet, air, laundry, \$215 and \$220. Available immediately. 321-9697.

GRAND LEDGE- Furnished efficiency, carport, laundry facilities, ALL utilities paid. \$180 monthly. 627-7809.

PORTLAND APARTMENT- Close to shopping, quiet country setting for mature adults. Spacious 1 & 2 bedroom apartments from \$174. Equal Housing Opportunity. 647-4910.

PORTLAND- 2 bedroom apartment, all utilities furnished except electricity. No pets or children. Phone 647-4034 or 351-1544.

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Apartments to Rent 800

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POTTERVILLE- New 1 and 2 bedrooms. Carpet, appliances, laundry. Take Temp. I-69 to Potterville, South on M100 two blocks. For more information call, 372-2213. Equal Housing Opportunity and Handicapped Units available.

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Duplexes, Townhouses to Rent 802

TWO Bedroom, 16694 Clinton Road, Lansing. \$265. Equity Management. 321-6201, 484-5315.

Halls to Rent 805

HALL With kitchen, in- Mulliken. \$125. Smaller rooms. After 6pm, 649-8376.

J'S TERRACE ROOM, Saginaw Hwy. Excellent for receptions, meetings, club affairs. 300 people. Phone 323-9100.

Homes to Rent 806

FOR RENT- 3 bedroom house in Grand Ledge, near downtown, garage, full basement. \$350. plus utilities. Call 626-6140.

FOR RENT 621 East Grand River, Portland. 2 1/2 bedroom house. You can call 517-596-2674 or 517-596-2365.

PORTLAND- Nice older Cape Cod for rent near downtown. 2 bedroom, screened in porch, hardwood floors, and garage. \$315. monthly plus utilities and deposit. Option to buy considered. Phone 321-0412, before 5pm.

PORTLAND 708 Brush Street. 4 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, basement, garage. \$350 per month. 393-0529.

PORTLAND- Two bedroom, new home for rent, October 1. No pets, \$325. plus deposit. Call 647-6916 after 4:30pm.

Lots & Land to Rent 809

TEN ACRES to rent. Barn, stalls, 3 out buildings, electric fence, well. St. Joe, Nixon Road area. Non-smokers. \$85 per month. 1-313-349-3647.

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NEED WINTER STORAGE? Inside or out. Phone: State Storage, 641-6743.

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ANTIQUE wash stand with jewel bar. Refinished. \$140. Phone 647-6939.

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EUREKA SWEEPERS: Prices start at \$59.95. PEAKE ELECTRIC, 106 E. Bridge, Portland, 647-6300.

Appliances 101

GE 1981 13" Color TV. \$140. Call 627-4648 after 7pm.

GENERAL Electric Appliances- ranges, refrigerators, washers, dryers, freezers, and dishwashers. Peake Electric, 106 E. Bridge, Portland. 647-6300.

MICRO-WAVE OVENS, Counter-top and Spacemaker models. PEAKE ELECTRIC, 106 E. Bridge, Portland, 647-6300.

REVCO- matching refrigerator and freezer, stainless steel front. Also older refrigerator, cheap. 321-8493.

SEWING MACHINE REPAIR Special, plain oil and adjust upper and lower tensions, in your home. \$12.95. Phone 372-2522, 8am till 7pm, Monday thru Saturday. All makes.

ALL Our Used Appliances can be traded within 1 year for full purchase price. Peake Electric, Portland. 647-6300.

Auction Sales 102

MUSIC BOX 1890 will be placed for sale at public auction on October 7, 1983 at Central National Bank, 201 E. Walker Street, St. Johns. The auction will start at 9:30am. The Music Box may be inspected at 421 South Ovid Street, Elsie, MI. We reserve the right to refuse minimum bid.



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Misc. For Sale 114

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Misc. Wanted 115

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BATH yard and barn sale. Some antiques and collectibles, chairs and tables, small items and large. Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, September 29, 30 and October 1, 9am to 6pm. 11806 Upton Road.

CHARLOTTE garage sale. Antiques galore. Starting Saturday, October 1 thru October 9. Everyday, 9am to 7pm. T.V.'s, Avon, and much more miscellaneous. 3215 Mills Highway.

DELTA TOWNSHIP multi-family garage sale. Friday, September 30. Corner of Waverly and St. Joe. West 1/4 mile to Meadowview, turn South and follow signs to 1009 Tindalaya Drive.

