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Mike Roesner, (standing) and Paul Cook, (kneeling) obtained this job painting the trim of a house through the JOBS Club.

Youth in search of work find help in JOBS club

Need your house painted, grass cut, odd jobs done, errands run, a babysitter, or summer help? The newly formed JOBS Club might be your answer.

JOBS Club is like a mini-employment agency for students at St. Johns junior and senior high school. Main co-ordinator of the program is Bill Richards.

Many students have found some difficulty in obtaining a job for the summer vacation and this is where the club helps.

The students attend meetings, and fill out an application for what they would like to do and what their qualifications are. Richards then goes through the list of names he has of people who have jobs available and places the students in a job situation.

One problem is local residents don't really know about the program so right now there are more students than jobs available. Anyone who is interested in having students do work for them should call 224-8285 between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. or call Richards at 224-4182 after 1 p.m.

"We needed some kind of clearing house," Richards said. "There is a real

need for this type of thing."

Richards hopes to make this an ongoing project even after the summer vacation.

The jobs don't necessarily have to be for all summer. The club will take jobs which are segmented (like a day or two) and mesh them together into a schedule with other jobs.

The price range the students are charging is between \$1.75 and \$2 an hour which is worked out with the student and the prospective employer.

Finding kids jobs is not the only goal of the newly formed organization. They are also trying to teach the students the proper way to apply for a job, the do's and don'ts of talking to employers and the right procedures to follow when looking for a job.

Richards has set up interviews with various business people in town for his students. Before they go out on the interview they have a practice session on what the student should do.

"We try to impress upon the students the importance of knowing specifically the person they will be talking to," Richards commented.

After the student has the actual interview with the employer, Richards

follows up to see how well the student did, what some of the downfalls were in the interview, and some of the good things the job hunter did.

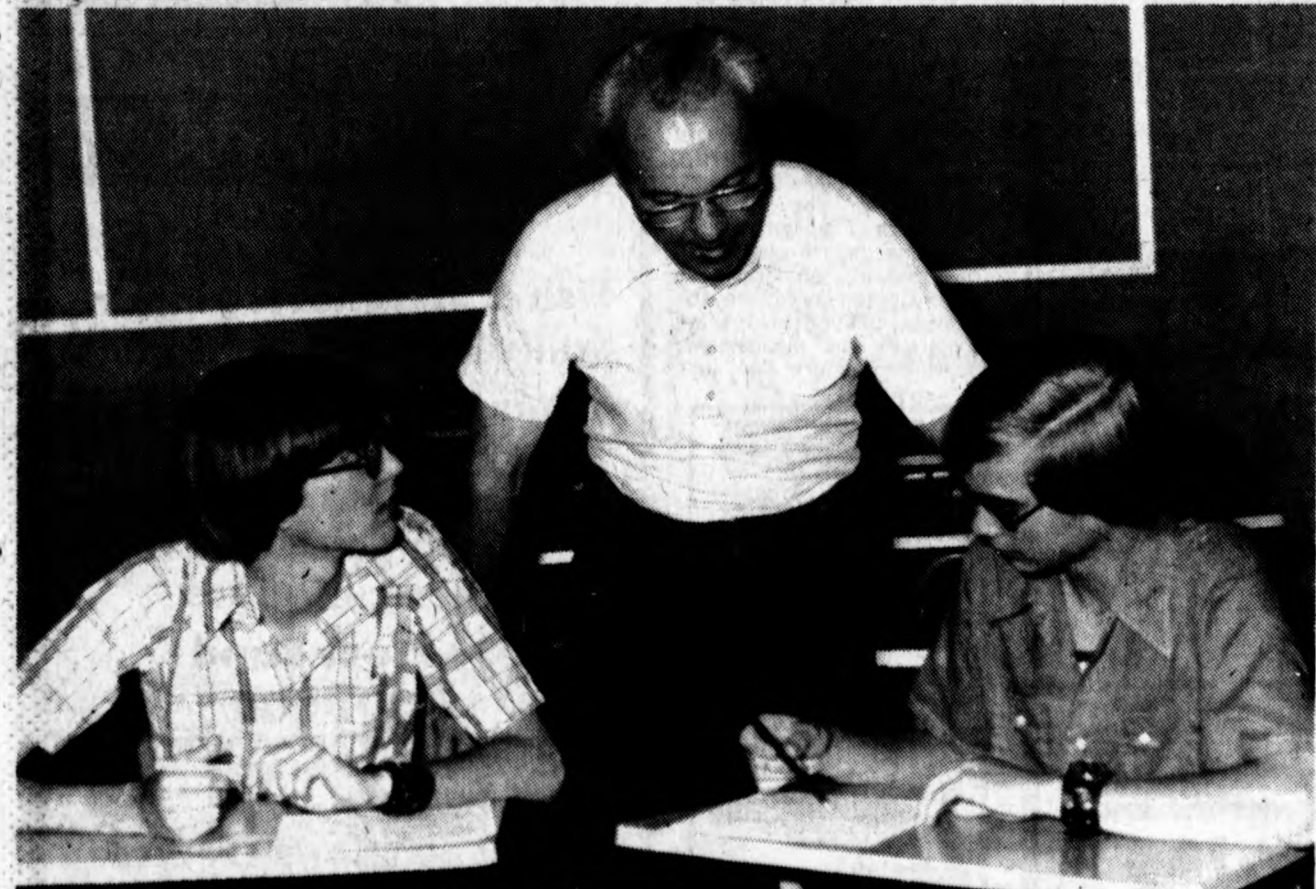
The students heard a talk by Norbert Rehmann, a retired local businessman who had hired many people during his career. Some students were also taken to Sealed Power where Dave Dot, personnel manager, talked with the students about what he looks for in an interview.

So far, 14 students are looking for jobs with some already being placed in short term jobs.

The students like working and in most cases are willing to try anything. Two such students are brothers, Chip and Geoff Washburn. They worked on a farm last year and say they enjoyed it. This year, however, the farmer didn't have any work for them so they are looking for any other type of work a person might have.

They feel the JOBS Club is a good idea and it is a good source for them to find a job.

If area residents have a job, the JOBS Club has a student to get it done.



Bill Richards goes over Geoff (left) and Chip (right) Washburn's applications for the JOBS Club. The two brothers are looking for odd jobs they can do around to earn extra money this summer.

Busy July Fourth in Clinton County

Clinton County will be buzzing with activity over the July 4 weekend with large celebrations planned in St. Johns, Ovid and Westphalia.

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The annual celebration in St. Johns begins June 30 with the traditional carnival attractions plus a couple new features.

One of the new attractions is a four-wheel drive pull June 30 at 7 p.m.

A popular attraction throughout the Mid-Michigan area will be included in the holiday celebration July 1 when a pony pull will be held at 7 p.m.

A garden tractor pull will be held July 2 at 6 p.m.

During the June 30-July 4 celebration tickets will be available on boys and girls bikes and a steer to be awarded following the annual drawing. Tickets will be available at the Firemen's Booth.

Kid's Day with reduced prices on rides will be Saturday from 1-4 p.m.

A refreshment booth will be operated throughout the celebration by the St. Johns Rotary.

Sponsor of the July 4 observance is the St. Johns Firemen's Association.

The highlight of the celebration, attracting more and more people each year, will be the fireworks show July 4 at 10 p.m.

The usual colorful bursts in the sky are just part of the annual show.

Each year, members of the St. Johns Fire Department construct special fireworks displays that are displayed on the football field.

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The old fashioned Fourth is the goal of the Ovid Jaycees and Auxiliary who are trying to bring back a July 4 celebration to the community.

The organizations have planned activities to keep things busy all during the three-day celebration.

Activities begin Saturday, July 2, with a parade up Main Street in Ovid beginning at 11 a.m.

Persons interested in participating in the parade should be at Maron's

parking lot at 10:30 a.m.

Prizes will be awarded by the Jaycees for the best floats. First prize is \$15, second is \$10 and third \$5.

A pony pull will follow at 11:30 a.m.

A display by the Mid-Michigan Antique Gasoline Engine Association will be exhibited all three days.

Several games with prizes are planned by the Jaycees and Auxiliary including a treasure hunt. Modern day treasure hunters may purchase maps for 50 cents at the novelty booth. The first person to locate the treasure will receive 25 silver dollars.

A Bike-A-Thon will also be held Saturday with registration at noon and the event from 1-6 p.m. Money pledged will go to Cystic Fibrosis. Top three finishers will receive prizes and riders with pledges of at least \$25 will receive t-shirts. All participants will receive hamburgers from McDonalds of Cornuna.

Younger children will also have the opportunity to compete with bicycles during their own bike run at 3 p.m., with registration at 2:30. The event is for children between kindergarten and sixth grade. Prizes will be awarded to the first three places.

A pie judging contest, sponsored by the ladies of the Eastern Star, will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday.

An auction will be held Saturday evening at 7 p.m. with items donated by local business people.

A dance under the stars will end the evening, beginning at 9 p.m.

A motorcycle poker run kicks things off Sunday with registration at 1 p.m. and the run at 2 p.m. Entry fee is \$5 per motorcycle, \$3 for passenger. The run will be 90 miles, beginning at Ovid Junior High.

Trophies will be awarded to first and second place.

A musket and pistol shoot begins Sunday at 1 p.m. at Ovid-Elsie High School. Pistols will be available.

A scavenger hunt will be held Sunday at 2 p.m. for children between the ages of 6-12. Lists may be picked up at the novelty booth in the park.

Participants will have until 5 p.m. to locate as many items as possible.

Other Sunday activities include a 2:30 cake walk, tug of war at 3 p.m. with all clubs or organizations invited to compete with 5-man teams, ice cream social at 4:30 by Job's Daughters and the All-Star Little League baseball game between Ovid and Elsie.

Monday's activities begin at noon with a chicken barbecue in the park.

Registration for a canoe race down the river begins at 1 p.m. with the race set for 2 p.m. Entry fee is \$5 for two-man teams with trophies for first and second places.

The race will end at the Shepardsville Bridge.

A watermelon eating contest will be held Monday at 3 p.m.

A field events contest for the entire family is scheduled for 4 p.m.

At 7 p.m., the Ovid Merchants Ladies' Softball team has challenged the Ovid Jaycees to a softball game.

Presentation of trophies and prizes will be held at 9 p.m. with announcement of drawing winners.

Fireworks will be at 10 p.m.

WESTPHALIA

A popular attraction each year is the St. Mary's Parish Festival in Westphalia July 4.

A flag raising ceremony opens the celebration at 12:30 p.m.

A children's parade begins at 1 p.m.

An old fashioned threshing bee will be held at 2 p.m.

Karen Strows and the Polka Teens will perform on the wood floor polka tent from 3-6 p.m. and 9 p.m. until midnight.

The Westphalia Band, St. Mary's Chorus and German Glee Club will perform from 6:30-8:30.

A teen dance will be held from 9 p.m. until midnight.

Games, prizes, dunk tank and children's rides will be offered all during the day.

Pizzas, lunches and refreshments will be available.

Prosecutor studying report of shooting in Bath Twp.

ST. JOHNS—John Newman, Clinton County prosecuting attorney, is in the process of studying State Police reports following the fatal shooting of a 20-year-old Bath man by a county deputy sheriff.

The victim, Spencer Stull, was shot by Danny Polzien, Clinton County deputy, while he and other officers were attempting to serve warrants on Stull.

One warrant was for the illegal possession of a firearm and the other was for larceny over \$100.

Newman said the firearm warrant was a result of Stull allegedly purchasing a Plainfield rifle while stating he did not have a felony record.

Newman said that Stull had previously been convicted of larceny.

The other warrant concerned \$850 Stull allegedly took from Randy Slocum, who complained to police that during the course of a marijuana

transaction, Stull took the marijuana and the \$850.

The rifle Stull is alleged to have purchased illegally was reportedly the same, 30-caliber semi-automatic weapon he brandished when police attempted to arrest him last Tuesday.

According to Newman, officers from the Sheriff's Dept., Bath Township Police and County Investigative Squad were at the scene.

According to police officials, Stull came at the officers with the weapon, although it is reported he did not fire it.

Newman said Stull was ordered to stop, but continued toward the officers with the rifle.

He said Polzien then shot Stull, who, despite orders to stop continued. Stull was shot three times before falling to the ground.

He died at Sparrow Hospital Tuesday night.

Newman said he is now studying reports from the State Police who investigated the incident.

State Police have provided evidence seized at the scene, an autopsy report, interview of Polzien, interview with Trent Stull (brother of Spencer Stull who was arrested for obstructing a police officer and released on \$2000 bond and interview with Donald Barnard who was apparently in the front yard when officers arrived.

It was believed State Police were going to interview, Delilah Stull, sister of Spencer Stull, Tuesday morning.

After studying the case and reports, Newman said, "If after a full review of all the facts and I'm satisfied the officer's actions were entirely justified, then that will be the end of it."

He continued, "If it appears there are disputed factual issues, then I'll probably call for an inquest."

Until Newman has completed his review of the case, Polzien will remain suspended, a normal procedure when a police officer is involved in shooting someone.

Fire destroys mobile home

Fire completely destroyed the mobile home of the Karl Armstrong family early Tuesday morning at Searles Mobile Home Park south of St. Johns.

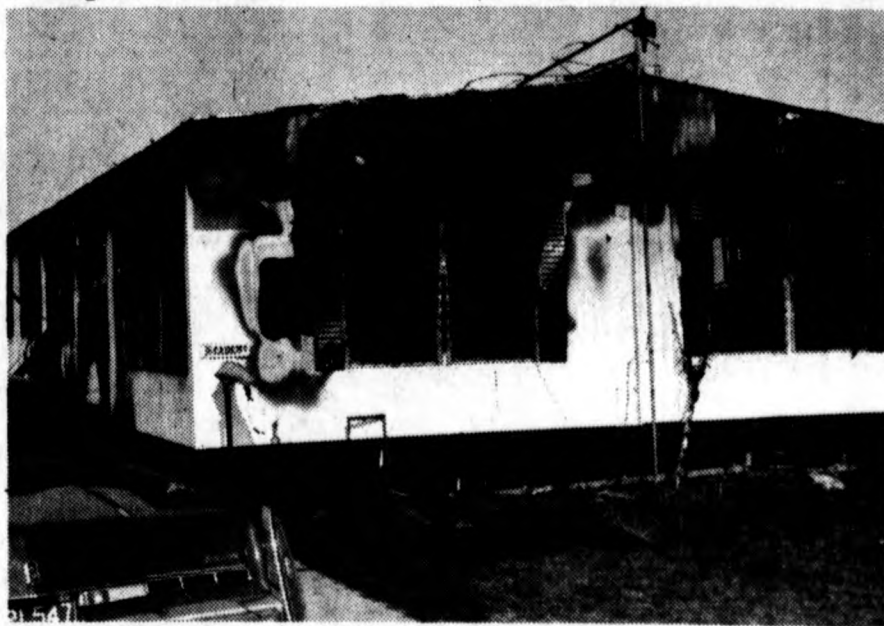
The family lost all of their possessions in the fire.

Persons wishing to donate clothes to the mother and father, girls 17 years and seven years and boy, 16, may call 224-7634.

Early deadlines

Due to the upcoming Monday July 4th Holiday, the Clinton County News asks your cooperation in meeting the back-dated deadlines for news and advertising.

All news and advertising items must be in our office by 5 p.m., Friday July 1st, as we will go to press at our regular Tuesday time.



The Karl Armstrong family lost the entire contents of this mobile home early Tuesday morning when fire swept through the home at Searles Mobile Home Park south of St. Johns. See related story.



Attending the 50th class of 1927 of the former Rodney B. Wilson High School on June 18 were (Front row from left) Gordon Hodge, Gaylord Beck, James Campbell, Clare Huggett, Kent Ellis. (Second row from left) Thelma (Eaton) Hillman, Hazel (Crowell) Allen, Alice Jumper, a teacher, Mary Rogers Gross, teacher Edith Brew Graybiel, Bernice (Cieland) Urie, Geraldine (Dutcher) Whyman. (Back row from left) Ruthe (Carey) Hodge, Florence (Taber) Stanlake, Mildred (Locher) Kowalk, Marguerite (Mester) Gove, Nina (White) Adams, Dorothy (Fitzpatrick) Eaton, Audrey (Grubaugh) Fruchtli, Ruth (Halstead) Sharai, Helen (Reed) Snavde, Oneta (Crawford) Barthel, Mereta (Davis) Henney, Jane (Huey) Mertz, Elsie (Rice) Puetz, Evelyn (Billson) Parr, Lylyan (Smith) Lake, Elinor (Moon) McKinney.

Injuries suffered in accidents

Clinton County sheriff's deputies investigated seven accidents during the past week with three of them resulting in injuries. One was a car-deer accident.

Cars driven by Ramona A. Hubbard, Elsie, and Carol L. Oberitmen, Alma, collided at the intersection of Hyde Rd. and south bound US-27 on June 20 at 8:57 a.m. There were no injuries and the cars were towed from the scene.

Robert G. Adler, Laingsburg, hit a tree on Upton Rd., after apparently falling asleep at the wheel on June 22 at 1 a.m. Adler was injured in the accident and taken to Clinton Memorial Hospital for treatment.

Cars driven by Susan T. Spitzley, and Marvin B. Schloesser, both of Portland, collided when Schloesser was attempting to make a left hand turn into a private driveway from Grand River Ave. This caused the Spitzley auto to run into the back of the auto. The accident occurred at 7:55 a.m. June

21. Spitzley was injured in the mishap and sought her own treatment. The car had to be towed from the scene and she was cited by deputies for failing to stop within the assured clear distance.

Frederick R. Motz, 2422 W. French Rd., St. Johns, was north bound on St. Clair Rd., and was traveling over a crest of a hill on June 24 at 3:30 p.m. when he lost control of the auto after he reportedly saw another car coming at him. The Motz auto left the roadway and rolled over three times.

Motz was injured and transported to Clinton Memorial Hospital for treatment of injuries.

On June 23 at 10:45 p.m. a car driven by Pam W. Feldpausch, Fowler, left W. Price Rd. when she stated she saw another car approaching her with the brights lights on. She swerved to the right applying the brakes and lost control of the auto going into a ditch. There were no injuries and the car was driven from the scene.

A larceny of a building was reported on June 19 at 319 S. Maple in Maple Rapids.

A breaking and entering occurred at the George Weber residence at 380 Elm St., Fowler. A 10 hp out-board motor and fishing equipment were taken.

A breaking and entering occurred at the George Motcheck resident at 7970 Clark Rd. where golf clubs and equipment were taken along with a chain saw.

The William Rider residence at 5240 S. Tallman Rd., Grand Ledge was broken into, although nothing was taken.

Michael Bearup, French Rd., reported a tachometer was taken from his auto.

A breaking and entering occurred at Searles Trailer Court, lot 201 at the William James residence. Cigarettes and liquor were taken.

Malicious destruction of property was reported at the Wacousta General Store in Wacousta. A bike was also stolen.

Keith Mayers, W. Walker

Rd., reported the theft of his snowmobile.

Jerry Winstanley reported the larceny of two metal loading ramps from the parking lot of Jerry's Sunoco in Eagle.

Dorothy Roupe, reported the larceny of her purse containing a large amount of cash while she was at Sleepy Hollow State Park.

Douglas McCoy, reported the theft of his 20-hp out-board motor while he was at the State Road bridge in Eagle.

Bob Smith reported that someone unlawfully drove away an auto belonging to William Haupert, 304 E. State while parked at Sleepy Hollow State Park. The vehicle was recovered.

Engrid Podolak, Haslett, reported that while she was at Sleepy Hollow State Park, someone took her purse containing cash, make-up and a camera.

A Ford pick-up was stolen from Philip Lowern, 503 N. Clinton Ave., St. Johns on June 17.

