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## Submit Oldest Passbooks in Bank's Centennial Contest

An 1889 savings account passbook issued by the Clinton County Savings Bank was the oldest of 60 entries in a Centennial contest sponsored last month by the Clinton National Bank and Trust Co. Gayle Desprez, assistant vice president of the bank, is shown here (at left) presenting a \$50 first prize to Miss Florence Dexter of St. Johns, the winner. Other prize winners, to the right of Miss Dexter, are Mrs. Florence Ewer, R-6, St. Johns, and A. Gayle Vauconsant, St. Johns. The second prize winner, Mrs. Glenn A. Tupper of Orosi, Calif., was not present to receive her award. Pictures of the winning passbooks and other interesting details about the contest appear on page 1-C.

## East Essex votes Saturday on annexation to St. Johns

The first of a series of school elections concerning annexation of rural districts to the St. Johns system will be held in East Essex Saturday. Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the East Essex school.

East Essex is the vanguard of 12 districts who are expected to hold elections on the annexation question. The 32 make up the largest single annexation group in Michigan's history.

Other annexation elections are also scheduled within the week. Marshall School District (Greenbush 10) will vote next Wednesday, March 10, as will Rowell Duplain 1 (Fri).

Two weeks from Saturday, on March 20, French (Greenbush 8), Richmond (Greenbush 1) and Plowman (Riley 7 Fri) district voters will decide on annexation of their districts.

INTEREST IN the elections has been growing as polling dates approach, especially in the East Essex district which borders on the Fulton High School District. Some high school students from that area reportedly are attending Fulton High School, and this has raised one of several questions St. Johns school officials are being asked.

For students who had started high school at a school other than St. Johns and who would like to finish at the other high school, St. Johns will pay the tuition.

IN THE EVENT the annexation passes, the present East Essex school building will continue to be used as at present until such time that a bond issue for additional buildings can be passed, St. Johns Supt. Earl Lancaster said.

At that time an addition will be constructed on the East Essex building that will expand the building to a seven-room structure housing grades kindergarten through six, plus an all-purpose room and cafeteria. The building will continue to be used by the people of the East Essex area

for evening affairs and other events as it has in the past, Lancaster assured them.

AND IF THE election fails? The St. Johns school board ruled some time ago that rural districts not annexing by July 1 must send their high school students elsewhere, and presumably that ruling will not be changed. In all likelihood there will be time for additional elections if the first should fail.

As in all the annexation elections, there will be two ballots, and both must pass before the annexation becomes official. In East Essex the ballots will read: "Shall the East Essex School District be annexed to the St. Johns Public School District?" and "Shall the millage for school operation be increased in the amount of four and one-half (4 1/2) mills for a period of three (3) years, the years being 1965, 1966 and 1967?"

THE MILLAGE increase will be the same for all school districts and would take the place of any millage over and above 15

mills which voters in the individual districts may have voted previously. In East Essex this will take the place of 4 mills voted by electors there in 1963.

Supt. Lancaster explained that two years ago St. Johns voters voted for 4 1/2 mills for a five-year period, and that annexed districts will be expected to pay their share when they become part of the district and use its facilities.

IN THE EVENT property owners in annexed districts do not want to belong to the St. Johns district, it is possible to have the property set over into another district if the property is contiguous, or adjoins, the other district.

"The St. Johns board of Education will not object to property transfer providing the resulting school district boundaries are not too irregular, thus making future transportation difficult and expensive," Lancaster said.

Annexation of all rural districts to a high school district is

only a matter of time, he pointed out. "Last year the Legislature passed the so-called K-12 bill, which provides that within two years all non-high school districts must be annexed to high school districts."

"THEREFORE annexation with someone is inevitable," Lancaster said. "We believe it will be advantageous to you to annex to St. Johns at this time, so that your children may continue to attend the high school which they have been attending."

Twenty-one of the rural school districts have set election dates. In addition to East Essex, Marshall, Rowell, French, Richmond and Plowman, these other election dates are: Sherwood, March 27; Eureka, April 3; Gardner, March 30; Sage, March 27; Price, April 3; and Church, April 3. The deadline for voter registration in all of the above districts is past.

IN THE FOLLOWING districts, the registration deadline date in parenthesis follows the election date: Union Home, April 24 (March 23); Greenwood, April 10 (March 10); Frink, April 10 (March 3); Cramer, April 24 (March 19); County Farm, May 4 (March 30); Serviss, April 24 (March 23); Merle Beach, May 8 (April 2); Olive Center, April 22 (March 19); and Chapman April 10 (March 10).

The Church district is in Gratiot County, but the Gratiot County Board of Education and School Supt. Dan Mahoney have approved the annexation if the Church district voters want it.

### Driver cleared

Terry Kentfield of 308 E. Walker Street, St. Johns, was cleared by a municipal court jury Feb. 23 of a charge of reckless driving.

LAND SALE — Auction of 1/2 acre site of former Marshall School in Greenbush township, Clinton County, Tuesday, March 9, 1965, at 9:30 a.m. Land is located in SW corner of SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 Sec. 17-8-2. Cash for full amount at time of sale. — Ken Peterson, Auctioneer. 45-1

## It's Red Tag Day Friday

Friday is Red Tag Day.

That's the day St. Johns merchants who are members of St. Johns Business Unlimited will post red tags on merchandise they've marked down in price especially for Red Tag Day.

ALL KINDS of merchandise is included in this first annual Red Tag sales event. Huge red tag posters will be displayed in windows of participating stores to tell sidewalk shoppers of the special prices on items inside.

Jerry Knupp, chairman of Red Tag Day, promised a lot of fine merchandise at extra-fine prices in all the stores. Some of the items are listed in a page of Red Tag Day bargains in Section B of this week's Clinton County News; others are listed in the individual advertisements of merchants in all sections of the paper.

## Hunt still on for director of equalization

The job of equalization director for Clinton County has yet to be filled, and the county board of supervisors; equalization committee has decided to re-advertise for applicants.

Committee Chairman Derrill Shinabery of Greenbush Township told the board Monday the committee has been deadlocked on a choice for the job. Fifteen applicants have been screened, with no clear-cut decision.

Thus, a new advertisement for applicants. "This is a very important decision," Shinabery told the board, "and I don't believe we can be overly cautious."

## Begins arts, crafts

Arts and crafts sessions, sponsored by the St. Johns Recreation Department, will begin next Wednesday, March 10, with classes in the afternoon from 1 to 4 and in the evening from 7 to 10. The sessions will be held in the Senior Drop-In Center on Railroad Street.

# OK \$162,467 for courthouse wing

Construction of a new wing on the Clinton County Courthouse should begin in about a week, or as soon thereafter as weather permits. And it should be completed by about the first of October.

That was the schedule announced Monday after the county board of supervisors voted acceptance of low bids totaling \$162,467 for the two-story addition.

The supervisors gave architect St. Clair Pardee of St. Johns authority to draw up contracts for the general, mechanical and electrical phases of the construction.

Contracts were expected to be ready for signing by the end of next week.

THE NEW wing, which will be built on the northwest corner of the courthouse, will be 42 by 53 feet and will include 5,452 square feet of floor space. The ground floor will connect with the basement of the present building, and the upper floor will join the main floor of the present courthouse.

The ground floor will have the equivalent space of eight 9 by 16-foot offices. The upper floor will include a supervisors room with space for 27 supervisors, a public gallery and a committee room. It would also contain additional space for the county clerk, whose office would be doubled in size.

THE NEW WING will be paid for out of existing county funds. A second, identical wing on the northeast side was shelved by the supervisors in December when they decided to wait until finances were available.

General contractor for the building of the new structure will be Granger Brothers on a low bid of \$85,377. The mechanical contractor is Holwerda-Huizinga on a low bid of \$52,250. The F. D. Hayes Co.'s low bid of \$24,840 for

the electrical work won them that contract.

The Granger Brothers firm is from Lansing, Holwerda-Huizinga is from Grand Rapids and F. D. Hayes Co. is from Lansing.

Five bids were received for the general contract, four for the electrical and three for the mechanical.

SPECIFICATIONS call for filtered air conditioning of the supervisors room, the new offices and the clerk's office. The air chiller and cooling tower are sized to provide for the future northeast wing should it be constructed, Pardee told the board of supervisors.

Plans call for granite exterior base and granite window trim on the main floor. The contract includes a complete system of first-line quality movable partitions on the ground floor.

APPROVAL OF the "green light" for construction of the wing met with opposition from several different factions of the board. Five supervisors — Raymond Mayers of Bengal, John Setterington of Essex, Derrill Shinabery of Greenbush, Maurice Gove of Bingham and Claude Underhill of Victor — voted against it. Supervisor Almond Cressman of Olive Township, who was absent at the time of the voting, later told the board he also was opposed.

It turned out there were several reasons for the opposition. One was that there were no provisions for a civil defense emergency operating center. County CD Director Charles Frost had proposed putting the center un-

der the patio in front of the courthouse entrance.

PARDEE TOLD the board this request was considered but was not felt to be feasible. Pardee said it would be better to build such an operations center as a separate unit, not directly adjoining the present building or new wing.

The building and grounds committee, which has headed up the work on the project with Pardee, also interjected that with a separate CD unit it would be possible to get federal assistance of one-half the entire cost. This would not be possible—or, at least, feasible—if the operations center were attached to the wings, due to federal regulations, they said.

SETTERINGTON brought the question of civil defense up again later in the afternoon session, asking where this turn of events left the CD project. Various members answered the tone seeming to be that it would be considered as a separate project to clearly define it for federal participation in financing. It would be more workable as a separate unit, they said.

Just when such a separate project would be started would depend on financing of the county share. Setterington's civil defense committee was told to investigate these points and others concerning exact federal requirements for a center and for their participation.

SETTERINGTON also introduced another type of opposition to the new construction when he asked why the board was building onto the "old building" instead of building an all-new courthouse. He said that within another 20 years "we'll have a million dollars invested in this building, and what'll we have but an old building."

Ernest Carter of Watertown answered, saying the county would have value received. "The building is good and sound and has good value and will have for (See COURTHOUSE Page 2-A)



## Snow Piles in Downtown Await Removal

Snow was piled six feet high in the middle of Clinton Avenue last Thursday and Friday and almost hid from view the other side of the street. Snow was plowed to the center of the street and then picked up and hauled away by truck.

### Courthouse

(Concluded from Page 1-A) some time to come," he said. "Besides, we don't have the money for a new courthouse, and I don't feel the people will vote extra taxes for a new courthouse at this time."

SETTERINGTON replied, "We should look ahead to what we'll have when we get done. There's a time when we should quit putting money into this building."

Shinabery said he recalled when a previous board of supervisors approved the new front for the courthouse with the idea in mind that it someday would be a part of a new courthouse.

Willard Krebel of Riley Township spoke up, saying he was against any more property taxes. "Property owners are carrying enough of the load now," he said. "I'm in favor of adding on with the money we have."

BOARD CHAIRMAN Charles Coletta of St. Johns summarized the pro-addition arguments by

saying that the new wings would be a permanent part of the front and not of the old building. He said the old building could eventually be torn down and a new section built to blend with and combine with the new wings.

"These are plans for modernizing and working toward a new courthouse with the money we have available," he said.

CONNECTED TO this particular hassle was the question of fire safety of the present building. Several supervisors expressed a fear that the courthouse may be a fire trap, and Mayers asked for a report of a committee he said was supposed to make an inspection of the building several months ago.

No such report was made, but Supervisor Fred Culy of DeWitt pointed out the St. Johns Fire Department had checked the building some time ago, but he didn't know what their appraisal was. Coletta instructed the building and grounds committee, headed by Krebel, to investigate and ask for an inspection by the state fire marshal.

CARTER SAID he thought it would be a good idea to look into the possibility of a sprinkler system in the attic area of the courthouse, anyway. "I think it would be a wise investment," he said, particularly in view of our adding new wings to the building.

The new wing, supervisors were told, would be separated from the present courthouse by fire doors which would be closed in case of fire.

A FINAL reason for opposition to the construction of the wing was voiced by Cressman, who said he thought the plans should be drawn on an east-west basis, rather than having the wings point north.

But despite the opposition, the new wing was approved by a 14-5 vote, and the contracts are now being drawn up. When completed they will be signed by the various contractors and by Board Chairman Coletta and County Clerk Paul Wakefield, representing the board of supervisors. The contracts call for completion of the building in 200 days, which would fall about Oct. 1.



Winter Styling of New 1965 Cars

This may look like the new color and styling of new cars for 1965. The styles are custom-made by O.M. Winter and were created last Wednesday night and Thursday with the wind-swirl technique. The cars were parked outside Cain Buick-Rambler on Higham Street in St. Johns.

## St. Johns union Lenten services start Sunday

The first of a series of six union Lenten services sponsored by churches of the St. Johns area will be held this Sunday evening at the first Methodist Church.

The services will start at 7:30 p.m.

Dr John E. Marvin, editor of the Michigan Advocate, official weekly publication of Michigan Methodists, will be the speaker. He is from Adrian.

OTHER SERVICES will be held each Sunday through Lent, with the First Methodist and First Congregational Churches in St. Johns as alternate sites. Presiding ministers will be those of various churches, which will also provide choir music, ushers and coffee hour arrangements.

This Sunday Dr Howard A. Smith, pastor of the First Methodist Church will be the presiding minister, and the St. John's Episcopal Church choir will sing. Mr and Mrs Earl Darnell of Price Methodist Church and Mr and Mrs Lester Jenkins of the St. Johns Methodist Church will be greeters.

USHERS WILL BE Harold Wil-



JOHN E. MARVIN First Lenten Speaker

kins, head usher, Albert LeFevre, Ralph Hallead, Duane Cutler, Alan Davis and Donald Clark. The Eureka Congregational Christian Church will be in charge of the coffee hour.

The speaker Sunday evening has entitled his sermon "Prerequisites to Power." Dr Marvin graduated from Albion College in 1929 and received his BD de-

gree from Drew University in 1932. He served student charges in the Michigan and Newark Conferences of the Methodist Church, after which he was appointed to the St. James-Embury charge, Detroit, and later to Ford Memorial Church, also in Detroit.

HE ENTERED work with the Michigan Christian Advocate as associate editor in 1936 and three years later was elected editor. He has reported on many religious meetings, including the organizational assembly of the World Council of Churches at Amsterdam, Holland, in 1948.

Active in religious journalistic circles, Dr Marvin has been secretary of the Associated Church Press, an organization of Protestant publications in the United States and Canada, and for the current four years is president of the Methodist Press Assn., an organization of Methodist journalists.

BESIDES HIS editorial work, Editor Marvin carries on an extensive speaking schedule and is active in the affairs of his own church conference.

## School vote at Fowler Saturday

FOWLER — Fowler School District voters will go to the polls Saturday to decide on a proposed \$270,000 addition to Fowler High School.

School Supt. Donald Smith and the school board have called the addition vital if Fowler is to adequately handle a projected enrollment of 276 students by 1970. The present building already is too small, Smith told a public meeting crowd recently, with 190 students using the school that is designed for 175.

THE SAME proposal was turned down by a 179-169 margin last Aug. 29, but the school board felt the margin was not large enough to be conclusive, so they called a new election.

A \$270,000 addition would represent between \$2.48 and \$2.71 per \$1,000 of state equalized valuation to finance it. Total millage needed to retire current indebtedness and the cost of expansion would be less than 6.5 mills, based on existing district valuation, Smith said.

THE POLLS will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday at the high school gym.

Another public meeting will be held tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock at the high school to provide additional information to voters. Smith said there seems to be a lot of interest and discussion about this election, compared to the previous vote last August.

The Fowler Jaycees and the Fowler Council 3027 of the Knights of Columbus both endorsed the school proposal during the past week.

## Village elections set for Monday

Village elections will be held throughout Clinton County Monday, with two of the eight villages having issues other than the election of officers.

Voters at Maple Rapids will vote on the issuing of \$30,000 in bonds to finance improvements to the village's water system. New wells, a new pumping station and new water lines in the village are proposed by the village council.

AN EARLIER election on Jan. 4 was cancelled at the last minute because of a legal technicality.

If the proposal is approved by voters, Maple Rapids would issue \$20,000 in general obligation bonds and \$10,000 in revenue bonds. The \$20,000 would be repaid by an increase in the millage rate of the tax on assessed valuation. The other would be repaid with funds received in the operation of the water system.

AT OVID, there's a proposal to allow liquor by the glass. Church groups there have organized in an effort to defeat the measure again. Four years ago the same proposition lost by a slim margin, and it has been an issue for a longer time than that.

Election of village officers occupies attention of Maple Rapids and Ovid voters, too, as well as full attention of voters in other villages of the county. Here are the candidates for the various offices:

MAPLE RAPIDS—Elston Hicks for president; Helen Howe for clerk; Marjorie Rumsey for treasurer; William Aldrich for assessor; Rowland Lowe, Albert Brunner, George Abbott Sr., Nina Freed, Robert Stephens and Lewis Britten for three trustee seats for two-year terms; and Terry Speer and Virgil Halsted for a one-year trustee seat to fill a vacancy.

OVID —Harvey Darling and Paul Nemanis for president; Clara Tubbs for clerk; Arlene Irner and Audrey Bancroft for treasurer; Larry Martin, Cliff Saxton, Lawrence Woodworth, Richard DePond, Edgar Kelly and Larry Byrnes for three trustee seats; and Duane Chamberlain for assessor.

ELSIE — Kelly Carter for president Alice Blunt for clerk; Orpha Clement for treasurer; Stanley Loznak for assessor; and Robert Blunt, Merle Baese, Olive Darling, Leslie Sturgis and Don Brewbaker for three trustee seats.

DEWITT — William Buck and Robert Ballard for president; Marilyn Coin for treasurer; Lloyd Berkimer, Paul Mulford, Gerald DeLine, Lawrence Keck, Stanley Tenney and June Lankford for three trustee seats. The term for the offices of clerk and assessor do not expire until later.

FOWLER — Martin Edinger for president; Mark Fox for clerk; Charles Halfmann for treasurer; Earl Frechen for assessor; and Roman Simon, Bill Braun and Ray Armbrustmacher for trustees for two-year terms.

WESTPHALIA —Gregor Thelen for president; Donald Schafer for clerk; Harold Wieber for treasurer; Aloysius Droste for assessor; and John Lehman, Gerald Miller and Harold Schmitt for trustees.

EAGLE — John Cooper for president; Mayme Smith for clerk; Kay Mominnee for treasurer; Elva Smith for assessor; Ronald McCrumb, William Mominnee and Margaret Fish for trustees.

HUBBARDSTON—Albert Cunningham for president Virgil Taft for clerk; Manual Cusack for treasurer; James R. Ginn for assessor; Harold Cunningham, Gilbert Wohlfert and Clifford O'Grady for three two-year trustee terms; and Joe Burns, for a one-year trustee term

## Townships to get plat ordinance

An attempt at uniformity of township plat ordinances will be made soon when supervisors introduce for public hearings at their annual township meetings a new plat ordinance.

The annual township meetings are scheduled for April 3. The township boards could approve the ordinance at that time, and this was the recommendation of the county board of supervisors as a whole.

THE PROPOSED ordinance includes a set of 14 plat restrictions drawn up by the zoning committee (headed by Supervisor Walter Nobis of Lebanon) with the assistance of Zoning Administrator Gerald Walter and Road Engineer A. Lester Drago.

The intention of the ordinance, Nobis said, is to get plat developers to spend money at the start rather than letting problems fall back on the township and the taxpayers. The ordinance spells out a fine of up to \$100 and/or a jail term of up to 90 days for convicted violators of the ordinance.

NOBIS URGED each township to adopt the ordinance as proposed. Publication could then be done just once, for all the townships, if it is passed in the recommended form. Any changes which a township board would want to make could be done later by amendment, he said.

## New microfilm printer OK'd

The Clinton County Board of Supervisors approved the purchase of a Thermo-Fax 200 Reader-Printer for use in printing full size plat descriptions from microfilm.

Cost of the machine is \$1,485, about half that of several other types of machines studied. The board's authorization for the records and equipment committee to make the purchase ended several months of work.

IN DECEMBER, Register of Deeds Marie Belknap told the supervisors equipment for reading and reproducing of plats and other legal documents was not sufficient, according to state officials. The supervisors committee has been investigating several machines since then.

The reader-printer will turn out dry prints of either 18 x 24 inches (full size of plats) or 12 x 18 inches. Approved along with the purchase of the machine was a service contract.

IN OTHER business, the board heard reports of several county officers, namely Treasurer Velma Beaufore, Zoning Administrator Gerald Walter and Register of Deeds Marie Belknap.

They also approved \$100 a year salary increases for an office employee and a case worker on the staff of the Clinton County Welfare Dept., at the recommendation of the county welfare board.

DESPITE FLU and other bad-weather illnesses, all members of the board were present at Monday's meeting.

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# Winter had lots of punch left!

If the snowstorm last Wednesday night and Thursday was winter's last stand, it sure had a lot of punch left.

The storm, accompanied by strong northeasterly winds, dumped up to about 11 inches of snow around the Central Michigan area, and it was certain Clinton County got its share.

SCHOOLS AROUND the county were CLOSED Thursday and Friday and deep drifts blocked all highways and rural roads. The same drifts resulted in high absenteeism in business and industry in St. Johns. It was Friday noon before some rural roads were plowed out and folks were able to get into town.

City street crews and county road workers were hard-put to keep up with the falling snow. It came down most of the day Thursday, accompanied by the same stiff northeasterly wind. Roads and streets plugged themselves back up almost as soon as plows opened them up.

IT WAS generally agreed the storm was the worst of the winter.

US-27 and M-21 were kept open, but anyone venturing onto other roads were running the risk of getting stuck in deep drifts. Snow stopped late Thursday afternoon, but the wind continued blowing through most of Friday. Friday dawned clear and cold, signaling the end of the storm.

THE ROAD and street people worked through the weekend cleaning up the mess. Stuck cars were a big deterrent on rural roads, where plowing was slowed up by between 15 and 25 minutes for each stuck car.

The Clinton County Road Commission plows made a number of emergency runs to clear the way for people to hospitals, most of them being maternity cases.

A WARMING trend Saturday and Sunday helped clean up the snow as the mercury zoomed to nearly 40 degrees.

## Wacousta

By MRS. VEDA FORWARD, Correspondent

### Child Study Club will meet Tuesday

WACOUSTA — Watertown-Wacousta Child Study Club will meet Tuesday evening with Mrs. Arnold Simons on Forest Hill Road. Co-hostess is Mrs. Sophie Tompkins. Devotions will be led by Mrs. Hobart Page and surprise roll call, by Mrs. Lester Garlock. The speaker will be from the Michigan State Police. There will be an election of officers.

### Wacousta Methodist to sponsor dinner

WACOUSTA — A congregational dinner will be held at the Wacousta Community Methodist Church Sunday, March 7, at 12:30 p.m. The WSCS will furnish meat, rolls and coffee. This dinner marks the kick-off of the visitation program of all members and constituents.

### To don old-fashioned attire for meeting

WACOUSTA — Blue Star Service Club will meet Tuesday for a 12:30 p.m. dinner with Mrs. Lester Garlock in Wacousta. Each member was asked to dress old-fashioned. There is also to be an auction.

### Masonic Lodge plans public fish supper

WACOUSTA — Wacousta Masonic Lodge No. 359 will hold a public fish supper, March 12, starting at 5 p.m. The OES No. 133 will have a bake sale.

Donald Dennis fell in Lansing Friday night and broke a leg. He is in St. Lawrence Hospital, Room 364.

### Extension Club host is Mrs. Speerbrecker

WACOUSTA — Wacousta Extension Study Club will meet Monday evening with Mrs. Ray Speerbrecker on Herbison Road. The lesson will be on Buying and Altering Ready-to-wear Clothing.

### Rimmed marriage

WACOUSTA — Miss Donna Kimball, daughter of Richard Kimball, was united in marriage Sunday morning to Allan Kimmel of Stanton. A reception was held Sunday afternoon at the Sheridan Masonic Temple. Those attending from here were Mr and Mrs Charles Rose, Barbara Rose, Mr and Mrs Earl Beagle and Mr and Mrs Lloyd Saxton.

Mrs. LeRoy Williams, mother of Clark Adams died Friday afternoon at the Ionia Hospital. Memorial services were conducted Tuesday in Ionia.

### Society for Crippled Children and Adults has fund drive set

Board members of the Clinton County Society for Crippled Children and Adults met Monday evening and made definite plans for the annual fund drive.

Envelopes for contributions will be in the mail the week of March 8. Children and adults need the support.

Last year, \$1,129.71 was spent for care and treatment of the persons. \$231.15 was spent for new equipment to be loaned to those in need.

# Clinton Area Deaths

## Mrs. Mary Able

LAINGSBURG — Mrs. Mary Lisette Able, 94, of Laingsburg died last Thursday afternoon in a Laingsburg nursing home after an illness of several years. Funeral services were Monday at 1 p.m. at the McDougall Funeral Home at Laingsburg, with burial in Rose Cemetery, Bath.

Mrs. Able was a member of the Laingsburg Congregational Church. She moved to Laingsburg from Bath in 1943.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Neva Watling of Bath and Mrs. Vera Place of Duck Lake; 12 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

## Emma Reasoner

BATH — Emma N. Reasoner of 13972 Main St. in Bath died Sunday morning, Feb. 28, in her sleep at her residence. She was 79 years old.

Gorsline - Runciman Funeral Home held services Tuesday, March 2, at 10 a.m. Burial was in Mount Hope Cemetery.

A LONG-standing resident of Bath, Mrs. Reasoner was a member of the Bath Methodist Church, the WSCS of the church, and the Bath Widows Club.

Surviving are a daughter, Lee of Bath; two granddaughters; one great-grandson; and a sister, Myrtle Scivley of Lansing.

## Mrs. E. Cressman

BINGHAM — A long-standing resident of Bingham Township, Mrs. Ethel Cressman of R-4, died Thursday, Feb. 25, at 4:45 p.m. at her residence after a short illness. She was 83 years old.

Services were held at the Osgood Funeral Home Monday, March 1, at 2 p.m. with Rev. Norman Crotser of Bengal Lube Church officiating. Burial was in South Bingham Cemetery.

BORN IN Grand Rapids on Oct. 27, 1881, Mrs. Cressman was the daughter of Justin Tabor and Jean Wright Tabor.

On June 11, 1908 she married Emanuel Cressman in Lansing. She was a member of Bingham EUB Church and taught school at Dutcher and Merle Beach.

SURVIVORS include a sister, Anna Shafley of St. Johns, and several nieces and nephews.

## Brenda Waite

BATH — The 14-year-old daughter of Mr and Mrs Victor Bierschbach of 6464 Drumheller Road, Bath, Miss Brenda Darlene Waite, died Sunday, Feb. 28, at a local hospital. She was reportedly ill with influenza since Monday, Feb. 22.

Services were held Wednesday at 2:30 p.m. at the Gorsline-Runciman Funeral Home with Rev. Frank C. Nelsen of Lakeside Chapel, Park Lake, officiating. Burial was in Pleasant Hill Cemetery in Bath.

Miss Waite was born Nov. 7, 1950, in Lansing. She was a lifetime resident of Bath, attending Bath Community School, and was a member of the Lakeside Chapel at Park Lake.

Surviving besides her parents are four sisters, Mrs. Berniece Diane Glover of Fowlerville, Bobby Diane and Bonnie Dee Leone Bierschbach of Bath; two brothers, Barry Donald Waite of Bath and Bernard Lee Bierschbach of Bath; the father, Donald A. Waite of Lansing; and a grandmother, Mrs. Rickey Waite of Haslett.

## Mable Bohman

ROSCOMMON — Miss Mable Bohman of Milligan Lake, Roscommon, died Tuesday, Feb. 23 in a West Branch convalescing home. She was 77 years old.

Services were held at the Vincent - Rummell Funeral Home Friday, Feb. 26, at 2 p.m. with Rev. Walter W. Sluys of the East DeWitt Bible Church officiating. Burial was in DeWitt Cemetery.

Miss Bohman was born on Nov. 17, 1888 in Rockford, Ill. to Herman and Minnie Bohman. She resided most of her life in Chicago, Ill. and spent her retiring years in her home near Roscommon.

Survivors include a brother, Harry of DeWitt, and a sister, Mrs. Olga Hajduk of Franklin Park, Ill.

## Warren Cater

SOUTH WATERTOWN — Warren (Frank) Cater, a South Watertown farmer for over 50 years, died in a Lansing hospital Friday, Feb. 26. He was 77 years old.

Estes Leadley Funeral Home was in charge of funeral arrangements.

Mr. Cater was a member of the First Methodist Church, a life member of DeWitt F & AM No. 272, OES No. 30 and F & AM of the DeWitt Clinton Consistory.

Surviving is a brother, Fred, of Lansing.

## Mrs. W. Felzke

LANSING — Mrs. Wilhelmina Felzke of 13643 DeWitt Road, Lansing, died Wednesday, Feb. 24, in Sparrow Hospital. She was 69 years old.

Emmanuel First Lutheran Church of Lansing was the scene of funeral services Friday, Feb. 26. Rev. Earl Krauss was the officiating clergyman. Burial was in Hurd Cemetery. Funeral arrangements were by the Vincent-Rummell Funeral Home.

Mrs. Felzke was born in Germany on Sept. 3, 1895. She was the daughter of Theodore Drees and Matilda Beckman Drees.

She came to the United States in 1902 and lived most of her life on the family farm in DeWitt Township. She married Fred E. Felzke in Lansing on April 11, 1917, and was a member of Emmanuel First Lutheran.

Surviving besides her husband are two daughters, Mrs. Arthur Rach of DeWitt and Mrs. George Ferrign of Lansing; two sons, Robert and Edward, both of R-4, Lansing; 12 grandchildren three sisters, Mrs. Elma Kotz and Mrs. Albert Kirschenbauer, both of Lansing, and Mrs. Robert Prior of San Diego, Calif.; and a brother, Emil Drees of Iron Mountain.

## Dennis O'Connell

HUBBARDSTON — Dennis O'Connell of R-1, Fowler, died Thursday, Feb. 25, in a Carson City hospital following a long illness. He was 84 years old.

Services were held Monday, March 1, at St. John the Baptist Church in Hubbardston, with burial in the church cemetery. Rosary was recited Saturday and Sunday at 8 p.m. at Burns Funeral Home.

Mr. O'Connell spent most of his life as a farmer and was retired at the time of his death.

Surviving besides his wife are four daughters, Catherine and Esther, both at home, Mrs. Louis Rademacher and Mrs. Isadore Rademacher of St. Johns and two sons, John and Edward, both at home.

## Laingsburg public to hear missionary

LAINGSBURG — Mrs. Barbara Youderian, a missionary home from Ecuador, will be the guest speaker at the Methodist Church in Laingsburg Wednesday, March 10, at 8 p.m. following a family night dinner.

She is the wife of Roger Youderian, one of five men killed a few years ago by the Auca Indians. She will speak and show movies of her work.

Although Easter Sunday is the focal point, the Easter season encompasses nearly 100 days. Ash Wednesday is the beginning of Lent and of the Easter season, and Pentecost, which comes 50 days after Easter Sunday, is the finale.

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## Parish mothers complete plans

FOWLER — About 80 members of the Confraternity of Christian Mothers' met Tuesday, Feb. 23. Plans were completed for the enrollment of new members and the communion breakfast on March 21. It was decided to make infant layettes to send to needy missions.

Because more quilts are needed for the parish picnic, arrangements will be made for a day of quilting in the parish hall.

Sister M. Jonathan was the guest speaker for the evening. She spoke on the different vocations in life. A question and answer session followed.

FATHER PALMER also addressed the members and closed the meeting with a prayer.

After the meeting, Supt. of Schools, Donald Smith and board members, Kenneth Thelen and Clare Snyder, explained the school expansion program and urged all to vote on Saturday, March 6, at the high school.

ROUND TABLE discussion will be held at the next meeting on March 23 and suggestions will be appreciated.

Committee for the next meeting is chairman, Mrs. William Rademacher; co-chairman, Mrs. Clarence Rademacher, assisted by Mrs. Art Rademacher, Mrs. Leonard Rademacher, Mrs. Roman Rademacher, Mrs. Elwood Reaume, Mrs. Henry Pohl, Mrs. Norbert Pohl, Mrs. Harold Pung, Mrs. Albert Pung, Mrs. Howard Pung, Mrs. Joseph Pung, and Mrs. Frank Pung.

## To decide addition by special election

FOWLER — There will be a special election on Saturday, March 6, in the Fowler High School Gym from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. concerning the proposed new addition to the high school.

## Attorney is speaker at K of C breakfast

FOWLER — The Fowler K of C held a district communion breakfast Sunday after the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

The speaker was Norman J. White, a St. Johns attorney. The general chairman for the event was Mark Schrauben. Knights were present from Fowler and other surrounding towns.

## Fowler youth, 20, treated after crash

LLOYD HARR, 20, of R-1, Fowler, was treated for cuts and released from Clinton Memorial Hospital early Sunday after he was hurt in a one-car collision in St. Johns.

He was driving his auto east on State Street when he lost control after hitting an icy spot near Mead Street. The car hit a telephone pole and went sideways off the highway.

A passenger, Francis Simmon, 19, of Fowler, was unhurt. The accident occurred at 1:45 a.m. Sunday.

## Plan early serving of auxiliary supper

FOWLER — The VFW Auxiliary had their meeting Wednesday, Feb. 24.

The auxiliary will start serving their fish supper early on Friday, March 5, so that the people who wish to go to the basketball tournaments in Lansing can eat before they leave.

## D of I card party has patriotic theme

FOWLER — The D of I took the theme for decorating their card party on Feb. 21, from George Washington's birthday. The American flag was displayed on the blue curtains of the stage. There was an imitation cherry tree in "blossom." Tallys were paper hatchets in red, white and blue.

Girls from Holy Trinity school dressed as minute men, waited table and many table prizes contained miniature flags. Cherry pie a-la-mode was served. Mrs. Giles Wieber was general chairman.

## Library is planned by Fowler Jaycees

FOWLER — The Fowler Jaycees are working on plans to establish a library in Fowler. Those who have good books to donate are asked to write or call Dr. William Jordan at his office, 582-2911. The books will be picked up later by the Jaycees.

Scout masters Bob Armbrustmacher and Dick Frechen took the Boy Scouts, in their bus, out into

## Bank remodeling under way here

Remodeling and redecorating is in process on the first floor of the St. Johns office of the Clinton National Bank.

Changes in the office lay-out will include relocation of the quarters for loan officers, a new arrangement of counters for savings tellers and a new office for the bank president, L. W. Wolf.

"IT APPEARS that we'll be torn up for several weeks yet," says President Wolf, "but we're sure the new arrangement will be much more convenient for our customers."

The bank is also planning redecoration of the Centennial Room in the St. Johns office in keeping with the institution's celebration of its 100th year of service to the community, says Wolf.

## First Nighters extend tryouts

Tryouts are being extended to Friday night for the First Nighters' second play, "The Man Who Came to Dinner."

The turnout Monday night was reported as good, and the second tryout was to be Wednesday night at 8 p.m. in the Municipal Building. The new tryout date is Friday at the same time in the Municipal Building.

THERE ARE parts for nine female and 20 male roles, including a lot of short and walk-on parts. Everyone is welcome to try out, regardless of whether or not they're members of the First Nighters.

Persons interested in reading the play can pick up a copy from Mrs. Hila Bross, the director, at the library in the city building. Mrs. Bross, Wayne Hicks, and Donalee Williams make up the casting committee.

## Masons honor Dr. C. T. Foo in Bradenton, Fla.

Dr. Charles T. Foo of St. Johns was awarded a 50-year membership pin in the St. Johns Masonic lodge at special ceremonies Feb. 14 at Bradenton, Fla.

The presentation was made by Allen C. Stickney of Dunedin, Fla., a member of the St. Johns lodge and a former linotype operator at the Clinton County News.

AN OPEN House, honoring Dr. Foo, was secretly arranged by his daughter at Bradenton and came as a complete surprise to him. Eighty friends, most of them Masons and their wives, witnessed the presentation of the pin.

Among those from this area in attendance were Mr and Mrs. James Postlethwaite and Miss Hazel Williams of St. Johns and Mr and Mrs. Sylvester Gutelius, former local residents.

## Driver training applications due

All students in the St. Johns school service area who are now 16 years of age, or who will become 16 by next January, are presently signing up for summer driver training at Rodney B. Wilson High School.

The students will be assigned to one of three three-week sessions according to their ages. Students who fall into this age category and are not now attending high school should get in touch with high school Principal B. Stanley Poculis immediately if they wish to be included in the program this summer.

## Chile student at CMU speaker at PTA

MIDDLETON — Fernando Richards of Santiago, Chile, a junior at Central Michigan University, was the speaker Monday evening at the March meeting of the Fulton Schools PTA. Supt. Giles Pihl of the Fulton Schools was program chairman.

the country on Sunday for a few hours of sledding and skiing.

On Tuesday of last week Mr and Mrs. Henry Stump took Mrs. Robert Stump to Ann Arbor to visit Robert Stump who is a patient in the hospital there for special treatments.

A group of friends celebrated the birthday of Mrs. Howard Hlat at Venice and Pauls on Saturday evening.

The D of I will have their meeting on Wednesday, March 10, at 8 p.m. at Holy Trinity Hall.

## Pastor speaks at Exchange Club

The Rev. Gerald Churchill, pastor of the St. Johns Congregational Church, showed slides of Alaska last Thursday at the noon meeting of the St. Johns Exchange Club.

The Rev. Mr. Churchill came to St. Johns from Anchorage, Alaska. Some of his slides concerned the earthquake there last spring. John Rehmann, program chairman for the day, introduced the pastor.

The Exchange Club's annual Pancake supper was scheduled for March 27, a Saturday.

## Says neck hurt in 2-car crash


Mrs. Lucille Shotly, 56, of Okemos, complained of neck pains, but refused medical treatment at the scene, when the car driven by her husband, Floyd C. Shotly, was hit from the rear by another auto early Sunday afternoon.

Shotly told sheriff's deputies he had to make a sudden stop when another car ahead of him made an unsignaled left turn. A car driven by Thomas Harrington, 19, of St. Ignace, hit the rear of Shotly's auto.

