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4 seeking 2 St. Johns school board seats

A spirited election is anticipated Monday when voters of the newly enlarged St. Johns School District name two members to the board of education. Four men are running for the two seats.

Only one of the terms actually expires this year. That's the one of board President Kenneth Munger, who is seeking reelection for four years. He is being challenged by Donald Bast.

THE OTHER TERM is for two years to fill out an unexpired term of Lorenz Tiedt of St. Johns, who resigned late last year. William McCarthy was appointed to fill Tiedt's chair until this election. McCarthy is a candidate for the post, as is Alden Livingston.

The election of the two board members is the only thing St. Johns school District voters will have to do Monday. There are no special issues on the ballot. Five voting precincts have been established to handle the voters between 7 a.m. and 8 p.m. Monday. (Map on Page 1-B describes each of the precincts.)

ALL OF THE school board candidates have had experience of some length in school affairs, and all are active in civic affairs.

Donald Bast, 34, who resides with his wife Alvina and their five children on North Lowe Road in Essex Township, was a member of the former East Essex School Board for about a year prior to the annexation in March.

He is active in the St. Johns Jaycees and was vice president of the group in 1963 and 1964. He is part-owner and operator of Clinton Crop Service, with which he has been associated since 1963. Prior to that he had worked for eight years at Federal-Mogul in St. Johns.

HE IS A MEMBER of the Sleepy Hollow Conservation Club. He is in his second year as a 4-H crops leader and has been in 4-H leadership work for three or four years.

Bast's children are Danny, 17, Lonny, 15, and Penney, 14, all students at St. Johns High School, and Wayne, 11, and Gary, 9, students at the East Essex School.

ALDEN Livingston, who lives at 2224 Livingston Road in Greenbush Township, has served on the Greenwood School District board of education for 25 years and has been president all that time. He is presently chairman of the Clinton County Zoning Commission, a group he has served on for 15 years.

Livingston farms 685 acres and lives on the farm where he was born and raised. He was in the farming business with his father and is now in business with his sons, David, an agriculture engineer graduate at Michigan State,



DONALD BAST



ALDEN LIVINGSTON



WILLIAM MCCARTHY



KENNETH MUNGER

and Eugene, who also studied at MSU. Livingston and his wife Doris also have a daughter, Mrs. Suzanne Martis.

HE IS A member of Rotary, Vegetable Growers Assn., Farm Bureau, Artificial Breeders Assn., Dairy Herd Improvement Assn., Cattle Feeders Assn., and was a delegate of the Mint Growers, Onion Growers and Michigan Muck Farmers associations to the Michigan Agricultural Conference. He has served three times on the board of trustees of the Congregational Church, including two terms as chairman. He's been a member of the choir for 25 years.

William McCarthy of 306 E. McConnell Street has served on the St. Johns board of education since January, when he was appointed to fill Tiedt's chair until the June 14 election.

A ST. JOHNS resident for six years, he served the last year as president of the St. Johns Jaycees and was honored by that group in January as the winner of a distinguished service award for his activities in civic work. He was Michigan Week chairman in St. Johns this year.

He's a member of the Methodist Church, where he is secretary-

and treasurer of the board of trustees and chairman of the education commission of the church. He has been employed by the Michigan Department of Agriculture for five years and does dairy products grading and dairy law enforcement for the Dairy Division of MDA.

McCarthy and his wife, the former Rosemary Eaton of St. Johns, have four children, Brian 8, Kelly 4, Kathleen 3 and William 2.

KENNETH MUNGER of 208 S. Oakland Street, has served on the board of education here for 10 years and has been its president for the last three years. He is also vice chairman of the Clinton Memorial Hospital board. He served as vice chairman of the board of directors of trustees of Clinton Memorial Hospital last year and served on the board 10 years. He is still a hospital trustee.

Munger, a life-long resident of St. Johns, is owner of R. E. Benson Plumbing Co. He is a member of Rotary and the Chamber of Commerce and has been president of both groups. He's a member of the Methodist Church.

He and his wife Doris have two sons, Benny, a teacher at Grand Ledge, and Scott, a student at Western Michigan University. They have one granddaughter.

305-foot microwave tower going up here

St. Johns' western horizon will take on a distinctly different look within the next week or two as General Telephone Co. erects a 305-foot microwave tower.

The tower will be located on ground at the rear of West State and North Morton streets on property owned by the telephone company. GenTel has a garage and employee facilities in a building further to the north off State Street.

WILLIAM GRAEF, local General Telephone Co. manager, said foundations for the tower and equipment building are in, and the huge reflecting "dishes" that will sit high on the tower have arrived. Contractors hoped to have perhaps 100 feet of the steel tower constructed by the end of this week, Graef said.

Final installation of equipment is hoped for by the end of the month so that testing of the microwave system can begin. The St. Johns tower is one of six in a network of towers being constructed up the middle of the state to join with an existing network in the upper Lower Peninsula.

OTHER TOWERS WILL be located at Alma, Mt. Pleasant, Harrison, Houghton Lake and Roscommon. The microwave towers work on the principal of sending sound waves in a straight and narrow band across distances between the towers. A large number of communications "channels" can be carried on the microwave signals.

The tower, which will be shaped triangularly, will rise 305 feet into the air. Antennas near the bottom will face in two directions and will direct the signals vertically to the large "dishes" near the top of the tower where they will be reflected toward the other towers. The "dishes" are 10 feet in diameter.

BECAUSE OF THE height—more than twice that of St. Johns' new water tower—the new microwave tower will carry both fixed and flashing red lights as a warning to low-flying planes.

The tower will be no wider at the bottom than it will be at the top, Graef said. Guy wires to three positions will hold the tower aloft. The anchor blocks are already in place.

The major portion of the microwave equipment will be installed in the 18 x 8-foot control building when it is delivered—intact—by truck.

Pond approved by supervisors

Construction of a dam and a 6 1/2-acre pond on the Keith Wright farm, 8399 N. Wright Road, was approved by the Clinton County Board of Supervisors Monday.

They passed a resolution granting permission to seek a lake level from the state and for the county drain commissioner to set up a special assessment district for the future maintenance of the dam and lake.

THE ASSESSMENT district, which will not be set up immediately, will be no larger than Wright's farm and may include only a portion of it. No one else will be affected.

County action was necessary because the lake will be over five acres in size.

In other business conducted by the board Monday:

—CHAIRMAN Almond Cressman was elected by the board to represent the county on the East Michigan Tourist Assn. supervisors advisory board, which will meet later this year.

—Funds for the costs of extradition of Max Feigner from California to Michigan on a charge of non-support were granted to Prosecutor Norman White to use if he feels the extradition will do any good. Supervisors George Moore of Duplain, Almond Cressman of Olive, Willard Krebel of Riley and Walter Thelen of Westphalia voted against providing the funds. Their feeling was that providing the funds would set a precedent.

—ROBERT MOORE of the Clinton County Soil Conservation District reported to the supervisors, saying that with no watershed activities this year the county will get less federal assistance. He asked for, and got, continuation of an appropriation of \$2,650 to help the district with the hiring of a clerk.

—The board approved several mid-year salary increases, OK'd a service contract with the Tower Clock Co. for \$85 for annual servicing of the courthouse clock, and gave the building and grounds committee power to act in having the drive and parking area at the 4-H Smith Hall seal coated by the firm doing the work in St. Johns.

—TWO NEW dog traps purchased by the county in the last month are reported working well. In one case, dog wardens were reported to have found one dog trapped inside and another dog sitting outside guarding the trapped dog against further capture. A number of cats have been accidentally trapped, too.

—Since the next regular board meeting would normally fall on July 5 — a holiday Monday following the Fourth of July—the board voted to hold their July meeting on July 6, a Tuesday.

St. Johns K of C elects officers

St. Johns Knights of Columbus Council No. 3281 elected officers for the coming year at their June 1 meeting.

Reuben V. Eirschele was named grand knight, while Leon F. Thelen was named deputy grand knight. Other officers are: Father Edwin Schoettle, chaplain; Anthony Hufnagel, recorder; Frederick G. Meyer, treasurer; Timothy M. Green, advocate; Charles Favior, financial secretary; and Rudolph Masarik, Francis H. Mozt and Ben L. Wieber, trustees.

Many fraternal and social activities are being planned for the coming year, members were told.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL and dance at Redwing Lanes Friday, June 18, sponsored by Senior Citizens. Serving from 5:30. Sandwiches, pie, cake and beverages.—Adv.

School elections set for Monday

School issues, as well as the election of school officials, will occupy the attention of voters throughout Clinton County next Monday.

All districts—with the exception of Ovid-Elsie—will be electing one or more members to their boards of trustees, and six of the districts in the area will present other proposals for voter consideration.

Two of the biggest proposals—in the matter of money—are at Ovid - Elsie and Ashley.

In the Ovid - Elsie district, petitioners have placed on the ballot for the second time in five months a \$200,000 bond issue question. It would provide money for a swimming pool as part of the new high school building, an all-weather "Grasstex" track, ball diamonds and a lighted football field on the outside.

The \$200,000 would be obtained by selling bonds that mature over a 26-year period. The bonds would require an annual millage levy of one-half mill, or 50 cents per \$1,000 state equalized valuation.

THE PROPOSITION is identical to one that was voted down March 2. It was placed on the ballot again when far more than 50 per cent of the electors of the entire district signed petitions requesting it.

The proposition will be the only thing for Ovid - Elsie voters to think about. There will be no election of new board members. Because the board was only formed last year, none of the terms will expire until next year.

AT ASHLEY in Gratiot County, a \$215,000 bond issue for the construction of a new elementary school will be on the ballot. Crowded conditions at the present school and increasing enrollment make the new building a necessity, school officials said.

The building is planned on a plot of land north of the high school. It would reportedly have a multipurpose room, which would also serve as a cafeteria and kitchen.

THE TERMS of school board members Tony Vandruska and Keith Peters expires this year, and they are both seeking reelection Monday. They are the only candidates.

In the Pewamo - Westphalia School District, voters will be asked to approve a three-mill tax increase. The increase would be in effect for three years, but it will have the effect of only a two-mill increase because of the elimination of a one-mill tax for the debt retirement fund for the next three years.

SCHOOL OFFICIALS say the extra millage, amounting to \$3 per thousand dollars of state equalized valuation, is needed for operation of the school. They pointed out that next year's school budget calls for an additional \$36,000. Various civic groups in Pewamo and Westphalia have gone on record as supporting the issue.

In addition to the millage issue, voters in Pewamo - Westphalia have a decision to make on the two vacant seats on the board of education. Eston Beachnau, Gerald J. Thelen and Charles Hengesbach are running for the seats. Terms of Robert Hengesbach and Paul Thelen expire this year, and neither man is a candidate for reelection.

AT DEWITT, voters of that school district will have a lot of

expiring, is running for a one-year term to fill a vacancy created by the resignation of Forrest Conley, Jr. Four other persons are running for two four-year terms. They include Linus Pohl, incumbent Mrs. John Spicer, Floyd Messer and Gerald Wieber. Mrs. Spicer's and Vernon Benjamin's terms are expiring, but Benjamin is not seeking reelection.

Four candidates are after one vacant seat on the Sheridan Road school board. They are Dale L. Watros, Ruth E. Miner, Barbara M. Jones and Charles F. Mann. Incumbent Fred Belbeck is not a candidate. A proposal asking for 15 mills for school operations for one year will also be on the ballot.

HERE IT WHAT election day has in store in other school districts in Clinton County:

HURD: Terms of school board members Janet Everett, Bertha Crane and Henry Mahlow will be filled at the annual school meeting of the Hurd district Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Charles Rubble, another board member, reportedly is seeking transfer of his property to another district, and if this is achieved prior to the Monday meeting, his seat on the board also will be vacant.

VALLEY FARMS: Two three-year vacancies will be filled on the Valley Farms board, and there are three candidates for the position. They are Marion W. Bayles, Mrs. Rhoda L. Kzeski and Jerry Cushman.

LAINGSBURG: Five persons are running for two four-year terms on the Laingsburg board of education. They are Harold Fry, the only incumbent running, Stanley Fair, Jack Gee, Paul Hodges and John Carroll, Jr.

EAGLE 9 (North Eagle): The See ELECTIONS Page 2-A

Buck elected mayor of 'City of DeWitt'

The "City of DeWitt" became a reality Monday when voters of that former village voted overwhelmingly to accept a charter drawn up by a charter commission.

The vote on the charter proposal was 227 yes to 23 no. Some 253 of the 441 registered voters voted in the special election.

WILLIAM BUCK, who has been serving as village president since 1957, was elected the first mayor of DeWitt in a close race with Robert Ballard. Buck received 135 votes to 116 for Ballard. Buck is Chevrolet dealer in DeWitt.

Six village councilmen also were elected, as was a justice of the peace. Elected to the council for 3 1/2-year terms were Ellen June Lankford, Elden Smith and Lawrence Keck. Mrs. Lankford received 198 votes, Keck 197 and Smith 159. Jim Decatur, another candidate for the 3 1/2-term, was the loser with 151 votes.

ELECTED to 1 1/2-year terms were Allen (Jim) White with 182 votes, Lloyd Berkimer with 159 votes, and Lee Rummell with 203 votes. Unsuccessful candidates were Bruce A. Dalman with 111 votes and Gerald DeLine with 66 votes.

Roy Decker, unopposed for justice of the peace election, received 236 votes.

CITY STATUS became official when the board of canvassers met Monday evening and verified the voting figures. A formal swearing-



WILLIAM BUCK

ing in and organization meeting was to be held Wednesday evening at 8 p.m. Control of the township over any part of the city will cease to be at that time.

It was not known whether the appointment of city representatives on the Clinton County Board of Supervisors, or the appointment of clerk, treasurer, assessor and planning commissioners would be made at the Wednesday night meeting, but those will be some of the first duties facing the new city officials.

THE CITY limits are the same as those of the former village. DeWitt has a population of over 1,250 persons, which now gives it the status of a fifth-class city. It is also now the second city in the county.

State, county welfare merger proposal study here gets OK

A study of the possible unification of the state and county welfare agencies in Clinton County was authorized by the board of supervisors Monday.

The study, to be made by the state, would be of no cost to the county, and the county would be obligated in no way to follow through on the unification proposal.

ROBERT Johnson, supervisor of field services for the State Department of Social Welfare, appeared before the board Monday and explained the unification proposal.