Bike tours



in Michigan

(Editor's Note: This is the fifth in a series of 15 weekly articles on bicycle touring through Michigan. These features are designed to encourage Michigan tourism and promote bicycling near population centers.)

Wine-tasting, hang-gliding, spelunking and a futuristic look at a nuclear power plant are among adventures awaiting bicyclists on a 134-mile circle tour through Southwest Michigan, according to Automobile Club of Michigan.

The route follows the Lake Michigan shoreline and its towering sand dunes, meanders along the St. Joseph River and traverses mile upon mile of vineyards, orchards and corn fields.

Most of the cycling is along lightly traveled roads that pass state parks with white sandy beaches. There are also glimpses of industrialized sections of Benton Harbor, Niles and South Haven.

Cyclists may choose to take only the 37-mile Water-vliet-South Haven-Benton Harbor loop via M-140 and the Blue Star Highway. M-140 runs through rural towns and past small farms. Blue Star Highway hugs Lake Michigan's tree-lined shore, with Van Buren State Park's beach, camping and picnicking facilities situated just three miles south of South Haven.

En route to Benton Harbor-St. Joseph from South Haven, there are two more parks-Benton Township and Rocky Gap—where cyclists can rest and enjoy the beauty of Lake Michigan.

At St. Joseph, 25 miles south of South Haven, Lake Boulevard Park hugs the shoreline, overlooking the St. Joseph River's ship-turning channel and the fishing boats out on the lake. There are park benches and a band shell for summer concerts.

B.L. 94 takes cyclists out of St. Joseph to the Red Arrow Highway, where the Scenic Lookout Park at the south city limits offers another chance to rest before starting the seven-mile ride to the Donald C. Cook Nuclear Power Plant on a bluff overlooking Lake Michigan just north of Bridgman.

Wednesdays through Sundays, the adjacent Cook Nuclear Center gives free 45-minute presentations on electricity and nuclear energy, or visitors can just

browse among the exhibits, including one of a wrist watch-sized television. Outdoors, there is a patio and lake overlook area with picnic tables, or visitors can use the indoor snack bar. The center is scheduled to be closed June 20-June 28 while new programs are installed in the three multimedia theaters.

From Bridgman, it is a four-mile ride to Warren Dunes State Park and its towering sand dunes, where daredevils with huge kite-like structures strapped to their backs soar into the air when the wind is right. On weekends, hang-gliding lessons are given for a fee.

Just a quarter mile south of Warren Dunes, cyclists turn off Red Arrow Highway and onto Browntown Road for the trek eastward into Michigan's Arrow Highway and onto Browntown Road for the trek eastward into Michigan's wine country. It is a 12-mile ride to the Tabor Hill Winery via Browntown, Gardner and Mt. Tabor roads.

Half-hour to 40-minute tours of the winery, plus wine-tasting, are offered daily from noon to 5:30 p.m. There are picnic tables and visitors can sample any wine in the house.

From Tabor Hill, it is a five-mile ride via Mt. Tabor, Snow Road and the Red Bud Trail through picturesque vineyards and along the winding St. Joseph River to Bear Cave Resort north of Buchanan.

For \$1 on weekends from Labor Day to Nov. 1 and daily from Memorial day through Labor Day, amateur spelunkers—cave explorers—are taken on half-hour guided tours of the cavern to see stalactites and other rock formations of varying colors and to cool off in the 58-degree year-around temperature.

Bear Cave Resort offers camping, canoe rental and picnicking on the banks of the St. Joseph River, and there is a general store to

replenish supplies.

From Bear Cave Resort to Niles, it is a seven-mile scenic ride along the St. Joseph via Buchanan and Niles-Buchanan Road. In Niles, the route turns northward and continues 15 miles to Dowagiac via M-51. Campgrounds are located north of Niles and just north of the M-152 intersection.

Nine miles north of Dowagiac, take C.R. 687 west and north past five miles of vineyards to Keeler, home of the Bronte Winery and Vineyards. Bikers can take the half-hour tours year-around and see the huge wooden barrels once owned by mobster Al Capone before more wine-tasting.

Continuing north on C.R. 687, there are about seven more miles of vineyards before reaching Hartford and its delightful city park with a stream running through it and picnic tables and baseball diamonds.

The return to Benton Harbor via Red Arrow Highway takes cyclists through Water-vliet, where there is another lovely park in the center of town, and through Coloma, where a short side trip to Paw Paw Lake and Deer Forest reveals tame deer, trout ponds and picnic groves.

From there it is just eight miles back to Benton Harbor via Red Arrow Highway past more farmland, orchards and rural towns. Cyclists will find motels along the route, and there are private campgrounds in addition to the two state parks.

Bicyclists should pace themselves according to their ability. The League of American Wheelmen estimates the average bicyclist can cover 35 to 50 miles a day with ease. A card and pamphlet containing bicycle safety tips are available free at all Automobile Club of Michigan offices.

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Dennis Scott (left), chairman of the Cystic Fibrosis Bike-A-Thon sponsored by the St. Johns Jaycees and Jayettes, is shown with the prize winners of the event. Terry Cornwell (second from left) took first prize and received a 10-speed bike, Jim Schultheiss took the second prize radio and his father, James Schultheiss won fourth prize, a \$10 gift certificate. Not shown is Mike Hogan who placed third and was awarded the camera held by Scott. Prizes were furnished by donations from the Knights of Columbus, American Legion, Jaycees and Jayettes. McDonalds furnished drinks and hamburgers to riders. Riders in fifth through 15th place received free passes to Ranch Roller Rink and t-shirts were awarded to 24 riders who raised over \$25.

Two injured when cars collide on M-21

St. Johns police investigated an auto accident involving injuries on June 25 at 12:05 a.m.

Francis Wright, Perrinton was attempting to make a left hand turn off of M-21 in front of a car driven by Judy O'Conner, of 3805 W. M-21, St. Johns, causing a collision to occur.

Two passengers in the Wright auto, Sandy and Sharleen Wright, were injured in the accident and taken to Clinton Memorial Hospital for treatment. Wright was cited by police for failing to yield the right of way.

Police investigated seven other accidents during the past week.

Alan Myers, Holt reported to police on June 24 that, while his boat was parked at Bee's on US-27, someone took two props for the cushions and a spare tire and carrier.

Dennis Smith, 108 N. Lansing St., reported numerous tools were taken from the outside of his residence sometime during June 20. Police arrested three persons for being drunk and disorderly, and one person for driving while under the influence of liquor.

Two bikes were stolen during the past week, there were two larcenies from autos, one simple larceny, one malicious destruction of property, and there was one violation of a controlled substance act.

Fire fighters also responded to four fires during the past week.

First concert set for band shell

All Clinton County area musicians and band graduates are invited to take part in a series of summer band concerts at the St. Johns band shell.

Band rehearsals are from 7-9 p.m. at the St. Johns High School.

Rehearsals will be Tuesday evenings and the concerts will be Wednesdays at 8 p.m. in the park.

Music to be performed will

be of a calibre that will allow all levels of proficiency to participate.

If you have played a musical instrument and have a desire to play again, you are invited to the Tuesday rehearsals.

Soloists and small groups who wish to perform on these concerts are asked to contact Walter Cole 224-7523.

The first of five concerts is July 6.

Health Dept. begins blood pressure control program in DeWitt area

The Mid-Michigan District Health Department has implemented a blood pressure control program in the DeWitt area.

The program includes: public screening services at monthly Health Department community health clinics, referral of clients to local participating physicians for diagnosis and care and health Department monitoring of client blood pressures if requested by a physician.

The Health Dept. advises that blood pressure should be checked annually.

Blood pressure is the force of the blood against the walls of the arteries. The force is generated by the heart as it pumps blood to all parts of the body. High blood pressure adds to the workload of the heart and arteries. With high blood

pressure there is increased risk of stroke, heart failure, kidney failure and heart attack.

Most people with high blood pressure have no symptoms at all because there are no specific warning signs. The only way to find out whether you have high blood pressure is to have your blood pressure checked.

Local physicians and the Health Department have worked together to develop this program in Clinton, Gratiot and Montcalm Counties. In addition, information and assistance from Michigan Hearts Association has contributed to the program.

The clinic will be held the fourth Thursday of each month at the South DeWitt Church of Christ, 2831 Heribon Road, from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Lutherans install Streufert

The St. Johns Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod, on Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m. June 19, 1977, installed Alan Streufert, as the new director of Christian education (DCE).

Rev. Michael Ruhl, of the St. Johns Lutheran Church MS, St. Johns, was the officiant.

The Rev. M.S. Pohl, president of Concordia Lutheran College, Ann Arbor, preached the installation sermon and the Rev. J. Wm. Sippola, pastor of Trinity Lutheran Church MS, Lansing, circuit counselor, was the officiant.

Special music was provided by the choir. Streufert, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Streufert of



It was a warm, bright day Saturday for the fifth annual "Cancer Day" held at Twin Oaks Golf Course in memory of Penny Sue Crowell, who died of cancer at age 19. Her parents, owners of the golf course contribute all the green fees to the Cancer Society in hope that other parents and children will not have to go through what they did.

Ovid, Road Commission receive EDA grants

Congressman Al Cederberg, R-Midland, today announced that the Economic Development Administration has officially awarded two Public Works grants to Clinton County.

The Clinton County Road Commission will receive a grant of \$1,009,500 and the Village of Ovid will receive \$289,632. The federal funds will be used for Public Works projects authorized by the Local Public Works Capital Development and Investment Act to stimulate employment.

"These projects should have originally been funded under Round 1 of the Public Works Program," said Cederberg. "However, a mathematical error by EDA disqualified these projects."

"When this error was brought to my attention in

early February, I immediately contacted the Assistant Secretary for EDA and remained in close contact with him to assure that these projects would be funded from those funds specifically earmarked for

errors," stated Michigan's senior legislator.

These grants bring the total amount of Public Works funds going for Clinton County to \$1,697,132 according to Cederberg.

Ladiskys buy Wooley's store

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ladiski are new owners of Wooley's 5 cent-\$1 Store on Elsie's Main St., now known as "Bob and Nan's General Store".

The couple plan to expand the Elsie business into a variety store with more emphasis on the toy line.

They reside at 8319 Island Road, Elsie, Ladiski, and Elsie resident all of his life was raised on a farm four miles west of town. He graduated from Elsie High

school in 1965 and received his bachelor of arts in philosophy from St. Bernard's College in Cullman, Ala.

He worked as an insurance adjuster in Lansing for five years. He said that he and his wife, Joanne (Nan) wanted to have a small business in Elsie and its surrounding area and the timing was right.

Mrs. Ladiski is formerly of Pewamo. The Ladiskis have two sons, Victor, 7, and John 3.

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Back Through the Years



From the Clinton County News Files of 1937, 1947, 1957, & 1967

JUNE 29, 1967 10 YEARS AGO

Today (Thursday) is the 23rd issue in the Ovid Register Union's 101 year history. This will be the last issue of the Register Union to be published according to Editor and Publisher, Robert D. Martin. The Register Union ceases publication with this week's issue after serving the Ovid area for more than a century, beginning in 1866, shortly after the war between the states.

The St. Johns City Commission will be operating on a 15-million dollar budget as they go into the new year beginning July 1. This is the big problem that faces the commission after last Wednesday's setback at the polls in which the residents of St. Johns rejected the proposed charter amendment.

Clinton, Gladwin, Montmorency and Oscoda are the only Michigan counties that have no railroad grade crossings on those parts of the state highway system within their borders, reports the Michigan State Highway Department.

JUNE 27, 1957 20 YEARS AGO

Precedents concerning the liability of governmental units are involved in the jury trial of a damage action which opened in circuit court here Thursday morning. Attorneys for Daniel Marek, 11-year-old Victor Township boy are asking \$31,500 in a suit against the Olive-Victor Fr'l No. 1 school district. Young Marek lost an eye when an icicle fell from the eaves of the Victor rural school which he attended on March 30, 1954.

A Sunday afternoon fishing trip with his step-father ended in tragedy for an eight-year-old Lansing boy as the child was struck and killed by an automobile on Francis Rd., near DeWitt. State police identified the boy as Delmas Hoeflinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Denver Brown of 546 Isbell St., Lansing. He was declared dead on arrival at St. Lawrence hospital.

JULY 3, 1947 30 YEARS AGO

Dr. B.C. Hall, well-known physician in Clinton and Gratiot counties, will be honored at a community testimonial dinner in the Pompeii IOOF hall July 6, in recognition of his 50 years of service to the community and general area.

Fred Post, president of the State Savings Bank of Ionia and the former cashier of the Farmers Bank of St. Johns was named president of the State Bankers' Association recently, succeeding Fred Martin of Lansing.

Young and old gathered from all over Clinton County Sunday afternoon to pay tribute to Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Smith at the dedication of Camp Smith, formerly Twin Pines 4-H Club Camp, in Lebanon Township. Representative John Espie of Eagle was the featured speaker and lauded the fine work accomplished by the Smiths in his dedication address.

JULY 1, 1937 40 YEARS AGO

Bids on the construction of the proposed new Methodist church in St. Johns proved discouragingly high when opened Wednesday, June 30. Should a contract be let at the prices quoted, the cost of the edifice would be in the neighborhood of \$77,000 which is \$17,000 above the top figure the Methodists had planned to pay.

Tax allotment notices were mailed June 30 to village, township and school district officials by the Clinton County Tax Allocation Board. The 15-mill property tax apportionments have been made and the board will meet next week for the final session of the year.

Government checks totaling approximately \$83,000 were distributed to some 1200 Clinton County farmers Monday and Tuesday of this week through the Clinton County Soil Conservation Committee. These checks are paid to farmers who cooperated with the government soil conservation plans in 1936.

Personality Profile

Ovid man heads state bowling association

By Sue Kiley Staff Writer

Tony Sinicropi of Ovid, feels it is an honor to be president of the Bowling Proprietors of Michigan.

The proprietors themselves must feel Tony is doing a good job for them because he was re-elected for a second two-year term just last week in Dearborn.

"It's great to know you can come from a small town where you only have a 12-lane 'house' (referring to his bowling alley)," Tony said. "And they still feel confident to have you as their president." Sinicropi noted his vice-president has a 94-lane house.

"Some of my really close friends own two or three places," he added.

Anyone talking to Tony finds bowling is his first love. He went from a young boy setting pins in Seneca, New York where he was born and raised, to owning his own bowling alley in Ovid.

"We (meaning Tony, his brother John and partner, Mitch Das), felt there was a definite need for recreation in Ovid," he said. "A bowling alley seemed like the perfect answer."

Before opening the bowling alley Sinicropi also ran a small bar. He boasts as being the first pizza place in the Owosso-St. Johns area and claims to have made over 400,000 pizzas in the past 15 years of business.

"I figure if MacDonald's can count how many burgers they made, I can count how many pizzas we've made," he said with a grin.

Sinicropi has come up the ranks in the Michigan Bowling Proprietors Association going from a director to sergeant-at-arms, to treasurer, then secretary, to vice-president and then president.

"It's just a great feeling to be able and sit down with millionaires who own really big houses and they let me project my ideas and views to them," Tony said.

Sinicropi is more than just moderately involved with the functions of the organization. It is the biggest part of his life.

According to Tony the bowling association deals with every aspect of bowling from the political and legislative end to promotion, to charities.

Sinicropi is extremely proud of being in the bowling profession and can quickly give you any facts on the sport a person would like to know. He noted Michigan is the bowling capitol of the world with Detroit men and women bowlers being the biggest organization in the country. He added there are also over 42,000 regular children bowlers in the state.

Besides being president of the bowlers group Sinicropi is also national director and the national committee for convention site selection. "Being a part of this has taken me to almost every part of the United States," he said.

The group has sites set up from Las Vegas to Honolulu to New Orleans up until 1981.

One time a year the association puts on a charity program along with the Detroit Free Press. Last year bowlers of Michigan donated in excess of \$93,000 for charity.

"We try to distribute the money to every section of the



Tony Sinicropi

state that puts in a request," the bowling president said. "Primarily we get involved with children's charities for the retarded, children's homes, and for certain hospital groups."

He added they don't just like to send money, but they like to give equipment. Part of last year's money went to the Burn Hospital in Grand Rapids and a portable dialysis machine for kidney patients.

Bowlers compete for trips and money playing in tournaments. The bowlers wishing to compete donate \$1 to the charity which is usually done during the regular bowling league time.

It takes quite a bit of time to be president of the association and do it right. Tony estimates he is away from his business in Ovid between 12 and 15 days per month.

"I'm lucky though," he said. "My two boys (Ford and Sam) can take over for me when I'm out of town."

Sinicropi also owns a bowling alley in Seneca that has 24 lanes.

"It's really ironic," Sinicropi said. "The county seat of my home town was Ovid, New York so where do I relocate? Ovid, Michigan."

He noted he has met quite a few people in the Ovid area who were originally from that part of New York.

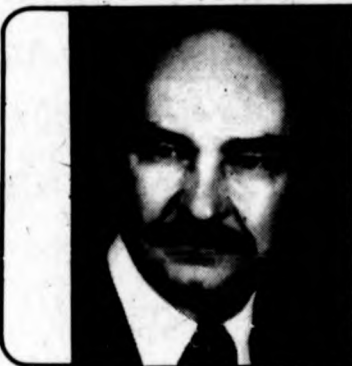
Tony and his wife Mary related a funny experience which wasn't all that funny at the time it happened, but the couple laughed about it when they told the story.

It seems jokes and wisecracks are always being made about Tony's being from a small town and the fact that his name is so long half of it is on the mailbox in town and half of it is out of town.

A few years back a bowling show called "Beat the Champ" was going to be filmed at the Tri-Ami by WWJ Channel 4 of Detroit. The day of the show the huge television truck pulls into Ovid and when they plugged in their equipment half the town lost its electricity for a few minutes.

Being in the position Sinicropi is in, he gets to meet and become friends with top bowlers the average person knows only by television appearances. Tony is a personal friend of Dick Weber and knows Earl Anthony and Don Johnson and women bowlers Patty Costello and Millie Martella.

Bowling is Tony Sinicropi's life and he is going to promote it long after he gives up his seat as president of the association.



almanack

Court streamline might help

By Richard L. Milliman

When a judge makes a proclamation, most lawyers listen. When that judge holds the highest judicial position in the land, it's logical most lawyers—and most other judges, too—will listen even more intently.

The recent suggestion by Chief Justice Warren Burger of the United States Supreme Court may not receive the enthusiastic legal embrace to which laymen might normally think it entitled.

You see, what Justice Burger said, among other things, is that we should take a look at how to reduce the court role of lawyers and judges.

As a matter of fact, Justice Burger indicated, if we don't do something along these lines, our courts are in real trouble.

Justice Burger chose a conference of the American Bar Association to display his reform views. The conference, appropriately enough, was designed to study new ways to settle minor legal disputes, such as small claims, landlord-tenant conflicts, and consumer complaints.

This country already has more lawyers per capita than any country in the world, Justice Burger noted, but "far too little" is being done to simplify legal mechanics in minor disputes.

"The role of law, in terms of formal litigation, with the full panoply of time-consuming and expensive procedural niceties, can be overdone," Burger said.

"The consumer with \$300 in controversy for car repairs, or a dispute on a defective roofing job, or a malfunctioning home appliance, prefers a reasonably satisfactory resolution to the protracted legal proceedings that are characteristic of courts."

What does the Chief Justice have in mind as a remedy? Well, may be some non-lawyers could help, he suggests.

"I suggest most people will prefer an effective, efficient tribunal of non-lawyers, or a mix of two non-lawyers and one lawyer, to the traditional court system to resolve his modest but irritating claim," Mr. Burger proposed.

Burger noted that such informal, neighborhood mechanisms—along with arbitration, mediation on conciliation panels—might be better alternative to overburdening the frequently ineffective small claims courts.