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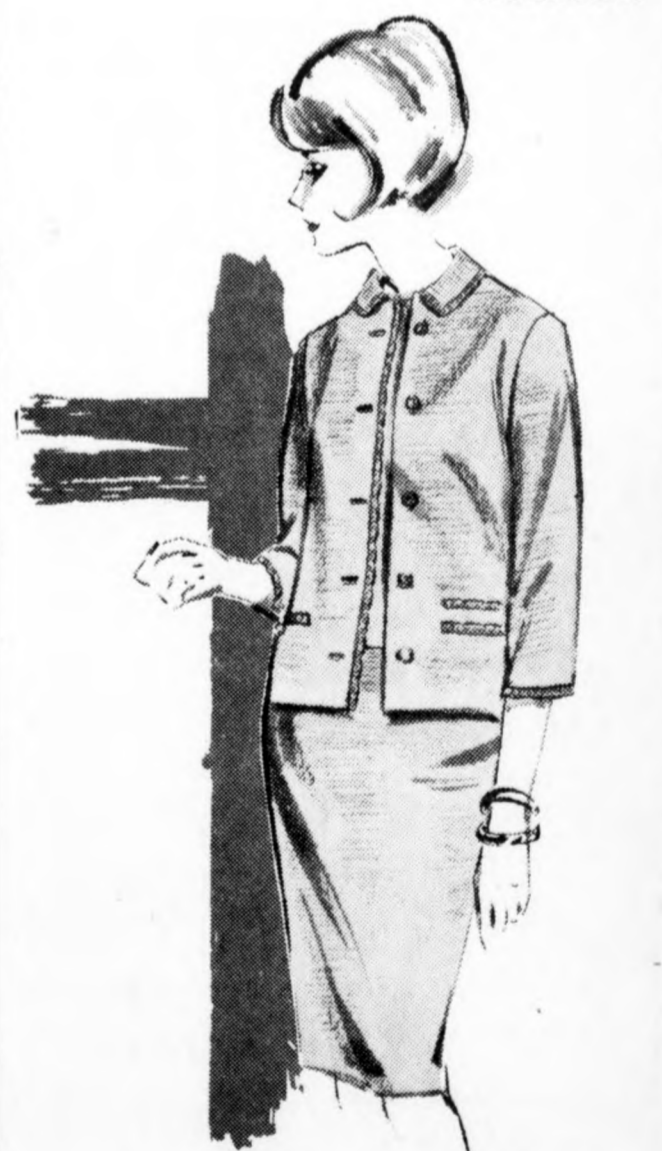
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# Charter completed! DeWitt schedules vote on it for June 7

DeWITT — Sometime during the evening of June 7 the Village of DeWitt may become the City of DeWitt. That's the day voters there will decide on a new charter, and if the vote is favorable DeWitt will be a city as soon as the results are announced.

The date for the election was set last Thursday night by the DeWitt Charter Commission after completion of work on the new city charter. The nine-man charter commission has been working on the document since shortly after its election in December.

BEFORE IT goes to the voters, the charter first must receive approval of the state attorney general and then be signed by Gov. Romney. At this point, the charter will be published in the Clinton County News.

A simple majority vote is all that is needed for passage of the charter by DeWitt voters. The only way they would not get to decide on the charter is the rejection of the document by the attorney general, and this is considered unlikely.

NEW CITY officers will be elected at the same time the charter goes up for a vote. Village officers to be elected this Monday will handle the duties until June 7 or longer if the charter does not pass for some reason.

Though the election is still three months off, the charter commission and Village Clerk Ray Price will be making legal preparations in the interim. All registered voters living within the corporation limits will be eligible to cast ballots. Those who are not registered have until May 10 to do so with him at

Price's office in the Municipal building.

CANDIDATES for the new city offices may get their petitions for candidacy at Price's office. Deadline for filing for city office is May 24. There will be no primary election, and the candidate receiving the highest number of votes for each office will be elected.

City offices to be filled by election will be mayor and six councilmen. The clerk, treasurer, assessor and supervisors will be appointed.

THE DeWITT charter Commission includes Orla McGuire (chairman), Lloyd Berkimer, Keith Blizzard, Lawrence Keck, Richard Keck, Howard Woodruff, Lee Rummell, Robert Ballard and Arthur Newman.

## Wrong-way car causes crash

A northbound car traveling in the southbound lanes of US-27 in Greenbush Township Sunday evening caused an accident which only by good fortune was not serious.

The offending car was not directly involved in the crash, and it did not stop.

VIRGINIA R. Powers, 44, and Lawrence E. Lietzke, 46, both of Lansing, were driving their cars south on US-27 about 9:25 p.m. Sunday. As they came to the top of a hill just south of Livingston Road, the northbound car came at them.

Lietzke was in the process of passing the Powers car when the offending auto appeared. Lietzke swerved to the right, just clipping the front end of Mrs Powers' car, which left the road.

Neither of the drivers was hurt.

The now traditional Easter Monday egg rolling on the lawn of the White House was introduced by Dolley Madison.



Sorting out prizes to be given to winners at the PTA Carnival Friday night was no little job. Working at it last Saturday afternoon were (seated left to right): Mrs Fred Ferris, Mrs Jack Dietrich and Mrs Donald Powers, president of the PTA. Standing are Fred Ferris and Jack Dietrich.

## 1965 PTA Carnival Friday night

Friday is carnival night in St. Johns as the Central School PTA sponsors a PTA carnival starting at 7 p.m. Everyone in the community is welcome, and the carnival committee has guaranteed everyone will win a prize.

Mr and Mrs Fred Ferris are chairmen of the carnival this year, with Mr and Mrs Jack Dietrich as co-chairmen. Mrs Donald Powers is president of the Central PTA.

BOOTHs, GAMES and events will include a cake walk, ring toss, bean bag toss, baseball throw, fish pond, shooting gallery and a white elephant. A raised-effect world globe, donated by Mrs Powers, will be given as door prize.

Proceeds from the carnival will be used for exterior lighting and playground equipment at Central School.

PARKING WILL be available on the lot behind the school and on the surrounding streets. The hospitality committee, headed by Mrs Lee Muckle, will serve coffee and donuts.

Others on the carnival committee include Bob Patterson, Mr and Mrs Milt Rozen, Lewis Moldenhauer, Mr and Mrs Dale Hardman, Ed Riley, Mrs Robert Moon, Mrs Walt Glenn and Mrs Kenneth Snider.

## Car hits ice, then second car

Two cars hit the same icy spot on US-27 Friday afternoon and slid off the road in the same spot about 4:20 p.m. in Greenbush Township.

The first car, driven by Marilyn J. Whitford, 25, of R-1, Ashley, hit a highway marker and then a snowbank. The second car, driven by Soble D. Baker, of Lowell, hit the Whitford car. No one was injured.

## Passenger injured as car flips in ditch

Constance Titus, 24, a passenger in a car driven by Gladys M. Titus, 54, of R-4, St. Johns, complained of pains Friday evening when their car skidded on a patch of ice, went off the road and overturned in a ditch. The accident happened on US-27 north of Price Road in Olive Township.

## Arnett featured at Ladies' night

Judd Arnett, popular Detroit Free Press columnist, spoke to members of the St. Johns Rotary Club and their guests at the club's annual Ladies' Night at Lou Coomes; restaurant in Lansing Tuesday evening, Feb. 23.

Arnett urged women in the audience to take a more active part in political, civic and cultural affairs. He suggested that they "nag" their husbands into action, as well.

The columnist spoke particularly about the need for action with respect to juvenile discipline, slums, obscenity and civil rights.

THE SPEAKER was introduced by James C. Matthews, a member of the Ladies' Night committee. Others on the committee were Dr and Mrs James Grost, Judge and Mrs Leo W. Corkin and Dr and Mrs H. L. Oatley.

Frederick M. Lewis, club president opened and closed the meeting with appropriate remarks. Lester H. Lake officiated as sergeant-at-arms and the Rev Gerald Churchill, of the First Congregational Church, spoke the invocation and benediction.

Among the guests of the club were President and Mrs Lawrence Fish, of the St. Johns Lions Club, and President and Mrs Clifford Lumbert, of the St. Johns Exchange Club.

## Rev Raymond, wife to attend 3-day retreat

Rev and Mrs Eldon Raymond of the Church of the Nazarene in St. Johns will attend the annual Michigan district Nazarene Preachers' Conference at the Harris Motor Inn in Kalamazoo March 15, 16 and 17.

Nearly all 104 Nazarene churches of the district will be represented. The churches have a total of about 7,000 members and a combined Sunday school enrollment of 16,000 persons.

The local church is sponsoring the stay at the retreat for Rev Mr Raymond and his wife.

## Managers sought for shelters

Eight designated civil defense shelters in the immediate St. Johns area need managers, in the event they would have to be used, and that's the objective of a new shelter management course scheduled to start in St. Johns March 25.

The course will be held in the commission room at the county road garage on West State Street, and it will be taught by Civil Defense Director Charles Forst and Donald Ewing, road clerk, both of whom recently completed a shelter management instructor's course at Michigan State.

MANAGERS ARE needed for the designated shelters at St. Johns High School, St. Joseph School, the Methodist Church, Municipal Building courthouse, Clinton Memorial Hospital, welfare building and juvenile home.

Frost said all persons interested in helping out with this duty should contact him at his courthouse office.

Other courses are planned later to accommodate people willing to help manage other shelters located around the county.

THE VILLAGE of DeWitt turned over warrants Monday night for the purchase of their new fire and civil defense siren. Future use of the siren is now up to the community. The siren was tested last Wednesday.

Frost announced that the Army Corps of Engineers will start soon on a small buildings survey for use as fallout shelters for 10 persons or more. Other shelters listed were for more than 50 persons. Frost said duplex houses and multiple housing will be considered by the Corps, as will business places.

Persons who have suggestions for such shelters are urged to call Frost.

## Gladys Motz on Alma College dean's list

Miss Gladys Motz, Alma College sophomore and daughter of Mr and Mrs Joseph Motz of 5191 E. Parks Road, St. Johns, has earned a position on the Alma College dean's list for the first semester of the college year.

The announcement was made by Dr William E. Boyd, dean of the Alma College faculty.



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**She's 90 Years Young**

Mrs Irma Porter, who was 90 years young last Thursday, was guest of honor at an open house Sunday at the home of Mr and Mrs J. W. Prochazka, 702 Garfield Street in St. Johns. Friends and relatives stopped by during the afternoon to wish her a happy birthday.

**Future lessons set by Price Study Club**

The lesson, "Buying and Alteration of Ready to Wear Clothes," was given by Miss Mildred Ashley and Mrs Kenneth Frickie to the Price Extension Study Club, Feb. 23, at the home of Mrs Alfred Merignac.

After the lesson, the meeting was brought to order by Mrs Harold Crowley, vice chairman. Roll call was answered by experiences with ready to wear clothes.

FUTURE lessons will include the topics of gardening, landscaping, handcraft and knitting.

The Price Club is in charge of hospitality for Achievement Day.

The next meeting will be held March 16 at the home of Mrs Clarence Neller.

**McGonigal Corners**  
By Mrs John McGonigal

Mr and Mrs Edward Tarrant and family returned to their home Friday at Muncie, Ind. They had been visiting their parents, Mr and Mrs William Tarrant of Clark Road, Bath.

Mrs Marius Svendsen, 4995 Sleight Road, returned to her home last week, having spent 10 days in Sparrow Hospital, Lansing.

Mr and Mrs Kenneth Rossow have received word of the birth of a son, Kenneth John, Feb. 25, to their son and wife, Mr and Mrs Gerry Rossow. Gerry is Staff Sergeant with the US Air Force at the Wurtsmith Air Force Base at Oscoda. The Rossows have two other children.

**Circle meeting held in church**

On Tuesday, Feb. 23, the Elizabeth Circle of the First Methodist Church met in the church parlor with Mrs George Osgood, Mrs TeGrootenhuis and Mrs Redman as co-hostesses.

Mrs Theron Richards was reported in the hospital in Plainwell. Members were asked to assist in the nursery during Wednesday evening Lenten meetings and to help with dinner at the March 10 meeting. Attendance was stressed for the World Day of Prayer to be held on March 5.

ON MARCH 17, from 9 to 11 a. m. study will begin on the Book of Genesis. It will be given by Mrs S. R. Russell.

Twenty-five sick calls were reported made in the past month.

Mrs Russell Sharai had the worship and for her devotions she used parts of Lincoln's Inaugural Address and the Nineteenth Psalm. Mrs Clifford Lambert gave the program titled, "Re-kindling Our Inner Life with Prayer."

The March meeting will be with Mrs Fred Hansen with the worship by Mrs J. E. Bartholomew. Mrs Floyd Parmelee will give the program.

**Area Blue Star Mothers to help at Hostess Day**

Chapter No. 88 of the Blue Star Mothers met at the Municipal Building Tuesday, Feb. 23, with Mrs R. F. Masarik, president, presiding. Mrs Grover Heibeck and Marian Orweller acted as second vice president and patriotic instructor respectively.

Letters were read from the St. Johns Chamber of Commerce, Holden-Reid, and the finance committee of the Blue Star Mothers, Department of Michigan. Cards were signed to be sent to several members who were ill.

THE CHAPTER will assist at Hostess Day at the Holden-Reid Store on April 16. Several members will attend the annual Department Card Party, April 8, at Flint.

The School of Instruction of the Southwest District will be held in St. Johns at Smith Hall, March 25. The committee in charge of arrangements for this all day event is Mrs Frank Maier, Mrs Lester Weilton and Mrs R. F. Masarik.

Refreshments, in keeping with Washington's Birthday, were served by the committee, Mrs Grover Heibeck, Mrs L. D. Steves, Mrs Rex Sirrine, and Mrs Edwin Price.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday, March 10.

**4-H'ers to meet at Smith Hall**

The meeting of the Stitch and Chatter 4-H Club, was held on Feb. 9 at 7 p.m. at the home of Pamela Zimmerman.

Vice president, Lynn Riley, brought the meeting to order. The flag pledge was led by Cathy Nuser. Jean Petersen led the club pledge.

Sixteen members answered the roll by naming their projects.

IT WAS decided that the next meeting would be held at Smith Hall on March 9. It will be the club's local achievement.

The members reported on progress, many of them showing their work to the leader, Esther Plowman.

The members made and filled valentine nut cups for the Rivard Nursing Home.

The worthiest people are the most injured by slander, as it is the best fruit which the birds have been pecking at. — Jonathan Swift



MR AND MRS JERRY BERTRAM

**Barbara A. Michalek weds Jerry Bertram**

The marriage of Miss Barbara Ann Michalek and Jerry Bertram was solemnized Saturday, Feb. 20, at noon in St. Joseph Catholic Church. Rev Edwin Schoettle officiated.

The former Miss Michalek is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Steve Michalek Jr. of 504 Wight Street in St. Johns. Mr and Mrs Alfred Bertram are the parents of the bridegroom.

A gown of rose pointe lace and nylon with a portrait neckline outlined with pastel sequins was worn by the bride. Her fingertip veil of snowy white silk tulle with hemmed edges was held in place by a coronet headpiece with imitation pearl trim. She carried a bouquet of pink and white mums tied with white ribbon.

THE FATHER of the bride escorted her to the altar which was decorated with two bouquets of pink and white mums.

The bride's sister, Mrs Nancy Lewis, was her matron of honor. Bridesmaid, Miss Betty Bertram is the sister of the bridegroom. For the ceremony they donned gowns of royal blue brocade, bow headresses that matched their full skirted dresses and carried bouquets of pink and white mums.

Charles Bertram was his brother's best man. Another brother, Mike Bertram, was groomsmen. Ushers were Bill Bertram, brother of the bridegroom and Bill Michalek, brother of the bride.

MUSIC FOR the double ring service was provided by Mrs Herman Smith.

Mrs Michalek wore a royal blue velvet sheath with a matching hat and silver accessories to her daughter's wedding. Mrs Bertram wore a dress of beige silk brocade. Both mothers wore corsages of pink and white mums.

A reception and dance followed at the VFW Hall. Serving coffee was Mrs Belva Keith, aunt of the bride. Miss Sharon Cleland served the wedding cake and Miss Linda Smith, the groom's cake. Mrs Sandy Pifer, sister of the bride, attended the guest book. Those opening the gifts were Misses

**Boat Club meets**  
The Clinton County Boat Club met Sunday with Mr and Mrs Tom Poocek of Lansing. A potluck dinner was served at 5 p.m. The next meeting will be with Mr and Mrs Leonard Connell in April, the exact date to be announced later.

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**Have You Met?**

A COLUMN DEVOTED TO NEWCOMERS TO THE ST. JOHNS AREA

REMMELT VERDONK, his wife Hermina, sons Pieter, 17 and Herman 14 and daughters Annie 15 and Brenda 8 have moved to 305 Oak Street in St. Johns. He is a carpenter working for Owosso Homes. The family moved here from Ovid, where they had lived the past eight years. They are subscribers of the Clinton County News.

HUGH V. WALLACE of 208 W. Sturgis Street has moved his wife Ardith and children Steven, 10, and Stephanie, 18 months, to a home at 208 W. Sturgis in St. Johns. He has been employed by Sealed Power Corp. for five years and is working at the plant here as production control office manager. The family came from Muskegon.

**Mrs Bailey host to Ruth Circle**

"The Bible and The Life Within," taken from the Book of Proverbs, was the program Mrs Lester Bled, assisted by Mrs Donald Bashore, Mrs Roy Briggs and Mrs Fred Hughes, presented to the 14 members of the Ruth Circle.

The circle met Tuesday, Feb. 23, at the home of Mrs William Bailey with Mrs Allan Going as co-hostess.

FOLLOWING A dessert the business meeting, conducted by the chairman, Mrs Haight, was held. Announcements were The World Day of Prayer at the First Methodist Church on March 5 at 1:30 p.m.; Day Apart at the Greenbush Church on March 12; and the Study Class conducted by Mrs S. R. Russell on the Book of Genesis, March 17, 24, 31 and April 7 from 9 to 11 a.m. in the church lounge.

The newlyweds are making their home in North Essex on Center Road, R-2, following a short wedding trip North.

The bride is a 1964 graduate of Rodney B. Wilson High School. The bridegroom, who graduated from Fowler High School in 1962, is employed by Oldsmobile in Lansing.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs Lester Bled with Mrs Fred Hughes as co-hostess.

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JUDY MARIE ADAIR

Mr and Mrs Donald Adair announce the engagement of their daughter, Judy Marie, to Albert Sodman, son of Mr and Mrs Robert Sodman of St. Johns. A March 27 wedding is planned.

**Births**

Clinton's Citizens of Tomorrow

IT'S A BOY!

Feb. 20: Kendall Darwin, Mr and Mrs David Werle of Lansing (Dorothea Winters)

Feb. 22: William Lewis, Mr and Mrs Charles Bensing of St. Johns (Janet Bensing)

Feb. 22: William James, Mr and Mrs James Stevens of St. Johns (Mary Ellen Foerch)

Feb. 23: Eric Charles, Mr and Mrs Anthony Hufnagel of St. Johns (Lana Peiffer)

Feb. 24: Douglas Gerald, Mr and Mrs Gerald Snyder of Laingsburg (Sharon Guenther)

Feb. 25: Larry Jerome, Mr and Mrs Francis Feldpausch of Fowler (Marie Fedewa)

Feb. 25: Brian Michael, Mr and Mrs Mervin Douglass of St. Johns (Carol Murphy)

IT'S A GIRL!

Feb. 26: Amy Elizabeth, Mr and Mrs Gordon Matter of St. Johns (Janette Martin)

**Women sponsor film**

The Clinton County Republican Women will sponsor a movie, "How to Organize a Precinct," tonight at 8 o'clock in the St. Johns Municipal Building. The film will go into profiling of voters, working on elections and other such topics.



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**Merritt on dean's list at Adrian**

Paul W. Merritt, a junior at Adrian College, has been named to the Dean's list. This is an outstanding honor for any student, and Merritt was one of 111 students to receive the distinction. To be named to the dean's list, one must have attained at least a 2.25 point hour ratio for the last semester's work. Adrian is on a 3.00 grading system.

Merritt, who is the son of Rev and Mrs O. L. Merritt, former St. Johns Methodist pastor, is majoring in mathematics while attending the four year, co-educational college in Adrian.



PAUL MERRITT



HELEN JOYCE

**Lions' governor to visit St. Johns**

The Rev R. A. Potts of Muskegon district governor of District 11-C of Michigan and Lions International, will make his annual visit to the St. Johns Lions Club next Wednesday evening.

He will speak to members on the activities of Lionism and conduct a meeting with the local Lions board of directors, consisting of Lawrence Fish, president; Rollin Slight, Dick Devereaux and Dr A. H. Nelson, vice presidents; Charles Barnes, secretary-treasurer; Jerry Stone, Ed Wells, Howard Woodbury, John Anderson, Bernard Neller and Dick Rutter.

THE REV MR Potts was elected district governor at the state convention in Grand Rapids last May. There are 55 clubs in District 11-C. In addition to being district governor, he is also chairman of the Council of Governors for the Lions in the state.

He is pastor of the McGrath Memorial Congregational Church of Muskegon. He is past moderator of the Western Michigan Assn. of the United Church of Christ and is serving the association now as registrar. He is also active in Muskegon area church group activities.

HE IS A MEMBER of the board of directors of the Alumni Assn. of Ferris State College and of the executive committee of that board. He is active in all civic affairs, often fills speaking engagements and is a member of the Masonic Lodge.

In Lions Club work, the Rev Mr Potts is a past deputy district governor, zone chairman, past president of the Vestaburg and Six Lakes clubs, past vice president of the Edmore Lions Club, secretary at Six Lakes and treasurer at Vestaburg.

HE IS SERVING his own club in Muskegon as chaplain.

He has perfect attendance for the last 11 years of his 15-year Lions membership. He was instrumental in the organization of the Lakeview Lions Club for which he received the Extension Award, and has been helpful in organizing other clubs in the state.



REV R. A. POTTS

**Disc jockey priest here for St. Patrick banquet**

Father Hugh Michael Beahan of Grand Rapids will be the speaker at the annual St. Patrick's Banquet at St. Joseph Social Hall in St. Johns next Saturday, March 13.

A "Pot of Gold" chicken dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m. Tickets for the banquet are available at the St. Joseph Rectory, Mary Frances Shop and at the James Grost residence.

FATHER BEAHAN'S present assignment is that of diocesan director of radio and television, general manager of WKTO-FM and chaplain at the Kent County Juvenile Home. He is also a member of the Aquinas College Faculty.

Radio work prior to ordination and play-writing for stage and radio brought Father Beahan into the work of radio and television for the diocese. He has produced and narrated the Catholic Television Mass every Sunday morning since 1955.

HE IS ALSO the "Father Michael" of the television show "Fifteen With Father." Another venture in broadcasting was "Father Michael's Music Room," an experiment in excerpts of good music interspersed with easy-going commentary.

After several years of study and preparation, he obtained the needed permissions and helped to establish the first diocesan radio station in the United States. EXTO-TM, a 20,000 watt station located in Aquinas College, began broadcasting 17 hours a day in July 1962, and is recognized as one of the finest "good music" stations in the state.

FATHER BEAHAN has been on several network productions—"What's My Line?" "To Tell the Truth," and two programs for CBS's "Look Up and Live."

**Chairmen appointed by King's Daughters**

The meeting of the King's Daughters was held at the home of Mrs Glenn Osgood Monday afternoon, March 1.

During the meeting the president appointed the following chairmen of the various committees: Mrs Edward MacKinnon, work; Mrs Rex Sistine, devotions; Mrs Pearl McArthur, cards and flowers; and birthday cakes for the county infirmary, Mrs William Luecht.

Refreshments were served by the hostess and co-hostesses, Mrs Sistine and Mrs A. D. Lyon.

**Laingsburg wins**

LAINGSBURG — Don Brown scored 16 points and Norm Wurm 15 as Laingsburg defeated Michigan School for the Deaf 73-40 at Laingsburg last Tuesday night.

**DeWitt Tops Club fetes queen of year**

DEWITT —The DeWitt TOPS Club held their annual meeting to honor the queen of the year at the home of their leader, Phyllis Brush. There were seven members present.

Jean Yanz was queen of the year with the most weight lost. There were also two group queens, Mabel Falor and Sue Dowell. The queens were presented with prize money and gifts.

Following a business meeting, the club went to Holt to the Country Kitchen for a dinner and a social evening.

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**BOWLING**

News from Around St. Johns Area Bowling Leagues

**St. Louis woman wins Ladies Singles Classic**

Mrs Beverly Billiau of St. Louis won the St. Johns 5th annual Ladies Singles Classic which ended Feb. 21 after three weekends of bowling at the Red Wing Lanes in St. Johns.

A 153-average bowler, she took the lead after the second week with games of 182, 188 and 206, which with her handicap of 105 gave her a total of 681 pins. Close behind was Florence Ballard of Lansing with 678. She finished second.

MRS BILLIAU won \$100 in cash as the top prize in the tournament, and was given an engraved trophy by proprietor Orth Tatroe of the Red Wing Lanes.

Prizes totaling \$924 were paid through 68 positions, according to Mrs Elsie Dickinson of St. Johns, manager of the tournament. Bowlers from a 75-mile radius entered.

SPECIAL PRIZE for high actual three games was won by Nancy Poquette of Lansing with 577. The high single game was snapped up by a local bowler, Mrs Joseph Spousta, on a game of 226. She ended up with a 532 actual series, a 129 handicap and a 661 total series, seventh best in the tournament.

Tournament scores were computed on the best three of four games bowled across eight lanes. The top 10 bowlers were all above 651; all bowling above 611 shared in the tournament prizes.

Here's what happened in league bowling action around the St. Johns area last week and early this week:

THE Industrial Mixed League race tightened up again, with the 4 K's now in first place by just three points. Friday night the 4 K's rolled high game and series with 690 and 2018 scores. Dick Kuhns was high for the men with a 201 game, while Ed Kaminski rolled a 578 series. Lora Ripple had a 186 game and Helen Kaminski a 493 series to take high honors for the women.

The Bowlettes and Hillbilly 4 are tied for the lead in the Coffee Cup race. The Bowlettes had the best game, a 570, last Thursday, while the seventh place Cool Cats rolled 1567 for series. Ella Kehr had a 188 high single game, and Marilyn Miller rolled a 483 series.

IOLA ADAIR had a 518 high individual series, and Agatha Mankey had a 203 game and an even 500 series in the Tea Time League. High team single game and series were 802 and 2199 by the Central National Bank team. Marge Irish picked up the 6-7-10 split, and Millie Spousta made the 4-10.

In the Ten Pin Keglers League, Julie K still holds first place by three points. High individual game and series were bowled by Connie Cronkhite with 217 and 554 scores. High team game and series were scores of 824 and 2289 by Carlings. Splits picked up were by Shirley Bailey (6-7) and Bea Frechen (6-7-10 and 5-7-9).

THIRD-PLACE Blued Oil rolled a 901 game and 2562 series in the Night Hawk League last Tuesday night. Dale Anderson had a 199 high game, and Al Johnson rolled a 556 series. Beck's Farm Market and the American Legion Club are tied for the lead with identical 70-34 won-lost records.

Drewry's Beer rolled 773 and 2190 game and series scores in the Westphalia Woman's League last Tuesday, with the first place Rose Johnson, Seamstress, team right behind with a 772 and 2178. The Rose Johnson team leads the league by a half-point. Rostie Bengel had a 198 game, and Carolyn Spitzley had the best series with a 507. Joyce Thelen converted the 6-7-10 split, and Catherine Fedewa picked up the 3-7-10.

MOORMAN'S Feeds rolled a 919 high single game in the Capital League Monday, and first-place Strohs had the best series with a 2613. Ernie Lance had a 220 game, and Russ Henning and Al Tiedt tied for high series honors with scores of 574.

The Pinbusters had a 687 game and the Fearless Four a 1929 se-



MRS BEVERLY BILLIAU Wins Tournament

**Portland runs post DeWitt 101-81 in finale**

DEWITT—DeWitt's small basketball court didn't bother top-ranked Portland much Friday night as the Red Raiders rolled to a 101-81 Central Michigan C Conference victory.

Portland, which finished the season unbeaten, used a fast break in running to victory. DeWitt, which finished with a 7-7 league record, was not out of the game until the fourth quarter and at one point in the last period was within three points of Portland.

DEWITT TRAILED 19-10 at the first stop and then pulled a little closer, 42-34, at halftime. They scored 32 points in the third period to stay in the game, while Portland was scoring 33. But the Raiders had a 26-15 edge in the final period to sew up the game.

Portland had six men scoring in double figure, with John Nowak leading with 20 points. DeWitt had four men in double figures; Jim Dalman had 26 points, Roger Coryell 24 and Bill Watson and Lenny Ward 12 each. Pat Weston added 7.

**Elsie, Fulton want football games**

Two Clinton area schools are seeking opposition for their football teams on dates in 1965 and 1966. Elsie is seeking an away game for Sept. 17, 1965 and a home game for Sept. 16, 1966. Fulton High School at Middleton wants a home game Oct. 1, 1965, and an away game Sept. 30, 1966. The announcements were made in the March issue of the Michigan High School Athletic Assn. Bulletin.

Paul Martis rolled a 585 series. Carl Boog had a 203, Martis a 218 and 201, Norm Sparks 205, Herm Bushman 208, Ed Stamber-sky 200, Jerry Saxton 201 and J. Lotridge 200.

DEAN'S HARDWARE rolled a 1011 game, and first-place Bee's Chevrolet and Olds had a 2808 series in the City Classic League last Thursday. Russ Henning had a 255 high game and a 632 series. Bill Kosh had a 612 series and Bud Michels bowled a 613.

Commercial League has Val-leyside Dairy on top by three games over Roadhouse. Coca Cola rolled the best game last Wednesday, a 989, while Ken's Sunoco had a 2803 series. Charles Edwards was the best individual scorer with a 237 game and 650 series. Ed Kaminski had a 602 series and Larry Kuhns shot a 600.

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**Elsie Big Reds win again, 60-52**  
ELSIE —The Elsie Big Reds, showing marked improvement in the final stages of the basketball season, defeated Owosso St. Paul 60-52 at Elsie last Tuesday night.

Tom Micka's 28 points blazed the trail. Ross Carter chipped in 12 points as second high scorer for the Big Reds. Elsie led 32-29 at halftime.

**Soil Sample Time is Nearly Here**  
It's nearly time to take soil samples, Clinton County farmers are reminded. Use your soil map and sample within each soil number. Take correctly labeled samples (fields and soil types) to the basement of the courthouse in St. Johns for testing and lime and fertilizer recommendations. Those who want the Clinton County Soil Conservation District to take the samples should contact the district office.

Nearly one-fourth of Michigan's 1,200 miles of Interstate highways will be six or eight lanes wide. When the entire system is completed, about 235 miles will be six lanes wide while nearly 30 miles will be eight lanes wide. All other Interstate routes will be divided four-lane highways.

The Pinbusters had a 687 game and the Fearless Four a 1929 se-

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# Wings win district opener at Alma

## Defeat Panthers 69-49

"We're on our way." That's the way one person expressed his elation after the St. Johns Redwings defeated Alma 69-49 Monday night in the first round of the District Class B basketball tournament at Alma.

St. Johns was to meet St. Louis Wednesday night at 7:30 in the semi-finals, with the finals to be played Saturday night at 8 p.m.

IT WAS THE third victory of the year over Alma for Coach Bill Swears' Redwings, and it was done in fairly easy style. It was the second half, however, before St. Johns solidly established its superiority and wrapped up the game.

The Wings jumped off to a 6-0 lead and led by as much as 12-2 before Alma caught fire, scoring 13 straight points to lead 15-12 at the end of the first quarter. Al Werbish with eight and Clark Berkhausen with four were the only St. Johns scorers in the quarter.

WERBISH, JIM Leonard, Al Anderson Bill Serrine and Berkhausen shared in the scoring in the second period, but the stubborn Alma Panthers hung on to a 29-28 lead when the half ended.

Werbish exploded for 10 points, Berkhausen got 6 and Leonard 5 in the third quarter as the Wings came quickly from a 30-33 deficit to a 44-35 lead. By the end of the period the score was 52-37.

THE PATTERN was set, and the Redwings led by as much as

62-39, with the reserves already in. Don Hungerford, Dennis Springer, Gary Becker and Lee Hill joined the scoring parade during the last quarter.

The Redwings had a good night from the floor, hitting on 27 of 51 shots for a .529 percentage. From the free throw line they made only 15 of 29 attempts, or just over 51 per cent.

AL WERBISH was the scoring gun for St. Johns as he hit for 24 points on nine field goals and six free throws. Clark Berkhausen had 16 points, including seven field goals, and Jim Leonard tallied 13. Others scoring were Serrine 6, Anderson 3, Becker, Hungerford and Hill 2 each and Springer 1.

Paul Dean was Alma's ace with 19 points, while Ron Cummings chipped in with 10.

ON THE backboards, Anderson and Werbish were the bears for St. Johns. Anderson had 15 and Werbish 14. Leonard picked off five rebounds.

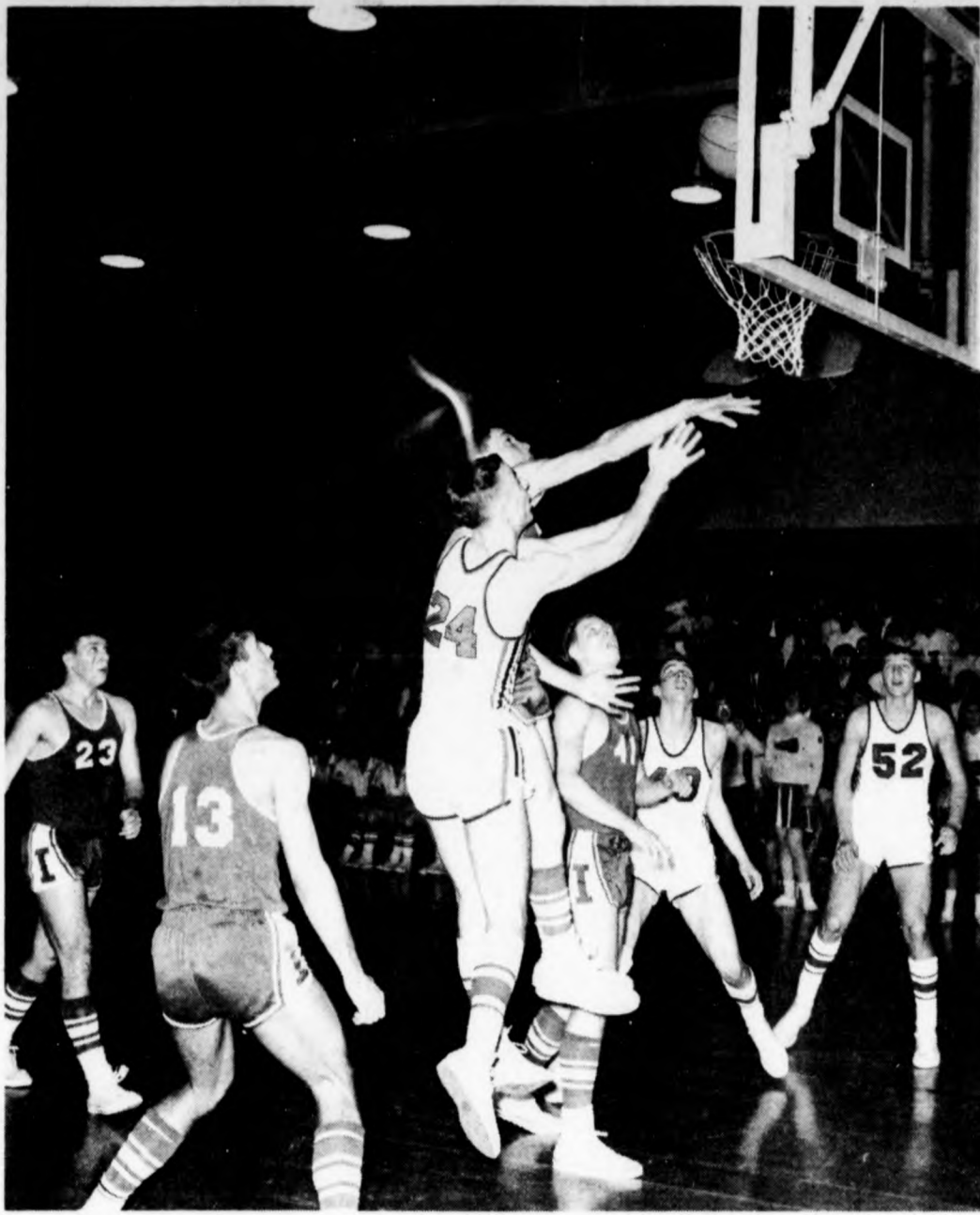
## Romans trip Wolves 63-57

LAINGSBURG —The Ovid Romans finished in second place in the Central Michigan C Conference Friday after a 63-57 victory over Laingsburg. The Romans ended the year with a 10-6 overall record and Laingsburg closed up with a 7-10 mark.

The first quarter of the game ended in a 17-17 tie, and then Laingsburg, behind Norm Wurm, took a 32-29 lead at the half. Ovid rallied in the third and trailed by only one point, 48-47, going into the last quarter. They outscored Laingsburg 16-9 in the last eight minutes.

FRANK GAZDA paced Ovid with 17 points, while Bob Gazda had 14, Hawley 10, Huyck 11, Love 5, Woodworth 4 and Martinez 2.

Wurm was high scorer for Laingsburg with 18 points, while English had 4, Antcliff 3, Kruger 8, Wilson 3, Jorae 3 and Shaw 2.



St. Johns forward Jim Leonard (24) lofts a two-pointer toward the basket in this action during the Ionia game Friday night in St. Johns. Other St. Johns Players are Al Anderson (40) and Al Werbish (52). Ionia players identifiable are John Mowatt (23), Bill Newman (13) and Bill Lyttle (41). St. Johns won 72-55.

## Frosh rally to beat Greenville

The St. Johns freshmen basketball team was down 25-13 at halftime and then rallied sharply to defeat the Greenville frosh 52-41 last Tuesday at St. Johns. St. Johns finished the season with a 4-7 record.

St. Johns and Greenville started slowly, with the Wings leading 8-6 at the end of the first quarter. Greenville then bounced ahead 25-13 at halftime. The Wings enjoyed advantages of 18-7 and 21-9 in the third and fourth quarters to win going away.

STEVE GREGORY led St. Johns with 16 points, while John Selemi had 14, Tom Rademacher 8, Mike McKay 6 and Bob Cochran and Don Palmer 4 each. Gibson led Greenville with 11 points.

Gregory led the team in scoring for the season with 159 points in 10 games, according to statistics compiled by freshmen Coach Frank Rosengren. Scoring by other players went like this: Pete Allaby 30 points in five games, Bob Cochran 49 points in 10 games, Don Palmer 71 points in nine games, John Salemi 95 points in 11 games, Tom Rademacher 62 in 10 games, John Markman 6 points in two games, Mike McKay 36 points in nine games, Bob Lundy 10 points in four games, and Denny Moore 3 points in two games.

## Potterville dumps Bath Bees 69-52

WAVERLY —Potterville closed out its regular season schedule with a 69-52 victory over Bath last Tuesday night at the Waverly Junior High School gym.

Bath led 13-10 at the end of the first quarter, but Potterville came back in the second period to tie the score at 23-23 at the half. Terry Hicks scored 22 points to lead Potterville.