DELTA TOWNSHIP 504 Kenway Drive. Friday, September 30 and Saturday, October 1, 9am to 5pm. Playpen, highchair, boys clothing (size 12), toys, 3 speed bike, miscellaneous.

DELTA TOWNSHIP lots of ladies clothing, sizes 10-18. Men's clothing, winter coats, ski boots, antique chest, adding machine, step ladder, books, miscellaneous. Friday, September 30, Saturday, October 1, 9am to 5pm. 920 London Drive (off W. St. Joe).

DELTA TOWNSHIP Garage sale. 5012 Plum Hollow. September 30, October 1 and 2, 9am to 7pm. Washer and dryer, dining room set, antique tables, clothing. 321-5328.

DELTA Township 2 Family- winter clothes for adults and children, collectibles, blankets, skis with boots, sleeping bags. 10889 Wildon Way (off St Joe between Broadbent and Upton). Friday, Saturday, Sept. 30- Oct. 1, 9am till 5pm.

DELTA TOWNSHIP garage sale. '82 custom van, riding lawn mower, clothes, miscellaneous. Saturday, October 1 only, 9am to 7:429 Nugggett (Behind Emils west off Saginaw).

DEWITT 3 family yard sale. 4621 W. Howe Road. 1/2 mile west of Airport Road. Saturday, October 1, 9am to 7pm.

DEWITT 5 family garage sale. September 30, 9am to 5pm. October 1, 9am to 12 noon. 13955 Ducharme. Clothing, Avon, material, some antiques, toys, miscellaneous.

DEWITT Garage Sale- Sept. 29 and 30. Lots of clothes, furniture, misc. 513 West Geneva.

DEWITT September 29 thru October 1, 8am to 5pm. 205 W. Dill Drive. Clothing, skis, organ, camper, golf bags, toys.

DEWITT Singer sewing machine cabinet chair, antique dishes, ladies clothes, boys and infant clothes (Healtex), curtains and drapes, and lots of miscellaneous. 1070 E. Alward. September 29, 9am to dark. 669-3101.

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DEWITT moving sale. WD 45 Allis Chalmers tractor, plows and blades, Sears 42 inch tractor and mower, lawn roller, portable dishwasher, china cabinet, much more. September 29, 30 and October 1. 7 miles South of St. Johns on US-27 to W. Pratt Road, then 1/4 mile West.

EAGLE 1 day only. Wednesday, September 28, 9am to 5pm. Lots of childrens winter clothes (Healtex and Carters), men and women clothing, toys, storm doors, lawn mower. 14255 Howe Road. Between Patrick and Grange. It's worth the drive!

EAGLE yard sale. Saturday, October 1. 11180 Howe Road (2nd house West of M-100), 9am to 5pm. Clothing (all sizes), water softener, tables, stoll-o-chair, sink, toys, and miscellaneous.

GRAND LEDGE- Richters Flea Market. First house south of Mount Hope on Cochran Road. Thursdays and Fridays. Phone 627-8724.

GRAND LEDGE- September 30, October 1, 9am to 5pm. Hurricane fencing and gate, ladder rack, dishwasher, washing machine, sink and medicine cabinet, mens and womens clothing, other misc. 818 W. Main St.

GRAND LEDGE 3 family garage sale. Thursday and Friday, September 29 and 30, 9am to 6pm. Furniture, clothes, lots of everything. 607 Edwards Street.

GRAND LEDGE- moving sale. Walnut dinette table with four chairs, loveseat, lamps, plants including 6ft. Umbrella tree, lots of misc. Grand Ledge Ravines, Lot 148. September 29 and 30. 9am to 8pm.

GRAND Ledge Garage Sale- Stove, refrigerator, sofa, household items, and clothing. Friday and Saturday, Sept. 30 and Oct. 1, 10am till 6pm. 11073 Upton Rd.

LANSING 4 Family garage Sale- 2111 Northwest Avenue, between Tecumseh and Delta River Drives. Many childrens items. Friday, Sept. 30, 9am till 3pm- Sat. Oct 1, 10am till 5pm.

LANSING- Edgemont Park. 818 Fitting Avenue. Antique dishes, good warm men and womens clothing, coats and suits, ladies slacks suits, feather tick, antique drill press. September 29 and 30. 9am to 5pm. No presales.