In Michigan, the district court serves as small claims court, as well as the criminal court of original jurisdiction. In small claims cases in Michigan, no lawyers are permitted; he who feels cheated presses his own case, as does his target. As Mr. Burger noted, in many Michigan jurisdictions,

the small claims action of the district court is becoming glutted. And the district judge, of course, must be an attorney.

The situation is becoming serious, Burger indicates. "The harsh truth is that unless we devise substitutes for the courtroom processes, we may be on our way to a society overrun by hordes of lawyers, hungry as locusts, and brigades of judges in numbers never before contemplated," Burger said.

Reminds me of the old story: A new lawyer moved into town. He was the only lawyer in town, he starved. Then a second lawyer moved into town. They both got rich.

Picture the neighborhood court, as Mr. Justice Burger seems to be suggesting. Perhaps it could have drive-in windows, with arbiters or conciliators for the simple cases, with sit-down, inside service presided over by panels of lawyers and laymen for the more serious cases.

Each court would need an identification sign, of course, with perhaps a bit of advertising, like: "More than 17 billion in claims settled by this court."

Maybe that's not such a bad idea. After all, it seems to work all right for another situation involving a "burger." Ouch. I'll go quietly, officer.

A PERSONAL LOOK AT THE NEWS

Between the lines

with Jim Edwards



BUT, HOW DO THE WINNERS FEEL ABOUT IT?—The joy of winning might be diminished somewhat if a sentence in last week's County News was interpreted literally. The story concerned Sen. Richard Allen's practice of decorating his Senate office with art furnished by elementary school students in his district. He holds a contest and then the winning entries are selected to decorate his office.

However, as stated in the County News, "... we would have an art contest and hang the winners in the office for a year."

WORD GAMES—A week or so ago, this corner contained three columns of words that could be used to concoct meaningless phrases that the party to whom you were talking or writing would not admit to not understanding. A reader supplied the following heard at a business meeting. The phrase "definable timely aspirations." According to the speaker it means the past, present and future desires of senior citizens.

THAT ONE HAD AN ENGINE ON EACH WING—We're not saying the flies are larger than usual this summer, but there were a few in our office booking passengers.

ENOUGH, ENOUGH—I'm so sick of the promotional spots for the summer television shows, I may not watch any of them.

NEWS FLASH—The Food and Drug Administration announced today that nothing was discovered for an 8-hour period that caused cancer.

CONTRADICTION—How did "awful" or "awfully" ever become to be used to emphasize "nice" or "pretty?" Such as—"She's awfully nice etc."

AN IDLE THOUGHT—I wonder how the Bird and Billy Martin would get along.

PERSONAL TOUCH AT THE POST OFFICE—The woman asked what day the package would arrive at its destination. The man at the window asked what the hoped-for-arrival day was. The woman answered, "Well, her birthday is

Thursday." The man at the window wrote on the package, "Happy Birthday, June 30" and signed his initials. Nice touch.

DON'T PLAN ON BEING BORED—For those who haven't made plans for the July 4 weekend, you'll be busy, busy, busy if you take advantage of all that's offered in Clinton County. St. Johns' celebration will be in full swing right through until the fireworks Monday night, Ovid, thanks to the Jaycees and Auxiliary, once again will be observing an event-filled weekend and the annual Westphalia July 4 celebration is always a popular attraction. Test your stamina—try to attend all three.

WE NEED THE RAIN—Come on everybody. Let's work together on this. I think we should establish a county-wide car wash and picnic day next weekend. (I said "next" weekend—don't spoil the Fourth) If everybody in the county washed his car and planned a picnic next Saturday, it would almost be sure to rain.



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Rep. Francis Spaniola

Breakfast-hot items

87th District

One of the hottest items on the House agenda recently was consideration of the mandatory school breakfast programs in public schools.

After much debate, the House voted to delay the program for two years and then phase in the services over a three-year period. During the last legislative session, you may remember, a law was enacted requiring school districts to provide these breakfast programs by Oct. 1 of this year. Last week's action in the House, however, was the first step in postponing implementation until Oct. 1, 1979.

According to the provisions of the 12 amendments to last year's school code adopted by the House, these breakfasts will be offered to full-time students only. Districts where at least 50 percent of lunches served in the prior years were free or reduced price meals will be required to offer the breakfast program in the first year. In the second year the standard drops to 30 percent, and by 1981-82, all districts would be affected. The House also voted 105-1 to require the state to reimburse schools for all the direct and indirect costs

associated with the breakfast programs. Those who opposed the amendments, among them many of my Republican colleagues, argued that the food should be offered on a voluntary basis, where there is a demonstrated need, with the state funding used as an incentive. Many also stated that the school budget and state funds are already scarce enough without requiring school districts whose children do not need such supplemental nutrition to participate in a costly program.

BUDGET PROGRESS

The budget is continuing to move smoothly, and rather swiftly, compared to past years. The House Appropriations Committee reported out its first Senate-origined budget bill on a 14-1 vote. The bill is a higher education appropriation in the amount of 551.6 million for the 1977-78 fiscal year.

However, the committee did not approve the Public Health Department budget bill primarily because of Republican dissent. The bill calls for \$62.8 million in

general funds. This figure is \$15.8 million above current spending and \$6.1 million above the Governor's request.

The main reason committee Republicans did not approve the bill is that several funding increases are dependent upon legislation which has not yet cleared both chambers, and if the legislation is not approved the increases will have to come from the general fund instead.

WETLANDS PROPOSAL

My Republican colleagues on the House Conservation Committee have requested a delay in action on the wetlands preservation bill to write amendments requiring renewed legislative approval in future years before preservation plans are enforced.

The Republican amendments will attempt to balance some of the authority the Department of Natural Resources would have in permitting or denying new development on wetlands or in draining wetlands.

The planned amendments would require the DNR to take an inventory of wetland swamps near lakes and streams which harbor wildlife and have water-borne wastes filtering value. The department would also write a plan for preserving these areas. The plan, however, would have to be reviewed by the Conservation Committee and approved by the Legislature and the governor.

Rep. Stanley Powell

Wetland protection

88th District

The quality of our environment is a subject which has generated much interest in the past several years as people have become increasingly concerned over dwindling resources, endangered species and a gradual deterioration of wilderness areas.

Originally the concern over our environment stemmed mainly from "environmentalists" who, for a variety of reasons, were loathe to stand passively as our natural resources were depleted. Interestingly enough, the "environmental league" is gradually being joined by another group of serious persons who, for different reasons, are beginning to understand that the quality of our environment in some cases has a direct impact on the economic value of our resources.

In March, 1977 Rep. Warren Goemaere introduced the Wetland Protection Bill which would regulate the use, management and protection of Michigan's wetland areas. This bill has attracted interest among environmentalists, sportsmen and land developers alike.

Part of the interest stems from the fact that Michigan's wetlands are important for more than just scenic reasons.

The effective use of wetlands is important for the continuation of sport fishing and for the very practical purpose of flood control.

Bogs, rivers and streams provide natural drainage areas which, if not used properly, could contribute to flooding and serious damage in urban and agricultural areas.

Marshes, which are the breeding grounds for a variety of marine creatures and insects, are an essential ingredient in the food chain which supports higher forms of wildlife; such as fish, birds and many large mammals.

However, the bill has its opponents as well as its supporters. Some persons are basically opposed to the concept of regulating privately owned land; and feel very strongly that, as long as the land is their own, they

should retain the right to use it as they deem most feasible.

The argument is a strong one and objections to state regulation of owned land are serious enough that the bill has not yet been reported out of the House Conservation committee in spite of the fact that it has received strong leadership support from the Legislature and the Executive office.

Under the measure, persons owning land which qualifies under the definition of wetlands would have to apply to the Department of Natural Resources for a permit in order to build a dock or park, construct pipelines, power generating stations, wells, pumping facilities or roads. Further, a permit would be required for dredging or diverting water flow.

The funds from the \$25 permits would then be used for the administration of the act.

The central question on this bill, and the one which separates its supporters from its opponents, revolves around whether the benefits of protecting our wetlands outweigh the disadvantages of regulating privately owned land.

Some feel that wetland protection is necessary for the preservation of our resources and a healthy environmental climate for all persons. Others feel that an individual's right to maintain and use his land as he sees fit is as basic to the American way of life as the freedom of speech.

At this point the bill is still changing form and shape with every new committee meeting as amendments are added and new ideas are discussed. Hopefully the committee will be able to arrive at a compromise which is acceptable to all involved parties.



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WHITE HOUSE TOURS

Every Congressman is given an allotment of spaces on the White House VIP tours. These tours are more extensive than the regular public tours and usually involve smaller groups of people. Unfortunately, because of the large demand and the limited number of spaces available, it is impossible to accommodate everyone on these tours. Therefore, in order to make a reservation, it is advisable to make it early. On the average 45 days notice before a visit will be required to reserve a space.

FBI TOURS

Last year the Federal Bureau of Investigation moved into the new J. Edgar Hoover Building which is considered the most modern center for criminal investigation in the world. Its tours have always been considered one of the best in Washington. They include displays of famous past cases and how they were solved. Many of the exhibits have been completely renovated and changed since the move.

Your congressional office can make reservations on special VIP tours which are limited to small groups. Again, because of the large demand for these tours, it is advisable to give plenty of advance notice of a visit.

OTHER TOURS

While other government agencies do not have special VIP tours, your Congressional office can provide you with information on the other general public tours that may be of special interest to the Washington tourist. In addition it can inform you of the various private sight-seeing services. Discount coupons for the public Tourmobile which covers the Federal Mall between the Capitol and Arlington Cemetery are included in the tourist information package.

VISIT YOUR CONGRESSMAN

As your personal representative in Washington, I am always happy to meet with any visitors from the 10th Congressional District at a time that is convenient. Normally, mid-morning is a good time. However as the business of the Congress is unpredictable, advance notice of a visit will enable me to reserve a time in my schedule that will be compatible with yours.

PICTURE

If a group or individual wishes, your congressional office can arrange for a complimentary 8x10 photograph to be taken on the steps of the House of Representatives.

HOUSE AND SENATE GALLERY PASSES

You cannot observe either the House or Senate in session without a special pass to the visitor's galleries. Your congressional office can provide both of these passes. **FLAGS**—Whether or not you are coming to Washington this summer, you may want a flag that has been flown over the Capitol. Your congressional office can provide you a 3x5 cotton flag for \$4.81 or a nylon flag for \$6.90. Larger flags are available. If you desire your flag flown on a special day, such as Flag Day or the Fourth of July, it is advisable to make requests early as the demand is heavy for these occasions.

BIKE REGISTRATION

The House Public Safety Committee has once again taken up a bicycle registration program. To minimize thefts and maximize the return of stolen property, law enforcement officials have endorsed the concept of a state-wide or unified bike registration.

During the last legislative session, the Democrats on the committee killed consideration of the bill, to the obvious objections of my Republican colleagues.

This year, I hope that the bill will receive the consideration it deserves. As we are all aware, bicycle thefts are multiplying. It makes good sense to create a system which can protect the consumer and give at least some assurance that stolen property may be located.

BUSINESS PRIMER

A primer for the citizen who wants to know the whys and wherefores of starting his own business has been prepared by the Office of Economic Development. Titled "Guide to Starting a Business in Michigan," the book gives the potential businessman a sobering look at the relationship between business and government. The 42-page booklet tells the reader who to talk to and what to do to start the process of building a new business.

The book outlines government requirements, both state and federal, which must be adhered to and which many times present a burden to new businesses despite how important, protective or effective they may be.

If you are interested in receiving a copy, write the Michigan Department of Commerce, Law Building, Lansing 48913.

Senator Richard Allen

Soapy issues

30th District

How much phosphate is too much in your favorite swimming lake? Or, too little in your laundry detergent?

We are about to decide whether or not to ban phosphates in detergents and cleaning products for home use in Michigan.

The crucial vote will take place in the Joint Administrative Rules Committee, a combined Senate-House Committee that acts on departmental rules, such as the one being promulgated by the State Department of Natural Resources (DNR) to ban phosphates.

Three Senators are on the Committee—Joseph Mack of Ironwood, John Hertel of Harper Woods, and myself. Two of our votes are necessary to obtain approval or disapproval of the proposed phosphate ban.

Senator Mack from the Upper Peninsula is taking his usual stance against any regulation of industry. Senator Hertel seems equally committed to voting for the ban.

That leaves me in the pivotal position and, at this time, my intentions are to support the ban.

But, as usual on scientific issues, it's amazing how much variation there is in the evidence presented.

Proponents of the phosphate ban claim detergent phosphates are a major source of excess phosphate

in our lakes, that this nutrient is crucial in increasing algae growth, and that the aging and decay process in our lakes is greatly accelerated thereby. They also claim that adequate substitutes make phosphates unnecessary in detergents.

Industry sources, on the other hand, claim just the opposite. They say that phosphates are a small source of phosphate, that many other nutrients may be equally irritating, and that housewives will be greatly agitated by inferior substitutes. They also claim we might better reduce phosphate in sewage plants by means of chemical precipitants.

So who's right? To tell the truth, I'm still not sure.

But, I do know this. Lakes are too important a resource in Michigan to take any chances. We are making some progress in reversing the decay process in Lake Erie and some inland lakes, but, many others are still getting worse.

So, I'm siding with the lakes.

Perhaps that's against housewives and some industry.

If your underwear turns grey, don't send it to me, but do let me know. I'll keep the option open to decide later I was wrong and reverse my position.



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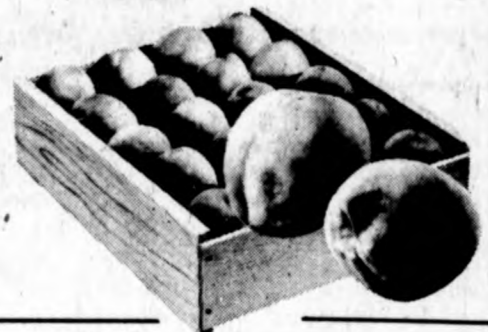
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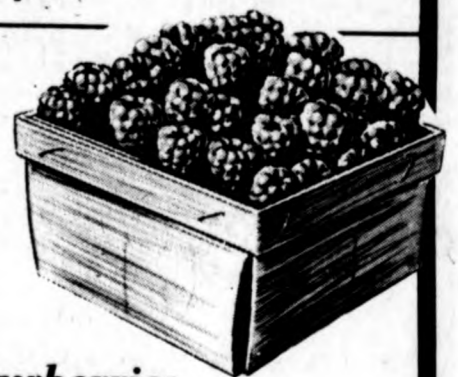


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Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Armbrustmacher

Couple exchange spring nuptials

Ruth A. Thelen, and Gerald E. Armbrustmacher were united in marriage May 14 at 1 p.m. in St. Mary's Catholic Church in Westphalia by Father James Schmitt. The bride was escorted down the aisle to the double ring ceremony by her parents to an altar decorated with yellow mums.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Thelen and Mr. and Mrs. James Armbrustmacher, all of Fowler.

Joyce and Annette Jandernoa sang for the ceremony and Mrs. Daniel Spitzley played the organ.

For her wedding the bride chose a Victorian styled gown of pata-peau over taffeta. The dress featured a sheer yoke bodice with chantilly lace. The empire waistline was trimmed with the lace and the bishop sleeves featured lace appliques and lace cuffs. The gown had an A-line skirt with Venice lace panels and chantilly lace with a cathedral length train.

She wore a fingertip mantilla with Venice lace on a Camelot headpiece. The bride carried a large colonial style bouquet made of white and yellow carnations, green daisies, red sweetheart roses and babies breath.

Maid of honor for her sister was Linda Thelen, of St. Johns. Bridesmaids were: Terese Thelen and Sharon and Sandy Armbrustmacher, all of Fowler. Flowergirls were Patti Thelen, Fowler and Paula Armbrustmacher, St. Johns.

The attendants wore gowns of mint green with a floral print. The bodice and skirt front softly gathered in front and had a v-shaped neckline, self fabric ties and short flared sleeves. They wore picture hats.

The flower girls wore mint green dotted swiss dresses with a high waistline, scoop neck and baby doll sleeves.

The sleeves and bodice were trimmed in white lace. They wore flowers in their hair.

They carried bouquets of spring flowers with babies breath, yellow and white daisies, red sweetheart roses, and carnations.

Both mothers wore floor length aqua colored gowns and wore corsages of pink carnations with red and pink sweetheart roses.

Best man was Ralph Feldpausch, of Fowler. Groomsmen were Dave Thelen, Westphalia; Tim Halfman, and Mike Fedewa, both of Fowler. Ushers were Jim Thelen and Keith Feldpausch, both of Fowler.

A reception for 425 people

was held at St. Mary's Hall in Westphalia following the ceremony. Those serving at the reception were Audrey Schafer, Wanda Thelen, Diane Weber, Ann Smith Marlene Thelen, and Deb Schafer.

Special guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. John A. Thelen, Westphalia; Mr. and Mrs. Julius Thelen, Fowler; and Mr. and Mrs. Clem Armbrustmacher.

The couple took a wedding trip to Virginia.

The bride is a 1975 graduate of Pewamo-Westphalia High School and the groom is a 1975 graduate of Fowler High School.

The couple is making their new home in Fowler.

They're engaged



Ruth Thelen

Joe Heckman

Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Thelen, Fowler, announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth, to Joe Heckman, son of Mrs. Joseph Heckman, Pewamo. Both are graduates of Pewamo-Westphalia High School.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Aquinas College and is employed by the Laboratory of Clinical Medicine. The prospective groom is employed by the state of Michigan. An October wedding is planned by the couple.

Marriage Licenses

William Henry McDonald, 42, 2265 West Parks Road, Lot 271, St. Johns; Karen Beatrice Hoff, 39, 2265 West Parks Road, Lot 271, St. Johns.

William Everett Zick, 18, 5577 Ann Drive, Bath; Elaine Michele Hawley, 18, 5418 Ann Drive, Bath.

David Michael Makara, 19, Gilson Rd., R6, St. Johns; Randi Erickson Sheldon, 18, 405 East Higham St., St. Johns.

William Benjamin Swears, 40, 605 S. Kibbee, St. Johns; Elizabeth Jean Schrauben, 30, 902 E. Sturgis, Apt. 11, St. Johns.

Jeffery Lee Hazle, 20, R2 S. Airport Rd., St. Johns; Renae Darlene Ditmer, 19, 1008 Hampshire Drive, St. Johns.

Ronald Mathias Schrauben, 54, R2 12327 Price Road, Fowler; Phyllis Marjorie Juenker, 53, 4075 East Holt Rd. Lot 264, Holt.

Edward Louis Faivor, 20, 133 Brunswick Drive, DeWitt; Linda Susan Wesseler, 18, R3 8490 Corridor Road, Grand Ledge.

David Emanuel Pierson, 24, 13333 Bauer Road, Eagle; Sara Jane Clark, 24, 13333 Bauer Road, Eagle.

Charles Alan Stewart, 27, 506 S. Lansing St., St. Johns; Teresa Beth Martens, 19, R4 Forest Hill Rd., St. Johns.

Kenneth William Wilkie, 21, 2306 Seminole Drive, Okemos; Linda Marie Dubay, 18, 4000 County Farm Road, St. Johns.

John Martin Decker, 22, 609 N. Morton St., St. Johns; Lidia M. Bast, 25, 103 S. Clinton Ave., St. Johns.

Merrill Abraham Wilson Jr., 20, 5562 N. Okemos Rd., Okemos; Rene Lea Pritchett, 17, 1352 Walnut Rd., Bath.

James Frederick Coe, 24, 11622 Westwind Dr., Ft. Wayne, Ind.; Sharon Katherine Barnes, 21, 427 Meadowview Dr., St. Johns.

Dale K. Weber, 67, 12376 Upton Rd., Bath; Verlene D. Blackie, 51, 5826 Orchard Ct., Lansing.