To be successful sacrifice money, but never principle.

## Clinton Area Basketball

### District Tourney Schedules

CLASS B at Alma —St. Johns vs St. Louis Wednesday at 7:30 in semi-finals. Ithaca vs winner of Stanton-Central Montclair and Clare game in semi-finals Thursday at 7:30. Finals Saturday at 8 p.m.

CLASS C at St. Johns —Fulton vs Carson City Wednesday at 7:30 in semi-finals. Elsie vs winner of Pawamo-Westphalia and Ovid game Thursday at 7:30 in semi-finals. Finals Saturday at 7:30 p.m.

CLASS C at Lansing Sexton —Williamston vs Bath Thursday at 7 p.m. in semi-finals. Portland vs winner of Fowlerville-Boys' Training School game Thursday at 8:45 in semi-finals. Finals Saturday at 8:45 p.m.

CLASS D at Lansing Sexton —DeWitt vs Webberville Wednesday at 7 p.m. in first-round play. Potterville vs Morrize Wednesday at 8:45 p.m. in first-round play. Fowler vs winner of DeWitt-Webberville game Friday at 8:45 p.m. in semi-finals. Portland St. Patrick vs winner of Morrize-Potterville game Friday at 7 p.m. in semi-finals. Finals Saturday at 7 p.m.

### Regional Tourney Schedules

Alma Class B district winner will play at Mt. Pleasant. St. Johns Class C winner will play at Big Rapids. Sexton Class C winner will play at Grand Blanc. Sexton Class D winner will play at Wyoming-Godwin Heights. All regional tourneys start next Tuesday.

### Last Week's Scores

FEBRUARY 23 — Fowler 67, Fulton 52; Elsie 60, Owosso St. Paul 52; Potterville 69, Bath 52; Laingsburg 72, Michigan School for the Deaf 40; FEBRUARY 26 — St. Johns 72, Ionia 55; Portland 101, DeWitt 81; Ovid 63, Laingsburg 57; Ashley 76, Vestaburg 58.

Perry at Pawamo-Westphalia, cancelled; Charlotte 72, Lakewood 60; Greenville 59, Alma 47.

FEBRUARY 27 — Bath 88, Elsie 58; Portland St. Patrick 55, Coldwater St. Charles 43.

### JV Scores

Ionia 70, St. Johns 69; Portland 95, DeWitt 47; Ovid 52, Laingsburg 50; Bath 30, Elsie 21.

### Tourney Results

FOWLER JR. HIGH TOURNEY

First round—Webberville 68, Ashley 11; St. Patrick 32, Fulton 28; Fowler 33, Potterville 12; Pawamo-Westphalia 32, Morrize 29. Semi-finals (Wednesday) — Webberville 32, St. Patrick 28; Pawamo-Westphalia 39, Fowler 36. Consolation finals (Sunday) — Morrize 33, Fulton 31. Championship bracket finals (Sunday) —Webberville 41, Pawamo-Westphalia 40 (overtime).

### CLASS B at Alma

First round (Monday) — St. Johns 69, Alma 49.

### Final Conference Standings

WEST CENTRAL		
St. Johns	12	2 .857
Greenville	9	5 .643
Charlotte	8	6 .571
Lakewood	8	6 .571
Grand Ledge	6	7 .462
Alma	6	8 .429
Hastings	5	8 .385
Ionia	1	13 .071
CENTRAL MICHIGAN C		
Portland	14	0 1.000
Ovid	10	4 .717
Perry	8	5 .615
DeWitt	7	7 .500
Laingsburg	6	8 .429
Bath	5	9 .357
Elsie	2	12 .143
Pawamo-West.	3	10 .231
CENTRAL MICHIGAN D		
Webberville	6	2 .750
St. Patrick	6	2 .750
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Action may not always bring happiness; but there is no happiness without action. —Benjamin Disraeli

## Ionia 14th victim for Wings

Ionia put up some stiffer competition than might have been expected by the St. Johns Redwings last Friday night, but the Wings handled the situation in good style and won easily 72-55.

It was the final regular-season game for the Wings, who finished the year with a sterling 14-2 record and a 12-2 championship record in the West Central Conference.

ST. JOHNS and Ionia had quite a first-quarter tussle Friday night to see who was going to control the game, and the quarter wound up a draw. The Wings led most of the time, but Ionia did have leads of 3-2, 11-10, 13-11 and 16-13 before the period ended 18-18.

Clark Berkhausen hit four points as the Wings took command early in the second quarter with 10 straight points. From there on there was no problem, with Al Anderson working nicely under the basket for four buckets and Bill Serrine hitting a pair of goals from outside. By the half, the Wings had opened up a 41-28 lead.

THE REDWINGS led by as much as 21 points during the third quarter as Al Werbish hit three baskets, Berkhausen two, and Jim Leonard and Dennis Springer one each. It was 55-36 at the end of three periods.

Coach Bill Swears used his bench crew liberally throughout the game and particularly in the last period. Ionia scored eight straight points to narrow the Wings' lead to 12 points—59-47—with four minutes to go, but replacement of a few regulars brought the lead back up to 70-51.

AL WERBISH was the stand-out player of the game, scoring 23 points on 11 field goals and a free throw and pulling down 25 rebounds. He was also instrumental in setting up several other baskets with some nifty passes.

Despite being under the weather, with the flu all week, Berkhausen tallied 12 points as did Al Anderson, who played one of his best games. Bill Serrine came through with 9 points, while Jim Leonard got 5, Don Hungerford 4, Gary Becker, Dennis Springer and Roger Leavitt 2 each and Gene Rademacher 1. Springer got 10 rebounds and Anderson 11.

BILL LYTTLE SCORED 18 to lead Ionia, while Jerry Stedman hit for 11.

Score by quarters: St. Johns 18 23 14 17-72; Ionia 18 10 8 18-55.

## Bees sweep past Elsie

BATH — The Bath Bees swept to an 88-58 victory over the Elsie Big Reds Saturday evening in a game that had been postponed one day because of bad weather.

The victory gave the Bees a 6-11 mark for the year and left the Big Reds at 3-13.

BATH HELD a scoring advantage in every quarter in rolling to an easy win. It was 20-11 at the first stop, 51-30 at the half and 71-48 at the end of three quarters.

Chet McGonigal was the game's leading scorer with 24 of Bath's 88 points. Jim Sober checked out with 21 points, while Miller had 15, Woolfe 14, Parks and Wood 6 each and Six and David 1 point each.

TOM MICKA and Ross Carter shared scoring honors for Elsie with 15 points each, while Loynes had 8, Schultz 5, Melvin, Horak and Waggoner 4 each, L. Jones 2 and Reed 1.

## Fowler rally drops Fulton by 67-52 score

FULTON —Fowler exploded to erase a Fulton lead at the end of three quarters and defeat the Pirates 67-52 at Fulton last Tuesday night. It was Fowler's final game of the regular season; they finished with a 9-7 record. Luke Koenigsnecht sparked Fowler in the last quarter.

## Just shy of records!

So close and yet so far.

Al Werbish and Clark Berkhausen gave St. Johns basketball fans lots of thrills this year with consistent and superb scoring on the basketball court. But they both fell just short of conference and school scoring records.

Berkhausen needed 22 points and Werbish 28 points Friday night to break the West Central Conference single season scoring record of 297 points held by Herb Black of Charlotte. Werbish scored 23 points and Berkhausen 12 to wind up just 5 and 10 points respectively away from the mark.

THEY WERE EVEN CLOSER to the St. Johns High School record of 334 points scored by Rex Knight in the 1958-59 season. Werbish scored 331 points in the 16 regular-season, conference and non-conference games, while Berkhausen scored 325. But they both edged out Jack Wirick, who had held the runner-up honors with 324 points, also scored in the 1958-59 season.

Doug Knight, who played varsity ball from 1952 to 1955, holds the career scoring record of 790 points. Tom Beechler has the honors for single game scoring with 37 points against Ionia in the 1954-55 season.

## Miller's finally beaten; tie for first place results

Miller's Tavern came to the end of a season-long winning streak last Wednesday night as Clinton Tractors clipped Miller's 56-53 to create a tie for first place between the two teams.

Miller's and the Tractors each now have 4-1 records during the second half of the season, with just one date remaining. Miller's will meet Bee's (2-3) and the Tractors will play Sealed Power (0-5) next Wednesday, March 10.

Bee's won the second game last Wednesday night by forfeit over Sealed Power.

The Tractors used big second and third quarters last week to withstand the Miller's attack. Miller's had a 16-14 lead at the end of the first quarter, but then

the Tractors came on strong with a 14-9 advantage in the second period to take a 28-25 halftime lead.

THE RALLY continued into the third period, which ended with the Tractors ahead 47-37. Miller's finally pulled out of the dive and outscored the Tractors 16-9 in the last period, but time ran out on them.

Dale Knight led the winners with 16 points, while Steve Spicer had 15, Larry Theis had 15 and Jim Farley 12 for Miller's.

IN THE nightcap, which was forfeited to Bee's because of a lack of players for the Sealed Power team, other players joined for recreation sake, and Sealed Power actually outscored the automotive men, 56-43.

## Ashley wins after 21 loses

ASHLEY —Ashley High School broke a 21-game losing streak Friday night in their final game of the season and defeated a short-handed Vestaburg team 76-58.

Vestaburg played the last minute of the game with only three players after six others fouled out in the fourth quarter.

Dave Polish led Ashley with 22 points and Dale Yelsik had 16. Ashley finished the year with a 1-26 record.

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Happy Hustlers' 4-H planning style show

David Ondrusek was host at the February meeting of the Happy Hustlers' 4-H Club.

A demonstration on hemming was given by Dorene Bauer, and David Ondrusek showed how to repair electrical cords. Dolores told about the 4-H snow trip to Traverse City. The pledges were led by Charles Kehr and Monica Gazda. Refreshments were served by Mrs Ondrusek.

It was announced that the next meeting would be on March 22 at the Bauer home. This will be an achievement night and style show for Happy Hustler members.

The cruelest lies are often told in silence. —Robert Louis Stevenson

Westphalia

MRS DANIEL SPITZLEY, Correspondent Box 66, Westphalia—587-4554

Annual D of I card party next Sunday

WESTPHALIA— D of I members are inviting area residents to their annual card party to be held Sunday, March 7, at 8 p.m. in St. Mary's Hall.

A grand prize of a transistor radio and numerous other prizes will be given and a dessert will be served.

Tickets can be bought from members or at the Village Shoppe, Platte's Bar, Westphalia Furniture and also at the door.

Mortgage burned at K-C banquet

WESTPHALIA— The Westphalia Knights of Columbus held their annual banquet in St. Mary's Hall Sunday. Father William J. Fitzgerald from O'Rafferty high school in Lansing was the guest speaker.

John A. Thelen and Julius Pohl, resigning officers of the building corporation, were honored along with Past Grand Knight Gerald Miller.

The building corporation was responsible for the construction and financing of the K of C bowling lanes and club rooms. The burning of this mortgage was one of the highlights of the evening.

John A. Thelen received a gold mantle clock and a plaque recognizing his 15 years of service and Julius Pohl was presented with a gold watch and plaque for 15 years of service.

Greg Thelen was toastmaster for the occasion. Jim Fedewa also spoke briefly.

Susie Martin, daughter of Mr and Mrs Ambrose Martin, was taken to Clinton Memorial Hospital Friday evening for an extreme case of nose bleed. She was released Saturday.

The family of Walter Kellen celebrated his 60th birthday recently.

Mr and Mrs Richard Droste and Christy Schaefer spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Charles Clark and family in Detroit.

Mr and Mrs Lewis Decker and family of DeWitt and Mrs Ann Droste returned from a ten-day stay in Florida.

Mrs Mary Simon and Mrs Adella Fink spent a day with their brother and sister, Mr and Mrs Herman Wieber recently.

The 13th wedding anniversary of Mr and Mrs Ed Harr was observed by their family and his brothers and sisters at the home of their daughter, Mrs Henry Dreps in DeWitt, Saturday evening. The Harrs were presented with a cash gift.

Margaret Martin entertained a group of friends with a fish dinner Friday evening.

Mr and Mrs Edward Witgen and Mr and Mrs Peter Witgen visited Mr and Mrs Phillip Wieber of Lansing on the occasion of his birthday Sunday evening.

Mrs Frances Rogers and children of Portland called on Mr and Mrs Peter Witgen Sunday afternoon.

People who attempt to cash flattery find it's a forgery.



Virginia Farm Bureau Delegation Visits

Thirty-seven members of Farm Bureau groups in Virginia were guests of the Clinton County Farm Bureau Monday when the Virginia delegation stopped on a tour of state FB units. They traveled by chartered bus. They inspected the office of the Farm Bureau and Farm Bureau Insurance and were feted at a noon luncheon at Smith Hall, where this picture was taken. Standing at the far end of the tables are E. J. Bottum, president of the Clinton County Farm Bureau, and J. Delbert Wells, state Farm Bureau manager, family program division.

Bengel baby survives unusual accident

WESTPHALIA— A freak accident happened to Joni Bengel, six-month-old daughter of Mr and Mrs William Bengel, Friday. While she was lying in her bed playing with a chain toy, the chain somehow opened and was swallowed. After consulting with doctors the decision was made to wait for further developments.

On Monday evening X-rays were taken and the chain was discovered attached to her throat and was removed by surgery immediately. Joni returned home Tuesday, none the worse from the experience.

Sister Ann Terrance (Phyllis Wieber) and companions surprised her parents, Mr and Mrs Melvin Wieber, with a visit Sunday afternoon. The Sisters had spent the weekend in Saginaw and stopped here on the drive back to Holy Trinity Convent in Grand Rapids. It was her first visit in four years.

Mr and Mrs Anthony Spitzley and Delores have returned home from a month's tour that took them about 6,000 miles through California and other points of interest. While in Arizona they visited Mr and Mrs Lance C. Apple, her sister.

Mrs Frances Rogers and children of Portland called on Mr and Mrs Peter Witgen Sunday afternoon.

New Arrivals

A daughter, Barbara Carol, was born to Mr and Mrs Roger Manning of Saginaw Feb. 16, weighing 6 lbs. and 1 oz. Mrs Manning is the former Carolyn Griggs of Okemos.

A daughter, Bonnie Lou, was born to Mr and Mrs Stanley Smith on Feb. 21 at St. Lawrence Hospital, weighing 6 lbs. and 14 ozs. Mrs Smith is the former Shirley Plunkett.

A daughter, Diane Renae, was born to Mr and Mrs Daniel Martin Feb. 23 at St. Lawrence Hospital weighing 7 lbs. and 1 oz. Mrs Martin is the former Carol Ringle.

A son, Kevin, was born to Mr and Mrs Donald Schafer Feb. 28 at Ionia Hospital, weighing 8 lbs. and 2 ozs. Mrs Schafer is the former Geraldine Cook.

A son was born to Mr and Mrs Paul Sullivan of Haddenfield, New Jersey recently. Mrs Sullivan is the former Margo Cook of Westphalia.

Municipal Building Events Schedule

March 4, GOP women; March 6, Hoe Down Club; March 9, Blue Star Mothers; March 10, men's recreation; March 11, TOPS.

The great gift of conversation lies less in displaying it ourselves than in drawing it out of others. —Bruyere

Shepardsville

By MRS. IRA BIRMINGHAM, Correspondent

Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Joe Teremi Sr. were Mr and Mrs Arthur Root and Mr and Mrs Marlon Benham all from Lansing, and Mr and Mrs John Teremi and family of Owosso.

Sunday Mr and Mrs Max Walasek Sr. and daughter accompanied the junior Max Walasek and baby to Lansing to the Milford Proving Grounds.

Miss Pat Alderman was home for the weekend from Saginaw. Mr and Mrs Robert Henderson, Sunday afternoon, attended the Home Builders' Show at the Lansing Civic Center and later visited Mr and Mrs Keith Campbell and family of the Capital City.

Mr and Mrs Lawrence Walter and Pam Sunday visited Vern Lynn Jr. at the Ford Hospital in Detroit.

Mary Gilson of Ashley was a visitor Sunday afternoon of Mrs Paul Orweller and daughter.

Miss Audrey Witt and Mrs August Witt Sunday were in Lansing visiting Mr and Mrs Ernie Schockey and Mrs Emma Brown.

Mr and Mrs Henry Bendt, Saturday moved from the Gates farm where they had lived for several years, to a house on the Carl Bowles farm on Winfield Road.

Visitors Sunday of Mr and Mrs Henry Bendt Sr. were Albert Krause of Lyons, Mr and Mrs Irwin Cox of Saranac, Mr and Mrs Alden Howell and Martin Bendt of St. Johns, Mr and Mrs Elden Bendt and baby of Harmon Road, and Mr and Mrs Henry Bendt and Karen, and Mr and Mrs Don Bendt and children of St. Johns.

Mr and Mrs Remmelt Verdonk and children who have lived in the former Hettinger home for some years, recently moved to a new home in St. Johns.

Mrs Muriel Newcombe, Kristin and Julie of DeWitt were Sunday afternoon and evening lunch guests of their mother and grandmother respectively, Mrs Albert Pellow.

Mr and Mrs Joseph Eger Sr. Sunday afternoon visited Mr and Mrs Anthony Szolter of Breckenridge.

Mr and Mrs Walter Vernon and Mrs Fred Spacey all from Ithaca were Sunday afternoon and evening lunch guests of Mr and Mrs Glenn Wisner.

Mrs R. C. Dietrich recently returned from a two-week vacation with her niece, Mrs Thelma Lemanski in Winter Haven, Fla. She found her sister, Mrs Ed (Alta) Wood, former Shepardsville resident in fairly good health. Mrs Wood was a longtime correspondent for the local papers.

Mr and Mrs Ralph Baker accompanied by Mr and Mrs Warren Davison Tuesday evening to the East Lansing Auditorium to hear the Fred Waring Orchestra play.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Howard Johnson were Mr and Mrs Milton Erskine and sons and Miss Webster, all from St. Louis.

Mr and Mrs Robert Baese and family, and Mr and Mrs Clyde Morrill with Mr and Mrs Don Smith of Greenville and Kenneth Wyrick and daughter, Shirley attended, Sunday, the annual Jolly Birthday Club dinner at the Ovid VFW Hall.

Mr and Mrs August Witt and Miss Audrey Witt were Wednesday evening visitors of Mr and Mrs John McFarland.

Mrs Howard Weir returned home Sunday following surgery at Clinton Memorial at St. Johns.

Mrs William Keck Sunday visited Mr and Mrs Jerry Criner at the Henry Parker home in Ovid to see her new great-grandson, son of the Criners.

Mr and Mrs Charles Palen and sons Sunday were in Lansing to visit her parents, Mr and Mrs Day Cheney, and went to the new Public Library to see "Operation Palette." Paintings numbering 120 originals by the US Combat Artists Corps were on display.

Mrs Jack V. Miller accompanied Mr and Mrs Jack Olson to Alba, where they visited the former's parents, Mr and Mrs Kenneth Orday Saturday afternoon and Sunday.

Mrs Richard Hebel Saturday, returned home from a week's treatment in Lansing at St. Lawrence Hospital.

At the Shepardsville Methodist Church for Sunday morning, March 7, the Rev Garth Smith has chosen for his sermon, "Jesus at Capernaum."

The church here is cooperating with the area churches in Lenten services at Ovid Sunday evenings, beginning March 7 for the next six Sundays.

Mr and Mrs Alfred Cramer spent Sunday with the latter's son and family, Mr and Mrs Eugene VanEtten in Essex.

Mr and Mrs Earl Dunham of Elsie were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr and Mrs Leo Benninger.

Alward-Plowman District

By Bernice Wohlfert

There will be a meeting at the Plowman School on March 13 at 8 p.m. for a discussion on annexation. Members from the St. Johns school board will be there to answer questions.

Mrs Duain Peck attended the 25th wedding anniversary, Saturday evening for Mr and Mrs Dale Pierce at the home of Mr and Mrs John Marsh on Airport Road.

Miss Wava Secord spent the weekend with her parents, Mr and Mrs Robert Secord. Sunday dinner guests were Denny Rathbun and Mr and Mrs Duane Foster and family of Wheeler. Evening callers were Mr and Mrs Harry Fuller.

Mr and Mrs Alfred Huhn were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Larry Whitney and girls.

Mrs Walt March called on Mr and Mrs Albert Yanz Tuesday afternoon. Tuesday evening callers at the Marchs' were Mr and Mrs Glenn Locher.

Mr and Mrs Carl Huhn were Wednesday evening supper guests of Mr and Mrs Alfred Huhn. Mr and Mrs Robert Balderson and Steven were Wednesday evening callers of Mr and Mrs Al Wickerham and Susan and Roger and Mrs Mabel Westmoreland.

Sunday afternoon Mr and Mrs Duain Peck and boys called on Mr and Mrs Arnold Waltz. Sunday evening supper guests of the Pecks were Mr and Mrs Russell Bowers.

Last Sunday Mr and Mrs Leo Martzke visited Mrs Gust Martzke.

Mr and Mrs Keith Wohlfert, Cindy and Scott and Paul Cowles were Sunday afternoon and evening visitors at the Jack Wohlfert home. Tuesday evening Mrs Delores Cowles and Debbie and Paul were supper guests.

Sunday Mr and Mrs Walt March entertained for Raymond Barnes' birthday the following guests: Mr and Mrs Raymond Barnes, Mr and Mrs L. Kroter, Kriss and Kathy, John Westol, Miss Bea Wicker and Mr and Mrs William Weseman and children.

Mr and Mrs Lyle Smith were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Jerry Smith to celebrate Jerry's birthday.

Sunday afternoon, Mr and Mrs Lewis Phillips went with Mr and Mrs Cliff Phillips to take Judy back to college at Mt. Pleasant. Sunday evening lunch guests of the Phillips' were Mr and Mrs Ron Phillips and Susanne.

Mrs Walt March and Mrs Lyle Smith visited Mrs Neva Rogers at Eaton Rapids Wednesday.

Eureka

Mrs Gordon Waggoner

The first Union Lenten services will be held at the St. Johns Methodist Church this Sunday, March 7. Dr. John Marvin, editor of Michigan Christian Advocate, will be the first guest speaker. The Eureka Congregational Christian Church will be host at the coffee hour. Donald Clark is to be an usher on March 7.

The Rev Harold Watson of Crystal Lake, has been the guest speaker here at the Eureka Congregational Christian Church for the past several weeks. Sunday his sermon topic was, "Taking The Initiative." His sermonette for the children was, "The King and Happiness." Misses Jean and Rhonda Lewis sang a special during the worship hour, with Jean at the piano. Robert Lewis and his daughter, Rhonda were in charge of the Sunday School Hour.

There will be no choir practice this week.

The Women's Fellowship will not meet for their regular meeting during the month of March.

The Girl Scouts and Brownies of Eureka troops will be guests of honor at next Sunday's service at the Eureka Congregational Christian Church, this being national Girl Scout Week. The Eureka Girl Scouts and Brownies are also having their Girl Scout Cookie Sale this week.

Ralph Suttin fell this last week and broke his ankle and has since been a patient at the Clinton Memorial Hospital in St. Johns.

Mrs Ronald Hubbard is still in the Carson City Hospital where she underwent surgery.

Mrs Orrin Blank has returned to her home from Clinton Memorial Hospital where she spent about a week as a patient.

Mr and Mrs Robert Rillema and two children, Rhonda and Mark, have moved to St. Johns from their home on the Gower farm.

Mr and Mrs Gordon Waggoner and girls were Friday evening callers on Mr and Mrs Roger Shutes and family in St. Johns.

Mr and Mrs Ross Henry have returned home after their recent vacation in Florida.

Word has been received here that the Dale Randolphs' and his mother, Ethel Randolph, and the Gowers are having a nice stay and visit in Florida.

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## Name top students at Ashley High



DIANN STASA



PATRICIA DUNAY

ASHLEY — The valedictorian and salutatorian of the 1965 graduating class at Ashley High School were announced last week by Principal Frederick R. Utley.

Diann Kay Stasa, daughter of Mr and Mrs Frank Stasa, R-1, Ashley, was named valedictorian, and Patricia Marie Dunay, daughter of Mr and Mrs Alex Dunay

of rural Bannister is salutatorian.

DIANN HAS been a member of the Future Homemakers of America for four years, holding regional office in 1963-64. She is a member of the Future Teachers, student council and the National Honor Society.

She has earned scholarship awards in biology, science, home economics, English and history. She received the Crisco Award in Homemaking in 1964. She carried a leading part in the junior class play.

Diann is receptionist in a medical clinic in Ashley under the cooperative program and intends to pursue a secretarial career.

PATRICIA WAS named to the University of Michigan Mathematics Seminar in 1964. She is a member of the National Honor Society, Future Homemakers, Future Teachers and is editor of the school yearbook. She has earned scholarship awards in speech, English, science, history and was the first sophomore to earn the Crisco homemaking award. Pat also took part in the junior class play.

Outside school, she is active in church and community affairs, secretary - treasurer of MYF and a Sunday school teacher. She was named honor queen of the Ovid Job's Daughters earlier this year.

PAT WILL BE a student at Central Michigan University or Michigan State University this fall. She plans to be a teacher.



## New Names In the News

Born to Mr and Mrs Donald Irerer Jr. of Westphalia, a daughter, Michelle Sue, at Carson City Hospital on Feb. 11.

Mr and Mrs Lynn Bullard are the parents of a baby girl, Rhonda Kay. She was born Wednesday, Feb. 24, at Ingham Medical Hospital on her father's birthday. Mr and Mrs R. G. Bullard are the grandparents.

A girl, Stephanie Ann, was born to Mr and Mrs Mark Eaton Jr. of R-2, St. Johns, on Thursday, Feb. 25 at St. Lawrence Hospital. Mrs Eaton was the former Edna Wieber.

## Mrs Brooks host to fellowship

Mrs George H. Brooks was hostess to the Elizabeth Winslow Division of the Women's Fellowship of the First Congregational Church Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 23. She was assisted by Mrs Ethel Bishop.

The meeting was conducted by the vice chairman, Mrs Burton Walling. The following committees were appointed for tea at the March meeting of the general fellowship Tuesday: Mrs A. Frucht, Mrs Basil Delbert, and Mrs Conway Tyson.

The lesson of the day was presented by Mrs Rolan Sleight. The subject for study was Tim. II.

The hostess then served refreshments.

## Teeth fluoride deadline March 15

All parents interested in having sodium fluoride treatments on their children's teeth this summer should contact the Clinton County Health Office, with formal request and money, by March 15. The Health Office is in the county education building on Maple Street in St. Johns, across from the courthouse.

## Golden anniversary observed by couple

Open house was held Sunday, Feb. 28 from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Methodist Church for Mr and Mrs John Drew, in honor of their golden wedding anniversary which fell on March 2.

March 2 also marks the 71st birthday of Mrs Drew. Drew was 75 years old last September.

The couple's children, Mr and Mrs Gordon Drew of Newaygo and Mr and Mrs Harley Davis of Bancroft, seated the guests of honor under a golden arch of leaves and flowers.

THE SERVING table was covered with a lace cloth over gold. On the table were gold and white bells centered by a four-tiered, swan-deck, golden wedding cake with golden tapers on each side and topped with a golden arch centered by a \*50.\*

The cake was made by Mrs Wesley Smith. Mrs Don Sutliff, Mrs Elwyn Rumbaugh and Mrs Oscar Stockwell served the cake. Mrs Kenneth Stockwell, Mrs John Patterson and Vera Basing attended the punch bowl, and Joy Lee Patterson, Bonnie Stockwell and Vera Basing attended the guest book.

VANDA LEE Drew, Kay Drew and Mrs Gordon Drew presided over the coffee and Mrs Harley Davis, Gordon Drew and Harley Davis poured tea.

The gift table was supervised by John and Danny Patterson, Tommy Davis, Oscar and Charles Stockwell and Ora and Tillie Basing.

Mrs Drew's corsage of yellow roses centered with a white orchid and her husbands white and gold boutonniere were presented by their family.

THEY RECEIVED many gifts including a money tree.

Besides their two children, the couple have five grandchildren, Vanda, Lyle, and Kay Drew, and Tommy and Cindy Davis.

Ladies of the Mary Martha Circle who assisted in the kitchen were Melba Struble, Fay Osgood, Elsie Bottum, Margaret

Light, Katie Roberts and Mildred Pocus.

OVER 164 guests were present from, Rockford, Fenwick, Albion, Flint, Shepherd, Fenton, Eaton Rapids, Lansing, Haslett, Ionia, Tawas City, Elsie, Eureka, Grand Ledge, Owosso, Perrinton, Saginaw, Ashley, Alma, Kent City, Newaygo, Bancroft, St. Johns and vicinity.

## Observe month on Americanism

Americanism Month was observed by the Edwin T. Stiles Unit, American Legion Auxiliary, at their February meeting Tuesday, Feb. 23. A paper was read by Mrs Robert Conn, Americanism chairman.

The meeting was conducted by Mrs Conn, second vice president, in the absence of the president, Mrs John Hall.

The group voted that \$25 be given to the sewing chairman, Mrs Glenn Osgood, to buy material for clothing to be made by the girls of the American Legion Home at Otter Lake. An additional \$10 was given to the March of Dimes and 4,000 poppies were purchased to be sold at memorial time.

MRS GEORGE H. Brooks, legislative chairman, read letters from the state chairman on Un-American activities concerning the proposed change in immigration and naturalization laws by the administration and the elimination of the National Origins Quota System. The members were asked to send letters to their congressmen in favor of the Un-American Activities Committee. It was voted to send a telegram to congressmen in opposition of the transfer of authority from Congress to the Executive on Immigration.

A potluck, in honor of the birthday of the Legion, will be held Saturday, March 13, at the hall. Ham and Rolls will be furnished and all American Legion and Auxiliary members are invited.

Co-hostesses, Mrs Fred Bennett, Mrs Dolina MacKinnon and Mrs W. L. McWilliams served refreshments.



MISS ARDITH NICHOLS

Planning an April 10 wedding are Ardith Nichols and James L. Graham, son of Mr and Mrs James H. Graham of R-3, St. Johns. The announcement was made by the parents of the bride-to-be, Mr and Mrs Donald Nichols of R-2, DeWitt.

## Victor crash injures trio

Three Owosso and Laingsburg youths were injured, and two escaped without injuries, in a one-car accident at the corner of Meridian Road and Round Lake Road in Victor Township Monday evening.

The car, driven by Gary Passmore, 24, of Owosso, skidded on ice when going around a curve. It skidded off the road and through a ditch, just missing a telephone pole.

PASSMORE suffered bruises, while passengers Gary Walker, 19, of Owosso suffered cuts, and Ano Lee Elwood, 21, of R-1 Laingsburg suffered bruises. Edward Snyder, 17, of Laingsburg, and Danny Walker 16, of Owosso, were not hurt.

The injured were treated at Owosso Memorial Hospital.

## C. W. Lumberts host Sunday School class

Dr and Mrs C. W. Lumbert and Mr and Mrs Lester Jenkins were hosts Sunday, Feb. 28, to a Sunday School class for a chop suey dinner.

There were 25 members present, including the teacher, Walter Nickel, and one guest. Mrs Paul Tarr led devotions. Dr Howard Smith spoke informally and led a discussion of family devotions.

## Price District

By Mrs Harold Crowley

## Price women to serve St. Johns C of C dinner

PRICE—The program theme for the regular meeting of the Price Woman's Society was "Hearing God Speak Through the Bible," and was conducted by Mrs Theodore Ashley. Mrs Russell Ormsby presented the study chapter on Genesis.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs Kenneth Fricke and Mrs Donald Devereaux. It was held at the church.

During the business meeting announcement was made of the St. Johns Chamber of Commerce meal which will be served in Friendship Hall Thursday, March 25 at 7:30 p.m.

Election of officers will be held at the next meeting, Wednesday, March 31, with Mrs William Ashley and Mrs Clayton Brewer as hostesses. Mrs Ralph Shumaker is to have charge of the program.

Mr and Mrs George Baxter and JoAnn of Grand Ledge spent Sunday afternoon with Mr and Mrs Harold Crowley and Mrs Harl Hunt.

The fourth quarterly conference of the Price and Greenbush churches will be held Sunday, March 14, at the Greenbush church.

## Eagle

Mrs Charles Higbee

Mr and Mrs Robert Smith and Jeff of Kalamazoo visited Mrs Smith's mother, Mrs Hazel Shaddock, and Mr Smith's parents, Mr and Mrs Frank Smith and Betty Sunday.

The Stanley Miros family had 24 callers Sunday. Mrs Miros' sister, Mr and Mrs Victor Michutka and family of Saginaw; her brother, Mr and Mrs Lawrence Warnke and family of St. Johns; another brother, Anthony Warnke and friend, Sharon DeVest, both of Lansing; Mr Miros' sister, Mr and Mrs Robert Steklek and family; and Mr and Mrs James Stehlek of Ashley.

Mr and Mrs Frank Hicks just returned from a two-week vacation in Florida.

Mr and Mrs Lynn Volk returned Saturday night from a trip to Mexico.

Mr and Mrs John Cooper entertained Mr and Mrs Carl Falor and family for a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of Mrs Carl Falor.

There was a good turn out at the Singingbird held at the 4-Square Church Sunday night.

Rev and Mrs Ray Chamberlain are visiting their son, Rev Dan Chamberlain, at the Eagle Methodist parsonage. They have just returned from a missionary trip around the world. It has been two years since they have seen their family.

## NOTICE

Application will be accepted for the position of

## EQUALIZATION DIRECTOR for CLINTON COUNTY

Applicants must be good at mathematics, have good personality, appraisal experience preferred, but not necessary. Full time job, minimum of 40 hours per week. Please state salary expected, age and qualifications in your application. Include address and telephone number.

Applications must be in by March 15, 1965.

ADDRESS ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO: DERRILL SHINABERY

CHAIRMAN, EQUALIZATION COMMITTEE

Route 3 St. Johns, Mich.

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## Notice of SPECIAL ELECTION Greenbush No. 1 School District (Richmond School) CLINTON COUNTY

To the Qualified Electors of School District Greenbush No. 1, in Clinton County, said district being commonly known as the Richmond School District:

Notice is hereby given that on

## Saturday, March 20, 1965

during the hours prescribed by law, a Special Election will be held at the school house in said district for the purpose of voting on the following propositions:

1. Shall School District Greenbush No. 1, otherwise known as the Richmond School District, be annexed to the St. Johns Public School District?
2. Shall the millage for school operation be increased in the amount of four and one-half (4½) mills for a period of three (3) years, the years being 1965, 1966, and 1967?

### CLINTON COUNTY TREASURER'S STATEMENT

I, Velma Beaufore, Treasurer of Clinton County, Michigan, hereby certify that as of January 20, 1965, the records of this office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitations established by Section 6 of Article 9 of the Constitution of the State of Michigan, in any local unit of government affecting the taxable property located in Public School District Greenbush No. 1, otherwise known as the Richmond School District, Clinton County, Michigan is as follows:

By Clinton County: None  
By Greenbush Township: None  
By the School District: None

Signed—VELMA BEAUFORE  
Treasurer, Clinton County, Michigan

This notice is given by order of the Board of Education of the Greenbush No. 1 Richmond School District, Clinton County, Michigan.

ILA M. WHITLOCK  
Secretary, Board of Education

Dated at Greenbush Township, Clinton County, Michigan, this 2nd Day of March, 1965.

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## Announcements

The Membership and Evangelism Commission of the First Methodist Church will hold a potluck Wednesday, March 10, at 6:30 p.m. The evening's speaker will be Rev Gerald Churchill.

St Johns Lutheran Ladies Guild will hold its monthly meeting Thursday, March 4, at 8 p.m. in the church basement.

Olive Grange No. 358 will hold its next meeting at the home of Mr and Mrs Norman Schultheiss of 505 South Baker St. in St. Johns. An early potluck supper is planned. A program is planned, following the meeting.

The Clinton Memorial Hospital Public Workshop will be held Tuesday, March 9, at 9:30 a.m. in the hospital sewing room. Coffee and tea will be served at noon to all those who come and help. Sack lunches should be brought.

The Lowe WSCS will meet with Mrs Harold Dershem at 1 p.m. Wednesday, March 10. The women will sew rug rags.

The St. Johns TOPS Club will meet Thursday, March 4, at 7:30 p.m. upstairs in the National Bank Building.

The Central Michigan Philatelic Society will meet Tuesday, March 9, at 7:30 p.m. at the Lansing YMCA for a business meeting and stamp auction.

The Independent Club will meet Wednesday, March 10, at the home of Mrs Dolina MacKinnon.

There will be a meeting Saturday, March 13, at the Plowman School for a discussion on annexation. Members from the St. Johns school board will be there to answer any questions. The meeting will be at 8 p.m.

The DAR meets at the home of Mrs Manning Bross Tuesday, March 9, at 8 p.m. Miss Shirley Pouch will give a program titled, "Pursuit of Genealogy and Its Fascination."

Bingham Grange will meet Friday, March 5, at 8:30 p.m. A light lunch will be served following the meeting.

## City Brevities

Mrs Clayton Gillett is spending a few days this week at the home of Mr and Mrs Paul Schaefer of Riley.

Mrs Allie Price returned home Saturday, Feb. 27, after spending two weeks with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Walter Crowley of Traverse City.

Mr and Mrs Harry Hefty with their son Bob's two daughters Becky Jo and Marsha were Sunday callers on the former's mother, Mrs Claudia Hefty. Mrs Lucy Pierce of Lansing called Sunday on her aunt, Mrs Louise Smith, and found her a patient at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

## South Greenbush

By Mrs Stanley Whitlock

World Day of Prayer will be Friday, March 5, at 1:30 at the First Methodist Church in St. Johns.

The first of the Union Lenten Services will be Sunday, March 7 at the First Methodist Church. Alan Davis will act as an usher.

There will be a speaker on the annexation to the St. Johns district at Richmond school Wednesday, March 17, at 8 p.m.

Mr and Mrs Blake Miller and Mr and Mrs Al Schulz of DeWitt visited Mr and Mrs Vernon Kowalk and family.

Mr and Mrs James Graham and Ann were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Donald Nichols of DeWitt.

James Graham will re-enter St. Lawrence Hospital Tuesday and will undergo surgery and skin grafting on his foot Friday. He will remain at the hospital for seven to 10 days.

Mr and Mrs Walter Vigas and Dana of Gaylord visited Mr and Mrs Stanley Whitlock.

Mr and Mrs Earl Whitlock, Miss Pearl Crom and Mrs Maude Davis visited Mr and Mrs Clifford Dunham who have just returned from a sightseeing trip to Florida and Arizona.

Mr and Mrs Roy Davis and Lisa and Mr and Mrs Ron Walker spent Sunday at Houghton Lake.