Johnson said that by combining the two departments—which in Clinton County are already located

in one building on South Oakland Street in St. Johns—there would be much less "red tape" in the processing of persons getting welfare payments, there would be less confusion on the part of those asking for the funds, and the overall costs of administering the aid would be lower.

HE SAID 29 counties in the state were in the process of merging the state and county welfare agencies, and most of those which had been merged for some time were finding the program working out well. Shiawassee County reportedly has the merged departments now, and Ionia County supervisors will get a report this Friday on a study made there.

The study Johnson was given

authority to make in Clinton County will deal with the costs of administering public welfare. The state will attempt to figure the cost in one year of having a single agency instead of the present two. As it is now, the county welfare department deals with direct relief, while the state handles departmentalized cases—aid to dependent children, etc.

STUDY OF THE welfare caseloads by the two departments will be figured into the cost. Figures dealing with salaries of caseworkers, director, etc., will be added up to determine the total cost of the combined program. The comparison of the caseloads will provide a percentage figure which will be used in the sharing of a clerk.

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term of Kenneth Briggs expires and will be filled at the annual school meeting Monday night.

EAGLE VILLAGE: The term of Mrs Victor McCrumb, currently treasurer of the Eagle Village School board, expires this year. Election to fill that post will come at the annual school meeting Monday night. A special election is being planned for July 10 on annexation of the district to the Portland school district.

EAGLE 2 & 5 (Partlow): Harley Barnes' term on the school board will expire. Citizens attending the annual school meeting will choose the person to fill the spot on the board.

BATH 6FRL (Collister): President Harry Matteson's three-year term on the school board expires. Nomination and election of candidates will take place Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

GUNNISONVILLE: Verr I. Stevens and Robert Reese Jr. are running for the expiring term of Dean Parks, who is not seeking reelection. Voters will also decide on the annual question of sending seventh and eighth graders to school in Lansing.

Charge woman shot husband

ELSIE—William C. Archer of 19809 Chapin Road in Saginaw County—five miles north of Elsie—was critically wounded last Wednesday afternoon when he was reportedly shot by his wife.

Archer was admitted to a Flint Hospital in critical condition with a 32-caliber bullet wound in the chest. Archer's wife, Constance Mae, 21, was arrested by Saginaw County police and held on a charge of felonious assault.

Mrs Archer reportedly told deputies she shot her husband after he threatened to beat her. The couple has a 17-month-old child and Mrs Archer is expecting another child in about three months.

EAGLE 8 frl (Brown): Treasurer Bruce Moyer's term on the board will expire this year, and electors at the school meeting Monday night will name someone to the three-year term.

FULTON: Incumbent Valgene Halsted is the only candidate for election to the Fulton School Board. That term is for four years.

Lutherans to install new pastor Sunday

The Rev Theodore Moeller Jr. will be installed as pastor of the St. Johns Lutheran Church in a special service Sunday evening beginning at 8 p.m.

Rev Mr Moeller's father, the Rev Theodore Moeller Sr., pastor of Pilgrim Lutheran Church at Indianapolis, Ind., will deliver the sermon. The Rev Eldor Bickel, counselor of the Capitol Circuit and pastor of Our Savior Lutheran Church in Lansing, will officiate at the rite of installation.

Rev Moeller is a native of Philadelphia, Pa. He graduated from Concordia Junior College, Bronxville, N.Y. in 1949; he continued his preparation for the Lutheran ministry at Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, Mo., graduating in 1955 with the bachelor of arts and bachelor of divinity degrees. One year later the master of sacred theology degree was conferred upon him.

PASTOR MOELLER has served the church in many different areas: he was missionary-at-large in the Twin Cities, Minn., and in Montreal, Quebec. He was pastor of a congregation in

Wichita Falls, Tex.; and campus pastor at Oberlin College, Oberlin, Ohio.

He was married to Elsa Eissfeldt on June 19, 1955, and they have three children, Theodore III, age 9, Victoria, 8, and Matthew, 3.

THE MOELLERS were planning to move into the parsonage at 704 S. Mead toward the end of this week. Pastor Moeller will assume his duties after his installation.

Brush pickup dates repeated

The City of St. Johns reminds residents that piles of brush are picked up by city crews only on the last Friday of each month. The garbage collectors, Mead Dray Service, will pick up brush other times if it is in small bundles and securely tied. Stones, bricks, sand, etc. will be picked up by Mead's and the city if the refuse is placed in containers and each filled container weighs not more than 50 pounds.



Make Final Plans for June 20 Soap Box Derby

Final steps in preparation for the Soap Box Derby June 20 were outlined last week in a meeting of these Derby officials at the L & L Restaurant last Wednesday night. Left to right are: seated, Gene Downing, finish line director; Bob Prowant, race director; Roger Feeman, heat director; Leon Brewbaker, parade director; Bob Cole, race director; Don Bast, parade director; and Jack Downing, starting line director. In back row are Lee Hanson, inspection director; Sam Siebel; Jerry Green, photo finish director; Bill McCarthy; Bernard Feldpausch, Derby director; and Jerry Shoemaker, assistant director.

Merger

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of all the costs between the county and state.

Johnson said it probably would work out to where the state would be paying about 80 per cent of the total costs and the county 20 per cent. Experience in other counties shows this general percentage, with extremes of 70-30 and 95-5 reported.

"OVER THE years the federally-matched aid programs have expanded," Johnson pointed out, "and many recipients are transferring from county to state relief programs. This is resulting in the county program being merely a 'vendor,' acting as a go-between or bookkeeping agency."

"Many times a potential recipient will first apply to the county for relief and after all applications are filled out it is determined the person would be better off by applying under a state program. Then he has to apply all over again. This is a waste of time for both the applicant and the people doing the work. One person and one agency could handle the case under a unified plan."

"AS THE STATE welfare program expands, the county role is bound to get smaller, with the costs of administering it not getting any smaller," Johnson went on. "We feel that merged units are much more efficient and a better service to the county. It avoids a lot of duplication."

While there would be a lot of changes, the county would not lose its power, Johnson said in reply to questions from supervisors. The county welfare board would retain its status and power of decision regarding direct relief cases. It would be limited more, however, in hiring and firing because all employees would be under civil service.

THE DIRECTOR of the single department would be a person mutually agreeable with both the state and county, Johnson said. Mrs Julia Jury is now county director.

Both the state and county staffs—the county has three persons—would be incorporated into one unit. All those on the county staff would be required to take state civil service examinations, which Johnson said are set up in cases such as this so that there is little trouble in passing the non-competitive exam. Civil service salaries are generally higher, he explained.

THERE WOULD also be increased costs for hospital and retirement plans for the county workers coming under the merger.

Johnson said he had no figures as to what the exact savings in dollars and cents would be to the county (the study would determine that), but he told the supervisors they should look at the real savings as being in the decreased cost of providing better service with less red tape.

THE STUDY could be done "in a few days," Johnson said, once an examiner got to it. He said it could be done with ease in time for a merger to be made before Oct. 1, a deadline after which welfare directors must have a college degree.

The merger of the two welfare units is strictly voluntary, Johnson said. There is a bill in the legislature now making the merg-

51 heats scheduled for Soap Box Derby

Clinton County Soap Box Derby fans will have a big day to look forward to on June 20. Derby officials have scheduled a program packed with festivities and special events for the spectators as well as for the young racers.

The day will begin in the American tradition with a parade setting the pace for the color and pageantry of the race.

THESE OTHER events are on the schedule:

—Annual Oil Can Trophy race.

—Balloon ascension and parachute jump.

—Derby banquet at which will appear famous sports personalities.

THE OPENING parade will be the biggest held yet, with 30 units expected to participate and the line of march expected to run for 30 minutes. It will start at 2:35 p.m. June 20. At 2:30, there'll be the traditional exploding of aerial bombs, and the Rev Hugh Banning, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, will give the invocation.

Flyer Manfred Patrick will make two passes over downtown St. Johns with his airplane. Boy Scouts will conduct a flag-raising ceremony, with the St. Johns High School Band playing the National Anthem. Then will come the parade.

INCLUDED IN the parade will be a large float by the St. Johns Jaycees, one of the co-sponsors of the Derby along with Chevrolet. Riding on the float will be the Soap Box Derby queen, chosen by the votes of Clinton County residents, and her court. Final tabulation of votes for the queen is some days off yet.

At the parade's conclusion about 3 p.m. will be the Oil Can Trophy Race. Ed Idzkowski, Federal-Mogul plant manager, Larry Sexton, Sealed Power plant manager, and Russ Allman, manager of Saylor Beal, will compete in the comic spoof of the real Soap Box Derby.

NEWLY - PAVED Clinton Avenue will then be cleared for the big races. Fifty-one heats are scheduled, with three cars being run in each heat. Derby Director Bernard Feldpausch said this was decided upon by the local Derby committee to not only speed up the running of the race, but to give all boys an opportunity to race more than one time. Losers in the opening rounds will have a chance to run again for some consolation prizes. Ten major prizes are planned, with the first-place

er mandatory, but he said he didn't think the bill was too "healthy" at this stage.

THE AUTHORIZED study will be presented to the county welfare board when it's completed. If that unit approves it, it will be passed onto the board of supervisors for their decision. If the board favors it, the merger will be presented to the State Welfare Board for final OK and implementation.

award being a \$500 savings bond, a handsome trophy and an expense-paid trip to Akron, Ohio, to compete in the 28th All-American Soap Box Derby.

Other local prizes include a portable TV, Polaroid automatic camera, two wrist watches, transistor radio, spinning rod and reel and an instamatic camera.

ALL BOYS competing in the race will receive a Derby trophy and a free trip to Akron to watch the local champ compete in the All-American Derby later this summer.

About 5 p.m., at the conclusion of the races, will come a parachute jump from a hot air balloon which will be filled on the ground near the Grand Trunk depot. Ted Sweet, veteran balloonist who is now 78 years old, will take the balloon up, and Dave Monroe of Lansing will parachute from the balloon at about 1,500 feet over downtown St. Johns.

AT 5:15 THE DERBY timetable calls for the boys in the Derby, plus their parents, to attend the banquet to be held this year at the St. Joseph Social Hall, where the awarding of prizes will take place. Bishop Joseph Green will give the invocation.

Talks will be given by famous sport personalities, including Paul "Dizzy" Trout, formerly with the Detroit Tigers, and Daryl Sanders of the Detroit Lions.

TROUT PITCHED in the American League from 1939 to 1952 and registered 170 victories against 161 setbacks. All but one of those years was with the Tigers. His greatest year was 1944 when he won 27 games while losing 14 as he hurled the astounding total of 352 innings. He had a brilliant earned run average of 2.12. That season he led the league in complete games with 33 and in shutouts with seven.

One of the highlights of his career came in September 1945 when "Diz" pitched in six games in 11 days, being credited with five victories. The Tigers won the pennant.

FOLLOWING retirement from active play, Trout became a broadcaster of Detroit Tiger games, a position he held for several years. He is noted for after-dinner speaking and has appeared at many large banquets over the country.

He has been with the Chicago White Sox public relations department since 1959.

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Philco, 9 cu. ft., Was 69.90	34.95	Kelvinator Electric Range, Was 55.00	27.55
Westinghouse, 8 cu. ft., Was 39.95	19.97	Westinghouse Range, Was 44.20	22.10
Gen. Electric, 6 cu. ft., Was 48.88	24.44	Crosley Electric Range, Was 75.00	37.50
Kelvinator, 8 cu. ft., Was 45.50	22.75	West. 40" Electric Range, Was 78.80	39.40
Westinghouse 7 cu. ft., Was 59.95	29.98	Gen. Electric Range, Was 70.00	35.00
Norge, 9 cu. ft., Was 64.40	34.70	TELEVISIONS	
Kelvinator, 8 cu. ft., Was 75.00	37.50	Motorola 17" Console, Was 14.88	7.44
Frigidaire, 6 cu. ft., Was 42.40	21.20	West. 21" Table Model, Was 48.88	24.44
Deep Freeze, 10 cu. ft., Was 69.95	34.97	Emerson 21" Table Model, Was \$55	27.88
Leonard, 8 cu. ft., Was 79.95	39.97	Gen. Electric 21" Console, Was 89.95	44.99
Gen. Electric, 10 cu. ft., Was 88.40	44.20	RCA 21" Console, Was 69.95	34.88
		Motorola 21" Console, Was 79.95	39.97

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Finds receipt issued for newspaper in 1887

Arthur J. Gage of Bingham Township has a receipt for subscription to this newspaper issued to his father, S. H. Gage, in January, 1887. The receipt was signed by Otis J. Fuller, a former publisher of the Clinton County Republican, and acknowledged payment of \$6.00 for a two-year renewal.

Art came upon the receipt while sorting through old papers preparatory to moving from his house on County Farm Road to the home of his daughter, Mrs King Serviss, at 998 Carland Road in Shiawassee County.

THE GAGE farm, in the family since 1851, has been sold to Mr and Mrs Duane Davis.

Because of his change of residence, Mr Gage has retired from the board of the South Bingham cemetery which he has served so faithfully for more than 35 years. He was president of the cemetery board for many years and retired from that position in 1964.

Rotary hears appraisal head

Appraisal of Clinton County properties for tax equalization purposes will be completed by mid-October, said Robert Brent, supervisor for the H. L. Yoh appraisal firm, in a talk to the St. Johns Rotary Club Tuesday noon.

Brent, a resident of Ansonia, Ohio, is supervising the team of Yoh company appraisers in the county. The firm has been employed by the Clinton County Board of Supervisors and has been at work here for the past 10 months.

A TOTAL of more than 17,500 parcels of property in the county will be valued, Brent said. Property-owners will be notified of hearings on valuations determined when the work is completed.

The Yoh Company offices in St. Johns are in the basement of the County Welfare Building on South Oakland Street. Interested citizens are welcome to consult with the appraisers at any time, Brent said.

Donald Strouse was program chairman for Tuesday's Rotary meeting and introduced the speaker.

Shop in Clinton County.

P-W 'head start' program set to open June 28

The target date for the opening of the "Head Start" pre-school program for the Pewamo-Westphalia schools has been set for Monday, June 28, according to William Steinke, superintendent.

The program designed for children who will enter school for the first time next fall, will run for a seven-week period ending on Aug. 13. Membership in the program will be limited to immature children who may be expected to benefit from the training to better prepare them to enter school next fall.

The pre-school room will be limited to a membership of 15 children and taught by Mrs Shirley Walker, kindergarten teacher. The program will be geared to activities which acquaint the children to regular school routine.

The program will be sponsored by the Federal Economic Act of 1964.