Michael Lester Krohn, 21, 1301 Geneva Dr., DeWitt; Melanie Sue Sickles, 19, 13955 Shavey Rd., DeWitt.

Robert Lloyd Wieber, 21, 1201 W. Alward Rd., DeWitt; Starr Anne Harrington, 20, 5986 Carrington Rd., DeWitt.

Charles Edward Cowley III, 18, 225 1/2 E. Pine Street, Elsie; Ellen Eve Personious, 18, 9001 Huff, Elsie.

Michael Allan Powell, 24, 400 Castle Drive, Lansing; Loretta Ann Presnell, 23, 400 Castle Drive, Lansing.

new arrivals

A boy, Michael Paul, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Poisson of Rudyard June 7. He weighed 9 lbs., 10z. The baby has two brothers. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Poisson of Sault Ste. Marie and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Peterson of Ovid. Great grandmother is Mrs. Paul Smith. The mother is the former Judith E. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard G. Curtis of Laingsburg are the parents of a baby girl, Jamie Jean, born June 10 at Owasco Memorial Hospital. Jamie weighed 6 lbs 4 oz. Mrs. Curtis is the former Joy Lee. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Durwin R. Curtis both of Laingsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton E. Andrus, 3815 W. Townsend Rd., St. Johns became the parents of a son, Jeffery Edward, on June 6 in Sparrow Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry E. Dean, Marshall Rd., St. Johns, became the parents of a son, Eric Eugene, on June 14 at Sparrow Hospital.

A boy, Michael Larry, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Larry A. Linman of 2265 W. Parks Road June 21 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 6 lbs. 13 1/2 oz. The baby has 2 sisters. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Clark of Bannister, and Mrs. and Mrs. Paul Neller of St. Johns. The mother is the former Laurie Clark.

Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Pagel, 505 E. Walker St., St. Johns announce the engagement of their daughter, Karen Esther to Donald Lee Cuthbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Cuthbert, 2955 E. Centerline Rd., St. Johns.

The bride-elect attended St. Johns High School and graduated from Spartan Business Academy.

The prospective bridegroom graduated from SJHS and is attending Michigan State University. He is self-employed.

The couple is planning a July 15 wedding.

Open house

An open house for Mrs. Anna Boettger to celebrate her 90th birthday will be hosted by her family at St. Paul Lutheran Parish Hall in Fowler on July 3 from 2 to 4 p.m. Friends, relatives, and neighbors are invited to attend.

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Kim Ballard

Ballard-Simon

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ballard, 816 S. DeWitt Rd., DeWitt, announce the engagement of their daughter, Kimberly Rose, to Paul Donald Simon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Thelen, 5055 Herbison Rd., DeWitt.

Both graduated from DeWitt High School. They are planning an August wedding.

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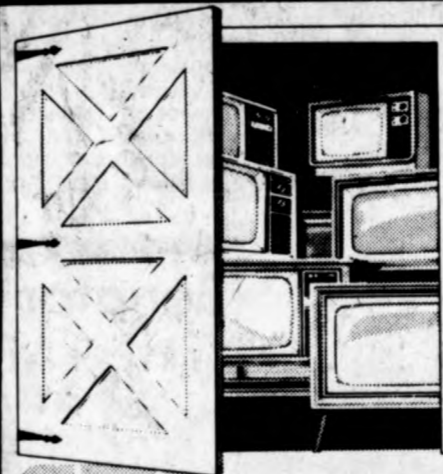
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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Horn

Garden site for Hoff, McDonald wedding

Wedding vows were exchanged Saturday, June 25 by Karen Beatrice Hoff, and William Henry McDonald before Rev. Carl Stacer at 1 p.m. in the Horticulture Garden at Michigan State University.

The bride's son Kevin Davis gave his mother in marriage at the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Vernon B. Stephenson, Harrison, and Mr. and Mrs. William R. McDonald, Columbus, Ohio.

Guitarist for the ceremony was James Cummings with Beth Cornell acting as soloist.

For her wedding the bride chose an off-white softly flowing chiffon gown trimmed in Venice Lace. The dress featured a fitted bodice with stand-up collar, and long, unlined elasticized wrist sleeves.

Her veil was a cap trimmed with chantilly lace and simulated seed pearls, with a Cathedral length net edge with chantilly lace. She carried a colonial bouquet of yellow roses, white babies breath, greens and daisies.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Harry Jones, of Lansing. Attendants were Mrs. Howard Brumit, Laingsburg, Lez-

lee Kaye Davis and Susan Hoff, St. Johns. Flower girls were Katheline Kelly, St. Johns and Sandie and Missy Hinkley, of Minnesota.

The matron of honor wore a yellow satineen dress trimmed in white lace and featured puffed sleeves. The attendants wore gowns with flower print in green, blue, and pink satineen with lace and puffed sleeves.

The attendants carried daisy bouquets and wore white babies breath in their hair. The flower girls carried fireside baskets of rose petals trimmed with ribbons to match their dresses.

Best man was Harry

Jones. Groomsmen were: Howard Brumit; Kevin Davis; and Robin McDonald.

Ushers were Billy McDonald, Micah McDonald, Richard, Hoff, and Michael Keener.

A reception for the couple was held at the UAW Local 602 on Michigan Ave., in Lansing following the ceremony.

Serving at the reception were Mrs. Robert Kelly; Mrs. Harry Hinkley, Tammy Stanton, and Kelly Houghton.

Special guests present were Katie Houghton, foster daughter of the bride and two grandchildren. Tina Ma-

rie Davis and David K. Houghton.

The bride wore a white jumpsuit trimmed in black for her going away outfit.

The couple took a wedding trip to Central Texas, and will be making their home at 2265 W. Parks Rd., St. Johns.



Mr. and Mrs. William H. McDonald

Horns observe 50th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Horn of 8105 W. Juddville Road, Elsie will observe their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house Sunday, July 3 between 1 and 4 p.m. at the American Legion Hall in Elsie.

The open house is hosted by the couples' children—Mrs. Lewis (Thelma) Goodrich Jr., Mrs. Mervin (Pat) Chamberlain of Ovid and Mrs. Glen (Joan) Parks, H. Jerry Horn of Rural Elsie.

Their wedding vows will be renewed at the Carland Methodist Church at the regular services on July 3.

The couple was married July 3, 1927 at the home of

the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delos Curtis, on the same farm where they now reside. They have spent their married years in the vicinity of Carland. Both are members of the Carland United Methodist Church.

Mrs. Horn was a teacher in the schools of Shiawassee County for 32 years. Her husband retired from the Carland Farmers Elevator where he was employed for 20 years.

The couple, their children, 12 grandchildren and one great grandchild invite all their relatives, neighbors, and acquaintances at the open house and buffet luncheon.

Three earn honors at Bob Jones Univ.

Three Students from Clinton County are included in the 1,155 on the dean's list of Bob Jones University, Greenville, S.C. Students listed earned at least a B average during the second semester. They are:

Chris Bernard McNeilly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McNeilly of 311 Franklin Street, DeWitt; senior, School of Religion.

Derick Michael Pardee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Pardee of 1758 East Alward Road, DeWitt; sophomore, School of Business Administration.

John Samuel Barnett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barnett of 6590. Coleman Road, East Lansing; sophomore, School of Religion.

Deans list

Dale Stephenson, 510 E. Walker St., St. Johns, has been named to the dean's list at Spring Arbor College this year.

The dean's list is based on a 4.0 point system with a 3.25 grade average or higher required for the scholastic honor.



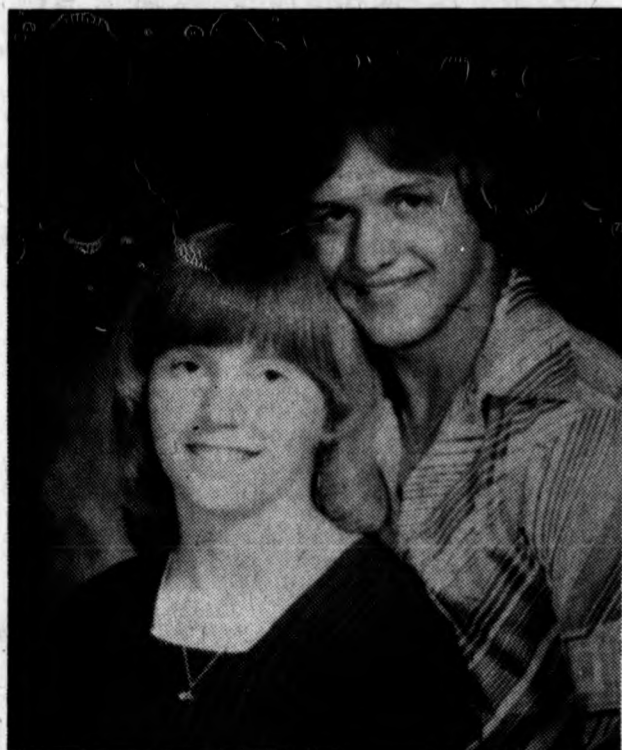
Five generation of Pohl's are from (L to R): Mrs. Margaret R. Parish, Jackson Nursing Home; Mrs. Betty Pohl, Albion; Leslie Renae Pohl, baby; Dennis Pohl, Spring Arbor; and Robert Pohl, Parma.

Birth

A boy, Brian James, was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Judd of Shawano Wis., June 8, at Shawano community Hospital. He weighed 9lbs. 13oz. Grandparents are

Mrs. Herman Haske, of St. Johns, and Dr. and Mrs. Dennis O'Donnel of Shawano. The mother is the former Judy Haske.

They're engaged



Linda Miller Lee Feldpausch

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Miller, N. Grange Rd., Fowler, announce the engagement of their daughter, Linda Marie to Lee Feldpausch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Feldpausch, 4751 Skyline Drive, Perrinton.

The bride-elect is a 1976 graduate of Fowler High School and is currently

employed by the State of Michigan, Department of Public Health.

The prospective bridegroom is a 1975 graduate of Fowler High School and is currently employed by Ray's Farming and Construction of Lansing.

A Sept. 24 wedding date is planned by the couple.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hildner

Luznak, Hildner repeat double ring vows

A beautiful garden wedding in Heritage Park at Frankenmuth united Nancy Luznak and Tom Hildner, M.D. of Denver, Colorado in a double ring ceremony. It was performed by Pastor John G. Deterding of the St. Lorenz Lutheran Church of Frankenmuth on Saturday afternoon, (May 21).

Parents of the couple are Mrs. Dorothy Fulford of Elsie, Michael Luznak of Bannister and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hildner of Frankenmuth.

Huge baskets of fresh garden flowers along a white picket fence with gate arched with flowers and greenery served as the setting for the altar with the small lake in the background.

The bride wore a light beige silk gown which was fashioned with a floor-length overskirt. The sleeveless fitted bodice was designed with a high neckline in sash

effect that criss-crossed the bodice to the overskirt. She wore a halo of flowers intertwined with green around her long hair and carried a bouquet of orange-tinted flowers centered with a rose and baby's breath.

Mrs. Edward (Connie) Thornton of Elsie attended her sister as matron of honor wearing a light blue silk gown with full skirt and sleeveless bodice. She also wore flowers in her hair and carried a bouquet of orange-tinted flowers centered with a rose and baby's breath.

Bob Zeilinger of Frankenmuth was best man for his friend.

Both mothers wore daytime length dresses. Mrs. Fulford wore an aqua dress with corsage while Mrs. Hildner wore a blue and brown figured dress designed with full sleeves. She also wore a flower in her hair.

Music was provided by Terry Lauback on the

guitar and later a band for buffet reception and entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Slamka of Bannister and Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Zender were hosts and hostesses for the 250 guests. A special guest was Otto Bickel of Frankenmuth, grandfather of the groom.

The newly weds returned to Denver, Colorado and will be residing in Boseman, Montana. The bride, a 1966 graduate of Elsie High School, attended Lansing Community College and St. Lawrence School of Nursing. The Groom received his B.A. at Western Mich. University and completed his M.D. at Wayne University.

BY CHLOE PADGETT

Home Economist

Chloe's Column



Cold storage

Freezing foods as a means of preserving is something almost everyone does, either in a large freezer or in a small compartment above their refrigerator. But large or small scale, doing it the right way can mean savings—monetarily, and in

the quality of the food being preserved.

To ensure best results, follow these tips: Keep freezer set at zero degrees F. To keep foods in top condition while frozen. The most reliable containers for freezing soft or "runny" foods are

rigid—either plastic freezer boxes or freezer jars. These should be used for such foods as fruits packed in syrup or sugar, as well as stews and meats.

Flexible bags are best for roasting turkeys or hens, all cuts of meat and other products with irregular shapes, as well as for vegetables and some fruits without syrup or sugar. If re-using these bags, be certain they contain no holes that would allow dry freezer air in and cause freezer burn.

Remember that the secret to proper freezing is to act quickly. Fast action retards enzyme activity, especially in fruits and vegetables.

Label each package with the date, type of food and other specifics which might be forgotten before the food is used, like number of servings, or seasonings and other ingredients to be added before serving. To ensure proper rotation, keep a chart or notebook near the freezer with the same information, crossing out foods as they are used.

If there is a large quantity of food to freeze, don't put it all in the freezer at once or the temperature may be brought up, partially defrosting other foods.

When freezing foods, leave out the seasonings and add them prior to serving the food. The flavor of most herbs and spices tends to disappear in the freezer. Pepper, however, gains in bitterness. Salt, when added to dishes that contain fatty substances, tends to quicken the process of rancidity.

Remember that foods such as onion, potatoes, pasta and starches in general become tasteless and soggy when frozen. In these times of high food costs, freezing foods the right way is really the only way to save time and money.

Open house



Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lohrer

Signs graduates with honors

Marla Signs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Signs, graduated with honors from Michigan State University. She graduated with a major in microbiology and public health and has

Ms. Signs graduated from St. Johns High School in 1973.

Area happening

been accepted for graduate study at MSU in immunonarasitology.

JULY 31—The 53rd Harlow Family Reunion will be held in Carson City at the home of Irving Sorrell.

An open house for the 50th wedding anniversary of Gene and Florence (Coleman) Lohrer, will be held at the Washington Township Hall (east of US-27 on Roosevelt Rd.), July 3 from

1 to 5 p.m. The event is being given by their children and grandchildren who invite friends, neighbors, and relatives. They request no gifts.



Winners at Green Tee Fun Day were: Left to Right (Back Row) Jan Bensinger, Wanda Fox, Barb Sukenik, Lois Robertson, Ann Walker, Helen Johnson, Cecilia Zuker, Elissa Greenburb, Bev Bovan. Left to Right (Front Row) Elinore Fields, Pauline Meriam, Fran Gumaer, Devera Stevenson.

Green Tee holds 'Fun Day'

By Pat Thompson

A large turnout of members and guests, many from out of town, attended Guest

Day, June 15, at the Clinton County Country Club. After a fun-filled round of golf, a beautiful and delectable luncheon awaited the members and guests prepared for the ladies by their one and only favorite chef and spoiler of women, Al Daley.

Following the luncheon, prizes were awarded the many winners. A special award was given to Fran Martin in recognition of her 50 year membership at the Clinton County Country Club. Last, but not least, a bag of old shag balls was awarded to members Elinore Fields and another bag of same to guest Cecilia Zuker for having the most penalty strokes. So, graciously accepting the balls, the two gals had the committee's solemn promise of satisfaction guaranteed to

keep them out of trouble upon hitting the last practice ball of the bag, thereby automatically putting them out of contention for such a prize ever again in their golfing careers!

Many thanks to the sports committee of the day, Elsie Dickinson, Edith Russell and Liz Nobis, for a job well done. Also, thanks again to the ladies favorite, Al Daley, for making Guest Day and every Wednesday happy and fun.

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SOPHOMORES

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HONORS: Kelly Aldrich, Deborah Cooper, Mark Haynes, Jennifer Hinton, Linda McVannel, Gretchen Penner, Alesia Rumsey, Linda Sorrell, David Stead,

SENIORS

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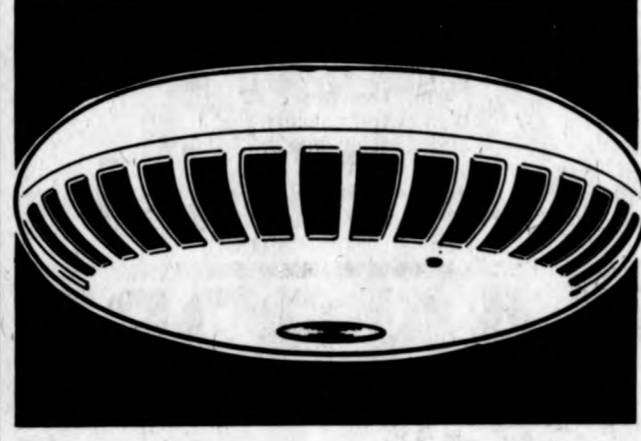
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New times announced at St. Paul

New times have been announced at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Fowler. Worship is at 9 a.m. and Sunday School at 10 a.m. Pastor of the church is H.E. Rossow.

Lung Association urges care by craft enthusiasts

Professional artists, craftsmen and hobbyists who enjoy photography, rock tumbling, pottery, metalworking and other crafts are risking, under certain conditions, serious illness or disabling lung diseases.

This caveat for the artist was recently sounded by James A. McLean, MD of University Hospital's Allergy Section, Ann Arbor, a member of the Michigan Lung Association Board of Trustees, who said that "diseases brought on by the environment rather than by germs are an extremely frustrating challenge since amateur craftsmen and artists tend to ignore the danger signals of materials they work with."

Dr. McLean said that by noting the contents of the materials that one uses on one's art or craft during free time or as a professional, one can determine the level of precaution that should be taken.

Potters, for example may suffer serious lung damage from operating in fume-producing kilns in unvented rooms or practicing poor housekeeping with silica-

laden clays and metallic glazes.

Metalworkers, sculptors, and lapidaries who grind, polish, and sand or buff and who do not use protective equipment expose their lungs to dusts which can block oxygen and cause severe scarring of lung tissue, Dr. McLean said.

One of the standard vat dye systems for batik hangings and tie-dyed shirts includes powdered color, plus lye and hydrosulfite. If the batik artist does not wear a mask, clouds of dust from these materials may get into his lungs. "Eventually the exposure could lead to chronic bronchitis, emphysema, or extensive fibrosis," Dr. McLean said.

Solvents are a major group of materials that can cause damage to the skin, the lungs, the liver, the blood, the eyes, and the central nervous system. For instance, if carbon tetrachloride is used in a poorly ventilated room or frequently, relatively small amounts can cause damage. Methylbutylketone, used as a lacquer solvent and a

polyester resin solvent, can cause nerve damage.

Other materials considered safe, such as acetone and turpentine are, first of all, highly flammable and, in addition, may affect the skin of those people who may be hypersensitive or who have allergic tendencies.

Dusts from certain metals can cause problems. Toxic metals may be inhaled, especially when mixing pigments. This is particularly true when these are mixed in the dry state. Particle size of dust is also of great importance because smaller particles can go deeper into the lungs, where they remain. This is particularly true of silica, asbestos and beryllium.

According to Dr. McLean, there are many precautions that a person can take if he or she becomes informed about the materials he or she works with. He advised:

—If a material is toxic, use it sparingly, if possible, and use it in a form least capable of getting into the body. Use it in liquid form instead of as an aerosol; in solid form rather than as a dust or powder.

—Use hygienic practices in the workplace. Store all liquids in sealed containers, particularly volatile solvents. Brushes soaking in open containers with solvents can cause problems. Cover powders, particularly fine sand, powdered clay, diatomaceous earth, talc and kaolin. Never use asbestos.

—Personal hygiene is vital—wash hands after handling chemicals.

—Food should not be eaten in the work area and smoking should be avoided. Both can lead to ingestion or inhalation of materials.