LANSING- Friday, September 30 and Saturday, October 1, 9am to 5pm. Auto and motorcycle parts, tires, skis and boots, fireplace screen, clothing for all ages, household items. 3316 Pickwick Place.

LANSING- Pioneer Civitan 2nd Annual Sale. 3332 and 3338 Christine. Sept. 30, Oct. 1. 9am till 5pm. Household goods, clothing: children and adult, books, misc.

PORTLAND Garage Sale- Mens, teens, and children's clothing, boys 20" bike, Kenmore washing machine, toys, and much more. Thursday, Sept. 29, 339 Pleasant St.

PORTLAND garage sale. Fiberglass canoe, tape recorders, walkie-talkies, furniture, books, large assortment of games, clothes, and miscellaneous. Thursday and Friday, September 29 and 30, 9am to 5pm. 1265 Knox Road.

PORTLAND Thursday and Friday, September 29 and 30, 9am-5pm. Clothes, household items, baked goods, produce, and free coffee. 331 Pleasant Street.

PORTLAND- 434 W. Grand River. September 29, 30, and October 1, 9am to 5pm everyday.

PORTLAND garage sale. 973 Maynard. September 29-30, 9am-4pm. Clothes dryer, upholstered rocker, drapes, outboard motor, garden tractor blade, baby furniture and clothes, toys, craft materials.

PORTLAND moving sale. September 29 and 30. Valley Homes Mobile Home Park (3 1/2 miles East of Portland) at 10736 Sunset Drive. Antique bed, clarinet, tools, chain saw, lots more.

PORTLAND- moving sale. Thursday, Friday, September 28, 29. Antique table, clothes, dishes, many others. 521 Kent St. Apartment 4.

PORTLAND- Ski boots, six quart pressure cooker, sewing machine, garbage compactor, misc. items. 866 Kent St., Saturday October 1, 9am to 4pm.

PORTLAND Yard Sale- 239 Bristle, 9am till 4pm, Wed. and Thurs., Sept. 28 and 29. Rain dates, October 5 and 6.

PORTLAND 2nd Chance Garage Sale- Thursday, Sept. 29, 9am till 1pm. Baby clothes, toys, many odds and ends. All items reduced. 894 Lyons Rd.

ST. JOHNS Annual Alter Society rummage sale. St. Joseph's Church. September 27, 28, and 29 at Nick's Fruit Market on E. State Street. 9am to 6pm on Tuesday and Wednesday, 9am to Noon on Thursday. Wednesday is free raffle day. Thursday is \$1 a bag day. Over 5,000 items to choose from.

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WAVERLY area 4 family garage sale. Tuesday, October 4, 9am till 5pm. Baby furniture, small carpets, large assortment under \$1.202 Harriet.

WESTPHALIA Annual 10 family garage sale. Wednesday 6-9, Thursday, 9-9. Bicycles, snowmobile sled, cord organ, riding lawn mower, lots of boys' clothes, bedding, spreads and drapes, wall ornaments, much more. 1/2 East of Westphalia.

DELTA Township huge 4 family garage sale- Thursday and Friday, Sept. 29-30, 8:30am till 5pm. 126 Kenway (west of Waverly off St. Joe). Furniture, 2 ten speed bikes, treadle sewing machine, counter-top refrigerator, snowmobile helmets, GI Joes and accessories, games, golf clubs, stereos, radios, tool cabinet, clothing, lots of misc, and 1971 Olds.

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WILLIAMS: To Mr. and Mrs. Mark Williams of St. Johns, Sept. 20 at Clinton Memorial Hospital, a son, Reid Michael. He weighed 10 lbs. and 7½ ozs. The baby has one brother and one sister. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wawsczyk. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Foster Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Pearson. The mother is the former Pamela Wawsczyk.

BECK: To Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Beck, 102 Ross St., St. Johns, Sept. 12 at Clinton Memorial Hospital, a son, Drew Oliver. He weighed 5 lbs. and 14 ozs. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Beck and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Woodbury. The mother is the former Patricia Woodbury.

KAILING: To Mr. and Mrs. Paul M. Kailing, Jr., 6335 Park Lake Road, Lot 10, Bath, Sept. 15 at Clinton Memorial Hospital, a daughter, Rosie Lee. She weighed 8 lbs. and 4 ozs. The baby has one brother and one sister. Grandparents are Richard and Ruth Rice and Paul and Audrey Kailing, Sr. The mother is the former Phyllis E. Nance.