TEMPERATURES

	MAX.	MIN.
June 1	82	51
June 2	83	52
June 3	67	40
June 4	72	43
June 5	78	49
June 6	87	63
June 7	79	63



A New Driving Mat Goes Down on Clinton Avenue

Workmen for the Spartan Asphalt Co. are shown about halfway through the work of laying a one-inch asphalt mat on Clinton Avenue. The work, which cost about \$7,200, was done in one day Thursday after two days of delay because of bad weather. The street was blocked off at 6 a.m. Thursday morning and reopened Thursday evening about 8 o'clock after between 35 and 40 skateboard enthusiasts were cleared from the smooth street. The street will get a new center line stripe this Monday, along with the parking space lines.



Cars Get Checked Out for Safety Reasons

The St. Johns Jaycees' auto safety-check held Saturday proved to be an outstanding success, according to Mick Ludwick, chairman. Some 167 cars passed through the check lane between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. Only 23 of the cars were denied a safety check sticker for reasons such as defective lights, turn signals, exhaust systems and tires. Rhynard's Tire Service, Bee's Chevrolet and Oldsmobile, the City of St. Johns, and Central Michigan Lumber Co. cooperated with the Jaycees. City Police Officer Russell Doty was on duty at the site.

Blied Oil Co. here sold to Lansing firm



LESTER BLIED

F. E. CUTLER

The sale of the Blied Oil Co. of St. Johns to the Cutler Oil Co. of Lansing was formally announced this week by Lester Blied, owner of the business here for six years, and F. E. Cutler, president of the Lansing firm.

Blied and his family will be moving to Phoenix, Ariz, later this summer, where he plans to start his own business.

THE OIL business, located on North US-27 at the corner of Walker Road, supplies Leonard fuel oil and gasoline for farm consumption. The Leonard service station, also a part of the business, will continue to be operated by St. Johns Automotive Service and Supply Co. on a lease arrangement.

ated with Mr Blied will continue to serve the many Leonard customers in the area," President F. E. Cutler said. He also announced the appointment of Don Stewart, a driver-salesman for Blied, as manager of the operation here.

"STEWART'S experience and knowledge in the petroleum business is a valuable asset to our organization, and we know customers will continue to receive the same prompt, efficient service under Don's capable management," Cutler said.

Blied has operated the petroleum business since 1959 when he bought it from Kenneth Hammond. The business employs four other persons. Prior to 1959, Blied owned the St. Johns Hardwood Lumber Co.

*The same personnel associ-

THE BLIED family has been in St. Johns since 1949. He and his wife Nadine have four children. Diane, 19, a student at Michigan State University; Linda, 17, a junior at St. Johns High School; Denise, 13, a seventh grade student; and Bruce, 10, a fourth grader. They live at 810 W. Park Street and are members of the First Methodist Church.

Cutler Oil Co. is distributor for Leonard petroleum products in Ingham, Eaton, Ionia, Kent and Barry counties, with well-located bulk plants and service stations serving their entire marketing area. Starting operation in 1944 as a Leonard distributor with one 800-gallon truck, the company now operates one of the largest petroleum truck fleets in the area.

OFFICERS OF the company are F. E. Cutler, president; Mrs Lucile Cutler, treasurer; Gary Cutler, vice president; and Gayle Cutler, secretary.

Cutler Oil Co. also operates Cutler Packaging Corp., Lansing, packaging anti-freeze, motor oil and petroleum chemicals for automotive and oil jobbers throughout the central United States. They also do custom packaging for several national marketers.

City gets new copying machine

The City of St. Johns has leased a Xerox Copy Machine for use in making copies of official documents and office materials. City Manager Ken Greer said copies can be made much more economically on the new machine than with an older machine the city has owned for four years. Plans are to sell or trade the old copy machine, as well as an old mimeograph, for a new dictating machine to be used in the city offices.

County school board members are re-elected

T. J. Segerlind of R-1, Grand Ledge, and Wendell Waggoner of R-3, St. Johns, were reelected to the Clinton County Board of Education at an election of members Monday evening.

They were elected by a representative from each of the county's 15 school districts, although only nine of the districts were represented at the meeting. The terms are for six years.

Other members of the board are Walter Kyes of Bath, Harold Benson of R-3, St. Johns, and Norman Thelen of R-2, Westphalia.

Tuberculin tests required of all kindergarteners

Due to the recent enactment of House Bill 2080 which was given immediate effect, all children enrolling in kindergarten for the first time this fall must receive a tuberculin skin test.

According to William Steinke, superintendent of the Pewamo-Westphalia Schools, pre-registration has already taken place in the P-W schools and many of the children have not been tuberculin tested. Prior to Nov. 1, the administrator of each school district must provide the State Health Commissioner with the tuberculin status of each entering child, he said.

New street lights for West State

New 20,000-lumen mercury vapor street lights will soon be placed along West State Street from the intersection of State and Lansing streets west to the St. Johns city limits.

Approval of the new lights was given by the St. Johns City Commission last Tuesday night. They'll replace 6,000-lumen incandescent lamps in use presently at the corners of Lansing, Emmons, Prospect and Morton streets.

TWO OTHER 6,000-lumen incandescent center span lights between Morton and the city limits will be removed, and six 20,000-lumen mercury vapor lights will be spaced out through that stretch.

The stretch of mercury vapor lights will be the fourth such area in the city. Consumers Power Co., which will install them at no additional cost to the city, charges a flat rate per year for the operation of the streetlights.

OPERATION OF street lights by the City of St. Johns cost about \$11,000 in the city's fiscal year 1963-64. During the 64-65 fiscal year drawing to an end, the city expects to spend about \$13,000 for street lighting. Another \$15,000 will probably be spent for electrical power to operate the water and sewer system.

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Asks county OK business

Albert Galloway Jr., who runs a tractor parts business on his farm on the former Litwiller farm a mile and a half north of St. Johns, appeared before the board of supervisors Monday asking for official permission to operate the business there.

He said he has been turned down several times on attempts to rezone the property. Supervisors said they would reject any rezoning but might go along with a special permit for him to operate the business while he owns the land.

MRS JERRY FALOR

CMU graduate to be honored

Mrs Gertrude Brokaw of Eagle will host an open house Sunday, June 13, from 2 to 5 p.m. in her residence in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Jerry Falor, who will graduate from Central Michigan University Saturday. Friends and relatives are invited.

Mrs Falor received her bachelor of science degree in secondary education and will teach physical education and social studies in the Farwell School System this fall.

SUPERVISOR Maurice Gove of Bingham Township, who introduced Mr Galloway, said he felt the farm has been improved in looks considerably since Galloway bought it, and he said he favored letting Galloway have a permit, with the requirement that the place be kept looking good.

Galloway promised to do so. Galloway tears down old tractors and sells the parts he obtains from them.

Though there was no official action the supervisors could take, they promised to see what they could do about getting him a permit.



MR AND MRS J. E. BARTHOLOMEW

Mr and Mrs J. E. Bartholomew of 505 South Oakland are observing their 50th wedding anniversary this month and their children, Mr and Mrs Ladd Bartholomew and family of St. Johns and Mr and Mrs Arthur Stagge and family of Jackson, are hosting an open house Sunday, June 20, from 2 to 5 p.m. at the First Methodist Church. All friends are invited.

Honor graduates at open houses throughout city

The families and friends of St. Johns graduates are offering congratulations in various ways.

Mr and Mrs Levi Conklin of 609 South Ottawa Street held open house for their son, Morris, Sunday, following the baccalaureate service for Rodney B. Wilson graduates.

Mr and Mrs Lawrence Hebeck entertained at an open house Sunday evening at their home at 502 Lambert Drive. Their daughter, Patricia, is a St. Johns High School graduate and greeted 70 guests at the party where they were later served refreshments by Mrs Robert Moore of Alma and Miss Donna Schafer of Fowler.

Roberta Albers entertained several guests Thursday evening in honor of her niece, Diane Albers, who graduated from St. Joseph's School Sunday. The guests included Mrs Mary Albers and Mary Ellen, John Albers, Mrs Barbara Alexander, Sue Moore, Bonnie Pung and Denise Hufnagel. A cake, made in the form of a book and decorated with the class colors, was served with other refreshments.

'65 officers are installed by fellowship

The officers for 1965-66 were installed at the meeting of the Women's Fellowship of the First Congregational Church on Tuesday afternoon, June 2.

The following officers were installed by Mrs George H. Brooks with Mrs St. Clair Pardee as marshal; Mrs Forrest Root, president; Mrs Harold Millman, first vice president; Mrs Kenneth Jones, second vice president; Mrs Frank Maier, recording secretary; Mrs Paul Martis Jr., corresponding secretary; Mrs Carl Beach, treasurer.

CHAIRMAN AND vice chairmen of the divisions installed were Mrs Lewis Wolf and Mrs William Bandt, Priscilla Alden Division; Mrs E. O. Prince and Mrs Robert Conn, Elizabeth Winslow Division; Mrs Helen Fowler and Mrs Russell Steffens, Pearl Caldwell Vesper division; Mrs Dale Crawford, Mildred Knight Division; Mrs Robert Wood, Linda Scott Division; Mrs Manning Bross, Mary Wilcox Division; Mrs Joseph Spousta, Blanche Collins Division.

Mrs St. Clair Pardee pinned corsages which she made on each new officer, following installation.

MRS MANNING Bross, retiring president, was presented with a corsage by Mrs Lawrence Fish. Mrs Fish presented a gavel to Mrs Root in honor of Mrs Clara Fish, a 95-year-old member of the church.

During the meeting it was announced that two persons from the Pilgrim Fellowship would go to Pomona, Calif., for a meeting of the National Assn. of Congregational Christian Churches and that in August some young people would attend the church camp, aided financially by the fellowship.

The Elizabeth Winslow Division served tea. Mrs Bross and Mrs Root poured.

Jailed 30 days for furnishing beer to minors

Ismael Cruz, 23, of 1044 N. Larch Street, Lansing, was sentenced to 30 days in the Clinton County Jail by Municipal Judge Alba Wert Monday on a charge of furnishing beer to minors.

Cruz was arrested by city police on North Scott Road between Gibbs and Steel. Cruz was also fined \$35 plus \$19.90.

Two minors with Cruz, Robert Romero, 18, of 1044 N. Larch, and Kenneth Uhl, 20, of 112 VanLieu in Charlotte, were each fined \$15 plus \$19.90 costs and jailed for three days.

Summer typing course still open

A summer typing course at the high school will be offered this year if enough persons sign up for it, according to High School Principal B. Stanley Pocus.

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Clinton Area Deaths

Mrs Anna Droste

WESTPHALIA— A lifelong Westphalia resident, Mrs Anna C. Droste, died Wednesday, June 2, at her residence after a long illness. She was 70.

St. Mary's Catholic Church was the scene of funeral services Saturday at 10:30 a.m. with burial in the church cemetery. Rosary was recited Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at the Geller Funeral Home.

MRS DROSTE was a member of the Christian Mother's Society.

She is survived by three daughters, Mrs Helen Fox and Mrs Florence Cook of Pawamo and Mrs Bernadine Alexander of Detroit; two sons, John and James of Westphalia; 27 grandchildren; and two sisters, Mrs Rose Small and Miss Mary Harr of Detroit.

N. D. McGrath

LAINGSBURG— Nicholas Daniel McGrath of 211 Laing Street in Laingsburg died Tuesday, June 1, at Little Wolf Lake near Lewisville. He was 70.

Funeral services were held at St. Isidore's Catholic Church in Laingsburg Saturday at 10 a.m. Burial was in Mount Olivet Cemetery.

SURVIVING are his wife, Estella; two daughters, Mrs Leonard Farr of Shaftsburg and Mrs Jerry Clark of Ithaca; two sons, Gerard of San Diego, Calif., and Lt. Eugene of Munich, Germany; three foster children, Francis Mallon of Kalamazoo, Richard Mallon of Bath and Connie Miller of Muir; 11 grandchildren; and four sisters, Mrs Bridget Whalen of Stoco, Ont., Mrs May Naphan of Perth, Ont., Mrs Helena Smith of Caniston, Ont., and Mrs Bernadette Fitzgibbons of Belleville, Ont.

Mrs Porterfield

ELSIE— A former Elsie resident, Mrs Bina E. Porterfield of Woodstock, Ill. died Monday afternoon, May 31, in Illinois. She was 85.

Services were held at Carter Funeral Home Thursday at 10 a.m. with burial in Riverside Cemetery.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs Mary Ellen MacDonald of Peoria, Ill.; six grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren; and a sister, Mrs Ruth Schautz of Mount Morris.

Mrs B. McCluer

ST. JOHNS— Bernice Ruth McCluer, formerly of 210 West McConnell, died Wednesday, June 2, at 12:10 a.m. in Standish Community Hospital after a long illness. For the past year, she lived with her daughter, Mrs Doris Kus in Omer. She was 74.

Services were conducted by Rev Erwin Self in the Osgood Funeral Home Friday, June 4, at 2 p.m. Burial was in Union Home Cemetery.

MRS MCCLUER, the daughter of Arthur Wyman and Ruth Collar Wyman, was born in Gratiot County on Feb. 4, 1891.

A lifetime resident of the area, she married Claude McCluer here and was a member of the Church of the Nazarene.

Surviving are her daughter, Mrs Kus; a son, LeRoy of East Lansing; a stepson, Gordon McCluer of Jackson; and three grandchildren.

Hugh Lamphere

MAPLE RAPIDS — Hugh C. Lamphere, 79, of Lebanon Township, died Sunday morning at a Middleton area nursing home. Funeral services were held from the Abbott Funeral Home Wednesday at 2 p.m. with the Rev Calvin Carey officiating. Burial was in the Sowle Cemetery.

Mr Lamphere was a longtime resident of the Maple Rapids area and was a farmer for nearly 50 years.

He was the son of Frank and Helen Pinkey Lamphere. He was married to Nettie Webster on July 8, 1905, and was a member of the Methodist church.

Surviving are his wife; a daughter, Mrs Herman Schaefer, of rural Fowler; a granddaughter, Mrs Dean Moon of St. Johns, and a great grandson.

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Ray Densmore

BATH — Ray C. Densmore, 54, succumbed to a heart attack at his home at 4734 Ballentine Road Sunday at 7:30 p.m. Funeral services were held from the Vincent-Rummell Funeral Home in DeWitt Wednesday at 2 p.m.

The Rev Reginald Becker of the Bath Methodist Church officiated at the services. Burial was in the Pleasant Hill Cemetery at Bath.