—Protective clothing and equipment should be used when working with potentially hazardous materials. Masks are important when working with powders, dusts and fumes.

—Adequate ventilation is critical in the workshop. More than an open window is required. A simple venting system can be set up using an inverted U-shape wood frame with an exhaust fan. These should be vented to the outside.

—Photographers should work in a cool, humid room, not in a hot, dry area.

—A combination of recognizing the real and serious hazards and understanding the problems will make it possible for the professional or hobbyist to enjoy working in the creative field of arts and crafts without suffering adverse health effects so that he can continue to create beauty for all of us to enjoy," Dr. McLean concluded.

Lee Morriss graduate of Kalamazoo College

Lee M. Morriss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Morriss, 208 W. State, St. Johns, was graduated during commencement ceremonies recently at Kalamazoo College.

She completed an economics major with a concentration in the area of public policy.

She is vacationing this summer as a supervisor at a Girl Scout camp in northern Michigan.

She spent her senior individualized project quarter as a research associate for Syracuse University's

health studies program.

During her sophomore year career development quarter, she worked as an assistant in the Loraine County Regional Planning Commission office in Ohio.

She studied in Aix-en-Provence, France, for two quarters during her junior year.

She served as both president and vice-president of the Student Commission, served on the planning and budget and campus life committees and participated in intercollegiate volleyball.

Farm Bureau holds grain marketing seminar

Members of Clinton Farm Bureau Commodity Committees along with county Farm Bureau directors are attending the 3rd annual Grain Marketing Seminar today (Wednesday) at the Hilton Inn in Lansing.

The purpose of the seminar is to give Farm Bureau members up to date information and knowledge to help them make their grain marketing decisions.

Speakers for the day-long seminar are Dr. Larry Connor and Dr. Steve Harsh, Dept. of Ag. Economics, MSU who will speak on "President Carter's Energy Proposals and What They Mean to Your Grain Drying Habits." Dr. Paul Kindinger, director of M.F.B. market development and research—

"How to Figure the Weather as Part of Your Marketing Strategy," Dr. Roy Black, Dept. of Ag. Economics, M.S.U. Market Outlook 1977 and Alternative Marketing Strategies for '77, John Baker, director, Gratiot Co. Co-operative Extension Service. In other news from commodity committees.

The 1977 Farm Bureau Soybean test plot was planted May 12 at the Earl Barks Sr. farm located on the east side of US-27 just north of Centerline Road. Twenty varieties were planted in 30-inch rows. Each variety was planted three rows wide with seeding rate of eight seeds per foot of row. This area has had a lower than normal rainfall for the months of May and June.

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Here is the autumn hunting schedule

LANSING—Most of Michigan's 1977-78 hunting seasons were set last week by the Natural Resources Commission.

Exceptions are quotas for the hunter's choice areas which will be determined by Commission action in July and for the fall waterfowl season, traditionally set in late August after federal options are offered.

Dates and areas for the taking of antlerless deer were set at the June Commission meeting for the first time this year. Dates run concurrently with the firearm buck season except for certain areas in the southern Lower Peninsula. In those areas, dates run concurrently with the first seven days of the buck season.

A new season for taking bear by bow and arrow has been scheduled for Oct. 1-9 in certain counties of the northern Lower Peninsula. This will mark the first time the season has been held since 1965.

Open counties for the quail season will be set in July, following a quail census that ran from June 1-15. Only those counties having 10 or more quail per 20-mile route will be open.

There will be no open season on sharp-tailed grouse because of a down-cycle in populations this year.

The fall hunting schedule follows, with Zone 1 referring to the Upper Peninsula, Zone 2 to the northern Lower Peninsula, and Zone 3 to the southern Lower Peninsula.

DEER: Firearms—Nov. 15-30 statewide, limit one antlered buck (unless the hunter possesses a valid hunter's choice permit); Bow and Arrow—Oct. 1-Nov. 14, Dec. 1-31 statewide, one deer of either sex; Muzzle loading—Dec. 2-11 statewide, limit one antlered buck.

BEAR: Firearms—Sep. 10-Oct. 31, Zone 1; Sep. 16-25, Zone 2 both under special bear license, no use of dogs permitted, (1,000 special free permits are required for Zone 2 hunts, limited to Emmet, Cheboygan, Presque Isle, Charlevoix, Otsego, Montmorency, Alpena, Kalkaska, Crawford, Oscoda, Alcona, Iosco and Ogemaw counties and Roscommon county, east of

US-27); Nov. 15-30, Zone 1, under the firearms deer license; Archery—Oct. 1-Nov. 14, Zone 1, under archery deer license, no dogs allowed; limited to one bear per year, Oct. 1-9, Zone 2, under archery deer license, no dogs allowed (1,000 permits).

SQUIRREL: Sep. 15-Nov. 10, statewide limits are five daily and 10 in possession; Fox squirrels are illegal in Zone 1 and no squirrel hunting is allowed on Bois Blanc Island.

BOBCAT: Zone 1 (except Drummond Island), Oct. 25-March 31; Zone 2, Jan. 1-Feb. 28 (Cheboygan, Presque Isle, Otsego, Montmorency and Alpena counties only); no bag limits.

PHEASANT (Regular season): Zone 1, Oct. 10-20 (Menominee County south of US-2 and Delta County south and west of Escanaba River only); Zones 2 and 3, Oct. 20-Nov. 10; bag limit is two male birds daily, four in possession; birds taken in put-take areas county toward the legal bag limit.

PUT-TAKE PHEASANT: Aug. 16-Nov. 14 and Dec. 1-Jan. 2 at Barry, Dansville, Deford, Flat River, Gourdneck, Gratiot-Saginaw, Gregory, Lapeer, Portville, Rogue River, Sharonville, Stanton and Three Rivers State Game Areas, Holly

Recreation Area and in part of the Tittabawassee State Forest near Gladwin and Sep. 15-Nov. 14 and Dec. 1-Jan. 2, 1977, in five additional state recreation areas—Bald Mountain, Ionia, Pinckney, Sleepy Hollow and Wetzel. Limit two a day, any section.

RUFFED GROUSE: Zone 1, Sep. 15-Nov. 13; Zone 2, Sep. 15-Nov. 14 and Dec. 1-31; Zone 3, Oct. 20-Nov. 14 and Dec. 1-31 (except portions of the Gratiot-Saginaw State Game Area); bag limit is five daily, 10 in possession.

RABBIT: Zone 1, Oct. 1-March 31; Zone 2, Oct. 1-March 1; Zone 3, Oct. 20-March 1; bag limit five daily, 10 in possession.

MUSKRAT (trapping): Zone 1, Oct. 25-Dec. 31; Zone 2, Nov. 1-Jan. 15; Zone 3, Nov. 22-Jan. 31 (several local exceptions, check game digest); no bag limit.

RACCOON: Hunting—Statewide, Oct. 1-Jan. 31; Trapping—Zone 1, Oct. 25-Dec. 31; Zone 2, Nov. 1-Jan. 15; Zone 3, Nov. 22-Jan. 31, with several local exceptions (check game digest); no bag limit.

MINK (trapping and hunting): Zone 1, (Oct. 25-Dec. 31; Zone 2, Nov. 1-Jan. 15; Zone 3, Nov. 22-Jan. 31 (local exceptions); no bag limit.

Oilers now 5-1 in league play

The Fowler Oilers continued their fine play in the Mid-Michigan Women's Fast Pitch Softball league this weekend by defeating a strong city-wide Cozy team in Lansing Saturday evening 7-3 and 2-0.

Pitcher Roberta (Bertie) Goff won both games with strong pitching and excellent fielding support.

Mindy McKeen with a lead-off home run and Sue

Pung with a triple in the first game, and Theresa Weber with a single driving in the only two runs of the second game led the Oilers attack.

The Oilers and DeWitt Drifters split Sunday's double header with the Oilers taking the first game 5-3 behind the pitching of Goff, but dropped the nightcap 13-3 as the pace of four games in two days took its toll on the Oilers.

DeWitt fields a very strong team with excellent pitching and good hitting and fielding and will make themselves known in weeks ahead.

The Oilers first home games of the season are scheduled for Wednesday evening, June 29 at 6 p.m. when they host the Lansing Lazars in a double header at Fink Field in Fowler.

Recreation Round-up

SOFTBALL
Last weeks results and current standings are as follows:

AMERICAN LEAGUE

| | |
|----------------------------|-----|
| WRBJ | 3-0 |
| Hub Tire | 3-0 |
| Buckeye Lounge | 3-1 |
| Becks | 3-1 |
| Roadhouse | 2-1 |
| Andy's IGA | 2-1 |
| D & B Party Store | 1-1 |
| Smith Plumbing and Heating | 1-3 |
| H & H Lounge | 0-2 |
| Cowans | 0-2 |
| Central Michigan Lumber | 0-3 |
| Randolph's Ready Mix | 0-3 |

NATIONAL LEAGUE

| | |
|---------------------|-------|
| Wilcox Engineering | 3-0 |
| F.C. Mason | 3-0 |
| Federal Mogul | 3-0-1 |
| Egan Ford | 3-1 |
| Bee's Chevrolet | 2-1 |
| Sillman's Store | 2-1 |
| Clinton Automotive | 2-1-1 |
| American Legion | 1-2 |
| Sunkiss | 1-3 |
| Schmitt Electric | 0-3 |
| Gellers Welding | 0-4 |
| Knights of Columbus | 0-4 |

GIRLS SOFTBALL
The deadline for signing up for girls softball has been changed from July 6, to July 13.

There will be two divisions, ages 8-12 and 13-16. We are hoping for a large turnout so girls come on and sign up.

WOMEN'S LEAGUE

| | |
|-----------------------|-----|
| Egan Ford | 3-0 |
| Community Dodge | 3-0 |
| Julie K | 2-0 |
| Boron | 1-1 |
| Webster Tire | 1-1 |
| Keeleans Buick | 1-1 |
| Wilcox Engineering | 1-2 |
| Theatre Barbers | 1-2 |
| Murton Rawleigh | 0-3 |
| Central National Bank | 0-3 |

RESULTS AMERICAN LEAGUE

| | |
|--------------------------------|-----|
| D & B Party Store-18 | 3-0 |
| Schmitt Plumbing and Heating-3 | 3-0 |
| Hub Tire-16 | 3-0 |
| Andy's IGA-8 | 3-0 |
| WRBJ-10 | 3-0 |
| H & H Lounge-7 | 3-0 |
| Buckeye Lounge-21 | 3-0 |
| Central Michigan Lumber-6 | 3-0 |
| Roadhouse-11 | 3-0 |
| Cowans-10 | 3-0 |

WOMEN'S LEAGUE

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|----------------------|-----|
| Keeleans Buick-43 | 3-0 |
| Central National-10 | 3-0 |
| Webster Tires-18 | 3-0 |
| Murton Rawleigh-16 | 3-0 |
| Community Dodge-14 | 3-0 |
| Theatre Barbers-7 | 3-0 |
| Egan Ford-12 | 3-0 |
| Boron-8 | 3-0 |
| Julie K-24 | 3-0 |
| Wilcox Engineering-0 | 3-0 |

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Federal Mogul-22
Gellers's Weiding-7
Clinton Automotive-7
Bee's Chevrolet-5
sunkiss-7
Gellers welding-5

Wilcox Engineering-19
Schmitt Electric-6
Federal Mogul-9
Sillman's Store-6
F.C. Mason-18
American Legion-6
Egan Ford-30
Knights of Columbus-3

RESULTS AMERICAN LEAGUE
D & B Party Store-18
Schmitt Plumbing and Heating-3
Hub Tire-16
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SATURDAY TENNIS LESSONS
Because of the 4th of July weekend Saturday tennis lessons will not begin until Saturday July 9.

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- '73 Pinto-2 door, 4 cylinder, 4 speed, radio.
- '73 Ford LTD-4 door, V-8 automatic, power steering & brakes, air, vinyl roof, extra sharp - low miles - locally owned.
- '73 Pinto Squire Wagon-4 cylinder, 4 speed
- '73 Ford Galaxy 500-2 door, hard top, automatic, power steering, power brakes, air
- '73 Mercury Montego Brougham-2 door hard top, automatic, power steering & brakes, air, vinyl roof, locally owned.
- '72 Ford Grand Torino-hardtop, V-8, automatic, power steering.
- '72 Chevy Impala Custom-2 door hardtop, V-8, automatic power steering, air.
- '72 Chevrolet Biscayne-4 door, 6 cylinder, automatic.
- '70 Buick LaSabre-4 door, V-8, automatic power steering & brakes, low mileage.



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- '76 Ford F250 3/4 ton-4 wheel drive, V-8, automatic, power steering & brakes - sharp.
- '75 Dodge D-2000 Van-automatic, V-8, power steering & brakes, SHARP, low mileage
- '75 Ford F250 3/4 ton-4 wheel drive, 4 speed, power steering.
- '75 Ford 1/2 ton pickup,-6 cylinder standard.
- '75 Ford F250 3/4 ton-V-8, automatic, power steering.
- '75 Ford F250 3/4 ton camper special-automatic, power steering & brakes.
- '74 Chevrolet C-10 1/2 ton pickup-6 cylinder stick.
- '74 Ford 3/4 ton window van-automatic, power steering.
- '74 Ford 12 passenger Club Wagon-V-8, automatic, power steering.
- '73 Dodge Club Cab 1/2 ton pickup-V-8, automatic, power steering.
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DeWitt seaman participates in Pacific goodwill tour

Navy Seaman John T. McElroy, son of Mr. and Mrs. William D. McElroy of 1360 Locher Road, DeWitt, Mich., recently completed a seven-week goodwill cruise in the Western Pacific.

He is serving as a crew member aboard the guided missile cruiser USS Okla-

homa City, homeported in Yokosuka, Japan. The Oklahoma City is the flagship of the commander of the U.S. Seventh Fleet.

The Oklahoma City is serving a dual role as a goodwill ambassador and a combat ready unit of the Seventh Fleet.

He and his shipmates donated their time to such a civic action project as repairing a local library, repainting a children's home, and participating in sporting events with local teams.

The Oklahoma City is 610 feet long and carries a crew of approximately 1,200 officers and enlisted men, in addition to more than 200 personnel of the Seventh Fleet staff. She is outfitted with guns, a surface-to-air missile launcher and a landing platform for light helicopters.

He joined the Navy in March 1977.

Announce migrant education food program

The Montcalm Area Intermediate School District announces the sponsorship of the 1977 Summer and Fall Migrant Education Food Service Program for children of migratory workers.

tian Church, 130 East Washington, Ionia, September to October.

This program is designed primarily to provide a hot breakfast and lunch, and an afternoon supplement to children during the school day, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Watertown Charter Township SYNOPSIS OF REGULAR MEETING

Synopsis of regular meeting with all Board members in attendance. County Commissioner also present. Pledge of Allegiance given to our Flag. Agenda approved with several additions. Minutes of previous meetings and Treasurer's report accepted. Bills read and allowed. Transferred \$2000 to Parks and Recreation Fund. Report on location of fence made by fence viewers, Vaughn Montgomery and Ronald Aulerich. Report given by Parks and Recreation stating that plans are started for Labor Day Chicken Bar-B-Q. Matter of replacing bleachers at Heritage Park tabled. Matter of appointing Tom Tank to fill vacancy on Park Board also tabled. Insulation bids read, but board did agree that we should look into new ceiling in conference and south room. Motion made and supported that we maintain same dollar amount of extra police protection as before. Royal Scot, Ltd. made request for outdoor Ordinance Application, and filled board in on what they wanted to do. Application form and copy of ordinance given to them, but explained that there is a 60 day request period. Meeting adjourned. Mildred McDonough, Clerk Herman Openlander, Supervisor

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Bannister VFW, Auxiliary hold joint installation

Bannister Veterans of Foreign War Post 6403 and Ladies Auxiliary held a joint installation of 1977-78 officers recently at the ZCJB Hall in Bannister.

Jay Devereaux, post commander, welcomed VFW and Auxiliary members and guests.

Evert Sigafoose, VFW chaplain, gave the opening prayer, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Robert Burke, 9th dist. commander from Corunna Post 4005, installed newly elected officers.

They are Rex Loynes, commander; Ralph Herron, senior vice commander; Tom Rickman, junior vice commander; Fred Brooks, quartermaster; Ben Kristen, assistant; Ira Finch, adjutant; Bill Gasper, assistant; Jay Devereaux, post advocate; Evert Sigafoose, chaplain; Emmet Carstensen, assistant; Jay Devereaux, public relations; Emmet Carstensen, surgeon; John Hayward, post historian; Mike Stambersky, employment; Edward Stambersky, assistant; Ralph Herron, youth activities; Clarence Jordan, child camp; Issac Ketchum, legislative; Clarence Jordan, officer of the day; Peter Streasick, sergeant major; Cyril Stambersky, quartermaster; Joseph Minarik, guard; Joseph Guyski, assistant; Mick Stambersky, bugler; Ralph Herron, voice of democracy chairman; Emmet Carstensen, assistant; Tom Rickman, Loyalty

Day chairman; LeRoy Johnson and Jay Devereaux, color bearers; Joseph Guyski, one-year trustee; Stanley Stambersky, two-year trustee and LeRoy Johnson, three-year trustee. Patricia Devereaux, newly elected 9th district president of the Ladies auxiliary,

installed the elected president and officers of the Bannister Post 6403 Ladies Auxiliary.

They are Jean Keck, president; Mabel Hayward, senior vice president; May Lou Rickman, junior vice president; Roselyn Jordan, secretary; Helen Daggett

treasurer; Ruth Ferrall, chaplain; Gladys Herron, conductress; Bernadette Carstensen, three-year trustee; Marie Shrienier, assistant conductress; Carol Custer, assistant secretary; Wendy Sadler, Louis Johnson, Mary Lou Rickman and Amy Bartshe, color bearers;

Janet Bensinger, banner bearer; Margaret Osburn, patriotic instructor; Patricia Devereaux, guard; Patricia Wolfe, assistant; Patricia Devereaux, publicity chairman; Gladys Herron, voice of Democracy chairman; Amy Bartshe, safety; Mabel Hayward, legislature; Ann Smalec, hospital; Ruth Ferrall, camp and National Home; Margaret Osburn, citations; Lois Johnson, Buddy Poppy; Mary Lou Rickman, Americanism; Helen Daggett, membership; Wendy Sadler, cancer; Jean Keck, community activities; Wilma Stambersky, historian; Mary Lou Rickman, bingo chairman; Helen Daggett and Gladys Herron, assistants; Wilma Stambersky, rehabilitation and service.

Bannister Methodist Church holds double shower

Mrs. Ron (Marcie Moore) Applebee and Mrs. Todd (Dawn Applebee) Moore were honored at a double baby shower held Tuesday evening at Wesley Center at the Bannister Methodist Church. Both Mothers-to-be were home on leave with their husbands who are in the Air Force. The Ron Applebees are stationed in Oklahoma and the Todd Moores are in New Mexico.

Dawn and Marcie were presented with corsages upon their arrival. When all the guests had gathered each introduced herself and gave advice to the honored guests or some humorous remembrance of past times.

The girls opened their gifts simultaneously with Gloria Hackett of Lansing assisting Marcie and Jane Applebee of Ovid assisting Dawn.

Refreshments were served as a climax with

Gloria Hackett serving cake, Liz Ensign the coffee and Alyce Bashore the punch. Jello was also served with the cake.

Carole Moore was hostess for the evening with Jean Moore, Judy Betts and Maxine Leydorf assisting.

Special guest for the evening was the girls' grandmother Mrs. Mary Byerly of Lansing. Thirty-five friends and relatives joined the evening's festivities.