VITEK: To Mr. and Mrs. David Vitek, 4648 E. Parks Rd., St. Johns, Sept. 15 at Clinton Memorial Hospital, a daughter, Heather Marie. She weighed 9 lbs. and 1¾ ozs. The baby has one sister. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watt of Clio and Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Vitek of St. Johns. The mother is the former Tricia Watt.

PIOSZAK: To Mr. and Mrs. William S. Pioszak, 903 Searles Dr., St. Johns, Sept. 16 at Clinton Memorial Hospital, a son, Eric William. He weighed 7 lbs. and 8½ ozs. The baby has one sister. Grandparents are Mary Ellen and Gerald Buggs and Pat and Bill Pioszak. The mother is the former Karen Buggs.

HOEKSEMA: To Mr. and Mrs. Steven J. Hoeksema, 500 Bartlett St., Lansing, Sept. 12 at Sparrow Hospital, a daughter, Grace Anne.

HARLACHER: To Mr. and Mrs. Edward Harlacher, 5755 E. Price Rd., St. Johns, Sept. 12 at St. Lawrence Hospital, a son, Nathaniel Lee.

HALSEY: To Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Halsey, 3385 Round Lake Rd., DeWitt, Sept. 6 at St. Lawrence Hospital, a daughter, Hannah Elizabeth.

THELEN: To Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Thelen, 406 Wight Rd., St. Johns, Sept. 9 at St. Lawrence Hospital, a son, Jacob Bruce. He weighed 10 lbs. and 8 ozs. The baby has three brothers and three sisters. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Julius Thelen of Fowler and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Remenar of Bannister. The mother is the former Rosemary Remenar.

POWELSON: To Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Powelson, 2841 Grove Rd., St. Johns, Sept. 12 at St. Lawrence Hospital, a daughter, Marcy Jo.

FELDBAUSER: To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Feldhauser, 12375 Francis Rd., DeWitt, Sept. 16 at St. Lawrence Hospital, a son, Alfred James II.

ST. JOHNS CITY COMMISSION MINUTES SPECIAL MEETING - SEPTEMBER 9, 1983

The Special Mtg. was called to order by Mayor Arehart at 5:00 p.m.
 COMM. PRESENT: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Wiseman
 COMM. ABSENT: Hannah
 STAFF PRESENT: R.L. Humphrey, City Mgr.; R.L. Coletta, City Clerk; P.A. Maples, City Atty.
 The City Comm. discussed recommendations made by the Personnel Comm.
 Motion by Comm. Roesner supp. by Comm. Starck that the City Comm. adjourn.
 YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Starck, Wiseman. NAY: None. Motion carried.