Mr Densmore was a self-employed electrician at the time of his death. He moved to the Bath area from Sunfield in 1936. During World War II he was stationed in Honolulu, Hawaii, as a civilian electrician with the US Navy.

A son of John and Lydia Densmore, he was born at Mulliken on Nov. 3, 1910. He was married to Margaret N. Ballentine at East Lansing on Sept. 5, 1944.

Surviving are his wife; two sisters, Mrs Reva Schmidt of Lansing and Mrs Mary Cross of Sunfield; and two brothers, Forest Densmore of Battle Creek and Orville Densmore of California.

William Bird

MAPLE RAPIDS — Funeral services for William Bird, 84, who died Saturday at the Carson City Hospital, were held Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the Abbott Funeral Home. Burial was in the Sowle Cemetery. The Rev Henry Voss officiated at the final rites.

A lifelong resident of the Maple Rapids area, he was born in Gratiot County on June 1, 1881, son of James and Delano Hoyt Bird. He was a retired mechanic and was street superintendent for the village for several years.

He was married to Bessie Niver in 1903. Surviving are his wife;

a son, Carl of Maple Rapids; two grandsons, Jerry Bird of Maple Rapids and Gary Bird of Norfolk Va.; five great-grandchildren; a sister, Mrs Bessie Kidder, and a brother, Francis Bird, both of Maple Rapids.

Charles Peterson

WACOSTA— Charles Peterson of R-1, DeWitt, died at his home Friday afternoon, June 4. He was 75.

Funeral services were held Monday at 2 p.m. at the Wacosta Methodist Church with burial in Wacosta Cemetery.

He is survived by his wife, Zella; a daughter, Mrs Pauline Walker of R-1, DeWitt; a son, Stuart of R-2, Lansing; and seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Pupils attend school outing

Nearly 100 members of the Merle Beach School District attended a picnic at Smith Hall, Sunday, June 6.

Miss Stella Bacon and Mrs Amy Waltz were the oldest members present and Tamara Wilson, the youngest.

LeRoy Dunsmore, first grader, had perfect attendance for the year.

BEST SPELLERS for the year were Cathy Beeman, eighth grade; Marvin Sperry, seventh grade; John Geller, fourth grade and Paul Reiber, third grade.

Cathy Beeman and Michael Pearson were voted most congenial by their classmates.

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Ferris honors Locher for high scholarship

Gary W. Locher of DeWitt was among the nearly 200 Ferris State College students honored for outstanding scholarship at the traditional spring Academic Honors Banquet.

Serving as a banquet highlight was an address by Hope College president Dr Calvin Vander Werf entitled "You and the Knowledge Explosion."

Locher, the son of Mr and Mrs Max Locher, was saluted for high scholastic achievement. He is a heavy equipment major in the college's Trade and Industrial Division.

St. Johns man hurt as car hits ditch

Larry J. Moore, 22, of 207 1/2 S. Oakland, was treated at Clinton Memorial Hospital last Wednesday for a left shoulder injury after his car went into a ditch on US-27 near Solon Road in DeWitt Township. State police investigated the crash.

List tourist events

Michigan tourist events during the next week include the Lilac Festival on Mackinac Island through June 25, the Tawas River Canoe Race on Tawas Lake, Tawas City, June 13, and the Bavarian Festival at Frankenmuth from June 13-19.

Woman bruised as 2 cars collide

Mrs Blanche Crossland, 62, of 1727 Autumn Lane, Lansing, suffered bruises Sunday evening in a two-car crash at DeWitt and Clark roads in DeWitt Township.

She was a passenger in a car driven by John E. Burnett, 32, of the same Lansing address. Sheriff deputies reported Burnett was driving east on Clark Road when he pulled in front of a southbound car driven by Carl H. Schafer, 28, of 2646 Stoll Road, Lansing.

Only Mrs Crossland was bruised. Deputies reported Schafer, Burnett and three other passengers in Burnett's car were unhurt. The view of both drivers was reportedly blocked by an embankment at the intersection.

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MRS GARY LEE FULLER

Susanne M. Sleight is wed in Ohio rite

Dr. Claude Garrison officiated at the marriage of Miss Susanne Mary Sleight, daughter of Mr and Mrs Norman R. Sleight of Newark, Ohio, and former resident of St. Johns and granddaughter of Mr and Mrs Rolan W. Sleight of 812 Park Avenue, to Gary Lee Fuller Saturday afternoon in the Worthington Methodist Church in Worthington, Ohio. The bridegroom is the son of Mr and Mrs Marvin Fuller of Osceola, Iowa.

The bride chose a gown of silk organza over taffeta with a dome belle-skirt and detachable train. Her imported silk illusion veil was caught to a plateau of organza roses and she carried a white, carved mother-of-pearl Bible, topped with a bouquet of lily of the valley sprays, stephanotis bells, and maline tufts. A single white orchid was tucked into the arrangement and worn after the nuptials for the wedding trip.

HER MATRON of honor, Mrs John Meakin of Worthington, and the bridesmaids, Miss Betsy Daugherty of Worthington and Miss Patricia Hammar of Fort Wayne, Ind., wore empire styled gowns of aqua silk organza over taffeta. They carried hand garlands of dianthus blossoms which surrounded handmade aqua roses.

Stephen Fuller was his brother's best man. Ushers were Douglas Sleight, brother of the bride, Kenneth Sleight of Lansing and Vernon Wright of West Lafayette, Ind.

A RECEPTION for 100 guests was held at Ilonka's Provincial

House in Columbus, Ohio. Miss Suzanne Simonsen of Worthington and Miss Martha Flynn of Birmingham assisted as hostesses while Miss Sherry Fuller, sister of the bridegroom, was in charge of the guest book. Mrs George King of Newark received the gifts.

The bride is a senior at Iowa State University in Ames, Iowa, in home economics education. The bridegroom is a senior at the same school, majoring in engineering.

After a short wedding trip, the newlyweds will reside at 2919 Oakland Street in Ames.

Setteringtons back from trip to Texas

John Setterington, veteran supervisor from Essex Township, and his wife returned last Tuesday night from a 19-day driving trip to southern Texas and northern Mexico. The Setteringtons visited their daughter and son-in-law, Mr and Mrs Ed Bright at Brownsville, Tex., and also stayed a while with Dr and Mrs Henry Swift in San Antonio.

Handy Andy members meet in Smith home

Books for 4-H summer projects were distributed at the June 3 meeting of the Handy Andy Club which was held at the home of the leader, Mrs JoAnn Smith.

Miss Gloria Platte and Miss Cindy Pohl, recreation leaders, started the games.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday, June 17, from 2 to 4 p.m. at the residence of Mrs Smith.

125 are present for graduation of dance class

Over 125 persons attended the graduation of the second Western Dance Class which was conducted by Wendell Law Saturday in the gymnasium of Fulton School.

Those who received diplomas and mortar boards are Mr and Mrs Anthony Wieber, Mr and Mrs Stanley Welton, Mr and Mrs Ray Webber, Mr and Mrs Joe Van-Sickle, Mr and Mrs Oak Underwood, Mr and Mrs Earl Troub, Mr and Mrs Joe Trefil, Mrs Eunice Towslee, Mrs Opal Tait, Mr and Mrs Charles Stead, Mr and Mrs James Sali, Mr and Mrs Theodore Powers, Mr and Mrs Dennis Page, Mr and Mrs Duane Harlow, Mr and Mrs Alvin Drumheller, Donald Beals and Mr and Mrs Robert Beals. Mrs Lola Boyard, another graduate, was unable to attend.

FOLLOWING the class dancing, graduation service and the Maple Rapids Twirlers' Club dance hour, a potluck, hosted by Mr and Mrs Don Upton, was served.

New members of the Maple Rapids Twirlers' Club are Mr and Mrs Gerald Gove, Leigh Miller, Mrs Bernice Potter and Mr and Mrs James Craig.

Summer dances will be held by the club on the fourth Saturday of each month, June 26, July 24, and Aug. 28, from 8 to 11 p.m. in the school gym. Wendell Law will call.

THE CLUB will meet on the second and fourth Friday nights of the month in the fall.

Lessons for a third Western Dance Class will be held on Wednesday nights, starting Sept. 15.



MRS JOHN J. HRYMECKI JR.

Couple repeats vows in evening ceremony

Miss Joyce Ann Schoch and John J. Hrymecki Jr. were married in the Brady Christ Lutheran Church Saturday evening, May 29, by Rev Hans A. Schultz. The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs William Schoch of Oakley and the bridegroom's parents are Mr and Mrs John Hrymecki of Elsie. Mrs Howard Newton was organist for the ceremony.

Escorted by her father, the bride approached the altar in a gown of nylon tulle over taffeta, styled with a fitted bodice and bouffant skirt. A crystal and pearl crown secured her silk illusion veil. She carried a cascade arrangement of sweetheart roses and carnations.

MISS SHERRY A. Thiel of Oakley who served as maid of honor chose a light green ballerina length gown. Mrs Joyce Cooper who was a bridesmaid wore an identical gown of light pink. Matching hats completed the ensembles. Both of the attendants carried colonial bouquets of carnations and sweet heart roses.

Serving as junior bridesmaids were Miss Suzanne Mead and Miss Roxane Mead. They were dressed in identical dresses of pink and yellow and each carried a bouquet of sweetheart roses and carnations. The flower girl, Miss Lori Hook wore a dress of lavender and carried a basket arrangement of sweetheart roses and carnations.

TERRY PALEMBUS of Elsie was the best man. Groomsman were Edward Hrymecki, brother of the bridegroom, and James and John Schoch. Ushering were Gor-

don Mead and Russell Schoch of Elsie.

As hostess for the wedding, Mrs Schoch chose a light pink dress. The bridegroom's mother wore light blue. Both mothers had corsages of pink carnations and sweetheart roses.

The 350 guests attended a reception at the Slovak Hall in Bannister. The couple left on their honeymoon, following the reception.

They will make their home on Mason Road in Bannister.

4-H Projects Club planning bake sale and county fun day

RILEY AND OLIVE—Olive's 4-H Projects Club met on Tuesday evening, June 1, at the schoolhouse.

The meeting was called to order by the vice president, Linda Davis. The flag pledges were led by Allen Sibley.

Plans for a bake sale were discussed. It will be held Saturday, June 19. A 4-H County Fun Day will be held Thursday, June 10, at Smith Hall, starting at 10 a.m.

The vegetable garden and flower garden members will meet at the school on Thursday evening, June 17, at 8 p.m. Beginner foods members will meet with Carolyn Plaza on Tuesday evening, June

15. All foods members will meet at the schoolhouse on Monday evening, June 21.

The next business meeting at the school will be on Tuesday evening, July 6, at 8 p.m.

Mr and Mrs Ray Moore attended graduation open house for Mary Witt at her home on Centerline Road on Sunday evening.

Callers at the Glenn Locher home this week were Mr and Mrs Raymond Davis, Mr and Mrs Harold Heil, Mr and Mrs Clare Sim-

mons, Mrs Ilah Burger, and Mr and Mrs Larry Phinney and Kelly. Mr and Mrs Frank Plaza visited their mother, Mrs Loomis at Ithaca on Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Dan Stenzel and Mrs Melvin Plunkett and Danny of near Wacousta called on Mr and Mrs Ray Moore on Sunday afternoon.

The Michigan Department of Agriculture estimates the value of Michigan's annual agricultural exports at \$134 million.



PATRICIA STEVENS

Plans for an Aug. 21 wedding are being made by Miss Patricia Stevens and Donald Munger, son of Mr and Mrs Lucius Munger of 4675 North River Road in Freeland. The announcement was made by the bride-to-be's parents, Mr and Mrs Dale Stevens of 205 West Steel in St. Johns. Miss Stevens is a graduate of Central Michigan University and Mr Munger graduated from Michigan State University.

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ALICE MARIE SNEIDER

The engagement of Miss Alice Marie Sneider to Thomas L. Bouck, son of Mr and Mrs Russell Bouck of Elsie, has been announced by her parents, Mr and Mrs Otto Sneider of 1520 Park Ave. in Lansing. The bride-elect will graduate from Central Michigan University in June. Mr Bouck will be a senior at CMU in the fall. An Aug. 28 wedding is being planned.

WRC members meet for thimble party

The Women's Relief Corps gathered in the Municipal Building Tuesday, June 1, for a business meeting and thimble party.

Following an announcement of the sick calls, cheer cards and birthday cards that were made or sent since the last meeting, cards were in play. Mrs Oliver Little won high and Mrs Ruth Ely, low. Mrs Mildred Abbott was hostess.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday, June 15 with Mrs Anna Lake as hostess.

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Radiant Chapter meets June 2

Radiant Chapter No. 79, OES, met June 2 at the Masonic Temple. Worthy Matron Dolores Barbone was absent attending a meeting of the CCA in Lansing and her place was filled by the associate matron, Kathryn Williams.

Other stations were filled by substitutes Esther Bradley as associate matron; Jeannette Blackman as associate conductress; Elsie Zacharias as treasurer; Jean Bartholomew as chaplain; Mable Fowler as Martha; and Lloyd Atkinson as sentinel.

THE ALTAR was draped for Etta Able, honorary life member of the Grand Chapter of Michigan, who died in April, and the charter was draped for Mable Burch, a member of Radiant chapter, who died recently. Jean Bartholomew, mother advisor for St. Johns Assembly No. 21, Order of Rainbow for Girls, and Mable Fowler, grand representative to the District of Columbia, were introduced.

Elsie Dickinson announced the picnic for all families with Masonic affiliations will be held Sunday at the park. The chapter will not meet during July and August, and meetings will resume Sept. 1.

KATHRYN Williams announced that St. Johns Assembly No. 21 would exemplify the degrees of the order for all members of Radiant Chapter June 16 at the Masonic Temple. The girls are initiating four new candidates.

Investigating committees for three new petitions presented to the chapter were announced. Refreshments were served by Imogene Heuer and her committee.

THE NEWLY WEDS traveled through the East Coast on their wedding trip and are making their home at 1233 Vermont Street in Lansing.

the gifts. Miss Marge Sillman and Miss Viola Rossow poured and Miss Norma Drees, Miss Jane Martens, Miss Elaine Schaffer, Miss Carolyn Rademacher and Miss Marilyn Argersinger attended the tables.

The new Mrs Maurer is a graduate of Rodney B. Wilson High School and her husband graduated from Eastern High School in Lansing.