Over thirty attended the bridal shower held Thursday evening at Wesley Center for Pam Coon who has an altar date with Richard Gilbert June 25. The United Methodist Women hosted the grocery and miscellaneous shower. Games were under the supervision of Twila Swanson with prizes going to Maxine Leydorf and Georgann Coon. Pam was presented with a corsage upon arrival with her Mother, Margaret Coon.

Georgann and Melissa Coon, Sister-in-law and niece of Pam assisted her in opening her gifts.

Hostesses for evening were Anabel Peck, Ruby Stewart, Mildred Bradley and Gertrude Hofferbert.

Rev. Emmett Kadwell resumed his pulpit duties Sunday morning after vacationing and attending annual conference. At conference he received the word that he will be with the Ashley-Bannister charge for another year. Reuben Pontious assisted Rev. Kadwell in the pulpit. Ken Swanson and Tim and Karmen greeted the worshipers for the morning while Janet was organist. Special music was by Mary Bearup who presented a piano solo.

Walter and Marilyn Miller are both in Carson City Hospital recovering from pneumonia.

Guests were 9th District president of the Ladies Auxiliary, Faryest Frazier and Lois Burke, 9th District conductress from Corunna Post 4005; president of the Ladies Auxiliary Post 1735 of Perrinton, Jackie Huss and her husband; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tinson of Ithaca Post 7805 and Shirley Seeley and her husband from St. Charles Post 5695.

Sister Mabel Hayward presented an American flag to Rex Loynes, newly elected post commander, on behalf of her uncle, Pvt. Robert Hanner.

Dinner and dancing to the music of the MBC Quartet followed the installation.



St. Johns children expend some summer time energy with an aggressive game of dodge ball at the city park during children's day activities Wednesday. Children's activities are held each Tuesday and Wednesday, sponsored by the St. Johns Summer Recreation Dept. The big kid, by the way, is Luane Lumbert, director of summer recreation.

Seniors and parents attend graduation breakfast

Nine seniors and their parents attended the annual graduation breakfast at the St. Johns First United Methodist Church June 12, at 8 a.m.

Chairman of the event was Mrs. Nancy Lashaway, youth coordinator. In charge of invitations to the graduates was Mrs. Phyllis Tucker.

Mrs. Jean Anthes decorated the tables with large red scrolls and red crepe roses. At each plate was a small scroll containing "A

Graduate's Prayer" by Helen Steiner Rice as well as a prayer card bearing John 3:16.

The programs, prepared by Mrs. Gerry Wyble, showed a graduate dressed in red carrying a white scroll on the cover. The breakfast was prepared and served by the junior students and their mothers.

The invocation was given by pastor Rev. Francis Johannides. The welcome

was given by Chris Richards, youth fellowship director. Graduate Sue Aylsworth gave the response. Charles Hazle gave the benediction. The musical program and message was given by the five "Ambassadors" from Ithaca.

Graduates present with their parents were Sue Aylsworth, Brian Buckley, Wayne Dedyne, Dru Downing, Lori Lashaway, Julie Latimer, Mary Hinton, Lance Parmelee and Anne Sote. Communications coordinator Mrs. Mardell Sote took pictures of the graduates and their families to record the occasion.

Following the breakfast, the graduates and their families proceeded to the front of the church for the service while the Sote family acted as greeters.

The graduation ceremony was held Sunday afternoon at 4 p.m. in the school gymnasium.

Sue Watt earns honors at NMU

Sue Watt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart, 7801 N. Fremont, Eureka, has been named to the dean's list at Northern Michigan Univer-

sity for the spring semester. She was one of 262 students who maintained a perfect 4.0 grade average.

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Four from county are WMU grads

Four Clinton County residents received degrees at recent commencement exercises at Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo.

Receiving degrees were Gary Bouts, 129 Washington, DeWitt; Robert Pope, 825 Andover Dr., DeWitt; Daniel Thelen, Rt. 2, Fowler and Garry Csapos, 719 W. Front, Ovid.

All four received bachelor of science degrees.

Little League scores and standings

| AMERICAN LEAGUE | | LITTLE LEAGUE STANDING | | AMERICAN LEAGUE | |
|------------------------|------------|------------------------|-----|----------------------|----------------|
| Braves-17 | Royals-7 | Cougars | 5-0 | Indians | 2-1 |
| Mets-10 | Spartans-0 | Tigers | 3-1 | Giants | 3-2 |
| Cougars-14 | Tigers-4 | Cubs | 2-1 | Jets | 3-2 |
| Twins-10 | Braves-0 | Twins | 3-1 | Reds | 2-2 |
| Royals-4 | Sox-7 | Sox | 3-2 | Yanks | 2-2 |
| | | Phillies | 1-2 | Orioles | 1-2 |
| | | Royals | 1-2 | Cardinals | 0-3 |
| | | Mets | 1-2 | Captains | 0-4 |
| | | Braves | 1-4 | | |
| | | Spartans | 0-3 | | |
| NATIONAL LEAGUE | | NATIONAL LEAGUE | | PONY LEAGUE SCORES | |
| Astros-10 | Jets-0 | Pirates | 4-0 | Beaufores-7 | Dean Hard- |
| Giants-7 | Reds-6 | Astros | 3-0 | | ware-1 |
| Cardinals vs. Indians- | no score | | | St. Johns Hardwood-9 | -- |
| | | | | Hallenbecks-7 | -- Capitol |
| Yanks-11 | Jets-8 | | | Savings-5 | |
| Astros vs. Orioles- | no score | | | Coca Cola-9 | -- Deans Hard- |

ware-4
Federal Mogul-Egan Ford--no score

PONY LEAGUE STANDINGS

| | |
|-------------------------|-----|
| St. Johns Hardwood | 3-0 |
| Hallenbeck construction | 2-0 |
| Beaufores | 1-0 |
| Egan Ford | 1-0 |
| Coca Cola | 2-1 |
| Dean Hardware | 1-2 |
| Federal Mogul | 0-2 |
| Capitol Savings | 0-3 |
| Julie K | 0-3 |

County students elected to Girls' State offices

Two students from Clinton County were elected to offices during the 37th Annual American Legion Girls State held at Olivet College.

Nancy Stevenson of St. Johns High School was elected county commissioner of the mock county of Mastenbrook.

She is co-captain of the girls' swim team at St. Johns High School where she also serves on the Student Council and is a member of the track team.

Patty King of Bath High School was elected commissioner of the mock county of McCauley.

She is a member of the Bath High School band and is the head majorette.

The Girls' State participants learned by doing as they formed 21 cities of 24 citizens each and took part in carrying out details of city, county and state governments.

A government specialist served as counselor to each group.

Participants became familiar with the electoral process by competing for public office and sharing in formulating public policies and laws for the mythical cities and counties.

Speakers included members of the State Senate and House of Representatives, a Detroit City Councilman and Lt. Gov. James Damman.

Hudson Demming, 5th Circuit Court judge, swore in the elected officials.

OES honors past matrons, patrons

By Neva Keys

Elsie Chapter 69 Order of Eastern Star, with Wanda and Jim Litomisky presiding in the east, recently honored the past matrons and patrons of the chapter at the close of the regular meeting.

Worthy matron Litomisky opened the program, "Guys and Gals" with special remarks to the 13 past matrons while worthy patron Litomisky directed his to the six past patrons present.

The five points of the OES Star assisted in the program with Mrs. Ruth Ike providing the music.

The worthy matron presented a pink carnation to each of the matrons giving the years in office: Neva Keys, Jean Cobb, Gladys Vincent, Leila Wilson, June Cross, Doreen Kridner, Anna Dunay, Gladys Hall, Gathal Martin, Rosemary Moore, Jennie Loznak, Jeanne Temple and Elizabeth Levey. Special recognition was given Mrs. Wilson, who had two daughters present, who were also past matrons, Jennie Loznak and June Cross.

The worthy patron presented white carnations to the past patrons Leroy Vincent, Robert Kridner, Luman Hall, C.H. Sils, Dale Levey and Archie J. Moore.

During the business meeting there were routine reports; letters of thanks for gifts, plants and monies donated to various Grand Chapter charities; the

Every Member Project, ESTARL educational fund, health drives and community projects.

The Sunshine Committee (Evelyn Porubsky, Pat Aldrich, Anna Mae Thornton and Anna Dunay) reported Mother's Day gift and visit to the chapter's sister at the Alma Masonic Home.

Initiatory degrees were conferred June 15. It was voted to recess for the July and August regular meetings. It was suggested that the Masons and Eastern Star plan a family picnic during the summer, date to be announced later.

A special guest was month old Sarah Elisabeth Levey, who accompanied her mother, Mrs. Dawn Levey at Adah's point of the Star and grandmother, Mrs. Elisabeth Levey, who substituted for Conductress.

Tails dolls dressed in different fashions centered the tables where a social hour was enjoyed with Mr. and Mrs. Neil White, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Levey and Mrs. and Mrs. Leroy Vincent as the committee to serve ice cream, home made cookies and coffee.

Make telephone book changes

General Telephone customers in the communities of Fowler-Pewamo, Maple Rapids, Muir and St. Johns who wish to make corrections or additions to the telephone directory should contact the company's service office now, according to Norm Krievins, division manager for General Telephone.

The company is beginning to compile information for their new directory.

During the information compilation period, both residential and business customers can change their listings. There may be a nominal "records, change" charge for revisions made to white page listings.

Consumers Power to check heaters

During the summer months Consumers Power will be checking electric water heaters. They will ask questions and in some cases ask to see the water heaters. These employees will have

proper identification, but will not be in uniform or have company cars.

Identification can be verified by calling the Lansing office of Consumers Power.

Fowler News

The community wishes to express their sympathy to the family of Lawrence Frechen for the loss and death of their brother and also other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Lula Boak returned home after spending two weeks in Tucson, Ariz. with her son and family. Callers at the home of Mrs. Lula Boak during the week were Mrs. Lillie Boak and friends and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Boak.

Mrs. Lula Boak accompanied Mr. Tom Feldpausch and children to the 25th wedding anniversary Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Benjamin.

Mrs. Lula Boak attended a lawn party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Weber Saturday Evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Wicks of Mesa, Calif. are visiting relatives and friends in the Fowler area.

CLINTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MEETING

A meeting of the Clinton County Board of Commissioners will be held on Tuesday, July 5, 1977, in the Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan. At 11:00 A.M. the Board will hear the following recommendations from the Clinton County Zoning Commission:

Case No. ZC-7-77-Bath Township

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Commencing at the NW corner of W 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of Section 31, T5N-R1W, Bath Township, Clinton County, Michigan; thence South 1000 feet to the point of beginning; thence East 600 feet, South 600 feet, West 600 feet, North 600 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 8.26 acres.

PURPOSE: a petition for a change of zone has been filed by Lloyd Hammond, 1432 Glenhaven, East Lansing, Michigan, to rezone the aforementioned parcel of property from M-1, Limited Industrial to B-1, Local Business in order to permit the construction of a farm market.

Case No. ZC-8-77-Lebanon Township

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: That part of the S.W. 1/4 of the S.W. 1/4 of Section 9, T8N, R4W, Lebanon Twp., Clinton County, Mich. described as beginning at the S.W. corner of Section 9, thence East along the South Section line 250 feet; thence N00 degrees 07' 30" W. 250 ft.; thence West 250 ft. to the West section line; thence S00 degrees 07' 30" E. 250 ft. to the point of beginning, containing 1.435 acres of land more or less. PURPOSE: An application for a Special Use Permit to construct an Electric Sub-Station on the aforementioned parcel of property has been filed by Daverman Associates Incorporated, Architects-Engineers, 200 Monroe N.W., Grand Rapids, Michigan on behalf of Wolverine Electric Company.

Case No. ZC-9-77-Eagle Township

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Part of the SW 1/4 of the SW

1/4 of Section 30, T5N-R4W, Eagle Township, Clinton County, Michigan; described as commencing at a point 913 ft. North of the south west corner of the SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of said Section 30, as the place of beginning, thence East 250 ft., th. North 250 ft.; thence West 250ft., thence South 250 ft. to the place of beginning.

PURPOSE: An application for a Special Use Permit to construct an Electric Sub-Station on the aforementioned parcel of property has been filed by Daverman Associates Incorporated, Architects-Engineers, 200 Monroe N.W., Grand Rapids, Michigan on behalf of Wolverine Electric Company.

Case No. ZC-10-77-Victor Township

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: (Vi 149) S. 3/4 of E 1/2 of NW 1/4; also S. 3/4 of W 1/2 of NE 1/4; also W. 1/2 of SE 1/4 of NE 1/4, Sec. 18, T6N-R1W.

140 ac

(Vi 153) NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Section 18, T6N-R1W, E. of Center of Holden Drain. 31.2 ac.

PURPOSE: An application for a Special Use Permit has been filed by Richard and Beverly Archer, Route 5, St. Johns, Michigan, in order to permit the operation of a commercial airport in an A-1, Agricultural District.

Case No. ZC-4-77-Olive Township

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: (OL 272B)-Beg. at E 1/4 post of Section 21, T6N-R2W, thence S. 386', W. 250', No. 386', E. 250' to beginning. 2 acs.

PURPOSE: An application for a Special Use Permit has been filed by Howard J. Niswonger, 8544 S. US-27, DeWitt, Michigan, at the aforementioned description in order to operate a gasoline service station in compliance with the provisions of Sections 8.36 to 8.38, inclusive of the 1971 Clinton County Zoning Ordinance.

J. Anthony Nelson, Zoning Administrator



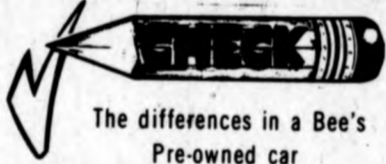
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1974 Maverick 2-door, 6 cylinder, standard transmission, radio. \$1695

1973 Chevelle Laguna, 4-door, air conditioned, radio, vinyl top.

1974 Camaro, 6 cylinder, standard transmission, power steering, radio. \$2895

1974 Chevy 1/2 ton Pickup 6 cyl. automatic, power steering, radio.

1976 Olds 98 Regency Coupe, full power, air conditioning, split seats, vinyl top, FM Stereo.

1975 Chrysler New Yorker Brougham 4-door, air conditioning, tilt, cruise, full power, split seats.

76 Impala wagon, 3 seats, radio.

1974 Chevy Impala, 2-door, custom coupe, vinyl top.

75 Ford Maverick, 2 door, 6 cyl. auto, power steering, FM radio.

1975 Ford Maverick, 2-door, 6 cylinder, automatic, power steering, FM radio, radials.

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City makes acting appointments

ST. JOHNS--Two employees of the City of St. Johns were authorized to serve as acting department heads during Monday night's City Commission meeting.

The action was not without arguments and the decision was reached on a 3-2 vote.

The commission authorized Richard Coletta to serve as acting city clerk and Diane Edwards as acting assessor.

The action followed the departure of Randy Humphrey, who recently resigned as city manager to accept a position with a Mt. Pleasant law firm.

Bruce Wood, city clerk, was appointed acting city manager until a new city manager is named by the Commission.

Following that appointment, Wood asked to be authorized to appoint the acting clerk and assessor, positions he

filled before serving as acting city manager.

Gerald Wilcox stated his feeling that employees would be put in positions that they would not necessarily remain in and that the work could be accomplished without the appointments until a new city manager is hired.

Commissioners Donald Roesner, John Arehart and John Hannah disagreed, saying they felt the acting appointments were necessary.

Mayor Roy Ebert moved to table the question, but that motion failed 3-2 with Hannah, Roesner and Arehart opposing and Ebert and Wilcox voting for the table.

A subsequent motion to appoint the acting department heads passed by the same vote.

In other action, the city's new

tornado warning siren received a slight blast from the commission.

Commissioners said they had been told the warning was ineffective in several parts of the city.

Ebert said, "If it isn't adequate, I don't think we should have it there."

Arehart also said he was in favor of removing the siren and moved to pay the bills with the exception of the siren, which costs \$6,825, most of which is covered by grant money.

The siren situation will be studied to seek a remedy.

In the city's continuing sewer construction project, commissioners approved bids totaling \$668,249.50 for sanitary sewer construction. The construction is contingent upon approval of state and federal grant monies and the sale and issuance of bonds.



Delores M. George of Fowler is congratulated by Donald G. Butcher, Dean of the School of General Education at Ferris State College, for receiving an Outstanding Leadership Award. George, who is in the Human Services Program, was one of 17 students honored at a recent luncheon where Noel Bush, president of the School of General Education Alumni Association, assisted Butcher in presenting the awards.

Congressman says effort to help youth in prison 'ineffective'

Imagine yourself two years in a foreign prison without a formal trial, without any definite idea when you will have an opportunity to prove your innocence, and where you can only get proper food by buying it from the guards.

"This may seem a horror story in violation of human rights," said Congressman Al Cederberg, R-Midland, "but it is the true story of many young Americans traveling abroad, including a Michigan Youth from Clinton County whom I have been trying to assist for over two years."

"Originally, Bill Thelen of St. Johns was visiting Colombia in South America where he caught up in circumstances, for which he may not have been responsible, that involved drugs. He has been held without any formal trial since then," Michigan's senior legislator continued.

Cederberg recently requested Mrs. Rosalynn Carter to intercede with the president of Colombia on the behalf of Bill Thelen during her Latin American tour.

"Our efforts to help Bill Thelen, although extensive, have been largely ineffective," Cederberg said. "Foreign

governments, of which Colombia is typical, are much less tolerant of drug use than the United States. Pre-trial detention is the rule rather than the exception. In addition foreign governments, at the urging of the United States, are increasing their prosecution of drug offenders and imposing harsher penalties."

"Moreover, Americans who violate foreign laws are subject to the same penalties and treatment for drug violations as are nationals of the country in which they are arrested. The United States Government can do little to help."

Michigan's 10th District representative implored all foreign travelers, especially young people, to avoid possible situations involving drugs.

"I have no sympathy with the so-called 'pros' in the drug racket," Cederberg stated, "but fair warning must be given to those who become innocently involved by their willingness to accommodate a request to 'drop-off' or 'pick-up' a package along their foreign travel route."

"They should be warned of the risk they run and the severity of the laws of foreign governments against drug trafficking."

Ashley man elected

Leslie Whitford, 3654 Cleveland Rd., Ashley, has been elected chairperson of the Mid-Michigan District Board of Health, filling the office vacated by Mrs. Virginia Zeeb who resigned from the Clinton County Board of Commissioners and the Board of Health.

Mrs. Zeeb resigned to accept a state health services post.

Kathleen Burlison, Lakeview, was elected to fill the vice chairperson's office vacated by Whitford.

The vacancy created on the Board of Health by Mrs. Zeeb's resignation was filled when the Clinton County Board of Commissioners appointed Robert Zeeb of Bath to the position.

NOTICE OF BID WANTED CITY OF ST. JOHNS

The city of St. Johns will receive sealed bids until 3:00 P.M. July 21, 1977 for resurfacing street programs at the City Offices, 121 E. Walker Street, St. Johns, Michigan.

Specifications for paving may be obtained at the City Offices between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. weekdays.

The City of St. Johns reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any defects in the bidding in the best interest of the City of St. Johns and to accept the proposal, which in the opinion of the City Commission, best serves the interest and needs of the City of St. Johns.

Bruce Wood
City Clerk

NOTICE City of St. Johns Residents LAWN SPRINKLING

Due to the unusually dry spring and hot weather we are experiencing, it is necessary to enforce our lawn sprinkling ordinance.

The ordinance states that property owners with odd numbered houses will sprinkle on the odd numbered days of the month and those houses with even numbers will sprinkle on even numbered days of the month. Your cooperation in conserving water and abiding by this ordinance will prevent a total water sprinkling ban. The above ordinance must be enforced.

Carl Fonger
Water Superintendent

TWO PUBLIC HEARINGS ON THE Logan Corridor Study

DATE: JULY 20, 1977 (Wednesday) JULY 21, 1977 (Thursday)
TIME: 7:30 P.M. 7:30 P.M.
PLACE: Sexton High School Auditorium 102 McPherson, Lansing DeWitt Township Fire Barn 780 E. Wieland Road, DeWitt Twp.