ST. JOHNS CITY COMMISSION MINUTES SEPTEMBER 12, 1983

The Reg. Mtg. was called to order by Mayor Arehart at 7:30 p.m.
 COMM. PRESENT: Arehart, Roesner, Hannah, Starck, Wiseman
 COMM. ABSENT: None
 STAFF PRESENT: R.L. Humphrey, City Mgr.; R.L. Coletta, City Clerk; P.A. Maples, City Atty.; D.M. Edwards, City Assessor.
 Motion by Comm. Wiseman supp. by Comm. Roesner that the Mins. of the Aug. 22, 1983 reg. mtg. of the St. Johns City Comm. be app. as presented.
 YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Hannah, Starck, Wiseman. NAY: None. Motion carried.
 Motion by Comm. Starck supp. by Comm. Wiseman that Warrant Nos. 4227 thru 4377 be app. as presented in the amt. of \$531,382.48.
 YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Hannah, Starck, Wiseman. NAY: None. Motion carried.
 Mayor Arehart asked if there were any additions or deletions to the Agenda. There were none.
 Motion by Comm. Hannah supp. by Comm. Roesner that the Agenda be app. as presented.
 YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Hannah, Starck, Wiseman. NAY: None. Motion carried.
 Motion by Comm. Hannah supp. by Comm. Wiseman that the City Comm. app. the request of the Clinton County Historical Society to use the Mun. Bldg. Auditorium on Feb. 16, 1984 and further that all fees be waived.
 YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Hannah, Starck, Wiseman. NAY: None. Motion carried.
 Motion by Comm. Roesner supp. by Comm. Starck that the City Comm. grant the request of Robert Blastic and extend the final preliminary plat of Prince Estates No. 4 until January 27, 1984, and further that the City Atty. write a written opinion on the City Comm. ability to extend the deadline for the final preliminary plat after the original deadline has passed.
 YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Hannah, Starck, Wiseman. NAY: None. Motion carried.
 Motion by Comm. Starck supp. by Comm. Roesner that the City Comm. deny the Cemetery Association's request based on the City Atty. opinion and further that a letter be sent to the Cemetery Association explaining the City's position and why they had to deny the request.
 YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Hannah, Starck, Wiseman. NAY: None. Motion carried.
 Motion by Comm. Wiseman supp. by Comm. Starck that the City Comm. accept the City Atty. recommendation and award the insurance bids as follows: To the McKenzie Agency: Prop. Ins. - \$9,031.00 all risk; Inland Marine Floater - \$229.00; Comp. Gen. Liability - \$8,189.00; Fleet Coverage (including mini-tort) - \$11,466.00. To Allaby & Brewbaker, Inc.: Boiler Mach. - \$450.00; Public Officials Errors & Omissions - \$1,571.00; Police Prof. Liability - \$2,499.00; \$5,000,000 Umb. Liability - \$4,100.00.
 YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Hannah, Starck, Wiseman. NAY: None. Motion carried.
 Motion by Comm. Roesner supp. by Comm. Wiseman that the City Comm. adopt the Resolution app. the Solid Waste Management Plan and authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to sign.
 YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Hannah, Starck, Wiseman. NAY: None. Motion carried.
 Motion by Comm. Starck supp. by Comm. Wiseman that the City Comm. authorize final pmt. to BBR Progressive Concrete, Inc. for the 1983 curb replacement in the amt. of \$5,924.40.
 YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Hannah, Starck, Wiseman. NAY: None. Motion carried.
 Motion by Comm. Starck supp. by Comm. Wiseman that the City Comm. authorize final pmt. for the Sprint St. sanitary sewer project to Roy Pung and Sons in the amt. of \$2,884.00.
 YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Hannah, Starck, Wiseman. NAY: None. Motion carried.
 Motion by Comm. Roesner supp. by Comm. Starck that the City Comm. appt. the proposed Election Inspectors for the Nov. 8, 1983 Odd Year General Election as presented by the City Clerk.
 YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Hannah, Starck, Wiseman. NAY: None. Motion carried.
 Motion by Comm. Roesner supp. by Comm. Starck that the City Comm. accept the City Engineer's presentation and authorize him to pursue the cross conn. problem, except for the footing tile only conn., and further that he pursue a preventative maint. program to be incorporated in the bldg. permit process to eliminate all footing conn. over a period of time.
 YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Hannah, Starck, Wiseman. NAY: None. Motion carried.
 Motion by Comm. Hannah supp. by Comm. Roesner that the City Comm. adopt the undated Master Plan as developed and adopted by the Planning Comm.
 YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Hannah, Starck, Wiseman. NAY: None. Motion carried.
 Motion by Comm. Wiseman supp. by Comm. Starck that the City Comm. authorize the City staff to make the Physician's Health Plan available to the City employees as presented by the City Mgr.
 YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Hannah, Starck, Wiseman. NAY: None. Motion carried.
 Motion by Comm. Hannah supp. by Comm. Wiseman that the mtg. be adjourned.
 YEA: Arehart, Roesner, Hannah, Starck, Wiseman. NAY: None. Motion carried.
 The mtg. was adjourned at 8:40 p.m.