Mrs Grove president of Friendly Score

Seventeen members and several guests of the Friendly Score Club gathered at the home of Mrs Percy Creaser of West Hyde Road Thursday, June 3, for an afternoon meeting.

Officers elected were: Mrs Gerald Gove, president; Mrs Verne Upton, vice president; and Mrs Anita Smith, secretary-treasurer. Mrs Wheeler Wilson became a new member.

The next meeting will be in September with Mrs Wayne Cook.

TOPS Club sponsors bake sale Saturday

At the June 3 meeting of the St. Johns TOPS Club it was decided that all members going to Flint June 10 should meet at the Municipal Building before 9 a.m. There will be a meeting in the evening.

The group will sponsor a bake sale June 12.

Mrs Eydie Bensinger was queen for the week. Mrs Dorothy Speerbecker was queen for the month of May.



MRS NELSON J. KEYS

St. Joseph's scene of afternoon rites

A double ring ceremony united in marriage Miss Elodia Martinez of Lansing and Nelson J. Keys Saturday, May 29, at St. Joseph Church in St. Johns. Parents of the bride are Mr and Mrs Napoleon Martinez of 8038 Medina Street in Detroit. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs Norma Keys of 705 North Clinton Street in St. Johns and the late Donald I. Keys.

Escorted to the altar by her grandfather, Bonifacio Salinas, the bride wore a gown of peau de soie and lace with a wide chapel train. A bubble veil of imported French illusion was held in place with a crown of pearls and aurora borealis crystals. She carried a fan cascade of roses, gladioli and lilies of the valley with ivy.

MISS ERMELINDA Martinez of Lansing was her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs Robert Oberstead, sister of the bridegroom, Mrs Roger Keys,

Miss Margaret Salinas, Mrs Albert Montemayer, Miss Connie Solis and Miss Jane Salinas. They wore identical soft yellow sheath gowns of empire style and matching crown headresses and carried cascade bouquets of carnations, gladioli and mums. Miss Elizabeth Romero was flower girl. Mums and gladioli decorated the altar.

THE BEST man was the brother of the bridegroom, Roger D. Keys of St. Johns. Ushers were Fred Barnes, brother of the bridegroom, Thomas Lewis, Albert Montemayer, Ricardo Medina, James Heibek and Robert Oberstead. Ringbearer was Joseph Salinas.

The VFW Hall in St. Johns was the scene of an afternoon buffet and evening reception, after which the newlyweds left on a northern honeymoon trip. They are making their home in St. Johns.



YVONNE MARIE HOPP

Mr and Mrs Victor Hopp of rural DeWitt have announced the engagement of their daughter, Yvonne Marie, to William H. Flegler, son of Mr and Mrs Earl Flegler of rural St. Johns. Wedding plans are being made for Aug. 14.

Births

Clinton's Citizens of Tomorrow

IT'S A GIRL!

May 24: Jillann Sue, Mr and Mrs Richard Kindel of Elsie (Judith Husted)

May 24: Stephanie Rae, Mr and Mrs Ted Lewis of St. Johns (Nancy Dalrymple)

May 25: Marie Lynn, Mr and Mrs Bruce Badeaux of St. Johns (MaryJane Hoefling)

May 25: Kathleen Sue, Mr and Mrs Robert Parker of Ovid (Diana Dietrich)

May 29: Kathy Faye, Mr and Mrs Gary Beaman of Orleans (Sharon Kesby)

June 1: Carla Mae, Mr and Mrs Dale Hugueta of DeWitt (Ethel Cornell)

June 2: Sarah Anne, Mr and Mrs Eugene Schoendorf of Elsie (MaryJane Trierweiler)

IT'S A BOY!

May 26: Dale Edward, Mr and Mrs Edward Hymeckl of Ovid (Carol Hankins)

May 27: John Wendell, Mr and Mrs John Coffman of DeWitt (Lorna Curtis)

June 4: Jeffrey Lynn, Mr and Mrs Gerald Pattison of St. Johns (Patricia Moon)

June 5: Michael George, Mr and Mrs George McNamara of St. Johns (Elizabeth Garmyn)



MR AND MRS DONALD A. RADEMACHER

Henning-Rademacher nuptials exchanged

Nuptial vows were spoken by Miss Drucilla Denice Henning and Donald Arthur Rademacher in St. Joseph Catholic Church Saturday, May 22. The new Mrs Rademacher is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Robert R. Henning of 1497 North Airport Road in St. Johns and the bridegroom is the son of Mr and Mrs Norman Rademacher of 110 North Kibbee Street in St. Johns.

The bride approached the altar which was adorned with arrangements of gladioli and mums in a gown of peau de soie and embroidered Alencon lace, designed with a chapel train. A double crown of seed pearls, crystals and chantilly lace held her elbow length bouffant veil. She carried a cascade arrangement of roses, stephanotis, lilies of the valley and ivy.

MISS JANET Griffith was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs Louise Boak, sister of the bride,

and Miss Diane Rademacher and Miss Kay Ann Rademacher, sisters of the bridegroom. Another sister, Miss Karen Rademacher was junior bridesmaid and Miss Mary Brooks of Ionia was flower girl. The attendants were identically attired in empire styled sheath gowns of aqua chiffon of taffeta and headresses of chiffon leaves which secured bouffant veils. The maid of honor carried a cascade arrangement of yellow roses and carnations. The other attendants carried similar bouquets with white mums.

BEST MAN was Eugene Rademacher, brother of the bridegroom. Groomsmen were Daniel Rademacher, brother of the bridegroom, Joseph Rademacher, Dennis Platte and Douglas Boak and ushers were Thomas Platte and Michael Henning. Larry Henning was ringbearer.

Mrs Henning took her place on the bride's side of the church in

Westphalia pair wed 45 years

WESTPHALIA — On Sunday morning, a Mass of Thanksgiving was offered for Mr and Mrs Joseph Hanes on their 45th anniversary.

At noon, the immediate family attended dinner at the Fowler Hotel. The afternoon and evening were spent at the home of Mr and Mrs David Hanes. They received many gifts.

Sodality meets

WESTPHALIA — A meeting of the Young Ladies Sodality was held on Sunday in the East Hall. Everyone finishing pillow cases or that would like to for the Fancy Booth were asked to return them as soon as possible.

Farm Bureau group endorses candidate

WESTPHALIA — At the May meeting of The County Cousins Farm Bureau Group, Gerald J. Thelen was endorsed as a candidate for the School Board of the Pewamo-Westphalia district. The group also formed a resolution in favor of the millage proposal and urged all to vote.



MR AND MRS JOSEPH HANES



DIANE MARIE PLATTE

Mr and Mrs Robert S. Platte of Westphalia have announced the engagement of their daughter, Diane Marie, to William N. Thelen, son of Mr and Mrs Louis Thelen of Pewamo. A Sept. 11 wedding is being planned.

Have You Met?

A COLUMN DEVOTED TO NEWCOMERS TO THE ST. JOHNS AREA

VINCENT A. COE and his wife Anna, formerly of rural Laingsburg, have moved to St. Johns and are now residing in a new home at 606 S. Traver Street. He is employed at Motor Wheel in Lansing and will be retiring in August of this year.

a blue sheath with matching accessories. Seated on the side of the bridegroom was Mrs Rademacher in a green lace with yellow accessories. The mothers wore identical corsages of roses and mums.

MUSIC during the service was played by Mrs Herman Smith and a communion hymn was sung by A. H. Liszewski.

Immediately following the service, a wedding breakfast was served to the bridal party and the newlyweds' immediate families at the VFW Hall.

That evening 450 guests signed the guest book, attended by Miss Linda Ochis, at a reception. Punch, cake and coffee were served by Miss Jean Lowe, Miss Sherrie Coe, Mrs Rodney Wilkins and Mrs Larry Campbell. Gifts were opened by Miss Marilyn Painer and Miss Sue Sanders.

SERVING the bride's table at the breakfast were Miss Patricia Trierweiler, Miss Janice Bishop and Miss Diane Griffith. In the evening, Mrs Milo Maneval, Miss Linda Greer and Miss Sharon Cleland attended the table.

Master and mistress of ceremonies for the evening were Mr and Mrs Daniel Becker. Special guests were the bride's paternal grandmother, Mrs Elizabeth Henning, and the bridegroom's maternal grandmother, Mrs Pauline Trierweiler. Both received corsages of chrysanthemums.

FOLLOWING the reception, the couple left on a weeks wedding trip to Niagara Falls and Southern Canada. They are residing at 806 South Church Street in St. Johns. The bride graduated from Rodney B. Wilson High School in 1963 and the bridegroom in 1962.

Hindus comprise 80 per cent of the population in India.

Money will not pay a debt of honor, nor can a deed of honor ever be bought.

Westphalia

MRS DANIEL SPITZLEY, Correspondent
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Silver anniversary observed by Smiths

WESTPHALIA —The silver anniversary of Mr and Mrs Isadore Smith was observed recently by their family and friends at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Jerry Smith.

The members of the original bridal party were among the 80 guests: Mrs Julius Koenigsnecht, Mrs Clem Martin, Mrs Joseph Klein, Mrs Elmer Rademacher, Mr and Mrs Roman Klein, Tom Weber, George Schaffer, and Celestine Smith. A mock wedding was staged, cards were played and a cake, made and decorated by Mrs Arnold Armbrustmacher, was served with a lunch.

Mr and Mrs Alban Arens and daughter have announced a new addition to their family, a son, named Michael Richard Arens. Mr and Mrs Henry Weber were feted at a Sunday dinner at their home by their children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren on the occasion of their 49th anniversary. The 16th anniversary of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Tom Weber was also on June 6.

Mr and Mrs Herbert Thelen were entertained on Sunday on the occasion of their 38th anniversary and both of their birthdays at Mr and Mrs Justin Thelens. Mr and Mrs Herman Thelen and family were also guests.

Mrs Tom Bengel hosted the CAYA club recently. Mrs Jim Droste and Mrs Joseph Schueller were co-winners of the high prize.

Mr and Mrs Joseph Trierweiler, Mr and Mrs Matt Trierweiler and Mr and Mrs Ray Thelen were guests of Mr and Mrs Merv Hosten of St. Clair Shores on the occasion of the baptism of their daughter, Lynn Phyllis on Sunday. Mr and Mrs Joseph Trierweiler were also grandparents again on Wednesday, when a girl was born to Mr and Mrs Gene Schoendorf of Elsie.

Mrs Harold Platte has returned home from St. Lawrence Hospital.

New names

WESTPHALIA — A girl, Mary Lee, was born to Mr and Mrs Jerry Hengesbach on May 31 at St. Lawrence Hospital weighing 6 pounds and 15 ounces. Mrs Hengesbach is the former Charlotte Voisinet.

A son, Bruce Jerome was born to Mr and Mrs Jerome Fox on June 1 at Carson City Hospital weighing 9 pounds and 8 ounces. Mrs Fox is the former Martha Schmitt.

A son, Daniel, was born to Mr and Mrs Ronald Thelen on May 26 at St. Lawrence Hospital, weighing 8 pounds.

A girl, Shawn Marie, was born to Mr and Mrs Delbert Thelen on May 21 at St. Lawrence Hospital weighing 8 pounds and 7 ounces.

Robert Trierweiler returned home from the Droste-Ferguson Hospital in Grand Rapids.

Mrs Adele Fink spent Sunday evening at the home of Mrs John Fink of Fowler.

Pauline Trierweiler entertained the 500 club recently.

Jolly Eight club met with Margaret Fedewa on Tuesday evening. Mrs Herbert Thelen won the mystery prize.

Mr and Mrs Tony Jenschatz of Flint spent the holidays with Mr and Mrs Leo Wacker and friends.

Arnold Rademacher and daughter visited Joseph I. Martin recently.

Mrs Albert Thelen submitted to major surgery at Clinton Memorial Hospital and will stay another week.

Mr and Mrs Gerald Schutzenhofer, Jerry and Jim were guests of Mr and Mrs Daniel Spitzley on the occasion of the baptism of their son, Jeffrey, on Memorial Sunday. Mr and Mrs Edward Spitzley Sr. and Mr and Mrs Irving Eaton were also guests.

Band 'smash hit'

The St. Johns High School band was reportedly a "smash hit" Saturday while marching in the parade at the Knights Templar conclave in Saginaw. Many St. Johns people were along the parade route.

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Following the rugged road at Boy Scout Camporee



Up and over—but not by much—goes a Boy Scout during the scaling wall portion of a Skill-O-Ree Scout contest Saturday afternoon at the Chief Okemos Council Camporee south of Bath. The unidentified youth almost fell back, but a teammate came along just in time and helped him over. Other such obstacles were placed along the course which Scouting teams ran. Wes Hathaway of St. Johns watches at left.

Boy Scouts from the Chief Okemos Council *followed the rugged road* last weekend when thousands of them camped for three days at Priggooris Park south of Bath and north of Park Lake.

Follow the Rugged Road was the theme of the annual Camporee, and an estimated 2,000 of the Scouts braved brambles, poison ivy and rain to show themselves and the hundreds of visitors what the Scout can do.

THE HIGH POINT of the weekend was Saturday afternoon and evening when numerous competitive and skill-building events were held for the benefit of the public. At the Skill-O-Ree, teams of Scouts ran obstacle courses and other events. The obstacle course contained such things as a scaling wall, staggered auto tires to run through, ropes to swing on, etc.

Meanwhile, other Scouts were getting first-hand pointers on various aspects of life from famous state personalities. They included Michigan Supreme Court Justice Otis Smith, MSU quarterback Steve Juday and end Tom Krzemienski, State Police Captain Richard Nicolen, television outdoorsman Len Stuttman, architect D. S. Budzysnki and mathematician William Lakey.

MISS MICHIGAN State University, Anne Laurenz, appeared at the Camporee.

Cub Scouts showed different skills, games and crafts. The evening Camporee show, modeled after the Boy Scout National Jamboree, included the presentation by Canadian Scouts of their new national colors to Michigan Supreme Court Justice Smith.

Indian dancers, demonstrations of tracking by Corp. Richard H. Abbott of the state police and an archery exhibition by Warren Anderson were also on the program.

The Chief Okemos Council includes Boy Scouts in the tri-county area of Clinton, Ingham and Eaton counties.



Timing, speed and strength were characteristics displayed by Boy Scouts in the log rolling contest at the Camporee Saturday afternoon. Thousands of spectators roamed Priggooris Park south of Bath to watch Scouts in action.



Boy Scouts gather around a small trailer, one of several stations used in a round robin of events Saturday afternoon at the Chief Okemos Council Camporee at Priggooris Park.