## Notice of SPECIAL ELECTION Greenbush No. 10 School District (Marshall School District) CLINTON COUNTY

To the Qualified Electors of School District Greenbush No. 10, in Clinton County, said district being commonly known as the Marshall District:

Notice is hereby given that on

## Wednesday, March 10, 1965

from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m., a Special Election will be held at the Greenbush Township Hall for the purpose of voting on the following propositions:

1. Shall School District Greenbush No. 10, otherwise known as the Marshall School District, be annexed to the St. Johns Public School District?
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By Clinton County: None  
By Greenbush Township: None  
By the School District: None

Signed—VELMA BEAUFORE  
Treasurer, Clinton County, Michigan

This notice is given by order of the Board of Education of the Greenbush No. 10, Marshall School District, Clinton County, Michigan.

JOHN M. DECKER  
Secretary, Board of Education

Dated at Greenbush Township, Clinton County, Michigan, this 26th Day of February, 1965.

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Pewamo

By MRS. IRENE FOX, Correspondent—Phone 824-2021

Maple Rapids

By Mrs John Schmidt

The World Day of Prayer meeting will be at the Maple Rapids Congregational Church on March 5 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. with a potluck luncheon on noon.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Clarence Bennett and family were Mr and Mrs Milton Marble and family and Miss Susan Lie of Chesaning, Mrs John Martone and family of St. Johns, Mrs Lena Reed of Matherton, Mr and Mrs Gene Dutton and family, Miss Linda Scott and John Bennett. Afternoon callers were Mr and Mrs Harold Ludwick and son of Elsie and Mrs Lillian Gharsh and family of Ionia.

Mr and Mrs Rodney Schmidt of Alma were Saturday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs John Schmidt.

Mr and Mrs Ivan Clark of Elsie were Sunday afternoon and luncheon guests of Mrs Selma Bailey. Mr and Mrs Orrison Bailey and Mrs Daryl Stanley attended the Home Show in Lansing Sunday afternoon.

The Sorosis Club had their annual Guest Night at the home of Mrs Wilbur Bancroft on Tuesday, Feb. 23, at 8 p.m. There were 44 members and guests present. The program on the Study of Art and Sculpture was given by Miss Barbara Brown of East Lansing.

Mrs Richard Ely and daughter Jennifer of Mason were recent guests of Mrs Maude Crook and Mary Cole.

Mrs June Benjamin of Corunna was a dinner guest of her parents, Mr and Mrs Preston Corson, Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Robert Bellingier and daughters and Mr and Mrs Robert Lewis and family of Oscoda spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Milo Podolak and family. Mrs Bellingier and daughters remained to spend the week with her parents, Mr and Mrs Podolak.

Mr and Mrs Earl Schulze and Mrs Inez Schulze went to Lapeer on Sunday where they got their son, Duane, and spent the day in Caro with Mr and Mrs William Schulze and son.

Miss Mary Ellen Plowman of rural St. Johns spent the weekend with the Wilbur Bancrofts.

Mr and Mrs George Willoughby were in Detroit on business Wednesday and because of the snow storm had to spend the rest of the week with their son and family.

Herman Smith was taken to Carson City Hospital Sunday night suffering from pneumonia and a heart attack. At this writing he is on the gain.

Jolly Pioneers 4-H meet at Washburns

ROCHESTER COLONY — Members of the Jolly Pioneers 4-H Club and Mrs Andrew Cobb, leader, held a meeting Monday evening at the home of Rita Washburn.

A demonstration was given by each member and a business meeting conducted after which Mary Temple and Rita Washburn served refreshments.

March 22 is the next meeting date.

Red Cross campaign solicitors listed

PEWAMO—The Ionia County Red Cross drive opened its campaign March 1. The solicitors for Pewamo, under the chairman, Mrs Jack Davarn, will call on all residents of Pewamo.

The solicitors are as follows: Mesdames Philip Schiska, Frank Silvernall, James Pline, Ed Miller, Lawrence Blauwiekel, Louis Fox and Charles Cook and the Misses Patricia McCormick, Donna Simon, Linda Schneider, Joan Heckman and Linda Cvetnic.

Meditation service planned by women

PEWAMO—The Pewamo Methodist Women are having a World Day of Prayer and meditation service Friday, March 5, at 2 p.m., to which all women of the vicinity are invited. The service begins at sunrise in the Eastern Islands of the world, and continues around the globe as a day of prayer by all Christian women, for peace and unity. The WSCS will study the Book of Ephesians during Lent.

George Swindt, 69, passed away Sunday evening, Feb. 28 at Ann Arbor following a long illness. His sister, Miss Ruth Swindt and several nieces survive. The funeral was held at the Shaw-Rivett Funeral Home Wednesday at 2:45 p.m.

Born to Mr and Mrs David Schafer of Albuquerque, N. M., a son, weighing 6 pounds, and 14 ounces. They have named him Christopher John. Mrs Schafer is the former Virginia Martin. He was born Feb. 17.

A son was born to Mr and Mrs Delbert Schafer, Feb. 20, at the Carson City Hospital, weighing 6 pounds, and 3 ounces. His name is Scott George. Mrs Schafer is the former Agnes Schafer.

Mrs Anna Droste of Westphalia spent Tuesday with Mr and Mrs Paul Fox and family of Pewamo.

Mr and Mrs John Blauwiekel and family were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr and Mrs Nicholas Blauwiekel of Grand Rapids, Sunday.

Henry Adams of Republic attended a soil conservation program at Kellogg Center in Lansing, Feb. 22 and 23. He was also an overnight guest of Mr and Mrs Philip Schiska.

Mrs Daisy Pierce fell last week at the home of her daughter, Mrs Irene Brayton of Hubbardston. She was rushed to Clinton Memorial Hospital, where it was found she had no broken bones. She will be a patient there for about 10 days.

William Bissell of DeWitt and a former Pewamo resident submitted to major surgery Wednesday at Sparrow Hospital, in Lansing. He is the son of Mr and Mrs Floyd Bissell of Pewamo.

Mr and Mrs Harry Blauwiekel were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Ray Slezick at Grand Rapids.

Mr and Mrs Roman Hufnagel and Mrs James Waterson of Lansing were guests of Mr and Mrs Charles Martin Sunday, Feb. 21.

Wednesday callers of Mr and Mrs Charles Martin were Mr and Mrs Alfred Halfmann of Fowler. Mrs Gilford Pease of St. Johns was a caller at the home of Mrs John J. Fox Saturday, Feb. 20.

Mr and Mrs William P. Smith were visitors of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs Richard Croft and family of New Haven, Ind.

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WANTED to rent—State employee with three children wishes to rent 3-bedroom house in St. Johns. Please call 224-3046 anytime. 45-1p

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BEAUTY operator, full or part time. Phone Ionia 527-2314. 44-2p

WANTED — Waitress 3:00 to 11:00 p.m. Cook 11:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. No experience necessary. Phone 224-4263. 44-2

WOMEN and girls over 16 for waitresses and kitchen help. We will be in need of additional help when we reopen. Experience not needed. L & L Restaurant, Phone 224-3352 for an interview. 45-tf

YOUNG man for GM dealer. Must be experienced in parts and lights. Good salary to aggressive man. All replies confidential. White Box M care Clinton County News. 45-2

WANTED — A good reliable dealer to supply customers with Raleigh products in South Clinton County and St. Johns. A profitable business of your own with no previous experience needed. Write Raleigh, Dept. MCC-593-183, Freeport, Ill. 45-1p

WOMAN wanted for part-time office cleaning work in downtown St. Johns. Approximately 1 hour daily and half-day once a week. Hours suited to applicant's convenience. State age and previous experience in letter of application to Box K, c/o Clinton County News, St. Johns. 45-tf

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TWO MEN for retail sales work. Don't apply unless you want regular, steady employment. Alan R. Dean Hardware, phone 224-3271. 45-1

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Real Estate

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WANTED

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It is Hereby Ordered, that the defendant, Robert Guilbault, whose whereabouts and address are unknown, but whose last known address was c/o Spencer Hodgkins, 244 E. Drive, Haslet, Michigan, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law, on or before the 20th day of April, 1965. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a judgment by default against said defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

Counter-signed: Paul Wakefield, County Clerk Date of Order: 2-17-65 A true copy: Paul Wakefield, Clerk of Clinton Co. Duane M. Hildebrandt Attorney for Plaintiff Business Address: 403 Cap. Sav. & Loan Bldg. Lansing, Michigan 45-5

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear husband and father who passed away 2 years ago March 6. Calm and peaceful he is sleeping Sweetest rest that follows pain We who loved him sadly miss him. But trust in God to meet again.—Mrs P. T. Hainer and family. 45-1p

CARDS OF THANKS

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Final Account Frink—Feb. 26 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. In the Matter of the Estate of MURRETT FRINK, Deceased At a session of said Court, held on Friday, February 26, 1965. Present, Hon. Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate. Notice is Hereby Given, That the petition of Thomas E. Frink and Trust Co., the Trustee of said estate, praying that their final account be allowed and the residue of said estate assigned to the persons entitled thereto, and that the heirs of said deceased be determined at this time will be heard at the Probate Court on Wednesday, April 7, 1965, at 10:30 A.M. It is Ordered, That notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Clinton County News, and that the petitioner cause a copy of this notice to be served upon each known party in interest at his last known address by registered, certified, or ordinary mail (with proof of mailing), or by personal service, at least fourteen (14) days prior to such hearing.

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**Veterans' Honor Guard Presents Charter**

The Veterans' Honor Guard, wives and guests attended a charter presentation Saturday evening at the American Legion Post Home. The charter was accepted by both Robert Prowant, left, commander of the VFW Post of St. Johns, and Joseph Toth, adjutant of the American Legion Post. Veterans' Honor Guard Commander Tom Beechler (second from right) made the presentation. Lloyd Peterson (center) was charter commander of the honor guard. Other honored guests were Jack Green, VFW Ninth District commander, and Lionel Ferguson, first vice commander of the Eighth District of the American Legion.

**East Hubbardston**  
Mrs Mamie O'Connell  
Telephone 981-2374

The 8th grade classes of both schools in Hubbardston will sponsor a bake sale on Saturday, March 6 in the Hubbardston Hardware Store to help defray expenses on their trip to Bob-Lo.

The family, friends, and neighbors, of Mr and Mrs Max Pinkney gathered at their home Saturday evening to honor Roslyn and Leo McMillan on their birthdays.

Rev James Cusack of Reed City, Mr and Mrs Harold Lipe and family of Flint visited Mr

and Mrs Richard Cusack Sunday. Victor Dalley is confined to Ionia County Memorial Hospital. Mr and Mrs Manual Cusack entertained for Sunday dinner, Mrs Minerva Cusack, Mr and Mrs James Boomer, Mr and Mrs Stanley Cusack and Renee, Chick Malek, Mr and Mrs Robert Barnes, Dennis Boomer and Yvonne Clipper. The occasion was Connie Cusack's birthday.

Mrs Rose Bollinger of Ionia visited Mr and Mrs Harold Cunningham Sunday, Feb. 28.

Mr and Mrs Ray Donahue and family and Richard Donahue of Grand Rapids visited Mr and Mrs Tom Donahue Sunday.

Mr and Mrs James Boomer entertained for his birthday dinner, Thursday evening, Feb. 25, five

couples: Mr and Mrs Manuel Cusack, Mr and Mrs Harold Cunningham, Mr and Mrs Virgil Tait, and Mr and Mrs Clifford O'Grady.

Mrs Iva Rogers and Mr and Mrs Jack Billings of Greenville motored to Lansing Sunday to visit Rollie Hotz, husband of Iva's sister, Marian Hildebrandt Hotz.

Mr and Mrs Owen Andrews entertained their daughter, Goldie, and her husband over the weekend.

Mrs James O'Connell came for the funeral of Dennis O'Connell of Lebanon Township in the Hubbardston Catholic Church Monday, March 1.

Rev James Cusack of Reed City, who is substituting for Father Fox in his absence officiated.

**Blue and Gold Banquet serves 175 persons**

ELSIE— About 175 persons attended the Blue and Gold Banquet Sunday, Feb. 21 in the Knight Elementary School. Special guests were the Rev. E. E. Courser and family, District Commissioner Rudy Masarik, and Bob Arnold from the Boy Scout office in Lansing.

Dinner was served after which pins No. 1, 2, 5 and 6 put on skits. The den winners were named in the Pinewood Derby with first place won by Paul Ladiski and second place by Ralph Lockwood.

Michael Slagh showed movies of the late President Kennedy and the Elsie Centennial.

THE CLOSING feature of the program was the presentation of year pins and awards.

Four year pins were given to Frank Bernath and Mrs Floyd Glowney. Three year pins went to Pat Foran, Mrs Frank Bernath, Mrs George Passmore, Mrs Gerald Butler, George Keck, Terry Bernath, Alan Cobb, Bill Foran, Chuch Passmore, Tom Pumford, Phillip Seybert, Ronnie Kluas, Jack Keys, Alan Thornton, Mike Buck and Johnny Dunham.

Two year pins went to James Collis, Mrs Norval Thornton, Larry Bernath, Jimmie Collis, Bruce Levey, Gene Baneroff, Charles Miller, Ivan Tribelner, Jerry Neil Butler and Richard Hess.

ONE YEAR pins were presented to Mrs Lowell Lockwood, Mrs Lyn Egbert, Dale Levey, William Albaugh, Danny Egbert, Kenny Albaugh, Jim Micka, Doug Keck, Ralph Lockwood and Rich Ackles.

Other awards were given to Jim Glowney, Ralph Lockwood, bear badge; Larry Bernath, Kim Sheldon, Jimmie Houska, and Bob Pattison, wolf badges; Larry Bernath, lion badge; Jim Collis, lion badge and gold and silver arrows; Garry Bernath, Kim Sheldon, Jeff Keck, Doug Keck, Kenny Albaugh and David Hines, gold arrows; Bob Pattison, gold and silver arrows; Roger Kelley, bob cat pin; and Jimmie Houska, gold arrow.

**Southeast Eagle**

By Mrs Harold Sullivan

Mrs Ruth Armantrout and her sister, Mrs William Cowell of Lansing have been vacationing in Florida and Nassau in the Bahama Islands for two weeks.

Mrs Zannah Kebler was honored Saturday evening with a birthday dinner at Light's in Lansing. Mr and Mrs Dale Kebler and family, Mr and Mrs Hiram Hazen and Mr and Mrs Harold Sullivan and Bernice Ann were in attendance.

Mr and Mrs Harold Sullivan and Bernice Ann visited Carmin Hunter Sunday at Fairgrove. They also called on Mr and Mrs Clifton Murday and girls.

Brett Hazen has been spending several days with his grandparents, Mr and Mrs Hiram Hazen while his parents have been vacationing in Texas and Mexico.

Mr and Mrs Richard Foster and girls entertained Mr and Mrs Leon Anderson on Sunday.

**Rochester Colony**

By Mrs Robert Harmon

**Homemakers' group hears lesson on women's clothes**

ROCHESTER COLONY — "Buying and Altering Ready-to-wear Clothes" was the lesson presented to the Rochester Colony Homemakers' Extension group Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs Peter Kurnez.

Lesson leader, Mrs R. G. Spiedel, stressed the importance of fit for both comfort and appearance and explained how garments, through mass production, can vary in size. Information was also given on refitting and altering.

The Homemakers' Creed, said in unison by the 20 members present,

opened the business meeting. Mrs Ray Hamer, county extension council representative, gave a council meeting report.

Final plans for the benefit dinner for Friendship Park, the group's community project, were made, food and work slips distributed by Mrs Alfred Rademacher, due to the absence of Mrs Richard Hebel, general chairman.

The next lesson meeting will be March 23 at the home of Mrs Elmer Thornton on East Colony Road.

**Rowell School votes March 10 on annexation**

ROCHESTER COLONY — People of the Rowell school district met at the school Thursday evening to discuss annexation to the

St. Johns school district.

Earl Lancaster, superintendent of St. Johns Public Schools, Kenneth Munger and William Richards, members of the board of education, were on hand to explain annexation, present some of the problems affecting education in the St. Johns Public School service area and make suggestions for possible solutions.

Following a question and answer period, refreshments were served by the Rowell school board and wives.

On Wednesday, March 10, an election to vote on annexation will be held at the Rowell school, Hall and Chandler Roads. All electors must be registered voters.

The firefly only shines when on the wing; so it is with the mind; when we rest we darken. — Gamaliel Bailey.

**Bath**

By Mrs Alice Loomis

Mr and Mrs Dean Norman Sweet Jr. are the proud parents of a baby girl, born Feb. 27. Her name is Barbara Lucille and she weighed 8 lbs. and 7 oz.

Pfc. Sam Sweet, son of Mr and Mrs Dean Sweet of Stoll Road, Bath, is home spending a 30-day leave with his family before being stationed for the next 13 months in either Alaska or Germany.

The Bath Methodist Church will again be offering Lenten lunches to the Junior and Senior High School students this year. The lunches are put on by the WSCS of the church. They will be held each Wednesday during Lent, beginning March 10. There will be no charge for the lunches and there will be some special message each day.

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63 Oldsmobile Dynamic 88 4-door Sports sedan. Includes automatic transmission, power brakes, power steering, radio and heater. Bee's Price \$1995

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62 Chevrolet 4-door sedan. A low mileage car which includes radio, heater and standard transmission \$1295



61 Chevrolet Greenbrier wagon. Includes Powerglide transmission, radio and heater. A Sweet Deal for Someone \$1095

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64 Chevrolet Impala 4-door Sports sedan. Equipment includes Powerglide transmission, 4-speed transmission and power brakes. Bee's Sweet Price \$2345

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60 Chevrolet Bel Air 4-door sedan. Equipped with radio, heater, automatic transmission, power steering, brakes. \$895



63 Chevelle convertible. Includes white wall tires, heater, 8-cylinder engine, beautiful aqua finish with white top. Bee's low price \$2195



62 Chevrolet 4-door sedan. Equipment includes Powerglide transmission, radio and heater. Yours for just \$1295



61 Corvair Panel. Includes radio, heater and white wall tires. Ideal for delivery truck. Deal at Bee's for this one \$650



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MRS ROBERT KEHR  
During the Lenten Season, Mrs Robert Kehr of 3156 East M-21 and her family prefer whole-meal salads to meatless casserole dishes. In the picture she is beginning preparation on the man-sized "Salad a la Nicoise!" The recipe appears on the right.

## Variation of size can be misleading

By BETTY KETCHAM  
County Extension Agent  
Home Economics

Try it on and try it out. Give our new spring suit or dress the real living test. Walk, sit, bend, and stretch. How does it feel? How does it look?

This is the only way you can determine if there is enough fabric ease in the bust, waist, hips and shoulders for body movement.

Does your suit or dress stay in position after his stoop, twist, sit and talk test? If you have to tug and rearrange the dress or suit—check and see why. Something's not right.

HERE ARE some other fitting aids that were presented at the extension adult education class—Fit For Fashion.

Mass production of clothing provides us with fashionable clothes at reasonable prices—but with a size of variation that can be misleading.

Sometimes you can find slight differences in identical garments of the same size and brand. This might be caused by the cutting of many pieces of the garment at the same time. There could be a difference between the top-sleeve and the one on the bottom.

STANDARD SIZES have been established for women's clothing and some for children's and men's clothing. But this system is voluntary and not all manufacturers use them.

Industry is using an increasing number of size ranges — on the basis that sizes can be standardized but not the human figure.

Many companies have introduced junior, petite, diminutive,

brief and half sizes which are an expansion of the Misses sizes.

HERE IS A way you can illustrate figure variation. The next time a group of women are meeting find out how many of the ladies wear a size 16 dress and ask them to stand up in a line. You probably will have quite a range of shapes and heights—but they all wear size 16!

Because different manufacturers are using more size types it becomes increasingly important to try various brands and size types to get the best fit for your proportions.

If you would like to find out what size-type you are—contact the extension office and ask for Fit for Fashion When Buying Clothes.

## Bowler's wear is fashionable and functional

Over 12 million women bow regularly throughout the country and find the sport healthful and stimulating. And where the gals are, fashions are never far behind.

But to the sports-minded lass of today fashions must be functional as well as stylish.

Clothes made of lindsay, a 50-50 blend of avril and cotton, have been developed specifically for the active women of today. It has the look of linen and just enough stretch to give when and where it should.

Above-the-knee pant jumpers, pant skirts, A shaped skirts, and panel front skirts are among the fashions featured in lindsay. The color palette runs to the pastel vein with ice blue, parfalt pink, citron yellow and soda predominant.

A retired curtain rod makes a handy shoe rack. Just tack it on the closet door and hang the shoes by their heels on it.

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# Eggs, cheese and seafood give Lenten meals variety

Getting variety into Lenten meals is always a trick. This Lenten season discover how nutritious and good dishes featuring eggs, cheese and seafood can be, whether you are fasting or simply seeking mealtime variety.

Here's a brand-new, tasty menu idea for a lunch or light supper dish during Lent. Crisp waffles topped with a luscious hot sauce of creamed cod flavored with tart-sweet, fresh grapefruit juice. This could be an unusual brunch or buffet speciality, too.

Make the waffles from your own favorite recipe or buy them frozen. The sauce is a cinch to prepare; flaked frozen cod and grapefruit juice are added to a simple white sauce flavored with onion and chervil.

### CREAMED COD ON WAFFLES

- 6 tbsp. butter or margarine
- 1/2 c chopped onion
- 1/3 c flour
- 2 c milk
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 1/4 tsp. chervil
- 1 pkg. (12 oz.) frozen cod (about 2 c flaked cod)
- 3/4 c grapefruit juice
- 1/2 c light cream
- 8 waffles

Melt butter with onion in heavy saucepan over low heat. Cook about 3 minutes. Slowly add flour; stirring until smooth. Add milk slowly, stirring constantly. Sprinkle in salt and chervil. Cook, stirring, to a simmer. Do not boil. Add cod and grapefruit juice cooking until cod is heated thoroughly. Remove from heat; stir in cream and serve immediately over waffles.

YIELD: 4 to 6 servings (4 cups creamed cod).

A MAN-SIZE salad can make a meal—and can make a meal more memorable if it's "Salad a la Nicoise!" This meatless whole-meal salad needs only French bread or hot rolls to accompany it.

Pitted ripe olives stuffed with whole almonds are among the salad's unusually tasty ingredients. Give the olives a handsome sheen by draining them well, then rolling them in a bowl with a few drops of olive or salad oil.

### SALAD A LA NICOISE

- 1 green pepper
- 1 can (4 oz.) pimientos
- 4 hard-cooked eggs
- 1 can (2 oz.) rolled anchovies
- 1 can (7 oz.) tuna
- Olive oil or salad oil
- 1 c large pitted ripe olives
- 1/2 c blanched whole almonds
- 1 clove garlic
- 3 to 4 tbsp. red wine vinegar
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- Freshly ground black pepper
- 1 head butter lettuce
- 1 bunch chicory or romaine

Cut green pepper and pimientos into thin slices; slice eggs. Drain oil from anchovies and tuna into measuring cup; add olive oil to make 1/2 cup. Flake tuna. Stuff olives with almonds. Peel and crush garlic in salad bowl. Pour in combined oils and vinegar; let stand at least 30 minutes. Remove garlic; add salt and black pepper. Wash greens; tear into salad bowl, saving some of frilliest leaves to line sides. Arrange remaining ingredients on greens. Toss lightly until well coated with dressing. Makes 6 servings.

WITH YOUR salad try this easy recipe for tender muffins that taste like old-fashioned, hot cross buns, that favorite Lenten treat.

EGGS MAKE A nourishing and enjoyable meal, when combined with cheese. Baked eggs can be served for brunch, lunch or a light supper.

### MUSTARD BAKED EGGS

- 1/4 lb. sharp Cheddar cheese
- 4 eggs

### Ripe Olives in Meatless Salad



- 6 tbsp. light cream
- 1 tsp. powdered dry mustard
- 1 tsp. Worcestershire
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 2 tbsp. butter or margarine

Shred cheese on a coarse grater and sprinkle over the bottom of a buttered glass 9-inch pie plate. Break 4 eggs over the cheese, being careful not to break the yolks. Combine cream, mustard, Worcestershire and salt, and pour over the eggs. Dot with butter or margarine. Bake in a preheated moderate oven (350 degrees F.) 15 to 20 minutes, or until eggs are set and cheese is melted. (Makes 4 servings)

TUNA AND rice are very nice, especially when they're combined pilaf style. Tuna pilaf is a quick, attractive family meal high in nourishment and good taste. Tuna's protein is comparable to that found in lean meat, and its delicate flavor is liked by all the family. This is a thrifty meal, too. Tuna's reasonable price is a boon to the Lenten budget. Flavorful vegetables, sauteed in the tasty vegetable oil the tuna is packed in, add an appetizing touch to the pilaf.

### TUNA PILAF

- 2 cans (6 1/2 or 7 oz. each) tuna in vegetable oil
- 1 c diced celery
- 1/3 c chopped onion
- 1 large green pepper, diced
- 3 c cooked rice
- 1/3 diced pimiento
- 1 can (3 or 4 oz.) sliced mushrooms
- 1 tsp. salt
- 1/2 tsp. Ac'cent
- 1/4 tsp. pepper
- 1 tsp. each, rosemary and marjoram

Drain oil from tuna into skillet; heat. Add celery, onion and green pepper cook until vegetables are crisp tender (about 3 minutes). Add tuna, rice, pimiento, mushrooms with liquid and seasonings. Heat to serving temperature.

YIELD: 4 to 6 servings.

**Creamed Cod on Waffles for Lent**

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**for Women**  
... AND MEN, TOO

**HOT CROSS MUFFINS**

Sift together 2 cups sifted all purpose flour, 1 teaspoon soda, 3/4 teaspoon salt, 3/4 teaspoon cinnamon and 1/2 teaspoon cardamom or nutmeg. Cream 1/2 cup butter or margarine in mixer bowl. Gradually add 1 cup sugar, creaming well. Add 2 eggs and 1/2 teaspoon vanilla; beat well. Blend in dry ingredients just until moist. Gradually mix in 1 cup buttermilk or sour milk. Stir in 3/4 cup currants or raisins. Fill paper baking cups or greased muffin cups 3/4 full.

Bake at 400 degrees for 15 to 20 minutes. Cool slightly. Form a cross on each muffin with Vanilla Frosting. Best served warm. Yield, 2 dozen Hot Cross Muffins.

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Within five minutes you can also rest your eyes with pads of cotton soaked in witch hazel, or avoid that down-at-heel look by having the heels of your shoes repaired.

What's in a name?

Discovering a way to bond rubber to fabric, Charles Mackintosh introduced the raincoat to England in 1824, and lived to hear his last name used as a synonym for the popular garment.

### VANILLA FROSTING

Place 1 cup sifted confectioners sugar, 1 tablespoon butter or margarine, dash salt and 1 tablespoon milk in mixer bowl. Blend at lowest speed, then beat until smooth. Add a little more milk, drop at a time, until of spreading consistency.

HERE'S A HEARTY casserole that blends the sea tang of scallops with the delicate flavor of mushrooms and grated cheese.

### CREAMED SCALLOPS 'N MUSHROOMS

- 1 lb. sea scallops
- 1 c fresh sliced mushrooms, or 1 6 oz. can sliced mushrooms
- 4 tbsps. butter or margarine
- 4 tbsps. flour
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 1/4 tsp. pepper
- 1 1/2 c light cream
- 2 tbsps. minced parsley
- 1/2 c grated cheese paprika

If fresh mushrooms are used, simmer for 5 minutes in 1/2 cup water. Grease a shallow casserole with shortening. If scallops are frozen, thaw, rinse and wipe dry. Arrange in bottom of casserole. Make a cream sauce by melting butter, adding flour and stirring constantly. Gradually add cream, stirring until all lumps are removed. Add cooked mushrooms with their liquid, or canned mushrooms and liquid. Mix well. Add parsley, adjust seasoning, pour and gently mix over scallops. Sprinkle with grated cheese and paprika. Bake in 350 F. degrees oven for 25 to 30 minutes, until cheese is melted and sauce bubbly. Serves 4.

### No zippers broken until after 1893

Where would we be without the simple zipper? Whittcomb L. Judson of Chicago patented the first slide fastener in 1893. It was a series of hooks and eyes joined by a slider. The first practicable mesh-toothed slider was designed by Gideon Sundback of Meadville, Pa., in 1913.

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- St. Johns**
- American Legion—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 8:30 p.m., Legion Hall
  - American Legion Auxiliary—3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Legion Hall
  - Banner Rebekah Lodge—1st and 3rd Mondays, 8 p.m., IOOF Hall
  - Blue Star Mothers—2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 8 p.m., Municipal Building
  - Child Study Club—3rd Wednesday 8 p.m., in homes of members
  - Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary—Board meet the 3rd Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., in the Nurses' Home
  - DAR—2nd Tuesday, in homes of members
  - 8 et 40—4th Tuesday, in homes of members
  - Exchange Club—2nd and 4th Thursdays, noon, Walker's Cafe
  - Griswold WRC—1st and 3rd Tuesday, 2 p.m., Municipal Building
  - 40 et 8—1st Monday, 8:30 p.m., St. Johns and Breckencridge Legion Halls, alternate months
  - Hoedown Club—1st and 3rd Saturdays, 8:30 to 11 p.m., Municipal Building
  - IOOF—Every Wednesday, 8 p.m., IOOF Hall
  - Junior Chamber of Commerce—2nd Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., Episcopal church
  - Knights of Columbus—1st and 3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m.—K of C hall
  - Knights Templar—1st Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
  - Masonic Lodge—2nd and 4th Wednesday 8:30 p.m., IOOF Hall
  - Masonic Lodge—1st Monday, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
  - Morning Musicals—2nd and 4th Thursday 9-9:45 a.m., in homes of members
  - Order of Eastern Star—1st Wednesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
  - Rotary Club—Every Tuesday, noon Walker's Cafe
  - Royal Arch Masons—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
  - Royal Neighbors of America—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 8 p.m., Municipal Building
  - Senior Citizens—2nd and 4th Tuesday, every month, VFW Hall
  - St. Johns Woman's Club—1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 2 p.m., in homes of members
  - St. Johns Honor Guard—2nd and 4th Wednesday, 3:30 p.m., VFW Hall
  - Tops Club—Every Thursday, 8:15 p.m., Municipal building
  - Union Home School Mothers Club—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., at school
  - VFW Auxiliary—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 8 p.m., VFW Hall
  - VFW—2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 8 p.m., VFW Hall
  - WCTU Mary Smith Union—Third Monday of the month at 7:30 p.m., in homes of members

- Bath**
- American Legion—2nd and 4th Thursdays, Memorial Hall
  - American Legion Auxiliary—2nd Tuesday and 4th Thursday, Memorial Hall
  - Bath Shootin' Stars Square Dance Club—Club dances the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of the month from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m., during regular dancing season at the James Couzens Gym
  - Cub Scout Pack—1st Tuesday, 7:30 p.m., at school
  - Cub Scout Pack—4th Thursday, 6:30 p.m., school
  - Firemen's Auxiliary—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., in homes of members
  - Parents-Lake Improvement League—4th Wednesday, 8 p.m., Improvement League Hall
  - Past Grand Club—4th Thursday, homes of members
  - PTA—2nd Thursday, 8 p.m., Junior high gym
  - PTA Executive Board—Monday before Thursday PTA meeting, 8 to 9 p.m., at school
  - Sunbeam Rebekah Lodge—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 8:30 p.m., community hall
  - Volunteer Firemen—2nd Monday, 8 p.m., fire hall
  - WCS—3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Methodist church

- DeWitt**
- Blue Star Mothers—2nd Thursday afternoon, Memorial building and homes of members
  - Boy Scouts—Every Monday, 7 p.m., Memorial building
  - Brownies—Every Wednesday, 3:30 p.m., Memorial building
  - Brown Bee Study Group—First Tuesday evening, homes of members
  - Circle Eight—First and third Saturdays, DeWitt elementary school
  - Rebekah Lodge—2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 8 p.m., Memorial building
  - DeWitt Grange—2nd and 4th Fridays
  - Girl Scouts—Every Thursday 3:30 p.m., Memorial building
  - DeWitters Tops Club—1st three Thursdays at DeWitt high school, 4th and 5th at Memorial Building at 8 p.m.



Always interested in "What's for supper?," the children in the John Glowacki family of 3561 West M-21, look on as their mother prepares one of their favorite Lenten dishes. Left to right are Bryan, 4, Mrs Glowacki, Allen, 7, and Philip, 6.

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- Gay 20's Square Dance Club—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 8 p.m., Memorial building
  - Job's Daughters—1st and 3rd Thursday evenings, Masonic Temple
  - Lions Club—3rd Tuesday evening, Memorial building
  - Masonic Lodge—1st Wednesday evening, Masonic Temple
  - Order of Eastern Star—1st Friday evening, Masonic Temple
  - PTA—3rd Wednesday, at high school, 8 p.m.
  - Royal Neighbors—1st and 3rd Fridays, 7:30 p.m., Memorial building
  - St. Francis Club—1st Monday, 8:30 p.m., Memorial building
  - Thursday Afternoon Club—Last Thursday in homes of members
  - Veteran's Club—2nd Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Memorial building
  - Volunteer Firemen—2nd Tuesday evening, fire hall
  - WCS—3rd Thursday evening, Methodist church
- Elsie**
- American Legion—Alternate Thursdays, 8 p.m., Legion hall
  - American Legion Auxiliary—Alternate Thursdays, 8 p.m., Legion hall
  - Band Boosters—1st Monday, 7:30 p.m., in homes of members
  - B.W.C.S.—2nd Tuesday, 3:30 p.m., in homes of members
  - Lions Club—1st and 3rd Mondays, 7:30 p.m., Legion hall
  - Masonic Lodge—2nd Tuesday, 8:00 p.m., Masonic hall
  - WCS—1st Wednesday 8:00 p.m., homes of members
  - Order of Eastern Star—3rd Wednesday, 8:00 p.m., Masonic hall
  - PTA—2nd Monday, 7:30 p.m., school gym
  - Women's Literary Club—Alternate Tuesdays, 8 p.m., homes of members
- Eagle**
- Helping Hand Club—4th Tuesday evening, in homes of members
  - Niles Cemetery Society—2nd Thursday, in homes of members
  - North Eagle Cemetery Society—Last Thursday, 3 p.m., Town hall
  - WCS—1st Wednesday, Ladies' Rooms Methodist church
- Fowler**
- Confraternity of Christian Mothers—4th Tuesday 8 p.m., Most Holy Trinity church
  - Daughters of Isabella—2nd Wednesday, 8 p.m., at school
  - Fowler Conservation Club—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., Fire Hall
  - Knights of Columbus—Monday after the 2nd Sunday, 8 p.m., K of C hall
  - Lions Club—3rd Monday, 8 p.m., Fowler Hotel
  - VFW—4th Thursday, 8 p.m., VFW hall
  - VFW Auxiliary—Last Wednesday 8 p.m., VFW hall
- Maple Rapids**
- Amica Club—1st Wednesday, 8 p.m., homes of members
  - Band Parents—2nd Wednesday, 8 p.m., students commons
  - Baseball Boosters—3rd Wednesday 8 p.m., at school
  - Blue Star Mothers—1st and 3rd Wednesday, 2 p.m., homes of members
  - Duo Decum Club—1st Saturday, 8 p.m., homes of members
  - High School PTA—1st Monday, 8 p.m., students commons
  - IOOF—Every Thursday 8 p.m., IOOF hall
  - Maple Rapids Improvement Association—4th Monday, 8 p.m., in Municipal building
  - Maple Twirlers—2nd and 4th Thursdays, Maple Twirlers Square Dance Club meets for one hour, following 8:10 p.m. square dance lessons, in the Maple Rapids School Gym
  - Masonic Lodge—2nd Monday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
  - Order of Eastern Star—3rd Monday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
  - PTA—3rd Tuesday, school gym
  - Rebekah Lodge—2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 8 p.m., IOOF hall
- Pewamo**
- Altar Society—4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Parish hall
  - Band Boosters—3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m., high school
  - Blue Star Mothers—3rd Wednesday, 8 p.m., elementary school
  - Lions Club—3rd Tuesday, elementary school
  - Masonic Lodge—3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Masonic hall
  - Order of Eastern Star—1st Wednesday 8 p.m., 2nd Monday, 8 p.m., club house
  - WCS—3rd Thursday 2 p.m., home of members
- Wacousta**
- Breakfast Club—Last Thursday, 9 a.m., in homes of members
  - Child Study Club—2nd Tuesday, evening, in homes of members
  - Masonic Order No. 339—Regular meetings first Thursday of the month at 8:30 p.m., at Temple
  - Methodist Men's Club—First Wednesday of each month; potluck at 6:30 p.m., Wacousta Methodist church
  - Neighborhood Society—3rd Thursday, in homes of members
  - Order of Eastern Star—1st Tuesday evening, Masonic Temple
- Westphalia**
- Catholic Order of Foresters—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., St. Mary's parish hall
  - Daughters of Isabella—3rd Thursday, 8 p.m., St. Mary's parish hall
  - Knights of Columbus—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., K of C rooms
  - Young Ladies Sodality—3rd Sunday afternoon, every 2 months, St. Mary's parish hall

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Massey Ferguson No. 72 PTO Combine, with recleaner, bean attachment, tandem wheels, 8 ft. cut, straw spreader, used very little  
1955 IHC -R-160 1 1/2 ton Truck, Garwood hoist, grain rack, steel bottom, deluxe cab, 16,000 actual miles, in excellent shape  
IHC 16 hoe Grain Drill, double disc opener, fertilizer and grass seed attachment, good  
3 Gan Cultipacker, center 10 ft., two 3 1/2 ft. covers, 16 ft.  
1962 Oliver wheel disc, with cylinder, 12 ft., like new  
John Deere No. 900-920, 12 ft. Field Cultivator, coil spring, with sweeps and chisel tooth, good  
Oliver 3 section spring tooth drag, covers 16 ft., like new  
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Oliver 3 section Spring Tooth, 12 ft.  
Oliver No. 4240, 3-14 in. trip bottom plow, with cylinder  
John Deere 4 section rotary hoe, good  
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**Activities set  
for Prayer Day**

MAPLE RAPIDS— Congregational Christian Church in Maple Rapids will host the 79th yearly observance of the World Day of Prayer on Friday, March 5. All persons interested are invited to attend the service which is a co-operative venture of the churches in Carson City, Maple Rapids, Hubbardston, and Palo.

Uniting six continents and more than 125 nations, this first Friday of the Lenten season has been set aside as a time for prayers for peace and brotherhood on the theme, "What Doth the Lord Require?"