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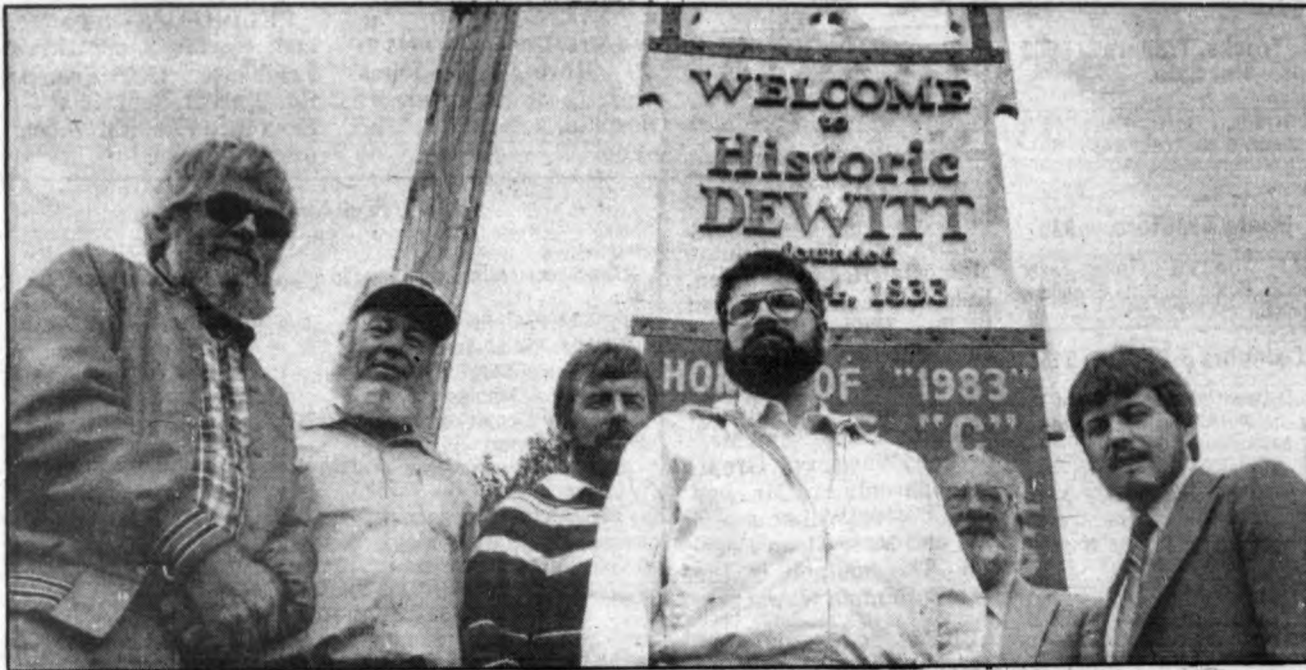
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Watch out for these guys during DeWitt Sesquicentennial week. As participants in the city's beard contest, they have authority to fine anybody who comes into town that day without a beard. From left to right are: Lloyd Ballard; Floyd Fowler; John Joslyn; Dean Harper; Willard Reed and Kieth Bonney. (Photo by Greg LaFountain)

DeWitt celebrates

By AL PALMERI

Happy birthday to you.
Happy birthday to you.
Happy birthday, DeWitt.
Happy birthday to you.

You're 150 next week. Sure, that's old. But that's no excuse not to kick up your heels, according to Sesquicentennial officials who have planned several activities for Tuesday through Saturday.

Festivities begin in the southern Clinton County city on The Founding Day. In a 7 p.m. ceremony at Riverside Park, Mayor Lynn Thayer will accept a certificate commemorating the event from state senator Alan Cropsey.

The Sesquicentennial Time Capsule will also be dedicated that night in a ceremony at the southwest corner of DeWitt Cemetery. Sealed in the vault will be messages from 1983 DeWitt residents to the citizens of 2033.

(Families and groups may still purchase envelopes at \$3 and \$5 to insert items into the time capsule. Envelopes will be on sale at DeWitt Hardware until Oct. 9.)

A Civil War skirmish in the park will also highlight the opening night's festivities.

On Thursday, a choir program will be presented at the DeWitt High School Auditorium, featuring the 60-member Sesquicentennial choir. The choir, which has been rehearsing since August, will sing American folk tunes and patriotic selections.

A beard contest will also be concluded on Thursday, with the awarding of three \$50 prizes. Officials warn that all non-participants are vulnerable to be fined by the "beard deputies" if they do not have a beard during the five-day celebration.

A blue grass band will entertain on Friday at Riverside Park and offer a prelude to the closing-day festivities Saturday. That day features the Scott family reunion (a gathering of relatives of DeWitt's founding father), a historic home tour, a chicken barbecue, a monument dedication and fireworks display.

DeWitt was founded in 1833 when Capt. David Scott came to the area from Ann Arbor. At the time, DeWitt was the home of Chippewa Indians and was nothing more than a clearing along the Looking Glass River.

In its earliest years, DeWitt was a center of government, culture, commerce, travel and education for all of Clinton County, according to DeWitt historian Ken Coin. It served as the county seat from 1839 to 1857 and was in the running to be the state capitol.