An unidentified Scout from Troop 92 in Lansing drives stakes into the ground, stakes which a teammate will knock down and drive in again in a timed contest.



Archery proved to be a popular pastime for both younger and older Scouts during their slack time at the Camporee. A small archery range on the grounds at Priggooris was always in use.



Steve Juday, Michigan State University quarterback, and Tom Krzemienski, MSU end, handled this football throw contest, one of several in the round robin of events at the Camporee. Scouts tried to throw footballs through the lashed automobile tires.



Justice Otis M. Smith of the Michigan Supreme Court (standing with arms folded) addresses a group of Scouts during the citizenship phase of their round robin events at the camporee. Experts in various subjects spoke to the Scouts during the Saturday afternoon event.

Pewamo

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

Bridal showers precede rites

PEWAMO—Miss Karen Bissell of Pewamo was feted at a miscellaneous shower given by Miss Pat Fox and Miss Sandy Chartrand on Sunday, May 16.

The shower was held in the Altar Society Hall in Portland. There were 25 guests present and many gifts were received by the honored guest. The centerpiece was a bride and bridesmaid doll made out of cake.

Karen was also guest of honor at another shower, given on Wednesday evening, June 2, by Miss Pat Smith and Miss Phyllis Wieber at Walker's Cafe in St. Johns.

Approximately 21 classmates presented Karen with many gifts, after which a lunch was served.

Karen will become the bride of Bernard Smith of Portland on June 19.

Pre-nuptial party fetes Miss Kowatch

PEWAMO—A miscellaneous bridal shower was held Tuesday evening, June 1, for Miss Helen Kowatch by her sister, Miss Marie Kowatch and Mary Jane Nuremberg, sister of the prospective bridegroom, at the home of Mr and Mrs Harold Nuremberg. Games were played followed by a lunch.

Relatives and friends attended. Miss Kowatch received many gifts.

Mr and Mrs Paul Fox and family spent Memorial Day weekend in Detroit at the home of Mrs Fox's brother-in-law and sister, Mr and Mrs Roy Alexander. Fox and two sons attended the Tiger-Cleveland ball game.

New homes are being built in Pewamo for Mr and Mrs Jerome Fox, Mr and Mrs Michael Schneider and Mr and Mrs Joseph Kavanaugh.

Miss Ellen Spitzley, daughter of Mr and Mrs Matt Spitzley of Lansing, was a weekend guest of her grandparents, Mr and Mrs Myron Schaefer.

Mrs Anna Fedewa was hostess to the Pewamo - Westphalia Bridge Club Tuesday evening. High scores of the evening were won by Mrs Estella Geller and Mrs Matilda Wigten of Westphalia. The next meeting will be with Mrs Estella Geller.

Mr and Mrs Robert Lincoln and twin girls of Dundee were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Herman Werner and family.

Mrs Laurence Schaefer spent Sunday afternoon at the home of her father, William Thelen of Portland.

Sunday, June 13, is St. Joseph's parish Get-to-Gather Day.

The fancy work booth will feature hand - embroidered pillow cases and other items. A record hop will be held from 8 p.m. to 12 p.m. with disk jockey, Sherman Brown, present. Baseball: Pewamo vs. Lakeview at Pewamo.

Mrs Margery Sullivan was in charge of the school picnic of the Schaefer District School at Bertha Brook Park Sunday afternoon, June 6.

Memorial Day guests of Mrs Isadore Cook were her brother and sister-in-law, Mr and Mrs William Fox and daughter, Mary.

A son, Bruce Jerome was born June 1 at Carson City Hospital to Mr and Mrs Jerome Fox. Bruce weighed 9 pounds and 8 ounces. Mrs Fox is the former Martha Schmitt. Mr and Mrs Ernest Fox of Pewamo are grandparents.

Mr and Mrs Kenneth Parks attended the eighth grade graduation exercises of Fulton High School, May 27. Ellen Kirvan, daughter of Mr and Mrs Alden Kirvan, graduated, as did Douglas Gager, son of Mr and Mrs Andrew Gager, former residents of Pewamo.

David G. Parks and Robert Rathbun toured the Straits of Mackinac and the Tahquamenon Falls over Memorial Day weekend.

Mr and Mrs Kenneth Parks spent the weekend fishing at East Tawas and visiting Mr and Mrs George Shreve of Hale.

Jack Parks, son of Mr and Mrs Kenneth Parks, came home Saturday, June 5, from Baptist Bible College at Grand Rapids. He will

stay until school opens in September.

The Pewamo Woman's Society of Christian Service is planning for their 25th birthday party. Officers since 1940 should be present on June 17 at the Pewamo Methodist Church at 2 p.m.

Mr and Mrs Norbert Fox and family of Lansing were Sunday dinner guests of their mother and brother, Mrs Irene Fox and Art Fox.

Mr and Mrs Minard Leonard and Guy Leonard returned to their home in Howard City Friday.

Mr and Mrs Louis Thelen attended the 45th wedding anniversary of Mr and Mrs Joseph Hanes at the home of their son, Mr and Mrs David Hanes, at Westphalia, Sunday.

Mrs Herman Wahl spent the weekend with Mr and Mrs Ronald Motz and family of rural St. Johns.

Sunday callers of Mr and Mrs Edward Droste were Mr and Mrs Charles Droste and family and Miss Jane Droste, both of Ionia.

Mr and Mrs Charles Martin were visitors of Mr and Mrs Harry Thelen Sunday. In the evening they attended the graduating exercises of Bruce Werner, son of Mr and Mrs Leo Werner of Lansing.

Sunday guests of Mrs Nellie Fox were Miss Josephine Long of Fowler, Miss Esther Long of Grand Rapids and Mrs Rachael Fox and daughter, Mary Ellen of Lansing.

Mrs Nellie Fox was hostess of her Pedro Club Tuesday afternoon.



'Most Valuable' Athletes Honored at All - Sports Banquet

The St. Johns Jaycees honored the most valuable players in each of the athletic sports carried on at St. Johns High School at the annual All-Sports Banquet last Tuesday evening at Smith Hall. Receiving the awards were, left to right, Clark Berkhausen for basketball, Dave DeGeer for track, Gene Rademacher and Dennis Springer for baseball, Al Werbish for football, Dennis Whitlock for cross country, Kurt Acton for tennis, and Charles Fisher for wrestling. Marv Dollarhite is standing in for Fisher in the picture. Several hundred persons attended the banquet.

East Hubbardston

Mrs Mamie O'Connell
Telephone 981-2374

A boy, Troy Donald, was born to Mr and Mrs David Speckin in the Carson City Hospital, Thursday.

Mrs Edgar Stoddard, Mr and Mrs DeLane Silvernail of East Hubbardston, Mr and Mrs Donald Stoddard and family, and Mr and Mrs Clarence Stoddard and family of St. Johns attended the graduation of Carol Anne Stoddard, daughter of Alton and Theresa Stoddard, at O'Rafferty Parish Church, Sunday.

Mr and Mrs John Dwyer of Carson City and Mr and Mrs Ray McGinn of Hubbardston attended graduation exercises of their nephew, son of Mr and Mrs John McGinn, at Resurrection Church in Lansing Sunday.

Rev and Mrs Rill spent part of last week in Royal Oak and attended a funeral of a friend.

Mrs Henry Tabor entertained Mr and Mrs Elwood Brake and Mrs Winnie Halstead Sunday for dinner.



Golf Coach Finds Track Coach a Big Hurdle

The Clinton County Country Club was host Saturday to the athletic coaches and administrators of the St. Johns Public Schools at their annual golf day and luncheon. Golf Coach Mike Humphrey set out to show the others how far to drive the ball, but Track Coach Bob Spencer put a stop to that by grabbing the club. Left to right in the picture are high school Principal B. Stanley Pocus, wrestling Coach Roger Feeman, Howard Woodbury, Supt. of Schools Earl Lancaster, Central School Principal Sam Serrell, football-baseball Coach Bill Smiley, Spencer, basketball-tennis Coach Bill Swears, Humphrey, and Cross Country Coach John Theuerkauf.

Maple Rapids

By MRS. JOHN SCHMIDT — Telephone 682-3262

Sorosis Club closes season with breakfast

MAPLE RAPIDS—The Sorosis Club held their last meeting of the year at the home of Mrs Milo Podolak on Tuesday, May 25, with a 9 a.m. breakfast on the lawn overlooking Rainbow Lake. Mrs Don Upton was co-hostess.

There were 26 members present. The preview of the coming year was given by Mrs Edgar Walker, chairman of the program committee. The other members of the committee are Miss Mary Cole, Mrs Edward Carr and Mrs Keith Wright.

It was announced that the club will participate in the homecoming on July 10 by operating a country store, to be run by Mrs John Brown, Mrs Orrison Bailey, Mrs Glenn McNeill and Mrs Robert Hicks.

Club recesses for the summer

MAPLE RAPIDS—Mr and Mrs Jack Croad entertained the Duo Decum Club at their home Saturday evening, June 5, with Mr and Mrs David Swanson as their co-hosts.

There were 9 couples present and Shoot the Moon was played. High score prizes went to Mrs

Maurice Paine and Mike Humphrey. Low score prizes went to Dr and Mrs Don Kendall. Mike Humphrey also won the traveling prize.

The hostesses served refreshments at the close of the evening. The club now recesses for the summer months and will meet in September with Mr and Mrs John Schmidt.

Mrs Lyle Blemaster hosts WSCS meeting

MAPLE RAPIDS—Miss Mary Cole gave a report of the district meeting held in Ithaca on May 5 at the regular meeting of the WSCS held in the church basement on Tuesday afternoon, June 1. Mrs Lyle Blemaster was the hostess.

There were 8 members present and 24 cards and 10 sick calls were reported sent or made. The program, "Rekindling The Inner Life with Prayer," was given by Mrs Nellie Blemaster.

Fire chief resigns, Al Brunner elected

MAPLE RAPIDS—Carl Bird, a member for 35 years, resigned as chief for 15 years, resigned from the Volunteer Fire Dept. at their meeting Sunday morning. Ken Schulze, a 20 year veteran and Orrison Bailey, who had served for 13 years, also resigned. Election of officers was held,

and Al Brunner was chosen new fire chief; Robert Upton, assistant fire chief; Carroll Tyler, treasurer; and Wade Wakefield, secretary.

It was decided to hold meetings on the second and fourth Sunday of each month at 9 a.m.

West Hubbardston

Clara Hogan

Mission work ahead for Sister Felice

WEST HUBBARDSTON—Sister M. Felice, a member of the faculty of St. John the Baptist School, left for Racine, Wis., on Saturday where she will attend summer school.

In September she will leave for Puerto Rico where she will enter a university for 2 months. Then she will be joined by other sisters and they will journey to Bolivia where they will spend 3 years doing missionary work.

Those from here that attended the first Mass of Father Dunigan at Ionia on Sunday were Mrs Anna Hogan and Gerald Hogan, Mr and Mrs Philip Sheaffer, Mr and Mrs Michael Hogan and Mr and Mrs Don Hogan.

Mr and Mrs Al Cashin and Mr and Mrs Pat Cashin of Fowler spent the weekend with Mrs Shirley Fabor of Clare.

Billie Snyder of Portland spent the weekend with Jim Cashin. Robert Hogan of Wayne visited Miss Clara Hogan on Friday. Clara returned home with him to attend the graduation of Patricia Hogan and Albert Nieman.

Randy Clark is confined to his home with the measles.

Mrs Mayme Church of Clarks-ville visited Miss Clara Hogan on Sunday.

Bannister

Mrs Robert Valentine
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Cub Scouts awarded at picnic meeting

BANNISTER—The Cub Scouts of Den 6, Pack 76, presented a play, "Ander's Wonderful Cap," at the April pack meeting.

At the den meeting, plastic book marks were made at the home of Mrs Duane Green.

The last den meeting of the year was held at Mrs Floyd Glowneys when the boys went on a hike.

The last pack meeting was a picnic at the Elsie picnic grounds. All the children played penny scramble and were given ice cream bars. Awards were given before the group adjourned for the summer.

Elementary school has annual picnic

BANNISTER—The Bannister Elementary School held its annual picnic, which marked the end of the school year Friday. Parents, friends, students, and teachers were in attendance.

Mrs Ben Kristin, president of the Bannister PTA, called a short meeting of the club. A motion was entertained that the Bannister PTA Club be dissolved and any money belonging to the organizations be divided between the rooms. Bannister will be affiliated with the Ovid-Elsie PTA.

Mr and Mrs Dean LaVine are houseguests of Mr and Mrs Donald Hinkley. They have been living in South Carolina but are being transferred to St. Louis, Ill. Hinkley and LaVine were stationed at the same naval base in South Carolina some years ago.

Mr and Mrs Roy MacEachern and son from Sylvania, Ohio were last week weekend guests of Mr and Mrs Thomas Moore.

Mrs Gertie Griffith from Texas is visiting friends and relatives in this area.

Mr and Mrs Roy Walters of Hickory Corners, Mr and Mrs Harry Walters of Kalamazoo, and Mr and Mrs Reuben Pontious of Chapin visited the Floyd Walters on Sunday and all attended the Elsie School reunion.

Mrs Joseph Wass and Mrs Alex Dunay and Pat visited Elizabeth Dunay and Robert Emmert at the Ingham Medical Center in Lansing on Sunday.

Patricia Dunay returned Saturday from the Ashley Senior Trip where they visited the World's Fair, the United Nations building, the Statue of Liberty, Radio City Music Hall and several points of interest in Washington D.C. They also took the Skyline Drive and saw the Skyline Caverns in Virginia. While in Pennsylvania, they visited the Civil War Battlefield in Gettysburg.

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Alward-Plowman District

By Bernice Wohlfert

Mrs Jack Wohlfert, Mrs Deiores Cowles and Mrs Walt Frey of Lansing drove to Fort Knox, Ky., Thursday and Kenneth Wohlfert returned home with them on Friday.

Debbie and Paul Cowles spent a week with Mr and Mrs Leo Cowles and Patty Jo at Perry.

Mr and Mrs Alfred Huhn attended the Huhn-Cory wedding and reception at St. Michaels Church in Grand Ledge on Saturday.

Miss Susan Wickerham attended a surprise birthday party for Miss Julie Dieter Thursday evening.

Francis Keilen underwent surgery Monday morning at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

Mr and Mrs Larry Whitney and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Alfred Huhn. Mrs Carl Huhn was a supper guest.