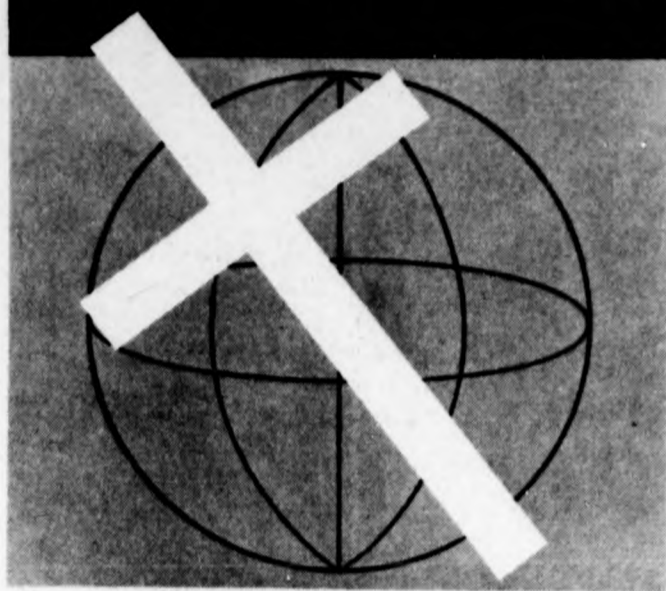
REV AND MRS Henry Voss of the Maple Rapids Congregational Christian Church have charge of the morning program. Presidents of the women's groups in cooperating churches will introduce their ministers. Mrs. Clyde Swanson, president of the Women's Fellowship, invites all to participate in a potluck at noon. Mrs. Arthur Loudonbeck and Mrs. Merrill Irwin have charge of arrangements. A brief business meeting follows the luncheon.

The afternoon service begins at 1:30 p.m. It was written by Mrs. Jesse Jai McNeill of Pasadena, Calif. Mrs. John Howe is organist for the service. Dr. Norma Eleson will give a brief message on the theme, "What Doth the Lord Require?" Mrs. Duane and Glendale Winsor will sing a duet.

Officers of the 1965 World Day of Prayer are Mrs. Keith Wright of Maple Rapids, chairman; Mrs. Conrad Churchill of Carson City, vice chairman; and Mrs. Addie Hill of Carson City, secretary-treasurer. A freewill offering will be used for missionary projects.

Wise sayings and garrulous talk may fall to the ground, rather than on the ear or heart of the hearer. —Mary Baker Eddy

**What doth the Lord require...  
but to do justly...love  
mercy...walk humbly**



**Friday, March 5  
FIRST METHODIST  
CHURCH  
in St. Johns**

**News About Clinton County  
Service Personnel**

GUNNER'S MATE SECOND CLASS DONALD F. HIAR, USN, son of Mrs. Hazel Hiar of 711 Garfield Street, St. Johns, is participating in "Operation Springboard" in the Caribbean while serving aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Franklin D. Roosevelt, operating out of Mayport, Fla. During this training period, Atlantic Fleet units will conduct drills in anti-submarine, anti-air and amphibious warfare techniques.

Pfc. EUGENE HIGGINS, formerly of R-3, St. Johns, and son of Mrs. Thomas Bosquette, is serving as an instructor in surveying with the US Army in Germany. He left here in January. His address is Pfc. Eugene Higgins, US 558-00477, HQ 3rd MSLBR, 79 FA, APO, New York, N. Y. 09169.

SEAMON MACK B. STRUBLE, USN, son of Mr and Mrs L. G. Struble of 14020 Turner Road, R-1, DeWitt, helped celebrate the 23rd anniversary of the Navy's Amphibious Force Feb. 20 while serving with Assault Craft Unit Two. The Atlantic Fleet Amphibious Force, comprised of more than 60 ships and 20,000 men, maintains combat ready units in the Caribbean, Mediterranean, and along the Atlantic Coast.

**Fairbank's 'Mark  
of Zorro' Sunday**

Douglas Fairbanks' first costume picture, "The Mark of Zorro," made in 1920, will be offered in the Famous Early Movie Series at Henry Ford Museum theater at Dearborn Sunday, March 7. Sunday only showings are at 2 and 4 p.m.

A fast-moving plot wherein Zorro avenges the wrongs of the governor, an 1850 model dictator, the costumes served to dramatize the action. Fairbanks really came into his own in the dueling sequences. With deft strokes of his sword, Zorro managed to leave his mark on each opponent, a "Z" cut into the face or shoulder.

This silent film of 1920 also includes Noah Beery and Marguerite de la Motte. Piano music in the theater accompanies the film to dramatize the moments of pathos, rapture and climax.

**P-W High musical  
auditions held**

PEWAMO - WESTPHALIA — Auditions were held the first part of this week for the Music Department's presentation of the musical comedy "Take It Easy," which will be performed April 28 and 29. The cast includes 11 persons, plus a 10-voice choir and a 17-piece dance band.

The Pewamo-Westphalia Band Boosters announced a profit of \$51 from their project of typing license plate forms at the Pewamo Fire Hall Feb. 11 and 18. Mrs. Paul H. Miller was chairman of the project, and Miriam Spencer and Beth Vance from the high school were typists.

The true spirit of conversation consists in building on another man's observation, not overturning it. —Edward Bulwer-Lytton

**Southern part of state is major  
beneficiary in \$133 million parks plan**

A forward-looking \$133 million parks and recreation plan for Michigan spanning the next 10 years was outlined before the Conservation Commission during its February meeting in Lansing.

Under the proposed program, tailored to projected public demands and a state population estimated to reach 10.5 million by 1975, some \$100 million would be invested in new park lands and facilities.

THE remaining \$33 million would be spent during the 10 years for maintenance and operation of the expanded state parks system which even today is "totally inadequate" to meet recreational needs, according to Conservation Department Parks Chief Arthur C. Elmer.

Nearly 50,000 camping families, or 200,000 people, had to be turned away from state parks

in 1964 because their campsites were filled to the limit, Elmer said.

"UNLESS WE act now, the gap between supply and demand will continue to grow, to the detriment of the tourist industry and Michigan's general economic health," he said.

To catch up with steadily growing demands for recreational space, Michigan should expand its state parks from the present 190,000 acres to 472,500 acres within the next 10 years, Elmer reported. He underscored the urgency of acquiring additional park lands now before they are lost to other developments or their prices skyrocket out of the Department's buying range.

MUCH OF the increase, both in lands and facilities, should come in the southern third of the

state where most of the people live and where parks draw heaviest play, Elmer explained.

The parks chief said details of the new program must now await completion of a statewide interim master plan for recreation, being drafted in hopes of qualifying Michigan for an estimated \$2.8 million in matching federal monies during the next fiscal year under the new Land and Water Conservation Fund Act.

WHILE NOTING that the method of financing is a prerogative of the State Legislature, Elmer mentioned several possible new sources of revenue. Among alternatives he listed were: 1) A tax on soft drinks earmarked for park acquisition and development; 2) An excise levy on camping equipment and other sporting goods; 3) A \$3 increase in the Michigan automobile license fee to be set aside for parks.

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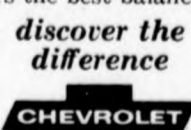
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# Tri-county planners study financing of water study

Alternative plans for financing a six-year \$120,000 study of vital ground water resources in Clinton, Ingham, and Eaton Counties are currently being studied by staff members at the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission.

The study was ordered by commission members at their February session in light of a suggestion by the Lansing Board of Water and Light that other water supply agencies in the three-county area participate in financing the project, since all would stand to benefit by the results of the survey.

Young said a report on alternative financing plans is expected to be ready at a March 11 special session of the commission.

Federal geologist K. E. VanLier, in a preliminary survey of the region, noted that nearly all of the industrial, municipal, and household water supplies presently are obtained from wells drawing on the ground water supply.

IN LIGHT OF this factor, Young said that ground water resources will be of vital interest to the residents of the area as population growth causes demand for water to increase.

VanLier's report also indicated that as the need for water increases, there may be a need for construction of reservoirs on area streams to help replenish the ground water table.

ANOTHER item discussed at the February commission session was plans for a systematic survey of 5 per cent of the households in the three-county region, to be used as a basis for predicting the area's long and short-term needs.

Young said the survey, which will begin in April, will provide a means of projecting the region's needs along the lines of transportation and public services. It will also provide data on economic factors and employment that will be valuable in assessing future growth in the region.

COMMISSION members authorized Chairman Alan R. Dean of St. Johns to sign a contract with the National Analysis Co. of Philadelphia, Pa., which will direct the survey. It was pointed out that information collected during the survey will be confidential and not available to the public or governmental agencies. It will be placed on electronic computer tape, and the original cards bearing the data will be destroyed.

Also approved at the February session was a request for operating funds for the fiscal year 1966-67, which will be sent to the three county boards of supervisors for approval. The commission noted that the \$80,000 request is \$5,000 more than they previously expected would be needed to carry out operations during this period, and said that a tremendous increase in requests for assistance from governmental units all over the region necessitated the additional funds. Young said that such requests have almost tripled during the past year.

Individual county shares for the commission would be: Ingham, \$50,750; Clinton, \$13,227; and Eaton, \$16,023.



At Church of Nazarene Sunday

The St. Johns Church of the Nazarene, 515 N. Lansing Street, will present the Gospel Harmony Trio from Battle Creek, in a combined Sunday school and preaching service, Sunday at 10 a.m. The trio will also sing at the evening service at 7 p.m. The public is invited to attend both services.

## Kincaid District

By ROSALYN PARKS, Correspondent

Mr and Mrs Harvey Hoerner visited Mr and Mrs Harold Hoerner Saturday evening.

Wayne Valentine visited Harold Hoerner Saturday afternoon.

Sunday dinner guests in the Harold Hoerner home were Mr and Mrs Harvey Hoerner, Wayne Valentine and Russ Sullivan.

Roger Hardenburg visited Mr and Mrs Harold Hoerner and Nancy.

Sunday afternoon Russ Sullivan and Nancy Hoerner went for a drive to Lowell.

Mrs Porter Parks and girls were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Clarence Parks of Lansing, Sunday evening they were guests of Mr and Mrs David Parks and children to help Corinna celebrate her first birthday.

Mr and Mrs Vernon Grove and family of Grand Ledge visited Mr and Mrs Richard Grove and family, Sunday.

Mrs Thelma Dickinson is staying in Portland with Mr and Mrs John Dickinson, who are the parents of a baby girl.

Marilyn Parks visited Eleanor Dumond Saturday evening.

Mr and Mrs Roger Balmer visited the planetarium at Michigan State University Saturday evening.

A week ago Tuesday, Mr and Mrs N. C. McElmurry of near Dimondale visited Mr and Mrs Don Sullivan and family.

Mrs Irma Gibbons visited Grace Sullivan Thursday evening.

Darlene Sullivan spent Saturday night with Vaneta Weaver.

John Bennett spent Saturday night with Garry Sullivan.

Easter, the keystone of Christian faith and hope, was not generally celebrated in this country until late in the 19th century. Most Protestant churches in the US, following in the footsteps of the English Puritans, dropped the celebration of Easter because they disliked the ritualism that had developed with it.

Dare to be true; nothing can need a lie. —George Herbert

## North Bengal

By Mrs Wm. Ernst

Mrs Fred W. Pasch went Tuesday to St. Paul, Minn. to spend an indefinite time with her parents, Mr and Mrs Emil Lauer. Mrs Lauer reportedly is in poor health at the present time.

Mr and Mrs William S. Ernst and family of Battle Creek were Sunday dinner and supper guests of their uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs William Ernst and Maxine.

Mr and Mrs James Lower of Ionia spent Saturday evening with Mr and Mrs Fred Hecht and Jim. Mrs Edna Watamaker visited her daughters in Detroit last week Sunday until Wednesday.

Mr and Mrs Lloyd Nequette of Lansing visited their father, John Foerch Sunday afternoon.

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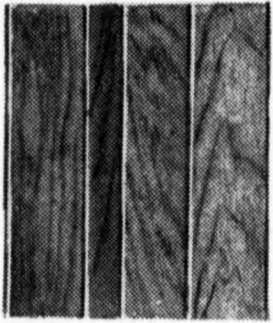
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## Ovid United Church sets Lenten services

Sunday, March 7, will mark the beginning of the 14th Annual Union Lenten Services held at Ovid United Church on Front Street. The choirs of the participating churches will sing and young people from each church will take part in the worship service. Combined youth meetings will be held at 6:30 p.m. in the fellowship rooms.

The churches participating are the United Church, Shepardsville Methodist, Ovid First Baptist, Elsie Methodist, Duplain Methodist, Bannister Methodist, Ashley Methodist and Middlebury Methodist.

SCHEDULE OF speakers is: March 7, Rev Louis Johnson, Friendship Baptist Church, Detroit; March 14, Rev Halley B. Oliver, United Church of Christ, Owosso; March 21, Dr Harry Denman, National Board of Evangelism; March 28, Rev Thomas Pollard, protestant chaplain, Southern Michigan State Prison,

Jackson; April 4, a program of sacred music by the Clintonaires; April 11, Dr Hugh Townley, Ames Methodist Church, Saginaw.

Rev Garth Smith, minister of the United and Shepardsville Methodist Churches, is general chairman of the Union Lenten Planning Committee. Rev Walter Easton, Elsie and Duplain Methodist Churches, is vice chairman.

THE FIRST speaker of the series will be Rev Louis Johnson, minister of Friendship Baptist Church, Detroit. His sermon topic is "The Resurrected Mission." Rev Mr Johnson, former pastor of the Greater Zion Temple Church, Chicago, Ill., received his BS in education at Wayne State University, Detroit; master of religious education at Northern Baptist Theological Seminary, Chicago and studied at Oberlin Graduate School of Theology, Oberlin College, Ohio.

Active in community and state

affairs, Rev L. Johnson currently serves as member of division of strategy and planning, Detroit Council of Churches; vice chairman of board of directors, Open Door Rescue Mission; chairman of the ministerial council, Home Federal Savings and Loan Assn.; member of the board of directors; Brewster Recreation Center; vice president for the Wolverine Baptist State Convention; member of public affairs committee, Baptist Ministers' Conference of Detroit and vicinity; and is a member of the board of directors, The Detroit Association of American Baptist Churches.

HE IS ALSO chairman of the Detroit Fellowship of Urban Renewal Churches; member of the Community Co-ordinating Council; member of the board for Gleiss Center; chairman, the Urban Renewal Committee, the Baptist Ministers' Conference of Detroit and vicinity; member of the board of managers of the Michi-

gan Baptist Convention; member of the Detroit Urban League Housing Committee; member of the Brewster-Douglass Tenants Council Scholarship Committee; member of the Equal Educational Opportunities Committee; member on the committee for Baptist Students work at Wayne State University; vice moderator of the Wolverine Baptist State Convention; member of the Metropolitan Opportunities Commission; member Mayor's Committee on total action against poverty; member Fair Campaign Practices Commission — appointed by Gov. George Romney.

Services begin at 7:30 p.m., and are open to the public. Everyone is invited to attend.

This Sunday, the worship will be in charge of Rev Wallace Lewien, pastor of Ovid First Baptist Church. The fellowship and refreshment hour held at the close of the service will be in charge of the women from United Church.



MADELINE ELAINE PHILLIPS

Mr and Mrs Harold G. Phillips of rural Elsie announce the engagement of their daughter, Madeline Elaine, to Daryl Shanhan, son of Mr and Mrs Charles Shanhan of Warren. A summer wedding is being planned.

Nature is visible thought. — Heinrich Heine

## Plan work for Senior Citizens

Eighty-four persons met at the VFW Hall on Feb. 23 for the meeting of the Clinton County Senior Citizens.

The speakers were Floyd Wallace, field administrator of the Michigan Commission on Aging in Lansing and Arden Peterson from the staff of 4-H Clubs at Michigan State University.

They outlined ways in which the talents of senior citizens can be used in the community, such as arts and crafts, leadership for young people, home repair clinic, and diversional activities in nursing homes. MSU plans to make its resources available in programs which will utilize the skills of senior citizens.

DON WALKER of the local 4-H would like leadership of older people to work with the young ones. He and Betty Ketcham of the Cooperative Extension Service will work with an advisory committee of senior citizens in

outlining programs. Chairman Hill appointed such a committee composed of Roy Ormsby, George Shaw, Ernest Root and Dewey Reist.

Other guests at the meeting were some of the chairmen of the various committees of the Aging Commission: Gerald Pope, chairman of the committee on housing; Ernest Root, earning opportunities; Lorenz Tiedt, transportation; Bruce Lanterman, insurance; Mrs Beatrice Rivard, co-chairman of Health and Welfare; and Betty Ketcham, leisure and education.

THE TYPES OF housing planned for senior citizens were explained and over 25 per cent of those present signed cards indicating their interest in an apartment house for senior citizens.

The newly formed men's chorus sang a number, followed by several numbers by the Kitchenette Band.

The next meeting will be at the VFW Hall on March 9 at which time a representative of the National Heart Association will speak. All senior citizens cordially invited.

### Bridgeville

By Mrs Thelma Woodbury

Mr and Mrs Douglas Hulbert and Shelly Lynn, Mr and Mrs David VanHorn and Kimberly Sue and Mr and Mrs John Woodbury called on Mr and Mrs Bruce Hulbert and family Sunday afternoon.

Vere Mills has been confined to Gratiot Community Hospital the past two weeks with pneumonia but is somewhat improved at this writing.

Mrs Bessie Miller and Miss Mildred Miller called on Vere Mills Saturday at Gratiot Community Hospital.

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**Peace Corps test**  
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217 of the Post Office Building in Lansing, where the next Peace Corps Placement Test will be given. A questionnaire should be filled out in advance and can be obtained from any post office.

**List jurors for March term**

The names of 40 jurors have been drawn for the March term of circuit court, County Clerk Paul Wakefield announced this week. The March term opens Monday, with Circuit Judge Leo Corkin presiding.

Snyder and Forrest Swatman; LEBANON, Dale Gage and Doris Wood; OLIVE, Geraldine Brainard and Russell Sibley; OVID, Evelyn Bakke and Richard DePond; RILEY, Ethel Fiegler and William F. Witt Jr.

The jurors, by townships, are:

BATH, James Bergin and Wanda R. Nessman; BENGAL, Veronica Boettger and Leo Thele; BINGHAM, Alice Curtis and Howard Walker; DALLAS, Donald Lucas and Mark Wieber; DEWITT, Jesse Delo and Albert Fill; DUPLAIN, Elwood Erickson, Ethel Risley and Harry C. Wadell.

VICTOR, Pauline Bishop and Ethen Smith; WATERTOWN, Marvel Hodges and John Morrow; WESTPHALIA, Ferdinand Schafer and Eleanor C. Simon; CITY OF ST. JOHNS, Roy Ebert, Loren Jury, James Nuser and Dale Schultheiss.

**Police checking out cut-up car near Bath**

BATH—State police are still investigating parts of the front end of a 1963 or 1964 model sports car recovered in pieces from the farm field of Delbert Talliver, 130 N. Alger St., Lansing, near Herbison and Upton roads last week.

Only the front end was found. Fiberglass parts were sawed in to pieces and metal parts had been cut with a torch. State police are checking into the possibility the car had been stolen.

**South Watertown**

By Mrs Bruce Hodges

**Hold bridal shower for Miss Hengesbach**

SOUTH WATERTOWN—Mrs Mark Oliver entertained 30 women at a bridal shower on Thursday evening, honoring Miss Rosella Hengesbach of Westphalia whose marriage to Charles Lonier will be an event of May 1. Bridal bingo was played and the serving table was centered with large white bells.

Mr and Mrs Harold Patrick were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Roy Patrick of Ionia.

Mr and Mrs Don Cobb attended a square dance party at the School for the Blind on Tuesday evening.

Mrs Lester Garlock will entertain the Blue Star Service Club on Tuesday, March 9, with a 12:30 p.m. dinner. Old fashioned dress will be the style. An auction will follow the business meeting.

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This exterior view of the new Ashley Corp. plant shows the dark steel overhead tracks that will be used by a big crane to move steel. Main Ann Arbor Railroad track is at lower left of the picture, and a railroad siding goes between the second and third crane-track supports.



Sparks fly as worker at left and others put the final touches on the L-shaped building that is the new home of the Ashley Corp. at Ashley. With completion of the building, fabricating equipment will be moved in and the company will begin manufacturing of railroad car equipment. The building is 300 feet long and 120 feet wide.

**Ashley Corp. starts production soon**

ASHLEY—The Ashley Corp.'s new fabricating plant at Ashley is in the completion stages, and production will start soon with the arrival of equipment for the building and steel for the products.

With the contractors having the building nearly complete, Ashley Corp. already has men on its payroll making fixtures and jigs for the jobs the plant will soon be running. Plant Manager Clarence Luckhardt said four men were to be on the company payroll Monday, with about 10 expected the middle of the week.

EMPLOYMENT will rise to about 50 within 30 days. "We'll probably be in a two-shift operation in 60 to 90 days," Luckhardt said, with eventual employment of about 200 people.

The \$400,000 steel fabricating plant will manufacture material handling equipment to be installed in or on railroad cars. This includes engine racks, transmission racks and items of that nature.

"WE'LL BID ON almost anything we can handle," Luckhardt said, "but we hope to specialize in making equipment for railroad cars—handling racks, shipping containers and the like."

The big plant is a striking addition to the Ashley community. It sits toward the rear of a 15-acre site at the northwest edge of the village, adjacent to the tracks of the Ann Arbor Railroad. The main building is L shaped, 300 feet long and 120 feet wide across the base.

DARK STEEL beams immediately to the south of the building support a big overhead crane which will be used to move steel from the railroad siding to a storage area. The big beams are in marked contrast to the lighter-colored, corrugated metal building.

Another big concrete slab to the west of the building will be used for the storing of finished products.

THE COMPANY'S office is located about 70 yards south, about halfway between the plant and the road at the north edge of town.

Harry Whelan, production manager, said equipment for the building should be arriving shortly and then it will be only a matter of time before actual production starts.

Luckhardt's job application list contains between 275 and 300 names now and is still growing. Most of the applicants come from a radius of 15 miles of Ashley, but there are many from points as far away as DeWitt to the south.

THE EVENTUAL employment of 200 men is bound to have some effect on the village of Ashley, and things are humming there. A new housing development with about a half-dozen homes has been platted at the southeast edge of town and there has been some rezoning for a trailer park.

**Smooth or crunchy**

Scientific vending of peanut butter will please lovers of the nutty spread, says a company that recently introduced a peanut butter vending machine. The firm says its peanut butter has a purer "peanutty" taste because it doesn't contain the hard fats added to packaged spreads to prevent oil separation.

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**Rew District**  
By Mrs Howard Witt

**WCA Auxiliary picks officers**

REW— The Women's Auxiliary of the Wilsey Cemetery Association met with Mrs Don Harnish for the February meeting. Eleven persons were served pot-luck at noon.

Officers were elected in the afternoon as follows: Mrs Don Harnish, president; Mrs Howard Witt, vice president; Mrs Rollin Beardslee, secretary; and Mrs Albert Young, treasurer.

Mrs Young reported that she had turned \$100 plus \$91 of donations to the treasurer of the Wilsey Cemetery Association to help pay for care of the Cemetery in the coming year.

The next meeting will be with Mrs Rollin Beardslee. Anyone interested is invited.

Dr and Mrs James Kingsley and Jennifer were Saturday night supper guests of her parents, Mr and Mrs Howard Witt, and family. Later Mr and Mrs Kingsley attended the dance held by the Shootin' Stars at Bath. They belong to a square dance group in Marshall and were former members of the Buttons and Bows Club in Frederick, Md.

Mrs Clyde Chadwick received an 83rd "Happy Birthday" when her grandson and family, Mr and Mrs Glen Corp and Chad of Tustin called her and sang happy birthday.

Mr and Mrs Chadwick were dinner guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs Rollin Beardslee, on her birthday. Shortly after Mr and Mrs W. D. Chadwick arrived with a birthday supper to share with their parents. Callers in the Chadwick home were Mr and Mrs Rex Hoover and Norman of St. Johns, Mr and Mrs Billy Crego and daughters, Mr and Mrs Leo Cota, Mr and Mrs Marvin Witt, Mrs David Steavens and family and Mrs Howard Witt.

**Gunnisonville**

By Mrs Loui E. Fritz

**Birthday Club honors member**

GUNNISONVILLE— Mrs Clint Wright was the honored guest of the Kith 'n' Kin Birthday Club Monday evening, Feb. 22, when it was entertained at the home of Mrs Arnold Gross of 721 Foster Street, Lansing.

Mrs Wright received an electric table broiler as a group gift from the club.

Party games were in play and the prizes were lottery articles. Mrs Alva Hartman drew the door prize, a pin and earring jewelry set.

The hostess served a buffet luncheon from a candlelight table. Other guests included Mrs Clyde Smith and Mrs Florence Wickham of St. Johns, Mrs Max Pierce, Mrs Bill Shaver, Mrs Ron Parkinson and Mrs Ernie Fritz. Mrs Cleo Friend of Bath will be the March hostess.

Mr and Mrs Howard McConkey of Holt and Mr and Mrs Burton Bonnett and family of Haslett were Sunday callers of Mr and Mrs Glenn Balduf. Mr and Mrs Harold Raymond were Saturday evening visitors.

Miss Nancy Hartman, daughter of Mr and Mrs Alva Hartman, returned home Friday from Lansing General Hospital where she has been the past 17 days.

Dale Schmidtman, the new business manager for the Michigan State Prison at Marquette, spent the weekend with his family on Clark Road. Mrs Schmidtman and the children will move to Marquette in June when school is out.

The force of one's being, if it has any force, must come from within. —Rufus W. Clark



Pins were once so scarce and expensive that English husbands introduced the custom of giving their wives a special allowance on New Year's Day, so they could stock up for the rest of the year. The custom went out in the 1800's, when machines began making pins and they became plentiful and cheap, but the term "pin money" has survived.

**Road Commission Weekly Report**

Last week's storm is still making some trouble for maintenance crews. In addition to water on roads and some spring breakup the storm also caused several minor breakdowns on equipment.

The shop had 22 maintenance calls last Friday and Saturday. Most of them were for stuck snow blows, with worn-out blades and snow plow shoes coming second.

THE CREWS worked almost constantly from Wednesday night to Saturday. Friday morning nearly all local roads were closed and the primary roads that had been plowed Thursday were again full of snow.

A shift in the high winds had drifted both east-west and north-south roads. In addition to this monumental task, the drifting snow was causing icing on the state trucklines.

STALLED cars many of them nearly buried in snow-banks, slowed the work. Many emergencies, some of them real, some imagined, also hampered the operation. In spite of these ob-

stacles, all roads were open by Saturday night, although the work of widening some was left to Monday.

From the hundreds of telephone calls we received from Thursday to Saturday, we got the impression that everyone in the county was sick, out of fuel oil, out of milk, had milk to get out or was going to have a baby. We had funerals, weddings, auction sales and coaches trying to get

stranded basketball players out for games.

NEARLY everyone was kind and understanding. As is nearly always the case, the ones in the most desperate need were the most understanding. The most critical were the ones with the minor problems.

The emergency situation was not without its humor. One lady reported a car stalled and want-

ed our plows to watch out for it. Her greatest concern, however, seemed to be that her husband had left it and instead of walking on home had walked back to the nearest tavern.

ONE LADY wanted to know when her husband could get out and go to work; he had been around the house for two days and was getting on her nerves. One man said he had his choice of three weeks for an auction sale

and he sure had picked a good one.

Looking back on the storm we are glad its over and we want to thank the many people who gave us cooperation, understanding and patience during the ordeal.

I will report on the many bids that are opened on Wednesday, March 3, next week.

DON EWING,  
Road Clerk

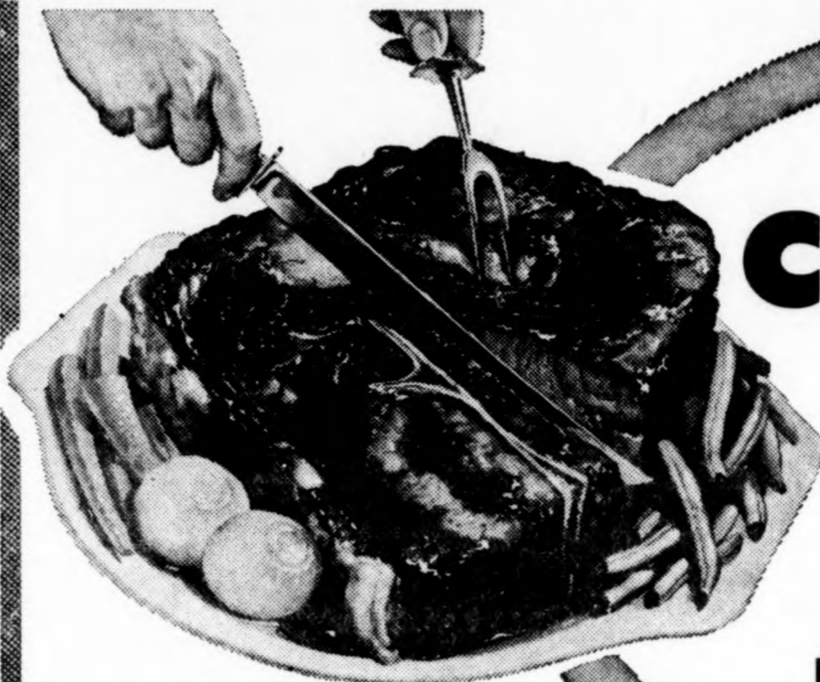


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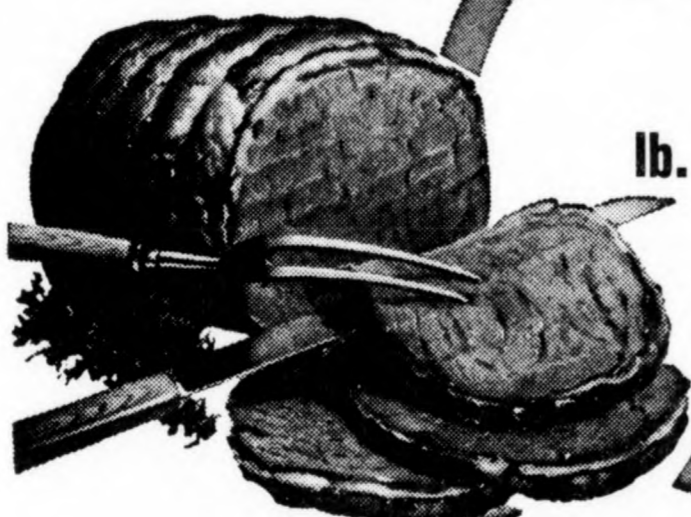


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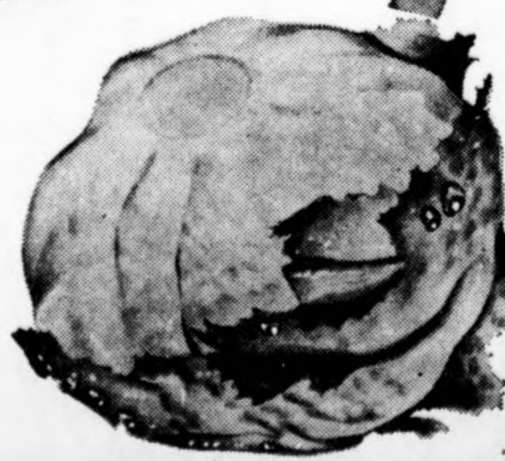
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### Tape recorder new aid in Clinton circuit court

The 29th Judicial Circuit has had a tape recorder to its efforts to reduce the backlog of court cases and to help with de-mo-ni-um-making.

The tape recorder was added weeks ago in St. Johns and is to be installed this week at the Clinton-Gratiot County leg-

IT WILL be used primarily as an aid to the court reporter. While he (Glenn Whitman is the present court reporter) will continue to take down the proceedings in shorthand, the tape recordings will allow someone else to transcribe the words on paper should he be busy.

In case the court asks for

previous testimony to be repeated, the court reporter can replay the tape recordings and give the actual voice as well as words of a witness. Then, too Judge Leo Corkin can use the tapes to aid him in making decisions.

THE BIGGEST percentage of notes taken by the court reporter

are never transcribed unless there is an appeal of a decision or an additional hearing is held on the case at a later date. All criminal arraignments and sentences are transcribed, however, and go into the records of the persons involved.

Because of possible mechanical troubles, the tape recorder

will never replace the court reporter in recording the proceedings. The court reporter will continue to take his notes, and they'll be the official notes. Even when the tape recorder is used by someone else in transcribing proceedings, the shorthand notes will be used to verify the tapes.

COURT TAPE recorders are nothing new. The Ionia-Stanton Circuit Court also makes use of them.

## Easter dates, meanings not hard to understand

You can look to the sky instead of your calendar to find the date of Easter. The full moon is the key to determining the date of Easter, which can come as early

as March 22 or as late as April 25. Not just any full moon, of course, but the first one after the vernal equinox which occurs

about March 21. Easter then falls on the first Sunday following the first full moon after the vernal equinox. This year Easter is April 18.

OTHER confusing dates, such as Ash Wednesday, can also be figured out easily. Ash Wednesday, March 3 this year, comes 40 days before Easter, excluding Sundays. It is the beginning of Lent and of the Easter season.

In the early church, ashes were sprinkled on the heads of persons who repented their sins on Ash Wednesday. The ashes were obtained from the burning of palms consecrated on Palm Sunday of the previous year and were to remind the faithful that "man is but dust."

IN THE Christian Church, Lent is the period of penitence, prayer, and fasting in preparation for Easter. The Lenten season extends from Ash Wednesday until Holy Saturday, the day before Easter, and commemorates Jesus Christ's 40 days of fasting and prayer in the desert. During Lent, which comes from an old English word for spring, Christians are required or encouraged to fast, avoid amusements, and engage in special worship.

Holy Week in the Christian church is the week preceding Easter and is observed as a period of devotion to the last days of Jesus Christ and to his death on the cross. Holy Week, the most important of the Christian year, begins with Palm Sunday which commemorates the triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem. Maundy—or Holy Thursday is the anniversary of the Last Supper and Good Friday recalls the Crucifixion. Holy Saturday is the day before Easter and the end of Lent.

EASTER IS THE festival celebrating the Resurrection of Jesus Christ. It symbolizes the key-stone of Christian faith and hope—the immortality of man. The crucifixion of Jesus occurred during the Jewish Passover. The early Christians, being Jewish, observed Easter as part of Passover. Later, as non-Jews came into the church, some Christians insisted that Easter should be celebrated on Sunday, the day of Resurrection.

Western churches generally celebrated the festival on Sunday, while eastern churches followed the Jewish tradition. The first ecumenical council, the Council of Nicaea, in 325 decided that Easter should always be on Sunday, and adopted the rule for establishing the date.

EASTER DERIVED its name from Eastre, the Anglo-Saxon goddess of spring. And many of the customs of the Easter festival were incorporated from heathen rituals welcoming the spring season. The egg has long been a symbol of Easter. But long before the birth of Christ the ancient Egyptians and Persians had the custom of coloring and eating eggs during their spring festival as a symbol of fertility and of renewed life. The Christians paraphrased this ancient significance of the egg as a symbol of new life, and the egg became a symbol of resurrection.

The sunrise service so much a part of Easter is also rooted in antiquity. According to an old superstition, the sun rising on Easter morning danced in the heavens. This belief has been traced to the old heathen festival when the spectators danced in honor of the sun.

THE EASTER parade, seeming entirely worldly, may be traced to an old belief that it was unlucky not to wear some new article of clothing or personal adornment on Easter. Or it may stem from the universal feeling that the Eastertide is the time of casting off the old and the beginning of the new.

And those families who, by custom, eat ham on Easter Sunday are unwittingly following an old practice of the Roman Catholics of England who ate a gammon of bacon on Easter to show their contempt for the Jews, to whom pork is forbidden.



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**County Line News**  
 By Mrs Doris Fisher

**Salem EUB Church joins Lenten rites**

COUNTY LINE— The combined Lenten services in which Salem EUB Church is one of the participating churches begin next Sunday, March 7. This meeting will be held in the First Congregational Church in St. Johns. Reuben Mueller, EUB Bishop of the West Central area will be one of the speakers.

The EUB Men's Brotherhood of Salem Church will sponsor a Father and Son Banquet in the church basement on March 13.

Salem EUB Local Conference for March will be held at Ionia EUB Church, March 20, at 7:30 p.m. A lay representative to the conference will be elected.

Mr and Mrs Harry Patterson spent Saturday with Mr and Mrs Dorrence Patterson in St. Johns.

Mr and Mrs Richard Feder-spiel and son Jimmie of Saginaw spent the weekend with Mr and Mrs James Fisher and family.



**Clinging Snow Transforms Lansing Street into Winter Wonderland**

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**Ovid**

By MRS. APHRA PIXLEY, Correspondent

**Ovid-Duplain Club will hold meeting**

OVID —The Ovid-Duplain Library Club will meet with Mrs Clayton Sherwin at 12:45 p.m. Friday, March 5. After their business meeting the group will attend the World Day of Prayer service at the Front Street United Church.

Spec. 1. C and Mrs Randy Fowler left last week for K. I. Sawyer AFB where he will be stationed for some time.

Mr and Mrs Lyle Clark and Jeffrey were Saturday guests of Mr and Mrs George Austin.

Mr and Mrs Harold Frisbie spent several days last week with their son, Keith at LeRoy. Gary Kioski was home over the weekend from Great Lakes Training Center.

Mrs Herman McKay, Mrs Ila Erfourth, Jerry McKay and Mr and Mrs Keith Irish attended the funeral of Kenneth McKay at Alma on Thursday.

Eva Jane Secord entered Lansing General Hospital on Thursday for further treatment.

James Saxton, who recently completed Aviation Ordnance School in Florida has been transferred to San Diego, Calif.

Michael Dean, who recently completed his advance training at Ft. Knox, Ky., has left for his assignment in Korea.

Dr and Mrs J. W. Bates and David spent 3 days last week in Chicago, Ill.

Mr and Mrs Marshall Monroe and Mr and Mrs George Austin were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs George Sillaway Sr. at Cedar Springs.

Mr and Mrs Thad Flaughter spent the weekend with their daughter and family at Bellaire.

Mrs Marion Nedrow has returned to her home from Flint Hospital where she was under treatment several weeks.

**Northeast Eagle**

Mrs Andrew Kempf  
 Phone 627-6710

N. E. EAGLE— The Willing Worker's Circle will meet Friday, March 5, with Mrs Cheryl Maier. Nan Nichols will have devotions and Sylvia Morris, the program. A luncheon will be served at 12:30 p.m.

Sue Feasel spent the weekend with Melody Crandall.

Mr and Mrs Andrew Kempf were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Clarence Kempf and daughters.

Mr and Mrs Fred Biergens attended the funeral of a cousin, Mrs Roy Mitchell of Plymouth, recently.

Mr and Mrs Lewis Babbitt attended a Sunday school party at Howard Beagle's Sunday night. Sunday afternoon they and their son, Vernon called on Mr and Mrs Roy Colly of Ionia.