The Lansing Planning Department is in the last phase of a study of Logan Street/DeWitt Road from Kalamazoo Street north to the Proposed I-69 in DeWitt Township. If you live within the study area marked on the map, this meeting may be of special interest to you.

PURPOSE OF THE STUDY:

To recommend the best possible improvements in transportation service to facilitate movement on Logan Street/DeWitt Road.

PURPOSE OF HEARINGS:

To bring area residents up-to-date on the current status of the project and to ask for comments on the several proposed alignment alternatives to improve Logan Street/DeWitt Road included in the Draft Environmental Impact Statement.

Testimony will be taken from interested citizens regarding the social, environmental and economic impact of the proposed project. Written statement and exhibits in place of, or in addition to, oral statements made at the public hearing may be submitted at any time up to ten days after the date of the public hearing, to: Lansing Planning Department, Washington Square Annex, Second Floor, Lansing City Hall, 487-1400.

PRE-HEARING INFORMATION SESSIONS:

To further assist you in understanding the alternatives, project staff from the Lansing Planning Department will be present at two pre-hearing information sessions at the:

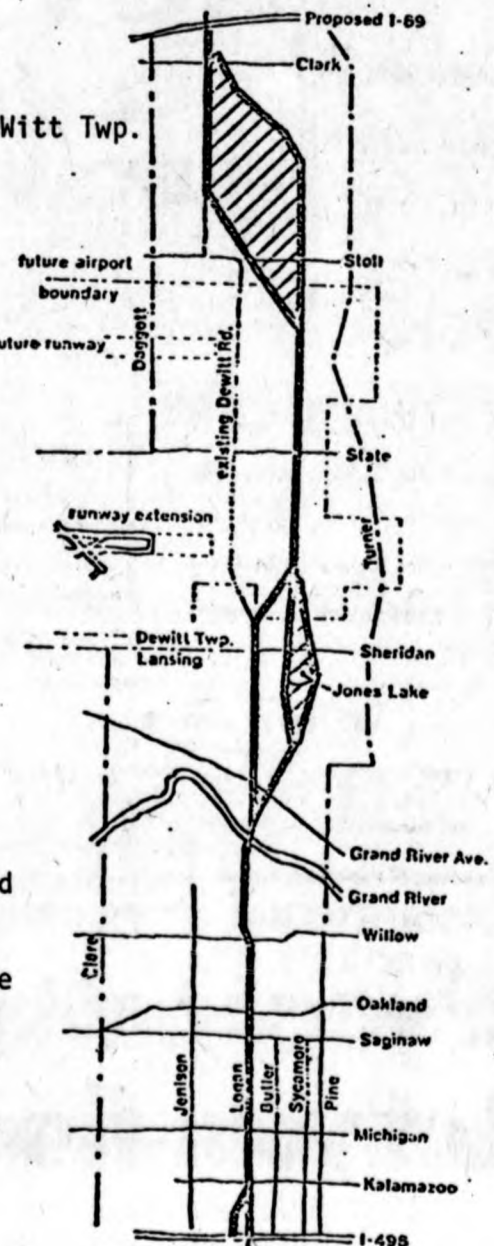
Kingsley Community Center
1220 W. Kalamazoo, Lansing
from 1-4 and 7-9 P.M.
on Wednesday, July 13th

DeWitt Township Hall
780 E. Wieland Road
from 1-4 and 7-9 P.M.
on Thursday, July 14th

Copies of Summary Brochure are available at: Genesee Community Center, 501 N. Butler, Lansing; DeWitt Township Hall, 780 E. Wieland Road, DeWitt Township.

For any information pertaining to the project or obtaining a copy of the Draft Environmental Impact Statement (a Summary Brochure also available), please contact:

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The Senior Citizen's Group that has been meeting at the Veteran's Hall in Ovid will be having a picnic at the Holy Family Pavilion on Thursday, July 7 at noon. All senior citizens are invited. Those attending are asked to bring their own table service, a dish to pass and their own drink.

At a special communication of Ovid Lodge No. 127 F&AM held Saturday evening, June 18. Lodge opened at 5 p.m.

Robert R. Jones chose this night as Past Master's Night. Past masters who took part in the degree work were Lewis Goodrich, Jr. W.M.; Harold Goodrich, S.W.; Paul Goodrich, J.W.; John M. Baker, Secretary; Mervin Chamberlain, S.D.; Donald Willard, J.D.; and Richard Grinnell, Tyler.

At 6 p.m. a ham dinner was served by the wives of the regular officers.

WM Robert Jones has appointed John Baker as secretary to fill out the term of the late Earl Canfield. Brother Canfield had served as secretary of Ovid Lodge 127 for over 21 years.

The planning committee for VBS at the Shepardsville

Church met Wednesday evening, June 21 to get things underway for the school which will be held the week of July 25-29 from 7 to 8:45 p.m. Price will be joining Shepardsville.

The theme of the school is "10-4" which means "God's message received and understood."

Sunday, July 21 will be Family Day this will also be the closing service for the school.

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Farming & 4-H in Clinton County



4-H chatter Clinton artists honored

By John Aylsworth 4-H Director

Five Clinton County 4-H artists have been recognized at the State 4-H Art Exhibit on display June 23 and 24 at Michigan State University. The exhibit was on view during 4-H exploration Days at the MSU ballroom and will be taken to Kettunen Center in July.

The five Clinton County 4-H'ers are: Lucy Arens-Fowler Big D's with a pencil drawing; Robbin Sawyer-Victor, with a pencil drawing; Belinda Morris-Paint Hounds, with her water colors and Cathy Feeman-Happy Hustlers with her oil exhibit.

The Clinton County 4-H'ers exhibits received a Blue Honor Award for their work with comments from outstanding to superior work. These top 4-H painting and drawing exhibits were selected from the County 4-H Spring Achievement Exhibits for entering the State Contest.

POSTER WINNERS

"Milk is a Natural" was the theme for the 4-H Dairy Poster Contest. Clinton County three division winners are: Division I—(4-6 grade) Jill Swagart of the 4-H Wonders; Division II—(7-8 grade) Gay Ann Cobb-Bengal Community; Division III—(9-12 grade) Lucy Arens-Fowler Big D's. The county winners will now be entered in the State 4-H Dairy Poster Contest held during 4-H Dairy Days at Michigan State University in August.

A NEW LOOK

Have you driven up past the 4-H fairgrounds lately and seen the improvements? The 4-H horse leaders have been working hard in tearing down the old show fence arena and building a new one while expanding the arena 50 feet

wider. The show ring is now 150 feet wide by 250 feet long and one of the finest show rings found in the State. On Sunday June 26 a Central Michigan Horse Association Point Approved Show was held sponsored by the Clinton County 4-H horse leaders. Profit from this show will be used to improve the horse show facilities such as a warm up arena, increased lighting of the show ring for fair and increased seating with additional bleachers. The 4-H horse program is growing with over 215 members in 19 local 4-H horse clubs.

SLEEPY HOLLOW OFFICERS

The Sleepy Hollow 4-H club members elected the following officers to run the club this summer: Lisa Brook—president; Gary Brook—vice president; Becky Wakefield—secretary and news reporter; Lauri Love—treasurer and Donald Love—recreation leader.

William Brook will be taking four members to 4-H Day at Tiger Stadium in Detroit July 23.

The members voted to go to Lake Ovid July 16 for a family picnic and to make a float for the Ovid July 4th parade. Members 12 and over will be asked to work at the food stand at the 4-H fair. The Club's next meeting will be July 14.

OVID VILLAGE ELVES

The Ovid Village Elves 4-H members have donated \$9.50 to the Kettunen Center Improvement Drive. Clinton County has pledged to raise \$600.00 to install smoke alarms throughout the facilities. Kettunen Center is the 4-H leader training center near Tustin.

The Ovid Village Elves 4-H club members learned more about the 4-H Bob Lo trip as Jill Lasher reported on her trip June 13. The members discussed going on a canoe trip and having another 4-H club to play a softball game. Demonstrations were given by Sheila Maron on "How to Make Cottage Cheese Salad." The program was making 4-H posters then enjoying making and eating banana splits. The clubs next meeting is July 12.

The Nimble fingers 4-H members discussed ways to raise money for equipping the club's two softball teams. They voted to have a bake sale and Kim Paksi was elected chairman.

Certificates for the winter program were passed out as well as ribbons and hamburger tickets from MacDonald's for the roadside beautification project.

Mrs. Schwartzkopf announced that Chris Whatley had won an award through school competition with her 4-H artex project. Demonstrations were given by Shawn Keisil on Fonder Accessories and by Lori Hufnagel on Various Things about Fonder.

SOFTBALL SCORES

4-H softball scored for the weekend of June 17: White league-Fowler Busy Bees-24 Victor 10; Olive All Stars-20 Stoney Creed-9; Bengal Community-17 Nimble Fingers 16; Prairie-40 Elsie 4 Corners 11; Green League-Nimble Fingers-16; Olive Girls 14-Fowler Busy Bees-16 Victor 15; Prairie-18 Green Acres 11; Bengal Community-10 Stoney Creek 6; Charles Gang-45 Teen Leaders 9 and Olive 4-H over Green Acre Girls.

Farm vehicle hearings set

Public hearings on administrative rules for special farm vehicles have been scheduled in Lansing for tomorrow, June 30.

Hearings start at 9:30 a.m. in the Law Building Auditorium in the downtown Capitol complex. They are open to the public either to testify or to submit written statements. Written statements should be sent to: Department of State, Office of Hearings and Legislation, Treasury Building, Lansing, Michigan 48918.

The proposed rules would become effective 15 days

after filing with the Secretary of State.

They establish special permits for vehicles used only for transporting farm crops between the fields where they are grown and storage places.

Only vehicles with bins that are unsuitable for moving goods other than farm crops are eligible for these special farm vehicle permits. Fee for a permit which includes a metal license plate to be displayed on the rear of the vehicle will be \$15. The permit may not be used on other vehicles.



Clinton County commissioners were among approximately 230 representatives from more than 50 counties participating in Michigan State University's "Commissioners' Day" June 15 on the campus. Shown are (L-R) Jim Pelham, county extension director; Bob Van Driesen, Dick Hawks, Dave Whitlock, Harold Martin, County commissioners; and Dr. James Anderson, new dean of the MSU College of Agriculture and Natural Resources. Divided into groups, the commissioners were bused to six stops during the morning which featured MSU's latest research in energy conservation, crop and animal development. Following a luncheon at the Kellogg Center for Continuing Education, the commissioners were further updated on activities of the Cooperative Extension Service, Agricultural Experiment Station and College of Agriculture and Natural Resources.

Tree pests appear early

Are the leaves on your sycamore tree speckled with small white dots? Is your honey locust losing its leaves? If so, blame it on the weaver.

This spring's unseasonably warm weather has brought out insect pests of trees early and in large numbers. Sycamores, honey locusts and other trees and shrubs are already showing signs of damage by sucking insects that usually pose no problem until July.

Jim Lieberr, Michigan State University entomologist, has observed that plant bugs and leafhoppers are already feeding in large numbers.

They are tiny, green to brown insects, about one-fourth inch long. They feed by sucking plant juices from the leaves of a variety of ornamental plants. The upper sides of the leaves become blotchy or speckled. Their damage is most apparent on locust, which may drop all their leaves in midsummer.

If your trees seem to be in trouble, check the undersides of the leaves, Lieberr advises. Treat large populations of insects with sprays of malathion or diazinon. Spray according to label directions, being sure to cover both sides of the leaves thoroughly.

Extension Calendar

- June 27 4-H Horticulture ID Training Meeting-Smith Hall, St. Johns-7 p.m.
- June 30 MSU-Weed Day Crops Barn MSU—8a.m.-4 p.m.
- July 2 Teen Club Car Wash, Shell Station, St. Johns, 10-4 p.m.
- July 7 Farm Field Day at Kellogg farm
- July 7 4-H Foods Trip to MSU and Lansing, leaving from Extension Office at 9:15 a.m.
- July 9 Swine Breeders Field Day—Coldwater.
- July 9-10 4-H Award Trip to Barry County Camp, Hastings, MI.
- July 16 Farm Bureau Young Farmers Sponsor Farm-City Day.
- July 21 District Holstein Show—Corunna.

News from Elsie

Morning Star Chapter No. 279 OES of Ovid, met in regular session on Tuesday evening, June 14 with worthy matron and worthy patron Ruth and Duane Chamberlain presiding in the east.

Correspondence was read from the office of the worthy grand matron pertaining to the Grand Chapter session in October. Cards of thanks were read from Job's Daughters, Christine Snyder, and the Clinton County officers.

The chapter has as special guests, Elizabeth McCracken, worthy matron of Perrv; Elaine Hill, treasurer of Shiawassee County Association, Gerry Workman, Clinton County Association president; Dorothy Cressman, worthy matron of Radiant Chapter; Dorothy Steves and Frances Luther, also of Radiant Chapter. They were escorted to the east and welcomed.

Sue Thornton, associate conductress, assisted by her mother, received her proficiency card. Raymond Lawrence, past patron, gave the examination.

A monetary gift was given to Estarl in memory of Anne Praay.

The Clinton County Association officers were presented in the east and were welcomed as was the treasurer of Shiawassee County.

The past and present secretaries and treasurers were present in the East and given a pink carnation from the worthy matron.

Refreshments were served in the dining room by Norma Darling and her committee.

The chapter meets again the second Tuesday in September.

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NEWS

Outstanding Young Farm Woman and District Young Farmer to be named

By Judy Kissane

Clinton County Farm Bureau will be holding their county annual meeting Oct. 11 at Smith Hall.

There are several things presently going on to be ready for the important event.

Number one—the fact that there are four director terms expiring in 1977. Only one is not eligible for re-election, Ron Miller, representing Ovid-Victor Townships. He has served two 3-year terms which is all that is allowed under the bylaws.

The other three terms expiring are Don Witt, Bengal-Riley; Bob Barton, Eagle and Watertown and George Baird, director-at-large. Community groups in those townships may submit one name for their director candidate to the county office by Sept. 23 or sooner.

Nominees must be Farm Bureau members and full-time farmers or farmers' wives. Nominations for director-at-large will be made by the nominating committee.

The Young Farmers and Farm Bureau Women's committees are working together to select an Outstanding Young Farm Woman in the county.

Applicants must be Farm Bureau members and not more than 32 years of age by Dec. 31.

An award will be presented to the county winner at the county annual and she will receive a trip to the state annual in December to take part in the state contest.

The state winner will receive a trip to the Farm Bureau Legislative tour to Washington D.C. next year.

Application blanks are available from the county office and must be filled out and returned by Sept. 23 or sooner if possible.

The Farm Bureau Young Farmers Committee is involved in the Distinguished Young Farmer Award in the county.

For the past year the committee has chosen a Distinguished Young Farmer each month.

In September, they will choose the county winner from these 12 young men.

Since last October the winners, in order of their selection, have been: Alan Anderson, Clare Armbrust-macher, David Castner, Doug Witt, Robert Lerg, Bob Harte, Dan Acre, Jim Dershem.

During the next four months, there will be four more chosen to compete. Emphasis is placed on the farm management ability and how much progress has been made from the point at which the individual started farming.

It is individual progress rather than total worth which is the determining factor. Attention will also be given to the applicants' leadership activities in farm and civic organizations.

An award will be given to the county winner plus a trip to the state annual meeting in Grand Rapids.

The state winner will get an expense paid trip for two to the American Farm Bureau convention in Houston, Texas next January.



Mike Pettigrew (right) presents the Outstanding Young Farmer Award for May to Jim Dershem.

Clinton youth attend Citizenship Seminar

Albion College was the scene of the 14th Annual Farm Bureau Young People's Citizenship Seminar and in attendance were five youth from various schools in Clinton County.

Sponsors assisting in costs for the students one-week stay were Michigan Milk Producers Association, Clinton National Bank and Trust, Central National Bank Production Credit Association and St. Johns Cooperative Co.

Following are two more essays which were submitted to the Farm Bureau Citizenship Committee in the competition to select the winners.

Sheri Harte will be a senior at St. Johns High School in the fall. She is majoring in journalism and will continue along that line in college. She has been involved in the Drama Club and was secretary-treasurer for the literary magazine the Questing Beast. Also she served as feature editor for the high school newspaper "the Torch". She was a member of the concert choir and assists her father and brothers on the home farming operation.

Ken Bosam is a student at Ovid-Elsie High School and will be in the senior class next fall. He was in the Madrigal Singers group, the art club, and in school musicals. He was vice-president of the art club for 2 years, worked on the year book and the prom committee.



Sheri Harte



Ken Bosam

Land of the Free and Home of the Brave

By Sheri Harte

This line of the Star Spangled Banner reminds me of my home, the country that I live in—America. What does the word mean to me? Struggles, hardships won and lost, peace gained, freedom gained, a democratic republic established for over 200 years.

Religious choice, freedom of the press are just a part of the Bill of Rights. Our forefathers, looking ahead to future generations, realized that our needs would be different. Thus they put in an elastic clause, which al-

lows for all laws which shall be necessary and proper.

The Constitution, the Bill of Rights, are the safeguards which protect the rights of the citizens of the United States of America. This is a change from other countries' laws, which protect the government from the people. Our country is different in the fact that the people govern themselves, and do not have a selected few who make the laws for the people to follow.

If there is a discourse among the legislature and the judiciary about a policy or law, a check and balance exists in our democratic system that allows for review of said laws. The executive branch also

has the power of vetoing a law, but if the legislature feels it is important enough, they can override the president. This system is one of the things that make me feel proud that in a country as large as the United States, we can have order in the governmental policies.

Always at presidential election time, people can be heard complaining about the electoral process, but one question remains in my mind. Has it ever failed? Has there ever been a time when a candidate won the popular vote and lost in electoral votes? There is a possibility of this occurring, but the chances are so slight that they are laughable. Of course, there is always room for change, progress, but it must be done cautiously, so as not to ruin the balance that we have established in the two hundred years since the birth of this country.

Citizenship

By Ken Bosam

Of the rights and privileges granted to most every human, is the right of free choice on where to live. It is hard to put in words the supreme, but very unnoticed and misused freedom this right brings.

There are many different viewpoints people have on being an American citizen. At time, native born Americans look negatively at citizenship and completely overlook the ever-so-many advantages.

This negative viewpoint is mainly based on the laws each citizen is expected to obey. On the other hand, immigrants are happy and quick to jump at the chance to use this right, even though they could claim an extra reason for complaining if they desired to.

This reason is: besides having to obey the laws,

immigrants have to go through a life long and time consuming procedure to become and stay an American citizen.

Though none of these requirements should be hard and by no means seem to be, there are still ones who must take advantage of this great right.

There are about 6 - 8 million illegal immigrants in America today and countless numbers who break the laws given them when entering our country.

When these requirements are ignored, the only honorable thing is done. Yet, native born Americans are quick to point their finger at immigrants.

Immigrants sometimes have excuses for acting as they do, though excuses are usually poor cop outs. These excuses may be: trying to adapt to our way of life, being accepted by others, communication, etc. Native born citizens have few excuses.

We should be examples for immigrants rather than ignoring the laws of the land ourselves. It is a unanimously agreed upon statement that our rights as American citizens far out weigh the requirements. Americans enjoy the peace of mind received when the worry of an anarchy is removed, when they find themselves with privileges such as the right to pick our leader, freedom of speech, freedom to believe in and worship our own individual gods, freedom to do as we wish with the things we acquire, freedom to be what we wish and to do what we wish. All of these, of course, within the limits our laws have established.

Citizenship—can be obtained for such a small price, yet people are and forever will be striving to get it for free. I guess selfishness can be found everywhere.