Miss Susan Wickerham attended open house for Terry Powell Saturday evening.

Mr and Mrs Keith Wohlfert and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Don Gilman and family at Potterville. In the afternoon they took a trip to Yankee Springs.



Here Are Members of the St. Johns Redwings Track Team

Members of the St. Johns High School track team posed for their picture recently. Left to right are: front row, Mark Witt, Gary Price, Dave Howe and Pat Harper; second row, Don Palmer, Ken Kuhns, Herb Rice, Robert Lundy, Roger Beebee, Randy Hui-

phrey, Tom Helms, Phil Anderson and Dan Hynes; back row, Albert Moore, Dave DeGeer, Tom McKenzie, Bob Showers, Rick Liszewski, Al Anderson, Roger Parsons, Doug Lundy, Don Hungerford, Al Koenigsnecht and manager Doug Blizzard.

List Overbrook golfing leaders

The Overbrook Golf Course at Middleton reports the leading teams in two of its leagues as the middle of last week. In the Lebdell Emery Men's Morning League, Robert Gribbens and James Waldbilling have 17 points, while John Nassens and Jack Burlingame have 16 points. Gordon Serrell and William Sweet have 14 points and Dick Andrews and Dick Miller have 13 1/2 in the Monday Night League.

Summer Athletics

(as reported)

CIE SOFTBALL

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Bridgeville

By Mrs Thelma Woodbury

Mr and Mrs Douglas Hulbert and Shelly Lynn spent the weekend at Pretty Lake and Lost Lake with her parents, Mr and Mrs Fred Nieman.

Mr and Mrs Bruce Hulbert, Jeffery and Marty Jon and Mr and Mrs John Woodbury spent Sunday at Potters Park.

Mrs Harriet Schmidt, Linda Schmid and Mrs Eleanor Fogleston attended the open house Sunday afternoon at the Joe Wonsay home near Ovid in honor of their daughter's high school graduation.

Bridgeville Community Aid will serve a ham supper Friday, June 18. Serving will begin at 5:30 p.m. A business meeting will be held at the hall Thursday, June 10, in the afternoon.

There are an estimated 23 million 4-H alumni in the US.

Tennis competitors lost at state meet

St. Johns' three entrants in the Class B state tennis tournament last weekend lost out in the quarter finals. Al Werbish and Bob Vollbracht lost to the doubles team from Sturgis, and Kurt Action lost to Jim Hines of Cadillac in singles competition.

Still tight race

The Gutter Gals held a game-and-a-half lead over the three Yankees and A Reb after last Thursday's bowling in the Coffee Cup bowling league in St. Johns. Rose Ritter's 205 game and 473 series were high individual scores, while the Gutter Gals rang up game and series scores of 565 and 1603, high among the eight teams of the league.

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Eagle

Mrs Charles Higbee

Thorn-Cooper rites at Adrian last week

EAGLE — Miss Georgia Thorn became the bride of Jerry Cooper Tuesday night at Adrian at the Church of God.

Mr and Mrs Carl Falor attended them. Just the immediate families were present.

Jerry has been home on leave from the armed services and left for Germany for two years Saturday. His new bride will join him there in the near future.

A reception was held at the town hall Thursday night for the newlyweds.

Smith-Patten vows spoken at Eagle

EAGLE — The Eagle Methodist Church was the scene of a very pretty wedding Saturday, June 5, when Elva Smith became Mrs Carol Patten.

Ben Haueter and Mrs Albert Lawrence, life-time friends were the attendants.

Elva chose blue and yellow for her color scheme. She wore a blue jacket-dress and carried yellow roses.

A reception followed the ceremony in the church basement, where a blue and yellow flower arrangement graced the tables.

Mrs Hazel Shaddock spent a few days at Houghton Lake last week with her daughter, Mrs Eric Windfuhr.

Mrs Ronald McCrumb flew to California where she will meet her daughter and son-in-law. Her daughter left by train last week to join her husband who is in the service.

Robert Smith and his son, Galen visited Mr and Mrs Frank Smith and Mrs Hazel Shaddock and Mr and Mrs Charles Higbee and family Sunday.

Donald Volk and Betty Sandborn were the honored guests at a graduation party held at the Riley Sandborn home Sunday afternoon. There were about 75 relatives present.

Buster Sutton of Lansing accompanied Charles Higbee on a fishing trip to Kalkaska this past weekend. They report the trout bit pretty good but the mosquitoes bit better.

Mrs June Higbee and children attended the graduation party at the Riley Sandborn home Sunday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Charles Higbee and family attended a graduation party given for Henrietta Pearl Sunday afternoon at the Atwood Pearl home.

James Moyer, Donald Volk and Gilda Higbee graduated from the Portland High School Wednesday night.

Mr and Mrs Herbert Patrick are spending the week at the cottage at Seney.

Amy Lou VanDriessen was home from nursing school at Jackson this weekend. Amy Lou will graduate in two weeks.

Horseshoe tourney

THE NHPA Water Wonderland horseshoe pitching tournament will be held at Bailey Park in Battle Creek Saturday and Sunday, reports the Wolverine State Horseshoe Pitchers Assn.

Self-sympathy has been described as a super highway that leads only to misery.

City rec program in high gear Monday

St. Johns' recreation program for the summer will get under way officially Monday with the opening of the swimming pool and playground programs.

Other aspects of the St. Johns program—baseball and softball—are already under way.

REGISTRATION for the first of two summer sessions of children's swimming classes will be held next Wednesday and Thursday, June 16 and 17, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. St. Johns children will register on the first day, and out-of-town children can be registered at 9 a.m. the second day, providing there is still room available in the classes.

The fee for swimming classes is \$1 for city children and \$5 for those out of the city. The second swimming session will begin July 19. Frank Rosengren is in charge of the swimming program.

OPEN SWIMMING will be possible from 1 - 5 and 7 - 9 p.m. every day of the week, including the weekends. Price of admission will remain the same as in the past; 10 cents for students in school and 25 cents for those out of high school. Everyone will pay 25 cents for the evening and Sunday sessions.

Starting Monday and continuing throughout the summer, both Perrin Palmer and Swegles School playgrounds will have supervised recreation during the morning hours Monday through Thursday. Miss Linda Smith will be at one playground and co-director Janet Sipkovsky will be at the other. Fridays will be special events days at the park.

THE MORNING program is planned for children in the sixth grade and under. Those beyond the sixth grade will have planned programs at the city park during the afternoons.

In athletic competition, two summer softball leagues will play under the auspices of the St. Johns Recreation Department. Five teams in the A League will play at 8:30 p.m. on Monday and Wednesday nights, and the B League (boys) will play Tuesday and Thursday nights at the same time.

COUNTY 4-H Club teams will use the diamond on Friday evenings. Saturday and Sunday nights the diamond will be free, with Saturday night being used for makeup and rainout games.

The CIE traveling softball league will also use the diamond on 10 Tuesday evenings, necessitating a possible time change for the B League.

William Smiley will coordinate the city recreation baseball program. Al Werbish is in charge of the tennis program.

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REGISTERED Angus bull, 14 months, 4-H stock. Good bloodline, Bardolomere Bardolier. Gary Locher, 2 1/2 miles north of DeWitt on DeWitt road. Phone 669-2681. 7-2p

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★ FOR SALE REAL ESTATE

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NEW ECONOMY 2-story Colonial, 809 S. Lansing St. 2-car attached garage, 1 1/2 baths, 1176 square feet of living space. Call 224-2574 or IV 4-6622. 7-1p

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110-ACRE DAIRY farm to be sold at public auction on June 19. Modern 7-room home, new stanchion barn with gutter cleaner and attached milkhouse, other good barns, very productive land and all crops go with farm. Will be sold to the highest bidder because of forced property settlement. William J. Stanton, Auctioneer and Real Estate Broker, Phone Vermontville, CL 9-3368. 4-4

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HELP WANTED

BABY SITTER and housekeeper. Mature lady, live in. Phone Turner 2-2109 after 6:00 p.m. 7-1p

HELP WANTED

WOMAN to work in nursing home as nurse's aid. Between ages of 20 and 35. Call for appointment. Phone 224-2985. 7-1p

HELP WANTED

MALE WELDERS, packers, welder trainees and laborers. Apply at the Ashley Corp., Ashley, Mich. 4-1p

HELP WANTED

MAN OR boy to work on farm. Must be able to handle hay. Ray Moore, 3823 W. Chadwick road, DeWitt. 7-1p

HELP WANTED

WANTED: Boys for grill work and cleaning, 16 or over. Apply in person. DOG 'N SUDS St. Johns 7-1

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A GOOD reliable dealer to supply customers with Rawleigh products in South Clinton County or St. Johns. A profitable business of your own with no previous experience needed. Write Rawleigh, Dept. MCE 593-183, Freeport, Ill. 3-6

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WANTED—Truck driver, apply in person to Mr King, Central Michigan Lumber, St. Johns, Mich. 7-1

WANTED EMPLOYMENT

BABY SITTING or light housework by high school girl. Mary Ann Fedewa, phone Fowler 582-3305. 5-2p

NOTICES

DANCING—Friday from 9:30 p.m. to 2 a.m., Walt Praski, Saturday from 9:30 p.m. to 2 a.m., Music Makers. Open Sunday 12 noon. Open every day to 2 a.m. Liquor, beer, wine and soft drinks. H & H Lounge, downtown St. Johns. 1-1p

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Black and gray German Shepherd dog, 8 months old. Answers to "Rocky". Phone 224-4462. 7-1p

CARDS OF THANKS

My sincere thanks to Drs Russell, Slag and the staff of Clinton Memorial hospital for the excellent care. Rev Marvin Reiff for his calls and all who remembered me in prayers and sent cards. —Norman Palmer. 7-1p

LEGAL NOTICES

Porter—August 15 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of IRMA E. PORTER, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, August 18, 1965, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in the City of St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Louise E. Smith, St. Johns, Michigan prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate. Dated: June 4, 1965 Walker & Moore By: Jack Walker Attorney for Estate Clinton National Bank Bldg. St. Johns, Michigan 7-3

LEGAL NOTICES

Verhoeven—August 18 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of ELIZABETH VERHOEVEN, Deceased. It is Ordered that on the 18th day of August, 1965, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in the City of St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which time all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Henry H. Verhoeven of the Route 1, Lansing, Michigan, the Executor of said Estate, prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate. Dated: June 4, 1965 Denning & Denning By: Hudson E. Denning Attorney for Fiduciary Grand Lodge, Michigan 7-3

Derby inspection day this Saturday

The first formal inspection and time trial for boys racing in the Soap Box Derby will be at 1:30 p.m. this Saturday at the head of Railroad Street. All boys are urged to attend the inspection. If cars meet race specifications, they will be locked up in a safe place until the day of the race.

Announcements

Wesleyan Service Guild will meet Monday evening, June 14 for a picnic potluck supper at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Birdaline Smith, 601 W. State Street. Regular meeting will follow the supper.

Royal Neighbors of America will meet Tuesday evening, June 15 for a business meeting at the home of Ellen Stammersky, 202 South Lansing Street.

The Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary will hold its annual meeting tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 at St. Johns High School. The First Nighters will present a one-act play. Several tables of gift items will be for sale. The group will also hear a report about the new gift cart purchased by the Auxiliary for use at the hospital.

The Jacobs' 13th reunion will be held Sunday, June 13, at the pavilion in St. Johns City Park. It will begin with a potluck at noon.

The last Jolly Mixers' dance of the season will be held Thursday, June 10, in the Municipal Building with a 7:30 p.m. potluck and guest night. Members and guests will come dressed for their vacations.

The annual meeting of the Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary will be held Thursday, June 10, at 7:30 p.m. in the auditorium of Rodney B. Wilson High School. There will be a capping of the Candy Strippers and entertainment by the First Nighters. Tickets can be obtained from members of the Auxiliary Board or at the door.

Lebanon Grange will hold their regular meeting at the hall Saturday evening, June 12, with a potluck.

Bingham Grange will meet Friday evening, June 11, for their only June meeting. Lunch will follow the meeting. Riley and Olive Aid Society will meet with Mrs Hazel Stevens Thursday, June 17, for an all-day meeting. June 17 is not the date that originally had been set. Plant slips will be exchanged.

The Priscilla Alden Division will meet at the Congregational Church Tuesday, June 15, at 1 p.m. Mrs Jennie Bandt and Mrs Bernard Barrett will serve. Devotions are in charge of Mrs Ethel Gove.

Harold Shipley hosts meeting of Farm Bureau

A movie and commentary on the development of the American flag and historical growth of the country, produced by the US Army, was shown by Harold Shipley at the May meeting of the Parker Center Community Farm Bureau held at the Shipley home.

Mrs Wilbur Brandt, women's committee member, gave a resume of the women's meeting at which the County Defense Director showed a film on medical self-help training, and a hair stylist demonstrated tips on hair care.

Couple to observe golden anniversary

Mr and Mrs Theron White and daughters, Linda and Lorraine, will hold open house at their home, Sunday, June 20, from 2 to 5 p.m., honoring the 50th anniversary of their parents, and grandparents, Mr and Mrs Arthur White.

Fowler Busy Bees set annual picnic

The Fowler Busy Bees met June 3 at the Fowler High School for their monthly meeting. The club formed a softball team of 19 members. Practice is scheduled for Thursday evenings. IT WAS decided that the annual picnic will be in July at Long Lake. The Clinton County 4-H Talent Show was discussed and the club will be represented by some of the members performing a "Shindig."

Officers presented by mission circle

The women of the Grove Bible Church sponsored a missionary program for the June meeting of the Ladies Mission Circle of the First Baptist Church.

A musical selection was presented by Mrs Robert Hall, Mrs Price and Mrs Robert Prang. Six women assumed the role of a missionary wife that their church supported and told about the family, country, work and special prayer requests. An original poem was presented by Mrs Robert Hall.

MRS JAY BARRETT, White Cross chairman, reported that projects were underway for completion in the fall.

Mrs Oscar Stockwell read a letter concerning her daughter, Mildred, who will serve in the mission field this summer.

Mrs Peter Nieuwkoop thanked all the women who worked with her during the year in the Circle, after which new officers were presented. They are Mrs Willard Goldman, president; Mrs Donald Penix, vice president; and Mrs Oscar Stockwell, secretary.

VFW Auxiliary installs women for coming year

Installation of officers was conducted at the May 26 meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of VFW Post 3733.