When DeWitt was bypassed by the Oakland and Ottawa Railroad, the county seat was moved to St. Johns and DeWitt lost many of its businesses and prominent citizens.

Coin said DeWitt is known as the oldest settlement of white people coming to farm in Clinton County. Before that, Maple Rapids existed as a French trading post, Coin said.

Contests

The DeWitt Sesquicentennial Committee would like to locate the following people from the areas of DeWitt Township, Watertown Township, Olive Township and the City of DeWitt.

Please write down the names of your entrants or turn the names in at DeWitt Hardware by Saturday, Thursday, Oct. 6:

- The baby born on the closest to the founding day, Oct. 4.
- The oldest living person born in the area.
- The couple married the longest who were married in the area.
- The longest existing business.
- The oldest business owned by the same family.
- The oldest farm owned by the same family.
- The oldest family with some family members still living in the area.
- The oldest living graduate or alumnus of an area school.
- The family with the most members living in the area.

Schedule

Here is the schedule of events for the DeWitt Sesquicentennial Celebration Oct. 4-8:

Tuesday, Oct. 4 — Founding Day Ceremonies, 7 p.m., Riverside Park; Time Capsule Dedication; Civil War Skirmish.

Wednesday, Oct. 5 — Sesquicentennial Pageant, DeWitt High School.

Thursday, Oct. 6 — Sesquicentennial Choir Program, 7:30 p.m., DeWitt High School Auditorium; Presentation of Awards to Contest Winners, DeWitt High School.

Friday, Oct. 7 — Blue Grass Band Concert, 7:30 p.m., Riverside Park; Candlelight River Ceremony, Riverside Park.

Saturday, Oct. 8 — Scott Family Reunion, 11 a.m., Riverside Park; Dedication of the Monument on Mrs. David Scott's Grave, 2 p.m., DeWitt Cemetery; Chicken Barbecue, 4-8 p.m., DeWitt Memorial Building; Historic Display at Faye Hanson Public Library; DeWitt Heritage Home Tour, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; DeWitt City Fire Department Fireworks, 9 p.m., Riverside Park.

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Births

SMITH: To David and Tina Smith, Route 2, Dexter Trail, Fowler, Aug. 24 at St. Lawrence Hospital in Lansing, a girl, Amber Therese.

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United Way drive starts

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president of Clinton Bank and Trust; Sandra Bisson (Major Private), salesperson at Bee's Chevrolet and Oldsmobile; Paul McNamara (Public and Non-profit), from Clinton Memorial Hospital; Dale Abraham (Professional), of Biggs Hausserman & Co.; Mick Boog (Insurance and real estate), from Allaby & Brewbaker, Inc.; Dan Redman (Business), vice-president of Central National Bank and Tom Rapson (Area), personnel manager at Clinton Bank and Trust.

Robinson explained that many prospective donors decline to support the campaign because they feel they won't be

able to see the results.

"The complaint," he said, "is always 'I don't know where the dollars are going.'"

Forty-nine Lansing Area agencies are listed as recipients of assistance from the Capital Area United Way Campaign. Among them are Big Brothers/Big Sister of Clinton County, the Chief Okemos Council of the Boy Scouts of America, the Community Mental Health Board of Clinton, Eaton and Ingham Counties, the Council for the Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect and the National Council on Alcoholism-Lansing Regional Area Inc.

"I don't know how people could not participate when they see what's being done," Robinson wondered.

Sex case stays in county

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repeated demands for sexual favors from female employees and was guilty of unconsented touching and verbal and physical sexual harassment.

Ebert, replying to the suit through briefs filed by his attorney, Bill Jackson of St. Johns, has denied any wrongdoing and all of the charges.

Okemos attorney Edith Harsh, who represents the women, had requested that the trial be moved from St. Johns, but Root ruled otherwise. Harsh had argued that it would be difficult to select an impartial jury since most of the credit union's 7,000 members are county residents and because Ebert was mayor

of St. Johns from 1974 to 1977.

Root, who came into the picture when both of Clinton County's circuit judges disqualified themselves from the case, will be the judge in Clinton County by temporary appointment.

Lansing labor lawyer Lawrence Schneider, who represents the credit union, said the case probably won't come before Root in court until next year. "I feel fairly certain that it won't happen before January," he said.

Seeking a minimum of \$200,000 each are present credit union employee Sherri Jopke and former employees Christine Brawner, Tammie Witt, LuAnn Feldpausch and Yvonne Makara.