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**Chapman District**  
 By Mrs Gerald Pope

V. D. Strong is a patient at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Mr and Mrs Lawrence Shoup were Sunday dinner guests at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs Leo Treat in Rochester Colony.

Mr and Mrs Gerald Pope with friends attended the Home Building Exposition at the Civic Center in Lansing Saturday evening.

Mr and Mrs Mike Daley of Lansing were Sunday callers in the Gerald Pope home.

Mrs V. D. Strong is staying with her daughter, Mrs Lucille Gallagher.

Miss Eleanor Warden returned home from Ford Hospital on Saturday.

Mr and Mrs Luther Hawley Sr., Mr and Mrs Luther Hawley Jr. and family, Mr and Mrs Vaughn Hawley and family and Mr and Mrs Roger Behrens attended the 25th wedding anniversary open house in honor of Mr and Mrs Vic Shorman held at the Webberville Community Hall on Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Austin Woodward have returned home after spending several days at their cottage at Caseville.

Mrs Fred Guild, Kenneth and Kathy Guild of Ithaca, Mr and Mrs Lester Harrington Jr. of St. Johns, Mr and Mrs Lyle Harrington and Arthur Harrington of Lansing were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Lester Harrington.

Mr and Mrs Harold Beardslee attended the 25th wedding anniversary open house in honor of Mr and Mrs Vic Shorman held at the Webberville Community Hall on Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Erwin Miller and Mr and Mrs Ray Miller have returned home after spending several weeks in Florida.

Ed Otto entered Clinton Memorial Hospital on Friday.

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(Riley Twp.)

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**Riley No. 2 School District**

not heretofore registered, until 5 o'clock, p.m., on

**March 10, 1965**

that being the last day of registration for the special election for said district scheduled April 10, 1965.

Persons registering after said date will not be eligible to vote in said election.

ILLAH M. MARTENS, Secretary  
 Riley No. 2 School District  
 Clinton County, Michigan

Dated this 15th Day of February, 1965

### Services held for Mrs Micka

ELISIE— Funeral services were held for Mrs Mary Micka, of Oneco, Fla., at the St. Cyril's Catholic Church in Bannister Saturday morning. Rev. Lawrence Smolinski officiated and burial was made in Ford Cemetery with arrangements by Carver Funeral Home.

Mrs Micka died Thursday at the home of her son, Joe of rural Elsie. She had been ill for a year and a half.

MRS MICKA WAS born in Czechoslovakia, Oct. 14, 1888, the daughter of John and Elizabeth Horak. She came to the United States in 1907 and moved to the Elsie area in 1911. She had resided in Florida for the past five years.

She was married to Joe Micka of Chicago, Feb. 7, 1909. She was a member of St. Cyril's Catholic Church and its Altar Society. She was also a member of the ZCZC Lodge No. 225.

SURVIVORS include her husband, Joe; two sons, Tony and Ed, both of Elsie; one sister, Mrs Lena Slovacek of Elsie, six grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

### Elsie

By MRS. NEVA KEYS, Correspondent

## Honors are awarded by Job's Daughters

ELISIE— Honored Queen Patricia Dunay of Bannister, opened the Bethel meeting of Job's Daughters in the Ovid Masonic Temple Monday night.

Prayers were given in memory of Ralph Williams of Elsie grandfather of Gwen Baker of Webberville, the Bethel Guide, and for the recovery of William Wilson, grandfather of Nancy Cross of Elsie, the Bethel Recorder. He is ill in the Owosso Memorial Hospital.

There were 20 daughters and 10 council members present for the Bethel's School of Instruction.

Escorts and honors were given Donna Lemon, grand chaplain of the Grand Council and past honored queen of the Clio Bethel who conducted the school; Connie Tambling, grand musician of Clio and past honored queen; Mr and Mrs Arley Lott, worthy patron and matron of Morningstar Chapter OES, Ovid; Mrs Harry Elrod,

worthy matron of Laingsburg Chapter OES; Sarah Lott, grand Bethel 5th messenger and past honored queen of Ovid Bethel; Margie Fluelling Morgan, past honored queen of the Ovid Bethel; and Mrs Rose Gardner and Robert Kridner, guardian and associate guardian of the Ovid Bethel, respectively.

Karen Elrod and Debbie Morgan served as pro-tem candidates during the school of instruction. Patricia Kridner sang "End of the Road" and played her own accompaniment.

Sue Besko reported that the Job's Daughters assisted the Laingsburg OES in serving their annual chicken supper. Gloria Richardson gave a report on the Fun program presented by the Daughters of the Annex of the Masonic Home in Alma, Sunday, where they visited the Bethel's adopted "Grandmother Cole."

Debbie Watson, librarian gave a reading "Our American Heritage." Miss Dunay announced that March 22 will be Masonic and Eastern Star night when two candidates will be given initiatory degrees. She appointed the following committees: decorations, Gloria Richardson, Jo Ellen Chaffee and Karen Hallead; and entertainment, Sue Richardson, Jennifer Keys and Peggy Rummell.

At the close of the Bethel, the guests held a social hour honoring their instructor, Donna Lemon. Refreshments were served from a buffet table centered with a cherry tree, complete with colored plastic cherries while matching miniatures marked the individual places. Beverly Mead was assisted by Sue Besko, Debbie Morgan and Sue Willett.

Mr and Mrs Clifford Dunham accompanied Mr and Mrs Luman to St. Petersburg, Fla. to visit their brother, Harold Dunham, who is spending the winter there. They visited Mr and Mrs J. O. Schumacher at Bradenton, Fla. They traveled from St. Petersburg to Tucson, Ariz. and spent a week with Mr and Mrs Asa Stewart of Elsie and Mrs Mrs Clarence Now.

Mr and Mrs James Dorman Jr. of Washington D. C. spent the weekend with their parents, Mr and Mrs James Dorman. Dorman and his family will sail March 27 for South America where he will be on assignment for the next 3-1/2 years for the USN in Cartagena, Columbia.

Mrs E. M. Slagh underwent surgery Monday morning at the Owosso Memorial Hospital.

Mrs Merle Ginther underwent surgery last week in the Clinton Memorial Hospital.

Mr and Mrs A. B. Sigafosse of Pensacola, Fla., spent a few days here with her brother and wife, Mr and Mrs Walter Sigafosse and other relatives.

### Family potluck planned by PTA

ELISIE— Sixteen members of the Parent-Teacher Assn. executive board met Monday evening prior to the special school meeting to plan future programs.

George Keck presided with Mrs Raymond Stewart, secretary and Mrs Alpha Grubaugh submitting their reports. Mrs Blair Daley, representative to the Friends of the Library organization also reported on plans.

Mrs Ray Peck, program chairman, led the discussion on the suggested programs. It was decided to devote the next meeting to honoring Michigan.

A FAMILY potluck supper is scheduled for 7 p.m. March 8, in the high school. It was requested that everyone bring foods that are Michigan products and also their own table service. The surprise beverage will be furnished by the committee. Mrs John Hibler may be called if there are any questions concerning the meeting.

Following the supper, a brief business meeting will be held and a program featuring Michigan's beauty spots and other points of interest will be presented. Elsie area travelers who have slides to loan for the travelogue, are asked to notify Mrs Ray Peck by March 4 to allow time for preparing the commentary. The slides are to be accompanied by a written description and clearly marked.

THERE WILL be other Michigan exhibits on display and a "Know Your Michigan" information quiz.

Final arrangements were made for the Hobby and Fun Night program, March 27. Mrs Lyle Acre of Ovid and Mrs Raymond Stewart will head the hobby exhibit committee and Mrs Robert Bloomer, the entertainment that follows. Ribbons will be awarded for participation.

The April meeting of PTA will feature a guest speaker. Everyone was reminded of the March 2 special election on the bond issue for the Ovid Area School District.

### Lodge No. 238 member honored

ELISIE— John Hall, member of the Elsie F & AM Lodge No. 238 for 45 years and its secretary during the past 25 years was honored by his brother Masons Saturday evening.

The affair was a surprise to Hall, who was lured to the Masonic Hall on pretext of a committee meeting. Hall, who is also township treasurer, was busy on the last day for tax collections and reluctant to spend the evening away from home.

Upon arrival at the hall, the Halls found the dining room filled with friends and a buffet table laden with food.

MR AND MRS Richard Holton, Mr and Mrs Howard Mitchell and Mr and Mrs Loyal Hinkley were in charge of the supper arrangements. Dale C. Levey, lodge secretary, assisted Byrl Sutliff, worshipful master, in plans for the party.

The guests assembled later for a program by the Ovid Bethel of Job's Daughters. Patricia Dunay, honored queen, served as emcee for the entertainment which included readings, vocal selections, and a comedy skit. Sutliff called on Leonard Tiltonson, past master, for some reminiscences of earlier years with John Hall in Masonic work.

LUMAN HALL, worthy patron of the Elsie OES and a long-time Mason, presented John Hall with matched luggage, a gift from his Masonic brothers and friends.

Hall joined the Masonic Lodge in 1920 and held all offices including Worshipful Master in 1932. He also served as worthy patron of the OES Chapter for several years and was high priest of the Royal Arch Masons at Ovid, and Thrice Illustrious Master of the Corunna Council.



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### Farm machinery meeting today

A meeting concerning farm machinery will be held at 1:30 p.m. today (Thursday) at Smith Hall, with Robert White, agricultural engineer from Michigan State University, present to lead the discussion.

Items which will be discussed include sizing machines and power to farm operations, field efficiency guides, tractor selection, efficient use of farm machinery and comments on fuel and oil selection.

### Achievement show leadership formed

A list of duty assignments for 4-H leaders for the annual Clinton County 4-H Spring Achievement Show has been mailed to the leaders by Donald Walker, Clinton County extension agent for 4-H work.

The achievement show will be March 27 to April 3 at Smith Hall. Exhibits will be set up. A senior miss style revue will be held April 2, and young miss and junior miss style revues will be held April 3.

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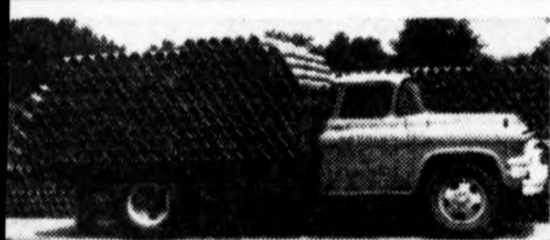
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DATE	Deposited	Withdrawn	Balance	DATE	Deposited	Withdrawn	Balance
1889				1890			
Dec 2	11.00		11.00	Oct 1	50		25.00
33	1.00		12.00	Oct 1	50		26.00
Jan 1	1.00		13.00	Apr 1	1.00		27.00
Apr 1	15		13.15	Oct 1	50		27.50
Jan 5	1.50		14.65	Oct 1	50		28.00
Oct 1	30		14.35	Apr 26	1.00		29.00
Apr 1	30		14.65	Nov 1	1.00		30.00
Apr 1	41		16.05	Apr 1	50		30.50
Oct 1	32		16.35	Oct 1	50		31.00
Apr 1	32		16.65	Apr 28	1.00		32.00
Jan 5	336		20.00	Oct 1	50		32.50
Oct 1	37		20.37	Oct 1	50		33.00
Jan 1	215		22.50	Apr 1	50		33.50
Apr 27	1.00		23.50	Oct 1	50		34.00
Apr 1	46		23.96	Apr 28	1.00		35.00
Oct 1	50		24.46	Oct 1	50		35.50
			25.00	Oct 1	50		36.00

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DATE	Deposited	Withdrawn	Balance	DATE	Deposited	Withdrawn	Balance
1893				1894			
Jan 4	5.22		5.22	Apr 1	12		7.10
Apr 1	25		30.25	Oct 1	10		39.25
Apr 1	25		35.25	Apr 1	10		45.25
Apr 1	26		36.66	Apr 1	10		55.25
Apr 1	10		46.66	Apr 1	10		65.25
Apr 1	25		71.66	Apr 1	10		75.25
Apr 1	10		81.66	Apr 1	10		85.25
Apr 1	10		91.66	Apr 1	10		95.25
Apr 1	10		101.66	Apr 1	10		105.25
Apr 1	10		111.66	Apr 1	10		115.25
Apr 1	10		121.66	Apr 1	10		125.25
Apr 1	10		131.66	Apr 1	10		135.25
Apr 1	10		141.66	Apr 1	10		145.25
Apr 1	10		151.66	Apr 1	10		155.25
Apr 1	10		161.66	Apr 1	10		165.25
Apr 1	10		171.66	Apr 1	10		175.25
Apr 1	10		181.66	Apr 1	10		185.25
Apr 1	10		191.66	Apr 1	10		195.25
Apr 1	10		201.66	Apr 1	10		205.25
Apr 1	10		211.66	Apr 1	10		215.25
Apr 1	10		221.66	Apr 1	10		225.25
Apr 1	10		231.66	Apr 1	10		235.25
Apr 1	10		241.66	Apr 1	10		245.25
Apr 1	10		251.66	Apr 1	10		255.25
Apr 1	10		261.66	Apr 1	10		265.25
Apr 1	10		271.66	Apr 1	10		275.25
Apr 1	10		281.66	Apr 1	10		285.25
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Apr 1	10		321.66	Apr 1	10		325.25
Apr 1	10		331.66	Apr 1	10		335.25
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Apr 1	10		421.66	Apr 1	10		425.25
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Apr 1	10		471.66	Apr 1	10		475.25
Apr 1	10		481.66	Apr 1	10		485.25
Apr 1	10		491.66	Apr 1	10		495.25
Apr 1	10		501.66	Apr 1	10		505.25
Apr 1	10		511.66	Apr 1	10		515.25
Apr 1	10		521.66	Apr 1	10		525.25
Apr 1	10		531.66	Apr 1	10		535.25
Apr 1	10		541.66	Apr 1	10		545.25
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Apr 1	10		571.66	Apr 1	10		575.25
Apr 1	10		581.66	Apr 1	10		585.25
Apr 1	10		591.66	Apr 1	10		595.25
Apr 1	10		601.66	Apr 1	10		605.25
Apr 1	10		611.66	Apr 1	10		615.25
Apr 1	10		621.66	Apr 1	10		625.25
Apr 1	10		631.66	Apr 1	10		635.25
Apr 1	10		641.66	Apr 1	10		645.25
Apr 1	10		651.66	Apr 1	10		655.25
Apr 1	10		661.66	Apr 1	10		665.25
Apr 1	10		671.66	Apr 1	10		675.25
Apr 1	10		681.66	Apr 1	10		685.25
Apr 1	10		691.66	Apr 1	10		695.25
Apr 1	10		701.66	Apr 1	10		705.25
Apr 1	10		711.66	Apr 1	10		715.25
Apr 1	10		721.66	Apr 1	10		725.25
Apr 1	10		731.66	Apr 1	10		735.25
Apr 1	10		741.66	Apr 1	10		745.25
Apr 1	10		751.66	Apr 1	10		755.25
Apr 1	10		761.66	Apr 1	10		765.25
Apr 1	10		771.66	Apr 1	10		775.25
Apr 1	10		781.66	Apr 1	10		785.25
Apr 1	10		791.66	Apr 1	10		795.25
Apr 1	10		801.66	Apr 1	10		805.25
Apr 1	10		811.66	Apr 1	10		815.25
Apr 1	10		821.66	Apr 1	10		825.25
Apr 1	10		831.66	Apr 1	10		835.25
Apr 1	10		841.66	Apr 1	10		845.25
Apr 1	10		851.66	Apr 1	10		855.25
Apr 1	10		861.66	Apr 1	10		865.25
Apr 1	10		871.66	Apr 1	10		875.25
Apr 1	10		881.66	Apr 1	10		885.25
Apr 1	10		891.66	Apr 1	10		895.25
Apr 1	10		901.66	Apr 1	10		905.25
Apr 1	10		911.66	Apr 1	10		915.25
Apr 1	10		921.66	Apr 1	10		925.25
Apr 1	10		931.66	Apr 1	10		935.25
Apr 1	10		941.66	Apr 1	10		945.25
Apr 1	10		951.66	Apr 1	10		955.25
Apr 1	10		961.66	Apr 1	10		965.25
Apr 1	10		971.66	Apr 1	10		975.25
Apr 1	10		981.66	Apr 1	10		985.25
Apr 1	10		991.66	Apr 1	10		995.25
Apr 1	10		1001.66	Apr 1	10		1005.25

2ND PRIZE of \$25 was awarded to Mrs Glenn A. Tupper, Box 125, Orosi, Calif., who entered this Clinton County Savings Bank passbook No. 1124, dated Jan. 4, 1893. Mrs Tupper is the former Jennie (Jane) Shaver of St. Johns and the account was opened for her by her father, the late H. V. Shaver.

DATE	Deposited	Withdrawn	Balance	DATE	Deposited	Withdrawn	Balance
1894				1895			
Aug 1	100.00		100.00	Apr 1	100.00		200.00
Apr 1	100.00		300.00	Apr 1	100.00		400.00
Apr 1	100.00		500.00	Apr 1	100.00		600.00
Apr 1	100.00		700.00	Apr 1	100.00		800.00
Apr 1	100.00		900.00	Apr 1	100.00		1000.00
Apr 1	100.00		1100.00	Apr 1	100.00		1200.00
Apr 1	100.00		1300.00	Apr 1	100.00		1400.00
Apr 1	100.00		1500.00	Apr 1	100.00		1600.00
Apr 1	100.00		1700.00	Apr 1	100.00		1800.00
Apr 1	100.00		1900.00	Apr 1	100.00		2000.00
Apr 1	100.00		2100.00	Apr 1	100.00		2200.00
Apr 1	100.00		2300.00	Apr 1	100.00		2400.00
Apr 1	100.00		2500.00	Apr 1	100.00		2500.00

3RD PRIZE of \$15 was won by Mrs Florence Ewer, R-6, St. Johns, with this entry of a passbook held by her father-in-law, the late Frank H. Ewer. It was issued by the St. Johns National Bank, a predecessor of the Clinton National, on Aug. 1, 1894.

DATE	Deposited	Withdrawn	Balance	DATE	Deposited	Withdrawn	Balance
1894				1895			
Aug 1	100.00		100.00	Apr 1	100.00		200.00
Apr 1	100.00		300.00	Apr 1	100.00		400.00
Apr 1	100.00		500.00	Apr 1	100.00		600.00
Apr 1	100.00		700.00	Apr 1	100.00		800.00
Apr 1	100.00		900.00	Apr 1	100.00		1000.00
Apr 1	100.00		1100.00	Apr 1	100.00		1200.00
Apr 1	100.00		1300.00	Apr 1	100.00		1400.00
Apr 1	100.00		1500.00	Apr 1	100.00		1600.00
Apr 1	100.00		1700.00	Apr 1	100.00		1800.00
Apr 1	100.00		1900.00	Apr 1	100.00		2000.00
Apr 1	100.00		2100.00	Apr 1	100.00		2200.00
Apr 1	100.00		2300.00	Apr 1	100.00		2400.00
Apr 1	100.00		2500.00	Apr 1	100.00		2500.00

4TH PRIZE of \$10 was given to A. Gayle Vauconsant, 509 S. Baker Street, St. Johns, whose father was issued this State Bank of St. Johns savings passbook on May 14, 1896. The State Bank was another predecessor of the present Clinton National.

Institutions, like structures, are not sound because they are old . . . rather, they are old because they are sound.

Since 1865 . . . for 100 years . . .

# PROTECTION for your SAVINGS and HIGHEST INTEREST RATES!



This is Clinton National's record during its Century of Service to the Clinton area . . . a record of community confidence exhibited this past month by the outpouring of ancient passbooks as entries in this first contest of our Centennial Year.

We congratulate the winners . . . and express our most sincere appreciation to the scores of other entrants who brought in old passbooks for display in our Centennial Room at the St. Johns office.

## Here were the other Entries in our Oldest Passbook Contest

We're grateful to these friends for searching out these old passbooks to help make this event such a real success. Watch for details of other Centennial Year events in coming months.

Entrant's Name and Address	Name of Predecessor Bank	Date of First Entry	Entrant's Name and Address	Name of Predecessor Bank	Date of First Entry
Harry Hamill S. State Rd., Owosso	Clinton County Savings	March 31, 1897	R. E. Daggett R-1, Elsie	State Bank of Elsie	Jan. 22, 1927
Lawrence Yallup R-4, St. Johns	Clinton County Savings	Oct. 11, 1898	Miss Mabelle Durkee E. Walker St., St. Johns	State Bank of St. Johns	Aug. 30, 1928
Robert Brown R-2, St. Johns	State Bank of St. Johns	March 7, 1904	Mrs Mary Gillson R-2, Ashley	State Bank of St. Johns	Aug. 4, 1930
A. H. Blakeslee R-2, St. Johns	St. Johns National Bank	March 7, 1907	R. Lee Ormston R-6, St. Johns	State Bank of St. Johns	Aug. 10, 1931
Glenn McNeill R-1, St. Johns	Clinton County Savings	Nov. 27, 1907	Mrs Belva B. Sullivan St. Johns	State Bank of St. Johns	Sept. 15, 1934
Mrs Helen Atkinson 500 Euclid St., St. Johns	State Bank of St. Johns	Feb. 17, 1908	Mrs Leafy G. Hornbeck R-2, Elsie	State Bank of Elsie	Oct. 12, 1934
Mrs George Ashley R-5, St. Johns	State Bank of St. Johns	Oct. 3, 1910	Roscoe J. Cook R-2, Ovid	State Bank of St. Johns	April 2, 1935
Mrs Mildred Ashley R-5, St. Johns	State Bank of St. Johns	Jan. 28, 1911	Martin Peck R-6, St. Johns	St. Johns National Bank	June 2, 1936
Byron Kissane R-6, St. Johns	State Bank of St. Johns	June 23, 1911	Mrs Aura Andrews 409 W. Baldwin, St. Johns	State Bank of St. Johns	June 26, 1936
W. M. LeClear Elsie, Mich.	Campbell & Steadmen Bank of Bannister	March 30, 1912	Fred Lewis 411 Wight St., St. Johns	State Bank of St.	

# EDITORIAL PAGE

## Clearing the Federal jungle of paper work

Down in Washington where they come up with committees to study committees who are studying committees, they come up with another one.

This House committee has been studying the paper work burden imposed by federal reporting requirements on business.

It's about time. There has never been a report about the money spent by businesses in filing the maze of reports required by government agencies through law and some without benefit of law but as a whim of a Washington agency.

HERE IS A QUOTE from the public printer concerning the fiscal year 1964:

"Federal forms were turned out at the rate of 12 forms for every man, woman and child in the United States—or a grand total of 2 1/2 billion.

"Of these one billion were for the treasury department."

The committee found that the internal revenue service was the worst offender with too many forms and forms unnecessarily complicated.

OUT OF THE study are supposed to come some sweeping reforms not the least of which will be the filing of an annual employe earnings report for social security instead of the present involved quarterly report.

There were some real goodies uncovered. For instance, one maritime form requires merchant ships to report the number of mounted guns. This form originated back in the time of Queen Anne's reign and has been carried on since 1704. There are many more just as antiquated.

ANY BUSINESSMAN can testify to the cost in time and confusion in reporting to Uncle Sam. It is even more costly at the other end when some government employes sits and opens those forms and stuffs them in a file.

Clearing the paper work jungle would be a constructive move. Here's hoping Committee Chairman Arnold Olson of Montana doesn't get shot down with too much paper work when his committee comes up with the report.

### GUEST EDITORIAL

#### WE'VE GOT TO GET TOUGH

(From The Alma Record, Alma)

The slaughter of citizens on the streets and highways of Michigan isn't going to diminish greatly until we really get tough with ourselves. This is a feeling shared by many persons involved in and concerned with traffic safety in our state.

Industrial accidents have been reduced and are being kept under control by continually impressing workers with the fact that safety is an individual responsibility. The alternative to care and caution is lost time off the job and permanent disability. Every new worker is indoctrinated with the facts of safety and he is continually reminded of them throughout his employment. But the emphasis is on self-discipline . . . getting tough with one's self.

AS IN INDUSTRY, we need rules to aid traffic safety . . . we need laws and we need devices. One of the laws we need is the so-called implied consent proposal which would require drivers to agree to submit themselves to chemical tests when suspected of being under the influence of intoxicating beverages. It was introduced into the legislature last week.

As has so often been mentioned in the past, driving is not just a right . . . it is a privilege, and with privileges go responsibilities. According to statistics, drunk driving is a major cause of accidents, injuries and deaths on our streets and highways. Until such time as we move aggressively to eliminate this menace, the traffic safety picture in Michigan will continue to be cloudy.

IT WOULD BE well to point out here that such a law should not be necessary. The slightest sense of individual responsibility tells us that driving under the influence of intoxicating beverages is just plain suicide or worse. So is driving at excessive speeds, flaunting the laws and trying to be "smart."

We can't hope to cut down on the slaughter of Michigan citizens, unless and until, we begin getting tough with ourselves. If the people of Michigan really want to lick this thing they can do it. If they don't, the loss of life, the toll in injuries, the cost of insurance will continue to increase. So, let's start getting tough with ourselves!

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**GIVE YOUR SUPPORT GIRL SCOUT WEEK, MARCH 7-13**



## RAMBLIN' with Rink

By LOWELL G. RINKER

I have been unaccustomed to Michigan winters for seven years prior to this one, so I have no personal basis for comparing our weather these last few months to previous years.

I do know—and I'm thankful—that our winters in this part of the state are different than those over on the west side where I used to live. But I'm afraid the seven comparatively mild winters in central Illinois have dulled even my memory of Western Michigan storms.

APPARENTLY this is a rough winter for us here in Central Michigan. I would have to agree on the basis of my past seven years in Illinois. We had lots of cold weather down there, too, perhaps just as much. And it was a damper, colder cold. But this amount of snow is a different thing.

As I look out the window Friday, tractors are busy clearing out driveways, it's mighty cold, and there are reports from national TV of another howling blizzard coming down on us from the northwest. Horrors.

REGARDLESS OF how well-prepared a community is for winter, storms like the several we've had this winter always create hardships. I would say

the city fellows have done a great job in clearing the snow as fast as they do. They necessarily concentrate on the areas of most traffic first, and this means some areas of town don't get plowed out as fast as the people there might like.

But what the city crews are doing is for the good of the most people, and under the conditions they're working in, I'd say they do a good job.

THE SAME GOES for the fellows with the Clinton County Road Commission. A lot of roads don't get plowed out as fast as a lot of people would like, but when there are crews working around the clock clearing roads there's not much more you can ask. The county, too, has a priority list of roads that should be cleared first for the benefit of the most people, and they do a good job in following it.

A good, hard storm is good for people once in a while, anyway. Walking to work when the car is stuck in the garage is healthy, as long as you're bundled up for it.

AND WOULDN'T we get tired of summer if it wasn't for weeks like this last one? —rink

## Traffic Bulletin

By W. E. DOBSON

As I putter 'round the farmstead,  
Not ambitiously inclined,  
Various and sundry thinkin'  
Often occupies my mind;  
When the radio is handy,  
Sometimes manage to tune in—  
Find some quiet satisfaction,  
In the traffic bulletins.

Not that I am ever jealous,  
Of the folks who inch their way  
Through the bafflin', snarl-in' traffic  
They encounter day by day;  
Rather am I deeply thankful  
I'm not warpin' any tin  
In the bedlam they're announcin'  
On the traffic bulletin.

Sure they have some normal movement,  
(Though some normals I agree,  
Still involve some fender bumpin',  
Not a pattern to coax me);  
Tie-ups, smashups, 'n plain wreckage,  
Seem to feature—sure as sin—  
Each day's struggle for survival,  
A -La-traffic bulletin.

There's big money in the city,  
Where the young and active go,  
'N some survive the crashin' tumult,  
Where the bright lights ever glow;  
I still sort o'like free parkin',  
Lose big money—still I win  
Freedom from the big mad scramble  
Viewed on traffic bulletin.

## ONCE OVER LIGHTLY

by Ink White

### When is a Tattletale a hero?

THE CHEATING scandal at the Air Force Academy puts a bright light on a question that has long bothered many parents: When is a tattletale a fink, and when is he a hero?

The Academy code insists that a cadet must squeal if he knows a fellow cadet is cheating. Many refused to play stool pigeon and were forced to resign. It is easy to say "shame, shame" to the cheaters. But can you condemn a boy for refusing to tattle?

Which brings us to the bewildered parents, from whom all good little children, including future pilots, get their first instructions on the merits of tattling.

WHEN COUSIN Alfred snitches an extra hunk of candy and little Johnny rats on him, Johnny's mother is liable to tch tch at Johnny for being a tattletale.

But if Alfred is playing with matches and Johnny doesn't tell on him, Johnny will probably be in as much trouble as Alfred when Mother finally finds out—assuming all three survive the fire.

So nobody said it was as easy to raise kids as it is to have them. It is not enough to teach Johnny that he absolutely should tattle—or absolutely should not. He must be taught the difference between a piece of candy and a tragic fire. He must be taught that there are worse fates than being tagged a fink.

A GOOD RULE is: When Alfred's action could seriously injure some person, or some property, Johnny should run and squeal. But if the result of Alfred's action is merely a slight bruise on Johnny's toe, or on his ego, Johnny should handle the situation himself.

Admittedly, there can be times when the line between tattle and don't tattle grows mighty thin. Immature feet can

jump the wrong way. That's what parents are for.

SO NOW JOHNNY is a big boy at the Air Force Academy and he sees Alfred cheating on final exams. Is this candy or matches?

There is no questioning the seriousness of Alfred's offense. He is not the golfer who cheats but never plays for money. Alfred's education is paid for by taxpayers. In return, he is supposed to learn how to defend us. When Alfred cheats, he cheats us all. But should Johnny tell on him?

Yes. Not only because he doesn't want the taxpayers to be gypped. Not because he resents Alfred's coasting to his wings while honest students plod through their studies.

Johnny should tattle because it is required by the academy honor code. Johnny knew this when he signed up. If he wasn't prepared to live by the code, he should have gone to one of the hundreds of colleges where cheating is a joke and copies of tomorrow's test are available in every fraternity house.

THE FINAL questions: Can an honor code be realistic if it trips up hundreds of young men at one school? How many thousand violators would there be if every university had such a code? Should the code be changed to eliminate the tattletale clause?

These are questions which should be answered by the parents who raise the cheaters. Let the first answer be thrown by the father who never cheats on his income tax and never pads an insurance claim or an expense account.

We reap what we sow and the farmer who plants badly in the spring can expect no guarantee that his hired hands will correct his mistakes in the fall.

### About photos on drivers' licenses

I READ where the State is pushing the idea of having our picture shown on our driver's license.

As I see it if my mug shows up on my next renewal anything like the one they took of me when I worked in the Nash during the war, the first officer who takes a look at it will throw me in the Pokey on general principles.

And when the lady drivers of Clinton County see the results of Sheriff Patterson's photography on THEIR license card, all I can say is that Percy better leave the country, and quick.

FRED FERRIS

### Congressman Todd notes our awards

I NOTICE that your paper has received distinction in several fields in the annual contests of the Michigan Press Association.

Please accept my congratulations for honors which have been well earned.

Cordially,  
PAUL H. TODD, Jr.  
Member of Congress  
3rd Michigan District  
Washington, D.C.

### Our news coverage wins commendation

Congratulations.

We were pleased that your newspaper, with five awards, was among the winners in the recent Michigan Press Contests.

Especially notable among your awards is the first place for "News Coverage."

Cordially,  
JUDSON M. PERKINS  
Director of Public Relations  
General Telephone Co.  
Muskegon

## Letters to the Editor

### Reader defends Medicare plan

YOUR RECENT editorial "Limited Publicity" is typical of the false statements circulated regarding "Medicare" and the benefits(?) of Kerr-Mills.

A few facts about Kerr-Mills. Very few states have adopted this and those who have are using it as a "Red Herring" to prevent people from obtaining real help in paying for hospital care.

ONLY ABOUT 4 per cent of those receiving social security have been LOANED any money to pay for hospital care, whereas there are some 50-60 per cent of these same people who should have been assisted. Kerr-Mills does not help people; it only places them in debt to the state and increases their problems on how to exist on totally inadequate incomes. Kerr-Mills has been given far more publicity than "Medicare."

(1) "Kerr-Mills" does not and never will meet the needs of the

vast majority, basically because it is something that is only granted under extreme conditions of poverty, and the money has to be repaid including a high rate of interest. Most people want "Medicare" because of the fact that they will be paying for it and consequently will have it as a right and not at the whim of some petty local official.

(2) KERR-MILLS is valueless to most while the proposed "Medicare" bill will take care of a major hospital bill while preserving the independence which most of us value so highly.

(3) "Medicare" DOES NOT offer something for nothing; it is basically insurance paid for when working with the benefits after retirement. If there is anything wrong with this principle then we must assume that all forms of insurance are wrong. Are you suggesting this?

ON THE subject of publicity, Kerr-Mills has been boosted for years in nearly every newspaper, magazine, and periodical, by the Republican party, the American Medical Assn., and the county

medical societies and quite recently by Readers Digest, whereas most of the media for public information—television, radio and the printed word — have been strangely silent about the benefits of hospital care by insurance through Social Security.

"Medicare" has not been given the publicity it is entitled to, and deserves, because of the pressure of the AMA, Blue Cross & Shield and other financial interests who are opposed to anything that might reduce their hold and control over the vast sum of money spent on medical and related care.

IT HAS BEEN stated that those now drawing social security would receive benefits that they had not paid for, but I would draw your attention to the fact that having paid into the fund since its inception during which time I have seen the reserves grow from zero to over 20 billion I feel that I have paid my share for any new benefits such as medical care that may now be offered.

H. D. VANT  
6385 N. Monroe Street,  
Monroe, Mich.

## STRICTLY FRESH

Some people have no talent for counting calories—and they have the figures to prove it.

Girl's bathing suit: a garment that leaves nothing to the imagination except why it is so expensive.

An adolescent is one who, when not treated like an adult, acts like an infant.

Scientists tell us that we're taller in the morning than we are in the evening. Most of us have noticed, too, that we're shorter around the end of the month.

Ringleader: The first in a large family to take a bath on Saturday night.



**MICHIGAN MIRROR**

**An open letter to Michigan boys serving in Vietnam**

To Michigan servicemen in Vietnam. This is sort of an open letter which I hope will find its way into your hands. Dickey Chappelle, a woman reporter who has been working in your part of the world until early this year, addressed the Michigan Press Assn. recently about what's going on there.

One of her main points was to the effect that we at home don't understand enough about Vietnam to really appreciate the importance of the fighting; and that Americans there are very discouraged with this lack of understanding.

A LOT OF people here decare what's going on in Vietnam. The number grows every day. Maybe some of the fine points are hazy to us, but more and more people are concerned about the basic issue. And more and more people are appreciating what you are doing. There is a clearer understanding all the time of the problems you face, the handicaps you must overcome and, most importantly, of the significance of your activities.

While I can't speak for anyone but myself, I'm anxious to pass on to you and all our servicemen my personal gratitude for what you are doing for our country and to tell you that I am sure there are thousands of others in Michigan who feel the same way.

This letter is sent in appreciation of your efforts; with thankfulness you are doing so well, and with the best of hopes that you will soon return safely in the pride that you made an important contribution to our country's existence.

ELMER E. WHITE, Secretary Michigan Press Assn.

Relatives or friends of servicemen are requested

to send this letter to Vietnam. Or better still, their personal message expressing their appreciation.

PARENTS OF teenagers can provide some insight to legislators on a matter likely to be proposed this year.

Pressure is mounting for a change in the driver licensing law to make 17 the minimum driving age. The Michigan Driver Education Assn., a group of teachers, recently joined in support of this proposal and many would say they should be experts on the matter.

James Sando, president of the driver education teachers' group, said the members believe 16-year-olds "cannot be expected to cope with complexities of present-day driving conditions."

OTHER VOICES supporting the 17-year minimum driving age say it would help keep auto insurance rates down because the younger driver the greater the risk and higher the rates.

Since currently the 16-year-old motorist comes under special provisions where driving rule violations are concerned, some say he should lose either this special privilege or the right to drive.

A teenage driver's tendency to have a carload of friends with him, thus magnifying the impact of any misfortune, brings many safety officials in to support the 17-year limitation.

OPponents OF the change come largely from the "you can't blame them all for the actions of a few" school of thought.

Since parents of teenagers will be those who hear the complaints

If such a change is enacted, they might be wise to form an opinion on the matter and convey it to the lawmakers.

STATE BUILDING Director Adrian N. Langus reports a conveyor belt freeway system, complete with electronically controlled intersections on the principle of highway interchanges, will be installed under the proposed complex of new state office buildings in Lansing.

The system will be used to replace the present messenger mail service between state agencies.

MAIL GOING from the supreme court building to the capitol, for example, would be placed in electronically marked baskets on the conveyor and travel along the freeway underground, next to a series of pedestrian tunnels, until it reached its destination.

Langus said the system was expected to save the state thousands of dollars a year in personnel costs, in addition to providing faster service than is now possible. No price, however, has been placed on this item yet. It's patterned after the system in use at the Library of Congress.

**Bement Library Book Shelf**

By Elizabeth Millman

"The Invisible Government" is a book about that powerful branch of the government, the Central Intelligence Agency. This is made up of many agencies besides the intelligence branches of the Army, Navy and Air Force. Aside from the great power they wield, they spend billions of dollars each year, most of which is concealed in the National budget and approved by Congress which has no real knowledge of how it will be spent.

This book gives a history of the CIA, its present day structure and reveals how it is engaged in special operations overseas. It makes major decisions, even without the knowledge of our elected representatives. The book's value lies in its definition of the powers of this secret government and an intelligent evaluation of it. It suggests the needed controls and ways that they may be applied.

WALLACE STEGNER, who has written many novels of the West, has drawn upon his years of reading western history to write his latest book "The Gathering of Zion." This is the story of the Mormon Trail. The Mormons began their trek from Nauvoo, Ill., after years of persecution, to seek a home in the west. This took place in 1846-1847. This was an undertaking of epic size, and it was distinguished from other westward movements by its discipline and group solidarity. After the Mormons found their home in the fertile valley of the Great Salt Lake, thousands of them traveled the Trail in the 22 years following the first party.

This account begins in 1845 in the last months in Nauvoo and ends with the driving of the golden spike that joined the Union Pacific and the Central Pacific Railways in Promontory, Utah, on May 10, 1869. This is a success story as well as the story of a patriarchal society and a very interesting bit of American history.

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"He's a firm believer in the two party system - me and Agnes!"

**Back Thru the Years**

★ Interesting Items from the Files of The Clinton County News

10 YEARS AGO From the Files of March 3, 1955

David D. Anderson, 17, senior at St. Johns High School and son of Mr and Mrs Dale W. Anderson of Essex Township, is one of 10 young men from the 8th Congressional District to be nominated for entrance to the new United States Air Force Academy which opens at Denver, Colo., July 1.