President's report

By Bill Kissane

What is Farm Bureau's position? This is a question we hear more and more these days. As Farm Bureau members we can be proud of the fact that others look to our organization and ask our opinion on matters concerning us all.

Realizing that our opinion is sought, it is important that we understand how the Farm Bureau arrives at a position on any given subject. It is also most important that all Farm Bureau members take part in this process, we call it policy Development (P.D.).

Farm Bureau P.D. process starts when any Farm Bureau member voices an opinion on a subject. This member discusses it with his fellow Farm Bureau members at a Community Group or other committee meeting.

If he is not a group member he may just discuss it with other Farm Bureau members. Ideas are put into resolutions by our P.D. committee.

At the Farm Bureau annual meeting held in October every year, all members have the opportunity to discuss all issues and vote on them. Many times changes will be made in the resolutions as presented by the

P.D. Committee, as members establish the Farm Bureau position to suit their needs and desires.

Issues and resulting policy of local concern are followed up by your county board of directors and various County F.B. committees. Issues of state and national concern are sent on to the State Farm Bureau and to the national annual meeting where they undergo the same process before they become Farm Bureau policy.

I hope this explanation points out the importance of participation by all Farm Bureau members at all levels of the organization so that our policy truly reflects the views of a majority of the members. In no way is Farm Bureau policy ever set by a board or committee of Farm Bureau. The board's and committee's responsibility is only to carry out the policy as set by the membership.

The other thing to remember is that the problems and issues that concern us are there all year long not just in the fall at annual meeting time. As Farm Bureau members, we can't afford to let our organization take the summer off. The P.D. process has to be a continuing process involving as many members as possible.

Remember the next time someone asks "What is Farm Bureau's Position?" It's your opinion they're asking for, your opinion combined with that of your fellow Farm Bureau members that make up F.B. policy.

Make your voice heard, discuss the issues, and participate in the P.D. process. It's your organization and your position.



Mike Pettigrew (right) presents the Outstanding Young Farmer Award for March to Bob Harte.

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Farm Produce 19

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Hogs & Sheep 20

FOR SALE—Purebred Hampshire Boar approx. 300 lbs. Norm Fedewa, Pewamo, 593-2082.

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Cattle 21

FOR SALE—Large type Holstein Springing Heifers, good quality, vaccinated for red nose and bangs. Good selection. Will deliver on approval. Ph. 414-788-3332. Donald Gonnering Dairy Farm Rt. 2 Box 272, Kaukauna, Wis. 54130.

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Pets 23

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26-3-p-23-DH

Garage Sale 25

GARAGE SALE—907 E. Walker, St. Johns. Wed and Thurs., June 29 and 30, 10-5 p.m. Lots of clothing in perfect condition, very reasonable. Misses sizes 9 and 10, 16, 18 and 20-Men's shirts, jackets, slacks, S, M&L. Dishes, records, candle holders, radios, Tupperware, steam irons, 8-track tape recorder-player, yard goods, books, wallpaper, double knit and cotton remnants for quilts, FREE BOX.

26-1-p-25 DH

HUGE GARAGE SALE: 1940 W. Taft-1 mile W. off U.S. 27—All size clothes, 2-20" bikes, lots of drapes, spreads, etc. stylish size 10-12 ladies dresses, large size dresses. Typewriter, hair dryer. Wed.-Thurs. 29-30, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

26-1-DH-25

Miscellaneous 27

JOINER—Jig-band-table-power hack saw, wood-metal lathe, disc-belt sander, arc-wire welder, torch set, ana mill, diearco pipe bender, air compressor, drill press, hydraulic press, 616-846-2350, Spring Lake. PGC-44-tfn

26-1-p-28

If anyone has a copy of the Golden Jubilee issue of the Clinton County Republican News please contact Shirley Karber at 224-7412.

Wanted Miscellaneous 28

WANTED - OLD POST CARDS OF THE EARLY 1900 - 1920's. Willing to buy or trade. Call 224-2361 days or 224-7051 nights.

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WANTED TO BUY—Electric toy trains, American Flyer & Lionel. Will pay cash. Ph. 393-9774. GC-54-tfn

26-2-p-29

TIMBER WANTED—Logs and standing timber. Logs delivered to our yard, DEVEREAUX SAWMILL, INC., 2872 N. Hubbardston Rd., Pewamo, Mich. Phone 593-2424 and/or 593-2552.

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Notice 29

WATCH REPAIR SERVICE Now there is a repair service for Timex Watches in your area. All work is guaranteed and we give you a free estimate before repairs. We also repair other makes of watches. Send watches to: Kinde Repair Service, P.O. Box 128, Kinde, Mich. 48445.

20-tf-29

DISCOVER DANCING—Consider taking lessons from Rul and Ginny Ritter of Ritters Routines. No contracts. Call 669-9303 after 11 a.m. 38-tf-29

38-tf-29

BINGO - Holy Family Church, 510 Mabbitt Rd., Ovid, Monday 7 p.m. 16-tf-29

NOW AT CANDYLAND—Fresh Strawberry sundaes & milk shakes! Dairy cones, orange, butterscotch & chocolate dipped flavors. Open 12 til 8, 6 days a week, closed Wednesday. 307 Quarterline St., Portland. PGC-30-tfn

307-30-tfn

THE FULTON BOARD OF EDUCATION will accept bids on two used International school buses with Carpenter bodies. The buses are numbers 9 and 10. Number 9 is a 1968 and number 10 is a 1969. These buses may be inspected at Fulton Schools located at the corner of M57 and Ely Highway, Middleton, Michigan. Bids must be submitted to Charles R. Batway, Superintendent of Fulton Schools, Middleton, Michigan, before 4 p.m. on July 8, 1977.

25-3-p-29

ANTIQUA SHOW & SALE Lansing Mall-Lansing 5330 W. Saginaw Hwy. July 7-8-9-10. Daily 10 to 9 Sunday noon to 5. 40 dealers-glass grinder-lid lady lamp parts-20 percent off silver replating furniture galore-over 700 different beer cans: C & P Promotions.

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45-tf-29

LOST—Springer Spaniel 8 months old, color-liver and white. Answers to name of Taffy. Wacousta area—\$65 reward. Ph. 487-3741, Lansing.

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Card of Thanks 30

We wish to express our thanks to all those who were so thoughtful and kind to us at the time of the loss of our loved one. Our thanks to Dr. Grost and staff at Clinton Memorial Hospital, to the Rev. Peter Nieuwkoop and

Obituaries

Arthur Hawley

Arthur L. Hawley, 76, 4842 Clark Rd., Bath, died June 5.

Born April 12, 1901 in Ludington, Mr. Hawley had been a resident of the Lansing area for 15 years.

He attended M.A.C., graduating in 1920. He was a horticulturist and a dairy farmer in Leelanau County from 1941 to 1952 and managed large dairy farms in southern Michigan.

He later managed a parking lot on Grand Ave. in Lansing.

He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Surviving are his wife, Valborg; two daughters, Mrs. David (Janet) Harte of Bath and Mrs. Charles (Helen) Husby of Eaton Rapids; son, Frederick B. of Suttons Bay; two brothers, Wesley of Ludington and Donald of Shelby; three sisters, Mrs. Viola White, Mrs. Mildred Bradshaw, both of Clare and Miss Bertha Hawley of Birmingham; 12 grandchildren; two great grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

Services were held June 7 at the Gorsline-Runciman Lansing Chapel with Rev. Tom Peters of the Bath United Methodist Church officiating.

Grandsons acting as pallbearers were Rand and James Hawley, Joseph and David Green, Martin and Thomas Husby.

Further services were held June 9 at the Alexander Rye Funeral Home in Ludington with interment at the South Victory Cemetery in Mason County.

Frank Palatka

Funeral services were held for Frank Palatka 62, of 8752 W. Juddville Rd., Elsie, at the Holy Family Church with Father Joseph Aubin officiating with the Rev. Robert Prange. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery, Fairfield Township.

Rosary was held at the Carter Funeral Home in Elsie, Wednesday night.

Mr. Palatka died June 19 on the way to Owosso Memorial Hospital.

An Elsie resident for the past 50 years, he was born in Ithaca on Feb. 11, 1915 and was the son of James and Anna Palatka. He married Mary Gregor in Banister Feb. 15, 1936.

Mr. Palatka was a member of the Holy Family Church, the church men's club and was a member of the Catholic Slovak Union.

He was a farmer and milk hauler and former Redmond Motors employee and a former Midland-Ross employee of Owosso.

Survivors include: his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Amelia Tejkl of Elsie and Jeanette Richards at home; three sons, Steve of Elsie, Frank, Jr. of Lapeer and Richard of Ovid; 13 grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs. Mary Reha of Elsie. His parents and two sisters preceded him in death.

Mary Miller

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Orpha Miller 75, of 310 E. Main St., Elsie and Imperial Harbor Trailer Park, Bonita Springs, Fla., were held Saturday, June 18 at the Carter Funeral Home in

Elsie with the Rev. Douglas Jones of Eureka officiating, followed by cremation.

Mrs. Miller was born March 21, 1902, at Eugene (Griatiot County) to Whitford and Martha (Brillhart) Debar. She graduated from Ashley High School and taught school for several years. She married J.C. Miller Oct. 18, 1928 at Angola, Ind.

They began operating the Debar Hardware Store in Elsie in 1942 and were in the business for many years. Upon retiring, they moved to Bonita Springs, where Mrs. Miller taught school again for 19 years.

Mrs. Miller is survived by her husband, J.C.; a son, Keith of Elsie; a daughter, Mrs. Arlis Strachota of Elsie; a brother, Howard (Bing) Debar of Lansing; three sisters, Mrs. Ruby Somers of Elsie, Mrs. Louise Cook and Mrs. Hazel Wickie, both of Bonita Springs, Fla.; five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Carl Rossow

Funeral services were held June 28 from St. Peter Lutheran Church for Carl W. Rossow, 84, Rt. 2, Bengal Twp., who died June 25 at Carson City Hospital.

Rev. Roger Heintz officiated with burial at Riley Lutheran Cemetery.

Mr. Rossow was born in Clinton County Jan. 1, 1893, the son of Charles and Louise Rossow.

A farmer, he lived in Clinton County all his life. He was married June 19, 1919 at St. Peter Lutheran Church to the former Alvina Hopp.

He was a veteran of World War I.

A member of St. Peter Lutheran Church, he served the church as elder and treasurer. He was Bengal Township treasurer for 14 years.

Surviving are his wife, Alvina; son, Gerald Rossow of rural St. Johns; two daughters, Mrs. Arlene Marten of Francis Rd., DeWitt and Mrs. Norma Fitzpatrick, rural St. Johns; brother, Walter Rossow of St. Johns and six grandchildren.

Martha Rossow

Mrs. Martha C. Rossow, 91, 4562 S. Lowell Rd., St. Johns died June 25 in Griatiot County.

Funeral services will be held today (June 29) at St. Peter Lutheran Church in Riley.

Rev. Roger Heintz will officiate with burial at St. Peter cemetery.

Mrs. Rossow was born in Riley Twp. Nov. 16, 1885, the daughter of John and Johanna Martens.

She attended country schools. She was married Sept. 5, 1907 in St. Peter Lutheran Church to Robert Rossow and lived all her married life at the Lowell Road farm home.

She was a member of St. Peter Lutheran Church and Ladies Aid of the Church.

Surviving are her husband, Robert; daughter, Mrs. Alfred (Doris) Mohnke of rural St. Johns; two grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Julius H. Poullion

Funeral services were held June 25 at Houghton Chapel of Osgood Funeral Homes for Julius H. Poullion, 67, 5387 Oak Ridge Dr., Beaverton.

He died June 22 at Gladwin Area Hospital following a long illness.

Rev. Earl Copelin officiated with burial at Hillcrest Memorial Gardens in Owosso.

A native of Belgium, Mr. Poullion was born Sept. 23, 1909, the son of Eugene and Daisy Poullion.

He attended school in Ovid and was a resident of the Clinton County area most of his life.

He was married Dec. 31, 1945 in Ovid to the former Gladys Hurrell.

He was an employee of the Michigan Milk Producers Association and was a member of the Clinton County D.A.V. for 32 years. He was a veteran of World War II.

Surviving are his wife, Gladys; sons, Roger Poullion of Corunna, Julius Poullion of Owosso and William Poullion of Bancroft; stepson Victor Higgins of Ovid; daughters, Mrs. Daine Brown of Burt, Mrs. Ruth Darling of Bancroft and Mrs. Juanita Griffin of Bath; sister, Mrs. Melonie Patrick of Ovid; 26 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren.

Louise Grubaugh

Mrs. Louise Grubaugh Rhines, 73, 15665 Mayfield Dr., Lansing, died June 25 at her residence.

Funeral services will be held today (June 29) at 1 p.m. at Valley Farms Baptist Church.

Rev. LaVern Bretz and Rev. Carl Grapentine will officiate with burial at Union Home Cemetery.

Mrs. Rhines was born Feb. 28, 1904 in Griatiot County, the daughter of Myron and Sarah Grubaugh.

She graduated from Maple Rapids High School in 1922 and lived the past 34 years in the Lansing area.

She was employed with Fisher Body Corp. for 10 years. She was a member of Valley Farms Baptist Church.

Surviving are her husband, Howard of Lansing; three daughters, Mrs. Nelda Orr, Mrs. Dolores Burkeholder and Mrs. Velez A. Foley, all of Lansing; sister Mrs. Olive M. Doan of Lake City; two brothers, Floyd Grubaugh of Dexter and Paul Grubaugh of Dunedin, Fla.

Claude Smith

Claude E. Smith, 94, 2132 Oak St., Northbrook, Ill., formerly of Dewitt, died June 20 in Northbrook.

Funeral services were held Thursday, June 23 at the DeWitt Area Chapel. Burial was held at the DeWitt Cemetery.

Mr. Smith was born in Riley Township on Aug. 27, 1882 to Merville and Caroline (Studley) Smith. He was a 1910 graduate of Michigan State University.

He married Orva W. Edmonds, in Bay City in 1912. She died in 1968.

Mr. Smith is the former superintendent of forestry in Detroit. He is the past president of the Michigan Forestry Association and was one of the founders of the Michigan Forestry Association.

Mr. Smith is survived by three sons, Robert, of Detroit; Lawrence of Springfield, Mass. and Howard, of Northbrook; one daughter, Virginia Hyatt, Rowley, N.C. and one sister, Ethel Marzke, DeWitt.

Lenore Bunce

Funeral services were held June 27 at Houghton Chapel of Osgood Funeral Homes for Lenore Bunce, 68, 5304 Shepardsville Rd., St. Johns, who died June 24 while visiting friends at 904 S. Oakland in St. Johns.

Rev. Robert Prange officiated with burial at Maple Grove Cemetery.

Mrs. Bunce was born Jan. 30, 1909 in Lupton, the daughter of Jesse and Effie Rittenburg.

She lived most of her life in Clinton County. She was married in 1903.

She was married to Clifford Wauve who preceded her in death in 1969. She married George Bunce July 29, 1972 in Victor Township. She was a motel manager. She was a member of the

Shepardsville News

Order of Eastern Star in Rose City.

Surviving are her husband, George; six stepdaughters, Mrs. Jean Canning, Mrs. Janice Hurst and Mrs. Nancy Green, all of Laingsburg, Mrs. Judy Hobbs of Detroit, Mrs. Linda Beachler of St. Johns and Mary Ann Bunce at home; stepson, George Bunce Jr. of Owosso; sister, Mrs. Alta Buvia of Port Huron and several step grandchildren.

Ruth Ann Riddle

Funeral services were held June 25 at Jennings Lyons Chapel in Owosso for Ruth Ann Riddle, 37, 442 E. Main St., Owosso, who died June 22 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She had been ill for five years.

Rev. Thomas E. Dunn officiated with burial at Maple River Cemetery.

Mrs. Riddle was born July 29, 1939 in Owosso, the daughter of Willard and Helen Stinson.

She attended St. Johns High School.

She was married May 15, 1959 in St. Johns to Charles J. Riddle Sr.

A nurse aide at Rivard Nursing Home, she attended the First Methodist Church and was a member of the Owosso Twp. Firemen's Auxiliary and Shiassee County C.B. Club.

Mrs. Riddle moved to Owosso from St. Johns in 1959 and resided at 1129 Helena in Owosso before moving to the 442 E. Main residence.

Surviving are her husband, Charles Sr.; son, Charles Jr., 13; daughters, Lee Ann, 9, and Tammy, 8; sister, Mrs. Donald (Joyce) Taphouse of Owosso and step-father, George Hyler of St. Johns.

The graduating class of 1917 of the Ovid High held their 60th Anniversary meeting in the United Church parlor on Saturday afternoon June 18. There were 20 members in the class. Eight members were present and four were unable to be there.

There were 16 present. Class members were Lula Lepoir (Cox) of Lansing; Wilma Pearce (Backus) of Birmingham; Vera Jones (Yerrick) who resides on E-M21; Agnes Holsinger (West) of Florida; Gertrude Nowlin (Bartenfelder) also of Florida; Nellie Spencer (Green) Ovid; Merton Nourse, Stanton and George Robson of Ovid.

The afternoon was spent in recalling old times.

Greg Palen took pictures of the group, and the Women's Fellowship served refreshments.

Later the group all attended the Alumni Banquet at the Ovid-Elsie High School where Lulu Cox gave the toast for the class of 1917.

Middlebury News

By Mrs. Don Warren

A commission of Middlebury Township residents has been meeting for the past several months to formulate a land use plan for the township. They are working with the assistance of Phil Hathaway, Shiassee County community advisor.

A soils capability map has been drawn up and the commission members recently completed a housing survey for the township.

Research by the members indicates that in the last thirteen years, 403 new homes have been established in Middlebury Township.

Bridal Shower

Sunday June 19, a bridal shower was held for Renae Dittmer at the home of Mrs. Dale Squiers.

The bride's color scheme of yellow and white was carried out in the decorations. The bride was instructed to break balloons for her instructions. The bride's guest sang the "Wedding March" while she practiced marching down the aisle. She found her unique gifts by following other instructions in the balloons.

Refreshments of fresh fruit in a watermelon basket, cake and punch were served by the hostesses, Leslie Hazle, Mrs. Stuart Hazle, and Mrs. Dale Squiers. Mrs. Marsha Pike, aunt of the bride, was awarded the door prize.

Guests were present from Phoenix, Ariz., Houghton Lake, Lansing, St. Johns and Elsie.

Renae Dittmer and Jeffery Hazle were married June 25 in St. Johns.

Barbara Goodnight Shenandoah College graduate

Barbara Lake Goodnight, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lake, was graduated from Shenandoah College and Music Conservatory in Virginia.

She received a bachelor of music education degree, summa cum laude. She also received a performance certificate and the Algernon Sydney Sullivan Award given to one woman and one man student of the graduating class.

Barbara plays the organ and is choir director in the Hagerstown, Md. Episcopal Church and lives with her family in Williamsport, Md.

Three high school graduates named U of M Regents-Scholars

Three 1977 high school graduates from Clinton County planning to attend the University of Michigan this year have been named by the university as Regents-Alumni Scholars.

They are Terry Lynn Ballinger, 1700 E. Townsend Rd., St. Johns; Randy Edward Thelen, 201 S. Willow, Westphalia, and Susan M. Geisenhaver, 7539 W. Krouse Rd., Ovid.

Each year U of M selects Regents-Alumni Scholars for the superior academic achievement and their potential contribution to the scholarly community of the University of Michigan.

U of M alumni play an active part in the selection procedure. Finalists chosen from all applicants for freshman admission are referred to local alumni for interviews and recommendations.

A certificate for the Regents-Alumni Scholar has been sent to the scholar's high school. All scholars will receive a \$50 honorarium when they enroll in September.

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