A change in circuit court procedure designed to expedite handling of cases on the calendar through an assignment clerk will be put into effect April 1, Judge Paul R. Cash informed attorneys as the March term opened here Tuesday morning.

Clinton County's participation in the annual American Red Cross Roll Call got under way this week, with the goal set at \$7,688.

25 YEARS AGO From the Files of Feb. 29, 1940

The second installment of state aid for the schools has been received at the office of Lee Bissell, county treasurer, totaling \$22,781.84, and is now being distributed to 51 of the county's 121 school districts.

On a basis of births and deaths, the population of Clinton County was increased by 148 small inhabitant during 1939. Vital statistics recorded by the county clerk reveal 471 births for the year and 323 deaths, a margin of 148 on the right side of the ledger.

St. Johns will soon have a new recreational facility in the form of an indoor roller skating rink scheduled to open here Friday night, March 1. Known as the "Rollo Gardens," the rink is being constructed by Clarence L. Duprey of Ashley and is located on North Spring Street at the rear of the buildings occupied by the Hathaway Brothers poultry and cream station.

50 YEARS AGO From the Files of March 4, 1915

The boys' and girls' poultry contest, boys' corn contest, boys' corn and potato growing contest and the girls' sewing and baking contests were held at the courthouse Friday in connection with County Federation of Farmers' Clubs. Although the number of exhibits was small, everything exhibited was excellent and proved a hard matter to judge.

Mrs Stevens wishes to announce that she will have her spring millinery opening on March 12 and 13, and at the same time have a hair goods demon-



"This house is modern in every respect. It's even got a spite fence!"

**COUNTRY FLAVOR**

**The willows always know what March may not tell**



HAYDEN PEARSON

There are years when it is difficult to know whether March is serious about spring. It is a contrary, cantankerous month, man thinks, and doubtless part of his feeling is due to impatience. The third month is a capricious filly that kicks up her heels and displays an unpredictable disposition.

But there is one sign that never fails. When the pussy willows poke their gray-furred noses to the wind one can be sure that spring is not far behind. The pussy willow is a natural partner of stream banks and lowland stretches. Willows and water go together, and the life juice that runs freely between the bark and wood means that country lads can make whistles to rival the pipes of Pan.

THE WILLOWS are not commercially important trees but they are a part of the woodland family. You can tell the black willows by the glossy, dark-red buds; the swamp willows' buds are a striking orange-magenta hue. The pussy's buds are a deep blue-black with spots of red near the top. All the willows' buds are single scaled, waterproofed, and without joints or hinges.

It is pussy that means spring to most persons. Children gather branches and bring them to the

Beetles defy accepted flight theory and baffle aerodynamicists because according to conventional flight theory their wings do not provide enough "lift" to get them off the ground.

house where the buds open in water. And when those silky, furry noses open to the call of a new season in the lowlands, bees come to the blossoms for their first pollen and nectar.

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# News of Interest to Clinton County Farm Bureau Families



Shown making plans for a seminar series on economics are area County Farm Bureau officials: (left to right) seated, Alton Wattles, Branch County; Dave Diehl, Ingham; George Clark, Hillsdale; Henry T. Nelson, Ionia; Mrs Wesley A. Moeckel and Carlton Moe, Jackson; Ted Landis, Calhoun; and Herbert VanAken, Eaton; (standing) Owen Love, Kalamazoo; Wayne Pennock, Barry; J. Delbert Wells, manager of family program division of Michigan Farm Bureau, Lansing; and Clinton County Farm Bureau President E. J. Bottum.

## Farm leaders attend seminar

"The study of economics need not be a deadly bore," report the nearly 100 farmer students enrolled in the economic study. Attending from Clinton County were Mr and Mrs Carl Burk of Greenbush, Mr and Mrs Robert Lee

Ormston of Ovid, Mr and Mrs Orville Devereaux of Bingham, Mr and Mrs Lawrence Maier of Watertown, and Mr and Mrs Robert Reese Sr. of DeWitt.

FOR SIX consecutive Fridays, those enrolled spent the day as guests of Olivet College, where they devoted their time to the study of a particular economic area such as "money and banking," "transportation" or "the steel industry." A specialist from each area presented some of the basic economic facts related to his business area, followed by a period of discussion and questions.

The seminar, which was entitled "How to Build a Prosperous National Economy," was a joint undertaking of the family program division of the Michigan Farm Bureau and the Olivet College Department of Community Education, with the active cooperation of several major industries.

ALTHOUGH the subjects studied were not strictly agricultural, they were related directly to the well-being of all farmers and their families.

"As farming becomes more a business of big investment, the farmer plays more the role of manager and his requirement for knowledge of economics becomes great," said J. Delbert Wells, manager of the family program division.

FARMERS FIND it more difficult and time-consuming each year to keep up with the new knowledge in agriculture, yet they know that a program of continuing education in economics is important to today's modern, commercial farmer," Wells said.

He indicated this better understanding will be directly reflected in an increasing high level of production, translated into better food and clothing "at continuing modest prices."

Improved mechanization will allow farm animals to activate devices for dispensing their own feed and water, according to Carl W. Hall, Michigan State University agricultural scientist. Hens, he says, take only one-twentieth of the time required for conventional feeding methods when the system is properly mechanized.

## Cobb at leadership forum

Each year for the past eight years, in different cities throughout the country—and with the cooperation of local and state chambers of commerce and trade associations—the National Chamber has conducted a series of unique and tremendously informative discussion meetings called Aircade Meetings for Citizenship Action.

As chairman of the Clinton County Farm Bureau State Legislative Affairs Committee, Andy Cobb, former state representative, attended this highly informative meeting.

THE MEETING at the Lansing Civic Center presented the following things to those attending: I) It gives participants a well-rounded, close-up picture of the new session of Congress; it showed what is happening in Washington, brought out the story behind the story.

II) It gave a better understanding of today's big economic and social problems and showed how these problems related to business.

III) IT GAVE a better understanding of government-oriented and government-directed solutions to today's problems, and a better understanding of the free-market approach—and it emphasized and clarified the underlying principles involved.

IV) It showed those present specifically how they, as individuals, and by working together with others through organized effort—could exercise greater citizenship responsibility in public affairs, local, state and national.

V) LAST BUT not least the leadership forum pointed the way for the individual to keep on growing in leadership ability, and to develop leadership talents to the utmost. This was the central and over-all purpose of the Leadership Forum.

Two persons heading up the program were Walter F. Carey, president of Automobile Carriers - Dealers Transit, Inc., Flint, and Arch N. Booth, executive vice president of the National Chamber.

It is fair to ask of every one a reason for the faith within. — Mary Baker Eddy

Every noble activity makes room for itself. —Ralph Waldo Emerson

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## National FB figure at camp workshops

"Had the pilgrims been exposed to our present system of welfare aid, it is highly questionable they would have ever sailed for the New World." That's the opinion of Allan Kline, former president of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

Named one of "The Great Living Americans" by the United States Chamber of Commerce, Kline spoke before a state-wide conference of county Farm Bureau presidents and executive committee members at Camp Kett, near Cadillac, Feb. 15.

HE ASKED the 200 persons present from all parts of Michigan if the trends toward all-inclusive welfare aid would not have stifled all initiative to immigrate to America, and to "claim the West as the pioneer settlers did."

He pointed out that parents and grandparents of many Michigan residents came to this country to make a fresh start and suggested that "politically administered programs of debilitating aid" are now destroying such initiative for self-advancement.

A FORMER MEMBER of the Export-Import Bank board, Kline touched on national fiscal policy, stating that this policy of "tax-and-spend"—had "about caught up with us." He said that a built-in "bias toward inflation" has about caught up with productivity and that as a result we have been shoved into the subterfuge of printing US bonds for sale to banks, in turn placing more money into circulation.

"Instead of coming out boldly and just printing more money which everyone would understand

and resent, this round-about means is used to do the same thing quietly," Kline said.

TURNING TO the reapportionment issue, the farm leader called on the county officers to join with other organizations to amend the Constitution of the United States to prevent further damage to our federal system of government. He said the supreme court decisions in apportionment have removed from citizens their "right to decide" and that states must again be given the right to apportion one House of their legislatures on whatever basis other than population they wish.

Attending the two-day meeting from Clinton County were E. J. Bottum, county Farm Bureau president; Mrs Dorothy Ward, chairman of the county Farm Bureau Women's Committee; and David C. Morris, member of the Michigan Farm Bureau Board representing this district and also newly-elected member of the state executive committee.

KLINE HAS BEEN invited to Clinton County to speak at a dinner sponsored by the county Farm Bureau in late April. More information will be given on this on next month's Farm Bureau page.

There are no synonyms in Esperanto.

## Time to sound off, farmers told

BY WALTER W. WIGHTMAN  
Director at Large  
Michigan Farm Bureau

It's time that agricultural producers evaluate the importance of the position we hold in the total economy of the society in which we live.

We now live in what has become an urban community with 92 per cent or more of the population residing or earning their livelihood in or around industrial or urban areas. This leaves 8 per cent or less to produce the food and fiber for the other 92 per cent. Further, we are told that only 2 per cent of the population will be producing 98 per cent of the food and fiber by 1980.

THIS MEANS that representation in our legislative halls will be primarily controlled by legislators from the urban areas. Naturally their decisions will be slanted toward those things that most satisfy the people that elected them.

With this in mind, the importance of recent agricultural issues is more plainly seen. For example, the public has been unduly aroused over the "problem" of chemical residues, and statements in regard to them are made many times with little relation to actual fact.

NEW LEGISLATION and regulations in regard to foreign agricultural workers and minimum wage laws, initiated by legislators and congressmen who have little actual knowledge of what the farmers have to live with, is another case in point.

Yet no one is more concerned that the food that we produce is safe for human consumption than is the farmer. No one is more willing to provide good working conditions, wages, and insurance protection for people he hires than the farmer.

So why don't we begin to tell the public how concerned we are and just how important the farmer is to the rest of society?

IN AN ARTICLE entitled, "The

Battle Over Braceros," written by William J. Monohan, the importance of agricultural production to the state of California is laid out.

Curtailed of planting crops which now depend upon Mexican nationals would have a far-reaching effect on associated industries.

For example, in 1963, workers in packing and processing plants received \$1.4 billion in wages. During the same time, workers on California farms received \$644 million of which only \$73 million was paid to foreign contract workers.

THUS, THE BRACERO payroll amounting to only 3.5 per cent of the total for farms, packing and processing plants and 11.3 per cent of the on-farm-payroll could touch off a chain reaction if it is removed and the crops are not produced.

For every person employed on a farm in California, 2.61 jobs in related industries are produced. The total cannery industry in 1963 amounted to 300 million. But of this, only 88 million went to farmers for labor, taxes and other costs of production.

Tomato processors alone spent \$70 million for cans, \$11 million for glass containers and \$1.8 million for caps and lids, \$12 million for cartons and \$6 million for labels. Truckers received \$21.8 million for hauling tomatoes to packing plants and \$32 million went to ship the packed products. Fifty thousand workers in canneries were paid \$45 million.

THE TOTAL non-farm tomato canning industry spent nearly three times as much as was paid to growers.

There are other factors such as community welfare costs and unemployment compensation that would immediately increase if such an industry were suddenly eliminated.

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## Judd calls for more aid to troops in Vietnam

MT. PLEASANT—Speaking before a "Freedom Forum" audience at Central Michigan University, former Minnesota Congressman Dr. Walter Judd called for stepped-up support for American troops in Vietnam "in the war which we are losing as we are currently operating."

Judd, an outspoken critic of American foreign policy for dealing with the Communists, once served as a medical missionary to China where he was imprisoned by Communists 30 years ago.

"YET SOME people persist in thinking that such unlawful Red actions are a recent development," he said. "If you must have peace, you can have it — JUST SURRENDER! Or you can do as you are doing here, sit down, study, learn about them and then stop them."

Speaking on the topic, "Is the Far East Worth Its Cost?" Judd told the more than 200 persons attending that "Certainly! If we pull out of Vietnam, we lose all of Asia and the Philippines! After this, who else in the world would dare rely on the United States?"

THE FORUM is considered as an annual exercise in citizenship information and training by the Michigan Farm Bureau which sponsors it through its family program division.

Besides lectures on world affairs, participants examine such questions as "Why a two-party political system?" and "Why are pressure groups important?"

Group discussions deal with such areas as re-appointment, local political action and training programs for local government.

DWELLING on the theme "Personal freedom is the basis for progress," Don Kinsey, coordinator of education and research for the Michigan Farm Bureau, told the group that "free man, not government, is the creator of jobs for an expanding economy." He said government spending is in no way related to worker production levels, which alone yield higher efficiency of production.

Pointing out that today only 6 per cent of available jobs can make use of unskilled workers, Kinsey said that although society has an obligation to train these people whenever possible, there is the danger that these programs of government aid will subsidize workers into remaining in their present unskilled status.

MRS ORAL Rice of Bingham Township and Mrs Anna Simcox of Bengal attended the two-day conference from this county.

### Time

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Nearly 40 per cent of our total US labor force is provided employment by agriculture through related industries involved in processing, preparing, distribution and retailing of what it produces.

OUR PUBLIC relations problem is hampered by the fact that those who are the most vocal about things related to agriculture know little about the real problems which farmers face.

We had better begin telling the other 92 per cent of the population what we are doing for them in the production of the most bountiful supply of the highest quality and most wholesome food that this or any other country has ever produced—and at the cheapest price.

A recent Labor Department report reveals that a steadily rising proportion of the American labor force has received formal occupational training during the past 50 years. Of workers studied—all of whom were in the 22-to-64 age bracket—only 31 per cent of those 55 to 64 had received formal training in their lifetime, while 57 per cent of the 22 to 24 year-olds had.

# March



## March 14-17 WASHINGTON TOUR

SPONSORED BY FARM BUREAU WOMEN

For the sixth consecutive year, the Michigan Farm Bureau Women are sponsoring a Washington Air Tour, designed to give farm leaders an opportunity to learn more about our legislative process, meet with staff of the American Farm Bureau Federation, visit with congressmen and representatives, and view the many famous sights in the Washington, D. C., area. County Farm Bureaus are urged to encourage participation of their "legislative-minded" members in this educational tour. \$101.57 per person covers cost of air transportation, lodging at the famous Willard Hotel for three nights, tips, baggage handling, sight-seeing and some of the meals. Contact the county office for further details or the Farm Bureau Travel Service, 4000 N. Grand River Avenue, Lansing.

## Urge tax reform

STATEMENT BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF MICHIGAN FARM BUREAU LANSING, MICHIGAN January 22, 1965

Michigan farmers are proud, as are all citizens, of the phenomenal economic recovery accomplished in our State during the past two years.

However, the fact that Michigan's deficit has been eliminated and a healthy balance is on hand is no excuse to delay the balancing of Michigan's tax structure. The need for true tax reform is more urgent today than ever before.

Progress and fiscal solvency cannot be continued under Michigan's present inequitable and antiquated tax structure. No longer can local government survive and flourish by depending on a single source of revenue—the property tax. No longer can the property tax, as the only source of local school revenue, be expected to provide every child equal educational opportunities. Unlike a century ago, the property tax is no longer a good measure of wealth and the ability to pay.

FARMERS, in particular, find themselves in the unenviable position of paying a greater portion of their income on property tax than most other groups pay on all

State taxes combined. We call attention to the fact that no end is in sight for the continued rise in real and personal property taxation! Farm people have supported, and continue to support, programs that will insure further progress for Michigan.

We, therefore, call upon our elected State officials and members of the Legislature to seriously consider enactment of a total tax reform program during this session of the Legislature.

THE NEARLY 70,000 members of the Michigan Farm Bureau, acting through a community, county and state system of policy development, support the enactment of a total tax reform program including a statewide income tax in order to balance both state and local tax structures and relieve the unjust burden now placed on real and personal property. We believe every Michigan citizen expects to support his schools and other local and state governmental services through a fair and equitable tax structure. The need is urgent, the time is now!

Importance of modern communications in trucking operations is illustrated by the use of 83 two-way radio frequencies in the motor carrier industry. American Trucking Associations says the industry has 3,200 base stations and 48,000 mobile units.

## Now's time to adjust plan

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ELIGIBLE NEW subscribers may enroll at this time, with an effective date of coverage of May 20, 1965.

Eligible subscribers enrolled in other groups may TRANSFER into the Farm Bureau group at this time.

Contact the County Farm Bureau office—don't let this once a year opportunity to enroll in Blue Cross-Blue Shield's fine health care plan pass by. MARK MARCH 1 - 15 ON YOUR CALENDAR TODAY.

## Anti-medicare reasons called still valid

As everyone knows, the administration is giving the medicare plan top priority. Unfortunately, this highly controversial proposal is charged with emotion. Then, to make a bad matter worse, it is doubtful if any but a small fraction of the people—including those over 65 whom medicare is supposed to benefit—have any knowledge of the problems it would create.

Some little time ago, Chairman Mills of the House Ways and Means Committee, pointed out that hospital costs will continue to rise and that this will require increases in the amount of earnings taxable for social security, to which medicare would be attached.

THEN CONGRESS would be faced with two alternatives: 1) To go along with a total social security program "which we would know was actuarially unsound," or 2) To commit itself "into the indefinite future to a steady but wholly uncontrolled increase, due to the hospital part of the program, in the amount of wages taxed for social security purposes."

We might have to accept one of those unhappy alternatives if medicare were the only way to meet the health needs of the aged. But the fact is that existing programs, public and private, are doing an ever-improving job in this area.

THE KERR-MILLS Act, providing aid under a federal-state plan for the needy, is liberal and broad—much broader, in truth, than medicare, which is essentially only a limited hospital and nursing-home program.

Medicare, finally, would threaten the very solvency of the social security system. Its cost, in all probability, would be far greater than the optimistic estimates of its supporters. The considerations which caused Congress to refuse to approve it in the past are more valid and compelling than ever with continued inflation staring us in the face.

## Power farming show March 18

Farmers Petroleum POWER FARMING SHOW will be held Thursday, March 18 at Smith Hall 4-H building in St. Johns from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. ALL FARMERS are invited to attend the show which will be a two-county meeting including Shiawassee.

FREE lunch will be provided at noon by the Farm Bureau Women's committee in Clinton County. There will be prizes for lucky folks, entertainment and interesting demonstrations. (see accompanying ad).

TICKETS FOR the drawings will be available at the door. PLAN TO SPEND MARCH 18 WITH POWER FARMING—Come and bring a car load—EVERYBODY IS WELCOME.

## Kincaid District Mrs Porter C. Parks

Mr and Mrs Dell Schmidtman, George Balmer, and Kathy Reed of Lansing attended the Grand Old Opsy Saturday evening, Feb. 20.

Mr and Mrs Dell Schmidtman attended the wrestling matches at St. Johns Saturday afternoon, Feb. 20.

Mr and Mrs Doug Espie and daughter, Mrs Melvin McRoberts and Debra Espie were Sunday, Feb. 21 dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Eldoris Hahn and daughter. Sunday afternoon, Feb. 21 visitors of Mr and Mrs El Hahn were Mrs Dora Parks, Linda Parks, Mrs Porter Parks and Kristal and Sally Parks.

Mrs Margie Myszak of DeWitt and Mrs Rose Marie Henning of Lansing visited in the Don Dumond home Sunday afternoon, Feb. 21.

Mrs Rose Marie Henning of Lansing and Mrs Margie Myszak and sons of DeWitt visited Mr and Mrs Porter Parks and family Sunday, Feb. 21. Sunday, Feb. 14 Mr and Mrs Elmer Brace and family of Brighton were supper guests of Mr and Mrs E. J. Brace.

Tuesday evening, Feb. 16 supper guests of Mr and Mrs E. J. Brace were Mr and Mrs Delmer Brace and family of Grand Ledge.

Mr and Mrs Don Sullivan and Danny visited Mr and Mrs Don Britton of Grand Ledge Sunday afternoon, Feb. 21.

Roger Hardenburg visited Mr and Mrs Harold Hoerner and Nancy Thursday evening, Feb. 18. Russ Sullivan and Nancy Hoerner were Saturday, Feb. 20 dinner guests of Mr and Mrs N. C. McElmurry.

Mrs Elinore Hardenburg and Roger and Mr and Mrs Harvey Hoerner visited Mr and Mrs Harold Hoerner and Nancy Sunday evening, Feb. 21.

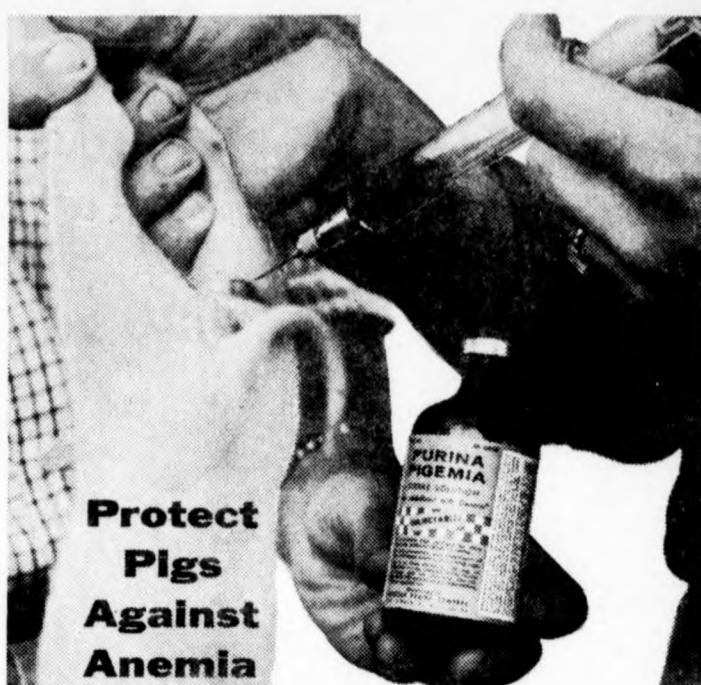


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To the Qualified Electors of the Village of Maple Rapids:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Annual Election of the qualified electors of the Village of Maple Rapids, Clinton County, Michigan, will be held in the Village Hall, in the Village of Maple Rapids, Michigan, on Monday, March 8, 1965.

The polls of election will open at 7:00 o'clock, a.m., and close at 8:00 o'clock, p.m., eastern standard time.

In addition to other matters to be voted upon, the following proposition will be submitted to the vote of the electors qualified to vote thereon at said Annual Election:

### Bonding Proposition

Shall the Village of Maple Rapids, County of Clinton, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000) and issue the general obligation bonds of the Village therefor, for the purpose of paying part of the cost of acquiring, constructing and equipping improvements to the existing Water Supply System of the Village?

Only those qualified and registered electors who have property assessed for ad valorem taxes within the Village, or the lawful husband or wife of a qualified voter of the Village having property so assessed, are qualified to vote on the bonding proposition.

This Notice is given by authority of the Village Council of the Village of Maple Rapids, County of Clinton, Michigan.

HELEN D. HOWE, Village Clerk

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FEMALES: In adding outside blood to the herd, the Zdunic never stinted. Their purchases included 19 head from the famous Lakefield Dispersal, among which were daughters of Lakefield Winterthur Victor Fobes, the sire of Lakefield Fobes Delight (One of them, Lakefield Fobes Dozy Pride "VG" 670 lb. is the dam of one of the herd sires), and daughters of Lakefield Fond Delight Fobes, son of Lakefield Fobes Delight.

They purchase 17 head at the Jocinah (Indiana) Dispersal, including the top female, the 787 lb. "Beets" cow and her family. A 690 lb. daughter of the "Beets" cow is the dam of one of the Skokie Duke sons. Mr Zdunic was the top buyer at the Shiawana (Michigan) Dispersal, and purchased a number of outstanding cows from the Essex herd in New Jersey.

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# Farm organization changes are vital

A visiting sociologist who has studied Michigan farm organizations foresees drastic changes during the next decade. Unless his predictions come true, he warns, the economic interests of agriculture will be ignored by both the federal and state governments.

The sociologist is James H. Copp of Pennsylvania State University, who studied farm organizations while serving as a visiting professor at Michigan State University last summer.

DISUNITY AMONG major farm organizations and agriculture's minority position in today's society are the reasons changes are needed, according to Copp. His study indicated that farm organizations, such as the Farm Bureau and Grange, are stronger in Michigan than at the federal level.

Disunity among farm organizations has led officials at the federal level, Copp asserts, to adopt a "don't rock the boat" attitude.

COPP PREDICTS a centralization and consolidation of many of the general and commodity-type organizations. He adds, "Agriculture's changing power position requires a united front."

Legislative reapportionment will cause a loss of some political muscle by agriculture, but farmers will continue to exercise power disproportionate to their numbers, Copp says.

To gain maximum leverage, he continues, farm organizations will enter into cooperative alliances with such groups as organized labor where interests coincide.

HE SUGGESTS farm organizations will become more business-like and will have bigger budgets. In the face of migration of young men to cities, he says, development of new leadership will be a problem.

Christopher Sower, MSU professor of rural sociology, warns that both private and governmental agriculture organizations must change with the times or die.

He says the federal anti-poverty program was set up outside the sphere of traditional governmental welfare organizations because existing groups failed to respond to modern needs.

AGRICULTURAL Organizations have a period of grace, he contends, in which to modernize their outlook. If they don't, he adds, their leadership will be superseded.

Suggestions that the nation "needs only one million farmers" are being put forward in response to massive criticism of current federal policies, Sower maintains. Farm organizations, if they are to retain their leadership roles, must adapt their policies to this new goal or come forth with a better goal, he asserts.



Fowler Lions Present TV

President Steve Fedewa of the Fowler Lions Club (second from left) presents a portable TV set to Joseph Esch, while Danny Simmon (left), manager of the Gamble store in Fowler, and Mrs Esch look on. Fedewa said proceeds from donations on the set will be used for various Lions charities, principally Leader Dogs for the Blind, Welcome Homes for the Blind and to sponsor eye examinations and buy glasses for needy persons whose eyes have to be corrected. Another Lions project is the distribution of food and clothing to the needy at Christmas.

# County FB gets insurance honors

BY E. J. BOTTUM  
Clinton FB President

Saginaw was the setting for an achievement banquet for Farm Bureau Insurance agents in the district. Quite a few honors were given to the John Lynch Agency.

All the Farm Bureau Insurance agents in Clinton county received awards from the State Farm Bureau Life Insurance Co. The local agency was fourth in the state in volume sold. The Farm Bureau board also received a plaque

for cooperation with the agency.

THE PRESIDENT'S conference was held at Camp Kett Feb. 15 and 16. Very interesting discussions were held on the future of Farm Bureau. Farm Bureau must continue to speak for farmers at the local level as well as at the national level; we can only do this through membership.

"Farm Bureau is, and has always been a voluntary organization of farmers. Program building depends both on the direction decided upon by farmer members and on their activity in support of the efforts."

ALLAN B. KLINE, former president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, gave a talk on apportionment, inflation and Farm Bureau. One thing that I particularly remember Mr Kline saying was "You don't have a chance as a farmer in the business of farming without being organized, and then you can be hopeful." We worked harder at this conference than any conference I ever attended.

A Clinton-Shiawassee County FPC (Petroleum) meeting is to be held Thursday, March 18, at Smith Hall beginning at 10 a.m. There will be a free hot lunch and prizes. You will learn how a tire is built, how oil is refined. There will be entertainment and free movies. It will be quite a day.

A LEGISLATIVE seminar was to be held on March 3. The state affairs committee and I will be attending to meet the new legislators, of whom there are a large number.

Commodity Day is March 4 at Midland; the dairy committee and the livestock committee will attend this meeting.

For those of you who will be voting on school annexation, please remember to get out and vote. You will be voting on two proposals: annexation and millage; to have this carry you must vote yes on both proposals. A no vote on one is a no vote on both. Which ever way you feel about this question, PLEASE get out and vote.

WE HAD 37 guests from Virginia Farm Bureau March 1. They were here to examine our county Farm Bureau offices and the county program. They were served lunch at Smith Hall by the women's committee.

Farm Bureau women have elected an executive committee consisting of Dorothy Ward, Rachael Schumacher, Gladys Mayers, Jeanette Rosekrans and Ruby Blakeslee.

ONE OF THE ideas to come out of the president's conference was to have a multi-county board meeting. The first of these meetings was held Friday, Feb. 26, at Ithaca with Gratiot, Midland and Clinton counties participating. Discussion was on the future of Farm Bureau. The ideas and discussions from this meeting will be used as a starting point for local group discussions. You, the members of Farm Bureau will take it from there—your ideas will be sent to the state board for them to evaluate and report back at the state annual this fall.

What programs could your county Farm Bureau promote to improve its value to members?

The Porcupine, whom one must handle, gloved, may be respected, but is never loved.—Arthur Guiterman

# Switch and fight corn rootworm

One of the American farmer's most formidable insect foes is the corn rootworm. It has cost Corn Belt farmers untold millions in lost crops and reduced corn yields. The three species of rootworm (Southern, Northern and Western) feed on corn roots, denying the plant moisture and nutrients.

The adult beetles eat the silks, interfering with pollination. Since 1961, the Western rootworm has increased rapidly; its resistance to insecticides began to show up as early as 1959 in Nebraska. Where aldrin or heptachlor have been used in continuous corn for seven or more years, the rootworm is developing resistance.

FIELDS WHICH had no root damage last year, but were infested with adult Western corn rootworm beetles, may be infested with resistant rootworm this year, especially if some resistant populations were reported in the area. In this case, it is recommended that the corn grower switch to one of the new organic phosphate insecticides such as Diazinon, Thimet, Par-

athion, Nirán 10-G or Aldrex.

To determine if sidedressing applications of the new organophosphate insecticides is necessary during the growing season, dig up several off-color or somewhat discolored corn plants about the middle of June and examine the roots and soil around them.

WHERE EIGHT or more larvae are found per plant it is a good bet that sidedressing applications of organophosphates will be profitable. Experience has shown it is doubtful that these applications will do any good after June 24 in the mid-Corn Belt states or after July in the Northern Corn Belt states.

Any practice which promotes good root systems such as proper fertilization and thorough seedbed preparation will provide some defense against all rootworms. Farmers are urged to plant as early as possible so roots will get a headstart on the rootworms.

EARLIER SILKING also prevents heavy adult beetle damage. Hilling up corn plants gives brace roots better anchorage. Sidedressing with about 60 pounds of actual nitrogen in solution or in irrigation water after root damage has occurred will speed plant recovery.

Crop rotation can help control corn rootworm. There is evidence that damage is less in corn that follows any other weed-free crop. Rootworms find their most favored conditions when corn follows corn.

## Check Tile

Reminder to farmers. Check your tile outlets to be sure the water can run so your fields can drain, the Clinton County Soil Conservation District warns. It takes less heat to warm a dry soil, as compared to a wet soil having the same color. A plugged tile outlet is usually discovered too late.

## West Hubbardston Clara Hogan

## Cunninghams honored on 50th anniversary

W. HUBBARDSTON — A number of relatives and friends went to St. John the Baptist hall Sunday, Feb. 21 to extend congratulations to Mr and Mrs Thomas Cunningham on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary. The reception was sponsored by their children. Refreshments of punch, ice cream and cake were served.

The following men from St. John the Baptist parish attended a retreat at Spring Lake last week: Quinten Cusack, Raymond Cowman, Kyran O'Brien and Clare Cunningham.

Mr and Mrs Eugene Schaefer are the parents of a baby daughter, born Feb. 17, at Ionia County Memorial Hospital. She has been named Colleen Louise.

Miss Marie O'Brien of Lansing spent the Feb. 27 weekend at the home of her brothers, John and Kyran.

Mr and Mrs Thomas Schaefer and son, Tommy of Lansing spent the Feb. 27 weekend at the home of Mr and Mrs Philip Schaefer.

Mr and Mrs Jack Schineman and family of Lansing were Sunday, Feb. 28 guests of Mrs Anna Hogan.

Mr and Mrs Will Roka of Owosso spent the Feb. 27 weekend at the home of Mrs Roka's parents, Mr and Mrs Thomas Donahue.

Patrick Rogers of Novi, Mrs Julia Merkle and Margaret Rogers of Lansing and Mr and Mrs Thomas Rogers of Carson City were callers of Mrs John Burke the weekend of Feb. 27.

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# Dairy products price testimony heard

A hearing on below-cost selling of milk and dairy products, and other unfair dairy trade practices, was held in Lansing by the Governor's blue ribbon Milk Price Committee.

According to Ray H. Dresser, an attorney of Sturgis, chairman of the committee, the governor's charge included "making recommendations for action on below-cost selling of milk."

FARM BUREAU'S testimony pointed out the persistent condition of "low retail prices resulting from chronic price wars and loss leader selling."

"Not only dairy farmers, but all of agriculture is affected by an unhealthy condition in the dairy industry," said Dan E. Reed, Michigan Farm Bureau legislative counsel. "If dairying becomes less profitable, more agricultural producers move into cash crops, poultry or livestock. It is important to all agriculture that each of its various branches stay healthy," Farm Bureau said.

PROPOSED dairy unfair trade practices legislation, such as was passed by the House and Senate but vetoed by Governor Swainson in 1961, is not price fixing legislation nor does it attempt to control production or restrict producers in their right to bargain. It is basically a bill to require each dealer to post the price at which he sells and would prohibit him from offering special favors, discounts and al-

lowances. It would prohibit the sale at less than cost of this important item in the consumer's food budget.

Governor Romney, in his annual message to the Legislature, warned that "permanent loss leader selling of milk must be stopped."

FARM BUREAU policy supports legislation along this line and states that "While we believe in competition, we are disturbed by the fact that some dairy product distributors and retailers engage in practices that have the effect of destroying their competitors."

Faisehood has an infinity of combinations, but truth has only one mode of being. — Jean Jacques Rousseau

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# Notice of Meetings of BOARDS OF REVIEW

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All persons interested are invited to appear and be heard as to any grievances that exist or may be thought to exist relative to any assessments in said townships.

All meetings will be held from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. of each day.

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| <p><b>BATH TOWNSHIP</b><br/>Gerald Shepard, Supervisor<br/>At 5547 Cutler Rd., Bath</p> <p><b>BENGAL TOWNSHIP</b><br/>Ray Mayers, Supervisor<br/>At Township Hall</p> <p><b>BINGHAM TOWNSHIP</b><br/>Maurice Gove, Supervisor<br/>At Township Hall</p> <p><b>DALLAS TOWNSHIP</b><br/>William Hufnagel, Supervisor<br/>At Township Hall</p> <p><b>DeWITT TOWNSHIP</b><br/>Fred Culy, Supervisor<br/>At New DeWitt Town Hall</p> <p><b>DUPLAIN TOWNSHIP</b><br/>George Moore, Supervisor<br/>At Township Hall</p> <p><b>EAGLE TOWNSHIP</b><br/>Russell Howe, Supervisor<br/>At Township Hall</p> <p><b>ESSEX TOWNSHIP</b><br/>John Settingington, Supervisor<br/>At Maple Rapids Village Hall</p> | <p><b>GREENBUSH TOWNSHIP</b><br/>Derrill Shinabery, Supervisor<br/>At Township Hall</p> <p><b>LEBANON TOWNSHIP</b><br/>Walter Nobis, Supervisor<br/>At Township Hall</p> <p><b>OLIVE TOWNSHIP</b><br/>Almond Cressman, Supervisor<br/>At Township Hall</p> <p><b>OID TOWNSHIP</b><br/>George Austin, Supervisor<br/>At Township Hall</p> <p><b>RILEY TOWNSHIP</b><br/>Willard Krebel, Supervisor<br/>At Township Hall</p> <p><b>VICTOR TOWNSHIP</b><br/>Claude Underhill, Supervisor<br/>At Township Hall</p> <p><b>WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP</b><br/>Ernest Carter, Supervisor<br/>At Township Hall</p> <p><b>WESTPHALIA TOWNSHIP</b><br/>Walter L. Thelen, Supervisor<br/>At Township Hall</p> |
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# Proceedings of the Clinton County Board of Supervisors

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1965

The Clinton County Board of Supervisors met on this date at 10:00 a.m. Prayer was offered by Supervisor Gove. Supervisor Carter led a pledge of Allegiance to the flag. Minutes of the last session were read and approved. Gordon Willyoung, as Friend of the Court, presented a report of the activities of that office during the year of 1964. A motion made by Supervisor Culy and supported by Supervisor Settingington, that the report be accepted and placed on file, was voted and carried.

Joseph Corcoran, a representative of the Office of Secretary of State, spoke to the Board concerning the continuance of issuing drivers licenses from a County Office. He stressed the thought that he was simply seeking a way to implement the photographic license program in the County under the present setup.

A motion was made by Supervisor Shepard and supported by Supervisor Carter, that due to the fact that it was omitted during the January session, the Board as a whole be given authority to attend as a Committee, the State Association of Supervisors meeting held in Lansing, Michigan, on January 19, 20 and 21st. Motion carried.

A letter from W. B. MacWhirter, property in Eagle Township for use as a Trailer Park was read and placed on file. A letter by Gerald Walter, as Zoning Administrator and Dale Chapman, as Drain Commissioner, concerning the same project was also read and placed on file. Supervisor Nobis, as Chairman of the Zoning Committee, also made a report on the project.

Blair Woodman, as State Representative of the 87th District and Lester Allen Representative of the 88th District spoke briefly to the Board.

A motion was made by Supervisor Tiedt and supported by Supervisor Austin, that reading of Supervisors expense accounts be dispensed with and they be paid as presented. Motion carried.

The Chairman then declared a recess until 1:30 p.m.

Mrs Goerge Leer, executive director of the Greater Lansing Association for Retarded Children, spoke to the Board of the work being done with mentally handicapped children in southern Clinton County. She showed slides of some of the students and the school building which is located in Clinton County. She pointed out that it would be cheaper for the County to help financially with such a school than to keep the same students in a State Institution. The Chairman referred the matter to the Education Committee for investigation.

Charles Frost Civil Defense Director, presented a report of the activities of that office during the year of 1964.

A motion was made by Supervisor Settingington, supported by Supervisor Gove, voted and carried, that the report be accepted and placed on file.

After the reading of a letter from Senator Lockwood, the Chairman appointed the Government Committee to meet with the Senator as requested.

A motion was made by Supervisor Cressman and supported by Supervisor Culy, that a bill of \$684.00 to Callaghan & Company, for law books to be used in the office of Prosecuting Attorney, be authorized for payment. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Supervisor Tiedt and supported by Supervisor Cressman, that inasmuch as it does not follow the pattern established by the Supervisors in setting salaries of other County employees, this Board disapprove of action of the Social Welfare Board taken on January 7, 1965. The action being wherein "It was moved by Mr Wright, seconded by Mr Osborn, that the salary of Doris Martens, bookkeeper and Lois Moss, caseworker, be increased from \$4400 to \$4600, effective January 1, 1965, subject to the necessary approval of the Board of Supervisors. Motion carried." Motion carried.

Bids for new cars which had been received by the Building and Grounds Committee were opened and read. After discussion a motion was made by Supervisor Cressman and supported by Supervisor Kriebel, that this Board accept the low bid of Egan Motor Sales for the purchase of five new Ford Interceptor Automobiles to be used by the Sheriff's Department and the Zoning Administrator, in accordance with the specifications requested, for a total price difference of \$5,361.45 and the Clerk be authorized to make the transaction. Motion carried.

The following report of the expenditures from the General Fund as presented by the County Clerk and on motion of Supervisor Tiedt, supported by Supervisor Nobis, accepted by the Board:

Itemized statement of the expenditures of the various offices and departments of the County of Clinton from the General Fund for the period beginning January 1st, 1964 and ending December 31st, 1964.

CIRCUIT COURT	
Salary of Circuit Judge	\$2,000.00
Salary of Circuit Court Reporter	3,500.00
Salary of Visiting Judge	125.00
Juror's Fees & Mileage	2,620.56
Witness Fees & Mileage	7.90
Deals for Jurors	151.21
Drawing Jury	16.00
Printing Court Calendars etc.	465.00
Transcript of Testimony	150.00
Traveling Expense of Court Reporter	387.95
Furniture (Electric Fan)	49.95
Telephone	284.36
Attorney Fees	220.00
	\$9,977.93

ASSIGNMENT CLERK	
Salary of Assignment Clerk	\$1,800.00
1963 Expenses (one-half paid by Gratiot Co.)	920.44
Office Supplies	567.76
Furniture (Desk & Chair)	213.80
New Typewriter	414.00
Telephone	168.00
Typewriter Repairs	22.60
Traveling Expense	22.00
Postage	441.43
	\$4,570.03

OFFICE OF PROBATE JUDGE	
Salary of Juvenile & Probate Judge	\$8,500.00
Salary of Probate Clerk	4,500.00
Salary of Visiting Judge	113.70
Extra Clerical Help	2,145.00
Furniture & Fixtures	1,037.75
Office Supplies	792.85
Telephone & Telegrams	640.60
Postage	159.05
Examination of Insane & Afflicted	290.00
Guardian Ad-Litem	485.00
Transcript of Testimony	155.50
Printing & Binding	161.54
Maintenance & Repairs	167.76
Serving Papers	10.20
Special Fund	686.36
	\$19,845.31

OFFICE OF PROSECUTING ATTORNEY	
Salary of Prosecuting Attorney	\$5,400.00
Salary of Ass't. Prosecuting Attorney	3,200.00

Salary of Office Clerk	3,600.00
Appearance as Special Prosecutor	170.00
Telegrams & Telephone	1,319.64
Office Supplies	497.26
Maintenance & Repairs	109.50
Convention Expense	96.70
Postage	25.00
Association Dues	50.00
Serving Papers	3.75
	\$14,071.85

OFFICE OF COUNTY CLERK	
Salary of County Clerk	\$ 6,200.00
Salary of Deputy County Clerk	4,900.00
Salary of Office Clerk	4,400.00
Extra Clerical Help	750.50
Office Supplies	746.85
Postage	212.50
Telephone	273.25
Printing & Binding	66.77
Convention Expense	125.56
Maintenance & Repairs	42.10
Equipment (New Typewriter)	409.50
Association Dues	15.00
Freight & Express	3.67
	\$18,145.70

OFFICE OF COUNTY TREASURER	
Salary of County Treasurer	\$ 6,000.00
Salary of Deputy Treasurer	4,500.00
Extra Clerical Help	1,092.50
Office Supplies	347.84
Postage	290.90
Telephone	215.30
Printing & Binding	323.96
Maintenance & Repairs	134.10
Convention Expense	113.61
Advertising	59.40
Association Dues	10.00
Furniture (Desks & Chairs)	568.20
Freight & Express	4.17
	\$13,659.98

OFFICE OF REGISTER OF DEEDS	
Salary of Register of Deeds	\$ 5,400.00
Salary of Deputy Register	3,600.00
Extra Clerical Help	185.00
Microfilming	549.27
Office Supplies	637.21
Postage	231.98
Telephone	172.90
Furniture (Chairs)	65.00
Maintenance & Repairs	88.65
Convention Expenses	125.98
Printing & Binding	340.45
Recording Deed	7.35
	\$11,403.79

ABSTRACT DEPARTMENT	
Salary of Abstractor	\$4,900.00
Salary of Deputy Abstractor	4,700.00
Salary of Office Clerk	3,009.24
Extra Clerical Help	1,279.20
Office Supplies	1,294.49
Furniture & Fixtures	972.00
Microfilming	199.80
Telephone	133.80
Maintenance & Repairs	35.45
Postage	155.50
Official Bond	10.00
	\$16,689.48

ADDRESSOGRAPH DEPARTMENT	
Salary of Office Clerk	\$4,600.00
Office Supplies	615.28
Telephone	132.75
Maintenance & Repairs	281.52
Freight & Express	4.17
	\$5,633.72

OFFICE OF DRAIN COMMISSIONER	
Salary of Drain Commissioner	\$ 5,200.00
Salary of Office Clerk	3,700.00
Extra Clerical Help	42.00
Traveling Expense	606.71
Telephone	259.90
Office Supplies	139.91
Furniture (Chairs)	161.88
Attorney Fees	10.00
Maintenance & Repairs	25.00
Postage	20.00
Convention Expense	131.19
	\$10,296.59

OFFICE OF SHERIFF	
Salary of Sheriff	\$ 6,200.00
Salary of Under Sheriff	5,100.00
Salary of Deputy Sheriff	9,230.10
Salary of Office Clerk	4,800.00
Expense Accounts of Deputy Sheriffs	4,117.17
Automobiles for Department	5,496.48
Automobile Insurance	488.82
Service & Repairs on Sheriff's Cars	980.46
Service & Repairs on Sheriff's Radios	1,758.40
Office Supplies	428.79
Telephone and Telegrams	530.90
Postage	320.00
Furniture & Fixtures	210.31
New Uniforms	980.01
Convention Expense	107.35
Official Bonds	20.00
Service for Insane & Afflicted	112.88
Labor & Repairs	117.17
Official Trip to Alaska	692.73
Ambulance Service	15.00
	\$41,796.57

JAIL	
Salary of Turnkey at Jail	\$ 3,333.28
Salary of Matron	499.92
Prisoner's Meals	5,554.45
Laundry for Jail	871.75
Supplies	497.85
Telephone & Telegrams	241.50
Fuel	1,702.14
Gas, Lights & Water	1,651.28
Medical Expense	164.91
Labor & Repairs	339.63
Clothing, Bedding etc.	179.59
Furniture & Fixtures	486.21
Freight & Express	5.49
	\$15,528.00

ZONING ADMINISTRATION	
Salary of Zoning Administrator	\$ 5,083.36
Salary of Assistant Administrator	4,200.00

Salary of Zoning Attorney	2,500.00
Salary of Office Clerk	3,529.61
Extra Clerical Help	161.00
Salary & Mileage of Zoning Commission	437.30
Salary & Mileage of Appeal Board	409.70
Trade-In on New Car	1,098.75
Car Insurance	117.25
Service & Repairs on Car	146.33
Expense Account of Administrators	983.08
Telephone	322.05
Office Supplies	330.95
Advertising	611.00
Postage	78.00
Equipment (Electric Fan)	29.95
Official Bond	10.00
	\$20,048.33

AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION	
Salary of Extension Clerks	\$ 6,175.00
Extra Clerical Help	814.50
Expense Accounts of Agents	1,913.13
Office Supplies	770.69
Telephone	818.65
Fuel, Lights & Water in 4-H Building	1,127.43
4-H Expenses	96.42
Labor & Repairs	266.57
Furniture & Fixtures	532.23
Fire Extinguishers (Smith Hall)	200.48
Typewriter Rental	15.20
Postage	20.00
	\$12,750.30

COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT	
Salary of Health Officer	\$ 1,200.00
Salary of County Health Nurse	4,700.00
Salary of Assistant Nurse	3,900.00
Extra Nursing Help	1,815.00
Traveling Expense	2,319.80
Drugs & Polio Supplies	538.43
Special Project (Chest X-rays)	947.46
Office Supplies	206.94
Furniture & Fixtures	107.25
Postage	100.00
Conference Expenses	34.40
Telephone	238.10
	\$16,107.38

PROBATION DEPARTMENT	
Salary of Office Clerk	\$ 3,100.00
Telephone	259.70
Office Supplies	275.03
Postage	98.00
Maintenance & Repairs	35.04
	\$3,767.77

COUNTY AGENT	
Salary of Office Clerk	\$1,764.91
Traveling Expense	94.43
Telephone	410.65
Office Supplies	112.50
Postage	60.00
Typewriter Repairs	7.50
	\$2,449.99

FRIEND OF THE COURT	
Salary of Friend of Court	\$ 4,500.00
Salary of Office Help	4,705.91
Traveling Expense	594.64
Telephone	168.00
Office Supplies	1,132.80
Postage	506.57
Furniture & Fixtures	1,002.90
Convention Expense	90.98
Labor & Repairs	39.30
Official Bond	35.00
Freight & Express	9.04
	\$12,776.14

CIVIL DEFENSE	
Salary of Defense Director	\$4,300.00
Expense Account	650.13
Office Supplies	2.50
Conference Expense	88.71
Labor & Repairs	37.66
Postage	10.00
	\$5,089.00

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS	
Salary & Mileage of Supervisors	\$ 8,753.20
Committee Work	7,504.14
Attorney Fees	437.00
Printing & Binding	2,931.78
Convention Expense	963.05
Advertising	117.00
Supplies	67.00
Expense of District Meeting	40.70
	\$20,813.87

COURT HOUSE & GROUNDS	
Salary of Janitors	\$ 7,556.62
Fuel	1,702.14
Lights & Water	1,388.81
Towel Service	57.40
Supplies	1,622.30
Labor & Repairs	840.81
Furniture & Equipment	664.15
Re-decorating	1,311.81
Air Conditioning	2,730.27
Wiring Contract	12,604.81
Repair Clock in Tower	1,200.00
Insurance on Truck	36.83
Freight & Express	4.19
	\$32,220.14

JUVENILE HOME	
Salary of Matron at Home	\$ 2,100.00
Domestic Help at Home	1,285.00
Children kept in Boarding Homes	9,957.75
Clothing & Supplies for Children	1,603.94
Groceries	2,348.22
Gas, Lights & Water	1,398.72
Telephone	186.15
Hospital & Medical Services	1,059.42
Household Supplies	180.60
Freight & Express	12.76
Traveling Expense	97.73
Curb & Gutter	923.80
	\$22,045.28

LIVESTOCK & DOGS	
Salary of Dog Wardens	\$ 5,500.00
Traveling Expense	4,206.50
Damage to Livestock	1,713.85

Listing Dogs	1,103.80
Dogs Disposed of	1,453.00
Bounty on Sheep-killing Dogs	20.00
Telephone	260.33
Supplies	372.42
Dog Food	452.24
Dogs Picked Up	240.00
Board for Dogs	50.00
Postage	30.00
Official Bonds	20.00
Advertising	10.00
	\$15,432.14

SETTLEMENT WITH AUDITOR GENERAL	
Traverse City State Hospital	\$ 8,881.13
Michigan Childrens Institute	4,072.25
Girl's Training School	1,528.66
Boys' Vocational School	1,230.46
Coldwater Home & Training School	3,408.24
Fort Custer State Home	4,652.43
Kalamazoo State Hospital	2,915.40
Caro State Hospital	1,883.72
Northville State Hospital	236.00
Tax Refund	27.23
	\$28,835.52

JUSTICE COURT	
Justice's Fees	\$ 13,472.60
Officer's Fees	77.40
Juror's Fees & Mileage	294.40
Witness Fees & Mileage	235.60
Transcript of Testimony	197.00
Supplies	322.96
Freight & Express	7.24
	\$14,607.20

CORONERS	
Coroner's Fees	\$ 275.00
Traveling Expense	147.90
Autopsies	300.00
Telephone	32.70
	\$ 755.60

ELECTIONS	
Printing Ballots	\$ 5,500.85
Election Supplies	688.94
Salary & Mileage of County Canvassers	697.00
Printing Canvassers Statements	54.18
Postage	61.35
Delivering Ballots & Travel Expenses	77.20
Shelves for Voting Machines	71.00
Freight & Express	9.54
	\$7,160.06

APPROPRIATIONS BY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS	
Tri-County Regional Planning	\$10,784.00
Clinton County Soil Conservation	2,613.00
Lansing Child Guidance Clinic	5,800.00
Salvation Army	399.07
East Michigan Tourist Assn.	200.00
Michigan Childrens Aid Society	250.00
Michigan State Assn. of Supervisors	700.00
Bee Inspection	444.33
Advertising Michigan Week	50.00
	\$21,240.40

MISCELLANEOUS	
Contagious Disease	\$ 17,858.42
Tax Allocation Board	9

# Legal News, Business and Professional Announcements

### New Suits Started

**PAUL WAKEFIELD**  
County Clerk

Alfred A. Beverle vs Everett L. Hathaway.  
Ethel Randol vs John Salazar and Bertha Salazar.  
American Mat Corp. vs Syver K. Thingstad and Margaret Thingstad.

### New Business Firms

Roy's Auto Sales, 301 N. Oakland, St. Johns.  
Ye Ole Pub, US-27, DeWitt.

### Marriage Licenses

Dale Eugene Trew, 20, Bath, and Diane Kay Hull, 18, Lansing.  
Kiehl G. Kirschenbauer, 27, Lansing and Lorna Lee Hopp, 23, St. Johns.  
Ronald Lee LaVigne, 18, Lansing, and Bonny Kaye Ouderkrirk, 17, Lansing.  
Paul Krumm, 20, St. Johns, and Jeanne M. Orweller, 20, St. Johns.  
Howard Lee Sullivan, 47, Lansing, and Dolly F. Allen, 28, Lansing.

### Divorces Started

Blanche H. Burris vs. Herbert C. Burris.  
Judy Lou Guilbault vs. Robert Guilbault.  
Carol Ann Scheffer vs. Edward P. Scheffer.

### Probate Court

**HON. TIMOTHY M. GREEN**  
Judge of Probate  
**HELENA M. BURK**  
Register of Probate

WEDNESDAY MARCH 10  
Fred C. Tucker, probate of will.  
Raymond J. Morriss, final account.

FRIDAY, MARCH 12  
Mary A. Sheldon, claims.  
Robert Heuer, final account.  
Nellie E. Hunt, final account.  
Victor Hugo Warren, final account.

### County Building Permits

Feb. 19: James W. Fedewa, St. Johns, septic tank and drain field.  
Feb. 19: H. F. Hobson, DeWitt, addition to dwelling.  
Feb. 23: Robert Blough, Westphalia, septic tank and drain field.

### Real Estate Transfers

(From records in office of Register of Deeds)

Edward W. and Doris E. Prowant to Harvey J. and Marlene A. French, property in Greenbush Twp.  
Donald A. Miller to Donald A. and Lois E. Miller, property in Westphalia Twp.  
Helen M. Reichert, Doris C. Hyde, Opal Terryberry and Violet Baker to Willard and Violet Zwick, property in Ovid.

### Life With The Rimples



### By Les Carroll



### CITY COMMISSION PROCEEDINGS

The regular meeting of the City Commission was held on Tuesday, Feb. 16, 1965, at 7:30 p.m., Vice Mayor Sirrine presiding. No invocation. Commissioners present: Sirrine, Coletta, Irerer, Manager Greer, Attorney Reed and clerk. Minutes of the Feb. 11, 1965, meeting were read and approved. Minutes of the City Commission and the City Planning Commission re: request for federal assistance in the central business district urban renewal study, were read and approved.

Communications: Request for street light; motion made and supported that request for street light at the north end of the 300 block North Prospect be granted. Motion carried.

ASSESSMENT Resolution No. 5—1965 for watermain; motion made and supported that the assessor prepare a special assessment roll on the 700-800-900 blocks West Cass. Motion carried. Assessment Resolution No. 6—1965 for sanitary sewer, motion made and supported that the assessor prepare a special assessment roll on the 800-900 blocks West Cass. Motion carried.

The loader (city equipment) project was again discussed. Manager Greer reported the prices on a new loader and the costs on having the old loader repaired. Motion made and supported that the old loader be repaired. Motion carried.

MANAGER GREER requested that the commission employ the engineering firm Williams and Works, Grand Rapids, Mich., to do some ground work on storm sewers in the City of St. Johns.

A resolution was offered and adopted granting the commission the right to request retirement at age 65; it is mandatory at age 70 by the Michigan Employees' Retirement System.

MOTION MADE and supported

that claims be allowed as audited in the amount of \$21,539.08. Clerk was authorized to draw warrants for same from available funds. Motion carried. No further business, motion duly made to adjourn.

**JESSIE A. FINCH**, Clerk

### Corn, sports, antiques on state calendar

If you like to travel, here are a few things coming up in the next week you can consider adding to your agenda. A Corn Show Festival will be held Saturday and Sunday at Gaylord; the Sport Show starts next Tuesday and runs through March 15 at Lansing; and there'll be an antique show at the Light Guard Armory in Detroit from March 11 to March 14.

The US Coast Guard Academy is located at New London, Conn. No man has a good enough memory to make a successful liar.—Abraham Lincoln

### LEGAL NOTICES

**Heirs Pope—Mar. 25**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. In the Matter of the Estate of **LUCY H. POPE, Deceased**  
At a session of said Court, held on February 22, 1965, at 10:30 A.M. Present, Hon. Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate.  
Notice is hereby given, that the petition of **Claude H. Pope** praying that the instrument filed in said Court hereof for three weeks consecutively be granted to himself or to some other suitable person, and that the heirs of said deceased be determined, will be heard at the Probate Court on **Friday, 25th day of March, 1965, at 10:30 A.M.**  
It is Ordered, that notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Clinton County News, and that the petitioner cause a copy of this notice to be served upon each known party in interest at his last known address by registered or certified mail, or by personal service at least fourteen (14) days prior to such hearing.  
**TIMOTHY M. GREEN,** Judge of Probate.  
A true copy: Helena M. Burk, Register of Probate. F. M. Lewis, Attorney for said Estate. Business Address: 109 North Clinton Avenue, St. Johns, Michigan 44-3

**Heirs Carrizales—Mar. 25**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. In the Matter of the Estate of **LUIS G. CARRIZALES, Deceased**  
At a session of said Court, held on the 23rd day of February, A. D. 1965. Present, Hon. Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate.  
Notice is hereby given, that the petition of **Cecilio Carrizales** praying that the administration of said estate be granted to himself or to some other suitable person, and that the heirs of said deceased be determined, will be heard at the Probate Court on **March 25, 1965, at 10:30 A.M.**  
It is Ordered, that notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Clinton County News, and that the petitioner cause a copy of this notice to be served upon each known party in interest at his last known address by registered or certified mail, or by personal service, at least fourteen (14) days prior to such hearing.  
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Notice is hereby given, that the petition of **W. S. Lusk**, the Executor of said estate, praying that his final account be allowed and the residue of said estate assigned to the persons entitled thereto, will be heard at the Probate Court on **Wednesday, March 31, 1965, at 9:30 A.M.**  
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**Final Account Stockman—Mar. 24**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Johns in said County, on the 16th day of February, A. D. 1965.  
Present: Hon. Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate.  
In the Matter of the Estate of **EDWARD H. STOCKMAN, Deceased**  
Harry D. Stockman having filed in said Court his final administration account, and a petition praying for the allowance thereof; for the determination of the legal heirs-at-law of said deceased, at the time of his death; and for the assignment and distribution of said estate to the unpaid fifth class creditors.  
It is Ordered, that **Wednesday, the 24th day of March, A. D. 1965 at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon**, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.  
It is Further Ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this Order once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Clinton County News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.  
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**Claims Grove—May 5**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. In the Matter of the Estate of **HARRIET A. GROVE, Deceased**  
At a session of said Court, held on the 19th day of February, A. D. 1965. Present, Hon. Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate.  
It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased and before said Court:  
It is Ordered, that all of the creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 3rd day of May, A. D. 1965, at 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.  
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**Claims Cheney—May 5**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. In the Matter of the Estate of **DAVID HOWARD CHENEY, Deceased**  
At a session of said Court, held on the 17th day of February, A. D. 1965. Present, Hon. Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate.  
It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased and before said Court:  
It is Ordered, that all of the creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 5th (Wed.) day of May, A. D. 1965, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.  
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**Claims Ruch—April 23**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. In the Matter of the Estate of **GLENN E. RUCH, Deceased**  
At a session of said Court, held on the 5th day of February, A. D. 1965. Present, Hon. Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate.  
It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased and before said Court:  
It is Ordered, that all of the creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 19th day of April, A. D. 1965, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased, and that the heirs of said deceased be determined.  
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**TIMOTHY M. GREEN,** Judge of Probate.  
A true copy: Helena M. Burk, Register of Probate. Patrick, Chubb, Wylie and Barnes, By: Attorney F. Merrill Wylie, 317 South Grand Ave., Lansing, Michigan 44-3

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STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. In the Matter of the Estate of **ALBERT C. YANZ, Deceased**  
At a session of said Court, held on the 19th day of February, A. D. 1965. Present, Hon. Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate.  
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A true copy: Helena M. Burk, Register of Probate. Walker & Moore, Attorneys at Law. By: Jack Walker, Clinton National Bank Bldg. St. Johns, Michigan 44-3

### Present: Hon. Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of **EDWARD H. STOCKMAN, Deceased**  
Harry D. Stockman having filed in said Court his final administration account, and a petition praying for the allowance thereof; for the determination of the legal heirs-at-law of said deceased, at the time of his death; and for the assignment and distribution of said estate to the unpaid fifth class creditors.  
It is Ordered, that **Wednesday, the 24th day of March, A. D. 1965 at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon**, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.  
It is Further Ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this Order once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Clinton County News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.  
**TIMOTHY M. GREEN,** Judge of Probate.  
A true copy: Helena M. Burk, Register of Probate. Deming & Deming, By: Hudson E. Deming, Attorneys at Law. Business Address: Grand Lodge, Michigan 44-3

**Claims Cheney—May 5**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. In the Matter of the Estate of **DAVID HOWARD CHENEY, Deceased**  
At a session of said Court, held on the 17th day of February, A. D. 1965. Present, Hon. Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate.  
It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased and before said Court:  
It is Ordered, that all of the creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 5th (Wed.) day of May, A. D. 1965, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.  
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**Claims Ruch—April 23**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. In the Matter of the Estate of **GLENN E. RUCH, Deceased**  
At a session of said Court, held on the 5th day of February, A. D. 1965. Present, Hon. Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate.  
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It is Ordered, that all of the creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 19th day of April, A. D. 1965, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased, and that the heirs of said deceased be determined.  
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**TIMOTHY M. GREEN,** Judge of Probate.  
A true copy: Helena M. Burk, Register of Probate. Patrick, Chubb, Wylie and Barnes, By: Attorney F. Merrill Wylie, 317 South Grand Ave., Lansing, Michigan 44-3

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# Next Sunday In Clinton County Churches

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**St. Johns Area**

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
Dr. Howard A. Smith, Minister  
9:45 a.m.—Morning Worship, Sermon: "Do We Need a New Image of God?"  
11:00 a.m.—Church School. A class for everyone  
11:00 a.m.—Confirmation Class for senior youth and adults  
Wed., March 3  
6:30 p.m.—Lenten potluck supper for entire family. Rev. Peter Nieuwkoop is guest speaker  
7:00 p.m.—Senior MYF  
Thurs., March 4  
6:30 a.m.—Methodist Men Lenten Breakfast. Walter Nickel will conduct the devotions  
7:00 p.m.—Junior High MYF  
Fri., March 5  
1:30 p.m.—World Day of Prayer service  
Sat., March 6  
9:00 a.m.—Confirmation Class for Junior Youth  
Tues., March 9  
6:30 p.m.—Annual "Guest Night" of the Woman's Society and the Wesleyan Service Guild. Husbands and friends are guests  
Wed., March 10  
6:30 p.m.—Second Lenten potluck supper. Rev. Gerald Churchill will be guest speaker

**FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**  
Gerald Churchill, Minister  
Wed., March 3  
7:30 p.m.—Ash Wednesday Service of Devotion  
Thurs., March 4  
7:30 p.m.—March meeting of the Church Council  
Fri., March 5  
1:30 p.m.—World Day of Prayer Service at First Methodist church, the Rev. Gerald Churchill, speaker  
Sun., March 7  
9:30 a.m.—Pastoral Board  
9:45 a.m.—Church School, nursery through senior high worship. Lenten sermon theme: "Pilgrimage." Part 1, "Our Point of Departure"  
9:30 p.m.—Pilgrim Fellowship  
7:30 p.m.—Community Lenten Service, First Methodist church  
8:45 p.m.—"Doublets" meeting at the Manse  
Mon., March 8  
6:45 p.m.—Congregators. Committee: Mrs. Helen Flower, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Pope, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Lyman, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jones  
Tues., March 9  
9:30 a.m.—First of a series of 4 Tuesday lectures by the Rev. Jack Robinson. Theme: "Leaders of the Reformation"  
Wed., March 10  
7:30 a.m.—High school breakfast meeting. Theme: "Questions Young People Are Asking"  
7:30 p.m.—Board of Trustees

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Peter F. Nieuwkoop, Pastor  
512 S. Whitterson St. (South US-27)  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School. William Dodway Supt.  
11:00 a.m.—The Morning Worship Service  
11:00 a.m.—Junior Church  
7:30 p.m.—The Evening Worship Service  
Nursery for babies; playroom for toddlers during Sunday School, morning and evening worship services  
6:15 p.m.—Junior Youth Fellowship, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Phillips Directors  
9:15 p.m.—Senior Youth Fellowship (Wednesdays)  
The First Monday—Monthly Deacons Meeting  
The First Tuesday—Ladies' Missionary Society  
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**ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Most Rev. Joseph Green, J.C.D., D. D., Pastor  
Father Edwin Schoettle, and Father John E. Young—Assistant Pastors  
Rectory, 109 Linden St.  
Phone 224-3313  
Mass Schedule—Weekdays: (School Days) 7:30, 8 and 11:20 a.m. Mass when no school (Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament from 8:30 p.m. Thursday preceding the First Friday until 7:30 p.m. Friday night)  
Devotions: Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena—Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. Rosary and Night Prayers at 7:30 p.m.  
First Friday Holy Hour in Honor of the Sacred Heart—preceding Thursday from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.  
Instruction Classes: Adult Instruction and Inq. Class. Monday and Thursday at 8 p.m.  
High School Students—Wednesday at 8 p.m.  
Public Grade School Children—Saturday at 10 a.m.  
Baptisms: Each Sunday at 1:30 p.m.

**ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Corner of East Walker and Mead Sts.  
Rev. Hugh E. Banning, Pastor  
Rectory 224-2885 office 224-2885  
1st Sunday of Month—8 a.m. Holy Communion and Sermon  
Other Sundays—8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10:30 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon  
Wednesday, 10:30 a.m.—Holy Communion  
Special During Lent  
7 a.m.—Wednesday morning Communion  
6 p.m.—Thursday evening family night with potluck, program and worship

**FREE METHODIST CHURCH**  
305 Church Street  
Bruce L. Strigley, Minister  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
7:45 p.m.—Evening Worship  
Thursday, 7:45 p.m.—Prayer service and Bible study  
8:00 p.m.—(2nd and 4th Thursdays)  
Free Methodist Youth meeting

**ST. JOHN'S PARISH**  
Rev. Rudy Wittenbach, Pastor  
Greenbush Methodist Church  
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:30 a.m.—Worship Service  
Price Methodist Church  
9:45 a.m.—Worship Service  
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
8:00 p.m.—MYF

**ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
US-27 at Sturgi Street  
Rev. Elmer B. Schiefer  
Vacancy Service  
9 a.m.—Worship Service  
10 a.m.—Sunday School  
Saturday, 10:30 a.m.—Confirmation Class

**ST. JOHN'S BAPTIST TEMPLE**  
400 E. State Street  
Rev. Roy Green, Pastor  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School. All classes teaching book of Second Corinthians  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
6:00 p.m.—Jet Cadets, Young People  
6:00 p.m.—Adults studying Book of Jena  
7:00 p.m.—Evening Evangelistic service  
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.—Prayer and study hour. Second Thursday of each month ladies missionary meeting

**SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS**  
688 North Lansing Street  
Elder William R. Brown, Pastor  
Services held on Saturday  
9:15 a.m.—Church service

**EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN CHURCHES**  
Bingham—Bengal  
Rev. Norman Crotser, Pastor  
Bengal  
9:30 a.m.—Worship service  
10:30 a.m.—Church School classes for all ages. Robert Gill, superintendent  
Bingham  
9:30 a.m.—Church School for all ages. Ralph Hallead, superintendent  
10:35 a.m.—Worship service

**JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES**  
Kingdom Hall  
1533 N. Lansing Street  
Sunday, 3:00 p.m.—Public Talk  
4:15 p.m.—Watchtower Study  
Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.—Area Bible study  
Thursday, 7:31 p.m.—Theocratic Ministry School

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
513 North Lansing Street  
Rev. Eldon Raymond, Minister  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
6:15 p.m.—Young People's Service  
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship  
Wednesday, 7 p.m.—Prayer meeting

**CHURCH OF GOD**  
Whittimore and Railroad on US-27  
Rev. Duane Brewbaker, Pastor  
10:00 a.m.—Church School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship  
7:00 p.m.—Adult Prayer group  
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service  
Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Prayer meeting; choir practice 8:30 p.m.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
S. US-27 & E. Baldwin  
Joseph F. Eger, Jr., Pastor  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m.—Youth Service  
7:30 p.m.—Sunday Evening Fellowship  
Wed., Wednesday, second and fourth, WMC  
7:30 p.m.—Thursday evening service

**DeWitt Area**

**DEWITT COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
Rev. Daniel Kellin, Pastor  
9:45—Sunday School "Teaching God, Christ, and the Church." Mrs. Ardis Sibley, Supt.  
11:00 a.m.—Divine Worship

**DEWITT METHODIST CHURCH**  
North Bridge Street  
Ernest Combelack, Pastor  
9:45 a.m.—Church School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship, Nursery care for preschool children  
6:30 p.m.—Youth Service

**EMANUEL METHODIST CHURCH**  
Corner Clark and Schavey Roads  
Rev. John P. Keith, Pastor  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School, adults and children  
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service  
Newcomers and old friends are always welcome

**ST. ANNE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Corner US-27 and Webb Road  
Rev. Hugh E. Banning, Vicar  
Rectory 224-2885 Office 224-2885  
1st Sunday of month—9:00 a.m. Holy Communion and sermon. (No Church School)  
Other Sundays—9:00 a.m. Morning prayer and sermon; 9:30 a.m. Church School

**MATHERTON COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
2:00 p.m.—Sunday School  
3:00 p.m.—Worship service

**Eureka Area**

**CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Eureka, Michigan  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service  
7:00 p.m.—P.P.G.M. Fellowship Sunday evenings  
Cherub and Chord School Choir practice Thursday from 7 to 7:45. Chancel choir practice Thursday from 7:45 to 8:30

**Bath Area**

**BATH METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. LaVern Bretz, Pastor  
10:00 a.m.—Morning Service  
11:00 a.m.—Church School  
7:00 p.m.—Jr. MYF at the church  
8:00 p.m.—Sr. MYF at the church

**BATH BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. James L. Burleigh, Pastor  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship  
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service  
Midweek service on Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

**ROSE LAKE CHURCH**  
Reorganized L.S.S.  
Elder Jack Hodge, Pastor  
Corner of Upton and Stoll Roads  
10:00 a.m.—Church School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship  
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, evening service

**Elsie Area**

**ELSIE METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Walter Easton, Minister  
9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship  
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School, Supt. Mrs. Stanley Kajdas

**ELSIE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Carl R. Finley, Pastor  
10:00 a.m.—Worship service  
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School, Paul Brown, Supt.  
6:30 p.m.—Jr. and Sr. BYF  
7:15 p.m.—Evening Service  
4:00 p.m.—Thursday, Jr. Choir practice; 7:00 p.m.—Sr. choir practice; 8 p.m.—Prayer Service

**DUPLAIN METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Walter Easton, Minister  
10 a.m.—Sunday School, Supt. Kenneth Kiger  
11 a.m.—Worship service

**DUPLAIN CHURCH OF CHRIST at the Colony**  
Rev. Ralph Woodard, Pastor  
10:00 a.m.—Bible School  
Jack Schwark, Jr., S.S. Supt.  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship

**Eagle Area**

**EAGLE METHODIST CHURCH**  
C. Dow Chamberlain, Pastor  
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
11:10 a.m.—Church School  
6:45 p.m.—Wednesday MYF, 8 p.m. Prayer meeting

**EAGLE SQUARE CHURCH**  
Rev. and Mrs. Royal Burnett, Pastor  
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:15 a.m.—Morning Worship  
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday Prayer meeting

**Ovid Area**

**OVID FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
South Main Street  
Rev. Wallace E. Lewien, Pastor  
Myron Woodruff, Church School Supt.  
Ida Beard, Church Supt.  
9:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
11:00 a.m.—Church School  
7:00 a.m.—Wednesday, Senior Choir  
8:00 p.m.—Bible Study and Prayer service

**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Ovid, Michigan  
Corner M-21 and Elsie Road  
George Rogers, Pastor  
10 a.m.—Sunday School  
11 a.m.—Morning worship hour  
6 p.m.—Youth training hour  
7 p.m.—Evening gospel hour  
Wednesday, 4 p.m.—Youth choir practice  
Wednesday, 7 p.m.—Bible study and prayer service

**CHURCH OF GOD**  
Ovid, Michigan  
Rev. L. Sanders, Pastor  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship  
7:00 p.m.—Evening Service  
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday Bible Study; 8:45 p.m.—Choir practice

**OVID UNITED CHURCH**  
Garth D. Smith, Minister  
Leta Parker, church school superintendent  
Sunday 10:00 a.m.—Church school classes  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
5:00 p.m.—Jr-Hi Youth Fellowship  
7:00 p.m.—Sr-Hi Youth Fellowship  
Wednesday, 4:00 p.m.—Junior choir rehearsal 7:30 p.m. Chancel choir rehearsal  
Thursday 3:45 p.m.—Children's choir rehearsal  
2nd Tuesday each month—Official board meeting  
2nd Wednesday each month—Women's Fellowship meeting

**Maple Rapids Area**

**MAPLE RAPIDS METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Calvin W. Carey, Pastor  
9:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship

**Fulton Area**

**CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Maple Rapids, Michigan  
Rev. Donald Voss, Pastor  
10:00 a.m.—Worship Service  
11:15 a.m.—Sunday School  
7:00 p.m.—U.C.Y.M. meets on alternate Sundays  
8:00 p.m.—Thursday Chapel choir practice  
10:00 a.m.—Saturday, Cherub choir practice  
8:30 p.m.—Service meeting

**LOWE METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Calvin W. Carey, Pastor  
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:30 a.m.—Morning Worship  
7:30 p.m.—MYF  
W.S.C.S. meets second Wednesday of each month at the church

**FULTON FULL GOSPEL CHURCH**  
1/2 mile east of Perrinton on M-57, 1/2 mile south  
Rev. Fred Wing, Pastor  
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School  
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
7:00 p.m.—Youth Service  
Evening Service  
7:45 p.m.—Thursday, Prayer and praise service

**EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN CHURCHES**  
County Line—Fulton  
Rev. Ralph Conine  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
7:30 p.m.—Thursday, Youth Fellowship  
7:30 p.m.—Thursday, prayer meeting

**ST. MARTIN DEPORRE MISSION**  
Charles L. Ganley, Pastor  
Sunday Mass—8:15 a.m.  
No Weekday mass

**SALEM EUB CHURCH**  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
Thursday, 7:30 a.m.—Prayer Service  
7:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship and Youth Fellowship

**Matherton Area**

**UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH**  
Matherton Michigan  
Rev. N. J. Wibert, Pastor  
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School  
10:45 a.m.—Sunday School  
8:00 p.m.—Wednesday, Midweek prayer meeting  
We welcome you to the fellowship of our services. Our desire is that you may find the warmth of welcome and the assistance in your worship of Christ.  
First and third Sundays Matherton Church, second and fourth at Fenwick Church

**Wacousta Area**

**WACOUSTA METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Thomas Peters, Pastor  
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
11:30 a.m.—Sunday School  
6:30 p.m.—Methodist Youth Fellowship (1st and 3rd Sundays of month)  
Wednesday, 8:30 p.m.—Children's choir practice  
7:30 p.m.—Thursday, Senior Adult choir practice  
4th Monday each month, 8 p.m. Official Board meeting  
Methodist Men's club meets at 6:30 p.m. on the first Wednesday of each month at Wacousta Community Methodist church



# THE WORLD

Strange sight? Not really! We're getting used to seeing pictures of our own earth. We're getting used to the concept of a universe instead of a world. We can believe that the moon's soon to become a landing place.

Does this familiarity with space — does our thrust into the physical unknown — make the basic facts of life and death any simpler to us? Certainly not! Man is in a peculiar position, today. The more he explores, the more vast he finds what lies ahead of him. The more he learns, the more he discovers how infinitely much there is to know.

More than ever before, man realizes how great the hand of God has been in fashioning this world, this universe, we live in. That's why people everywhere — including scientists, astronauts, space pioneers — are men of religious conviction. Go to church this Sunday, and see for yourself.

Sunday 8:30-4	Monday Ephesians 2:5-8	Tuesday John 3:16-20	Wednesday Hebrews 2:16-20	Thursday II Samuel 22:16-25	Friday Job 12:22-23	Saturday Psalms 18:15-19
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## Carping Critics

A Grand Rapids pastor told me that a lady in his church confided that God had given her the gift of criticism. She thought of herself as having the ability to discover and in a known way what was wrong in the functions of the church. What a nasty gift! You can search from Genesis to Revelation and you will not find that God is the giver of such a perverse ability. I have noted that those who do the criticizing are the people who do the least in any church. They are like the hound sitting upon a cacklebur and howling. Someone said, "Why doesn't he get up?" His master replied, "He'd rather howl than move." Their disconcerting conversation often begins with the phrase, "The trouble with our church—our choir; our preacher." Thus discord and discontent is sown among the people. I challenge any such carping critics to take a blank piece of paper and write down what they have done for the Lord in the past month, yes, even the last year. I'm sure they wouldn't even need a pencil, as they will have nothing to write. Happy is the church that is like the home on the range, "Where never is heard a discouraging word and the skies are not cloudy all day."

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