New officers for the coming year are Mrs Reynold George, president; Mrs Patricia Feldpausch, senior vice president; Eunice Wirth, junior vice president; Marge Schomisch, treasurer; Marilyn Halfmann, secretary; Carolyn Klein, chaplain; Rosie Feldpausch, conductress; Mary Smith, guard; and Amelia Feldpausch, trustee.

Markets St. Johns

Table with columns for item names and prices. Includes sections for Egg Market and FOWLER.

Low Cost Farm Credit

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Advertisement for GMC 1/2 Ton Pickup trucks, featuring the GMC logo and a photo of a truck. Text includes 'G.M.C. is on the move. If you are Truck hunting, come in now and see why G.M.C. is the hottest truck & pickup on the market.'

Real Estate

N. Ottawa—8 rooms and bath, 4 bedrooms, basement with gas furnace, nicely decorated. Reasonable price. New Listing—W. State St., 2 bedrooms, bath, living room, dining room, nice kitchen, utility room, attached garage. Gas heat, large lot. Moderate price. Lindy Lane—3-bedroom ranch type with full basement, tiled rec room, garbage disposal, aluminum storms and screens, carpeting and drapes. Terms. W. Cass—8 rooms, 2 baths, 4 bedrooms (1 down), full basement, large living room, fireplace, sunroom, 2-car garage, gas furnace. Owner needs smaller home. N. Lansing—6 rooms, bath, 3 bedrooms, full basement, oil furnace, near schools. Garage. Price reduced—owner needs larger home. South US-27—7-room ranch style with 2 bedrooms, bath, electric heat, approximately 5 acres of woods, built-in stove and oven, exhaust fan and hood, laundry sink. Attached garage. Carpeting and drapes. Must be seen to be appreciated. S. Oakland—6 rooms and bath, fireplace, full basement with oil furnace, rec room, large living room, dining room, kitchen with dishwasher and disposal. Carpeting. Double garage. Shown by appointment only.

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Advertisement for Jessie M. Conley Broker, listing phone numbers and address: 108 Ottawa 224-2465.

Real Estate

North Shepardsville Road—2-bedroom ranch home with a full basement, 2 acres of land, large 2-car garage, chicken coop and other buildings. Terms. 302 North Morton St.—3-bedroom ranch home with a 2-car attached garage, 2 fireplaces, c.s., finished recreation room, corner lot. Lots of room in this one! 1520 South Lansing St.—3-bedroom Cape Cod with a new bath and sewer system, 1 bedroom down, 2 up to be finished. A handyman can save plenty. Full price only \$5,500. Terms to be agreed. 304 East Railroad St.—4-bedroom home with basement, gas heat, garage and located close to downtown. Higgins Lake—2-bedroom cottage, fully insulated. Priced for a quick sale. We have pictures in the office, stop by for a look! Higgins Lake—1 acre of land with a 4-room hunting cabin, partially finished. Good pump and well, storage shed. Terms. Westphalia—Large 4-bedroom home with full basement, needs some work. 2 lots, 2-car garage, almost new furnace, built-ins in the kitchen. Lots of possibilities. Terms. Middleton—Income property, 3 apartments. One 4-bedroom brick home. Both priced to sell. 22 acres located 2 miles from St. Johns with a 4-bedroom home, new full basement, furnace, well and kitchen. Immediate possession. Terms.

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HIGH SCHOOL girl wants baby sitting job and house work. Experienced. Phone 587-3113. 7-1p

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED TO buy. Standing hay or will put up on shares. Phone 224-2049. 6-2p

QUANTITY of dry straw, also timothy and clover hay. Harry Isanhart, General Delivery, DeWitt, Mich. 7-2p

LAND CONTRACTS

We will buy your land contract! No delay! Call Ford S. LaNoble Phone Lansing ED 7-1276

LAND CONTRACTS

1516 E. Michigan Ave., Lansing. Phone IV 2-1637. 35-1f

WANTED—Private home for elderly lady to stay. Will need some supervision. Phone 224-3956. 7-2p

NOTICES

NOTICE OF HEARING

A petition having been received by the Board of Clinton County Road Commissioners asking that a certain part of Jason Road in Victor Township be abandoned and discontinued, that part being from Highland Drive west to Lake Victoria and from Westgate Drive east to Lake Victoria, Jason Road between sections 12 and 13, Victor Township, Clinton County, Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Clinton County Road Commissioners has viewed the premises and have appointed Monday, June 21, 1965 at 8:00 p.m. at the Road Commission offices, 701 W. State Street, St. Johns, Michigan as the time and place for a hearing on said petition.

Board of County Road Commissioners of the County of Clinton BY R. D. EWING Clerk 7-1

NOTICE—Bengal Township dump on Taft road between Wacousta and Bauer roads will be open Saturdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. to residents of Riley, Westphalia, Dallas and Bengal Townships. Rudolph Mohrke, Bengal Township Clerk. 7-2

Heirs Patterson—July 16 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of ERFD Z. PATTERSON, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Friday, July 16, 1965, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in the City of St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Lucile Boak for probate of a purported will, for granting administration to the executor named, or some other suitable person, and for determination of heirs. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate. Dated: June 2, 1965 Alpha F. Wert Wert & Wand Attorney for Petitioner 115 E. Walker St. Johns, Michigan 7-3

Wacousta

Mrs Veda Forward

Seniors listed

WACOUSTA— Seniors of the community are Fred Tebbetts, Tom Lowell, Terry Craun, Ruth Benninger, Ray Helman, Randy Wright, Carol Moffit, Louise Walker, LeRoy Walker, Melody Crandall, Karen Davidson, Robbie Mattson, Marlene Vanghn, Jennie Dayrell, Toni West, Sue LaBar, David Andrus, Frank Elliott, Robert Zischke, Edward Gloor, Kathie Rowland, Eva Lane, Cristie Smazel, Roger Phillips, Jay Webber, David Motcheck, Eleanor Dumond, Linda Parks, Roger Hardenburg and Janice Dague.

Stork shower fetes Mrs Gary Garlock

WACOUSTA— Mrs Howard Beagle and Mrs Lester Garlock entertained at a stork shower Friday evening in honor of Mrs Gary Garlock of Ovid. The honored guest received many gifts from the 23 relatives present. Games were played and refreshments served.

Surprise couple with open house

WACOUSTA— Mr and Mrs Earl Beagle were honored Sunday on their 20th wedding anniversary with a surprise open house at their home when 75 relatives and close friends came from Lake Odessa, DeWitt, Lansing, East Lansing, Grand Ledge, St. Johns, Mason and Eagle and the local community. The party was planned by Barbara Rose, Mr and Mrs Gary Clark, Mr and Mrs Charles Rose and LeRoy Beagle.

Charles Phillips heads fellowship

WACOUSTA— The Adult Fellowship class met for an election of officers Sunday evening. Elected were Charles Phillips, president; Lewis Babbitt, vice president; Mrs James O'Bryant, secretary; and Herman Openthal, treasurer.

Wacousta events

WACOUSTA— The Neighborhood Society will host the Yesterday Party for all of the older or former residents of the community on Thursday, June 17, at 2 p.m. at the Wacousta Community Church. A program is being planned and refreshments will be served. All older people of the community present and former, are invited. Spring Circle will meet Thursday with Mrs Carlton Boss of Howe Road for 12:30 p.m. luncheon.

The WSCS rummage sale will be held June 28.

The WSCS will meet next Wednesday at the church. Dessert will be served by Center Circle at 1:30 p.m. Devotions and program will be given by the Willing Workers Circle.

Vacation Church School will be held at the Wacousta Community Methodist Church June 14 to 18 from 9 to 11:15 a.m. It is open to all children in the community who are new attending kindergarten through the sixth grade and is under the direction of Mrs Harry Classen.

Mr and Mrs Dan Stenzel and Mrs Peter Plunket and Danny attended the 50th wedding anniversary open house of Mr and Mrs Rhine Henning in DeWitt. They also called on Mr and Mrs Ray Moore of rural DeWitt.

Mr and Mrs Henry Dubendorf of California are visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr and Mrs Howard McDonough. They plan to spend a month in Michigan.

A pan of grease caught fire at the Jackson home on Herbison Road.

Mr and Mrs Clark Adams and family spent Sunday at Long Lake.

Mr and Mrs Art Harrington have a new granddaughter, Susan Marie, born to Mr and Mrs Ralph Kellogg last week in a Lansing hospital.

Henry Stenzel of Mulliken spent several days last week with his brother, Dan Stenzel, and family.

Mr and Mrs Edward Kraft were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs Faye Walker at Sunfield.

Mr and Mrs Emil Lilrose of Haslett called on the Spencer and Bancroft family Sunday.

Alfred Patterson is recovering from injuries received 10 days ago while getting some trees trimmed in his yard.

Helen Bromley of Charlotte spent several days last week with Mr and Mrs Arthur Harrington.

Mr and Mrs Edward Kraft spent Thursday evening in Grand Rapids with Nancy and Joan Kraft. Mr and Mrs Leland Wendel of Charlotte were also guests.

Mr and Mrs Robert Gowing and daughter are vacationing in the West.



ROBERTA PHILLIPS

Miss Phillips to graduate at Illinois college

Miss Roberta Phillips, daughter of Mr and Mrs Rex D. Phillips of R-5, St. Johns, will receive a bachelor of arts degree in elementary education at Olivet Nazarene College, Kankakee, Ill.

Miss Phillips has been active in campus activities during her four years at college. During her freshman year she was in the Sociology Club, Education Assn. and Missionary Band, and during her sophomore year she participated in the latter two activities. She also was on an accelerated program to complete four years of college in three by attending summer school two summers at Michigan State University.

Olivet Nazarene College is one of seven colleges sponsored by the Church of the Nazarene. It has an approximate enrollment of 1,400 students and is a fully accredited liberal arts college.

Eureka

Mrs Gordon Waggoner

The Eureka Congregational Christian Church sermon topic, "Be Careful For Nothing," was given by the Dr Harold Watson. Miss Storm Beebe sang a solo, accompanied by Mrs Gower.

Gifts were presented by Wendell Waggoner to the graduates of the church during the Worship Hour. These graduates were honored: (high school) Jean Lewis, Gloria Little, Linda Libey, Judy Larsen, Roger Hankey, Ralph Kridner, Wesley Simmons and Tom VanEtten; (eighth grade); Carol Bishop, Kay Clark, Marlene Snyder, Shirley Pettigrew, Bill Blank, John Dush, Jack Larsen and Larry Burtovoy.

By letter transfer, Mr and Mrs Robert Kridner and family, Ralph, Patricia and Kenneth, were received into the church by Dr Harold Watson.

The Campbells of Africa will be at the church this Sunday and will have the two-hour services in which they will tell about their missionary work there.

The Women's Fellowship of the Eureka Congregational Christian Church met with Mrs Ross Henry at an evening meeting. Mrs John Halas was specially honored and was presented with a corsage by the ladies of the fellowship. Both Mr and Mrs Halas will be missed as they are two of the most faithful members of the church.

God Bless them both as they leave for their new home in Florida.

Lee Sherman of Detroit called on Mr and Mrs Orrin Blank Sunday afternoon. He was attending the reunion at the Elsie school.

A great many from the community attended the all-school reunion at Elsie Sunday, where a buffet dinner was served to nearly 500 people. A business meeting was held and roses were presented to the oldest graduates there. Mrs Mae Goodrich was the teacher there who had taught the most years at Elsie. Many former teachers were present for the reunion day.

Ray Stephens, who has been a patient at Clinton Memorial recently and then visiting in Florida, has now rented an apartment in St. Johns. He recently sold his farm on the corner of Hyde and Williams roads here to Mr and Mrs Ron Hardenburg.

Mr and Mrs Sheldon Beebe are living in the former EUB parsonage. They were married on May 29 at an evening wedding at the County Line Church.

Mrs Mable Weilling from Lansing spent most of last week here with Mr and Mrs Frank Russ, also visiting other friends in the community.

Miss Mary Gower returned home Monday for the summer months from her study at Ferris College at Big Rapids. James Webster is also home from the same college for the summer months.

Misses Sherry and Crystal Wood are visiting this week and also attending the week's Bible School at the Eureka Congrega-

1,200 at Elsie see 80 graduate

ELSIE— About 1,200 people or more attended graduation exercises at Elsie High School last Thursday. They saw 80 students receive diplomas, making it the largest class in the history of the school.

Forty-two boys and 38 girls were in the class. One of the boys, James Rivest, was unable to be present to receive his diploma because of illness. Due to the excitement of the occasion, the presentation of Jim's diploma was overlooked at graduation.

"WE ARE SORRY this happened," said Principal Ralph Stull, Asst. Principal Blaine Lentz and class Advisor Keith Sheldon. Jim is in Clinton Memorial Hospital. Dr Stephen Dunning of the English Department of the University of Michigan, was the commencement speaker, and his topic was "Writing Your Signature on Life."

DR DUNNING is not only a classroom teacher but has written many articles for such magazines as the English Journal and the High School Journal. His writings have fallen into three classifications: classroom materials, teaching methods and techniques, and creative writing.

Ellsworth Cook, a trustee of the board of education, presented diplomas to the graduates on behalf of the board. Invocation for the Commencement exercises was by the Rev Ralph Woodard, and Rev Walter Easton gave the benediction.



JEANETTE HUHN

Planning an Aug. 14 wedding are Miss Jeanette Huhn and Marvin Spitzley, as announced by the parents of the bride-elect, Mr and Mrs Raymond Huhn of Pewamo. Mr and Mrs Leon Spitzley of Westphalia are the parents of the prospective bridegroom. Miss Huhn is employed by Michigan National Bank in Lansing and her fiancé is employed by Oldsmobile.

South Watertown

By Mrs Bruce Hodges

The Starr Aid Society will meet with Mrs Ray Stone on Thursday, June 17, for a 9:30 a.m. breakfast with Mrs Helen Dayton as chairman. There will be an election of officers.

Mr and Mrs Harold Patrick and Mr and Mrs Bill Berryhill and family spent the weekend at Saubee Lake.

Mr and Mrs Glenn Oliver called on Mr and Mrs Robert Carpenter of Lansing on Monday.

Mrs Bess Pearson and Marian were Friday supper guests of Mr and Mrs Paul Wood of Lansing.

Miss Carolyn Garlock, on vacation from nurses training at Bronson Hospital in Kalamazoo, is spending two weeks with her parents, the Leon Garlocks.

Mr and Mrs I. P. Spillette of Dimondale called on Mr and Mrs Myron Humphrey on Wednesday.

Mrs Inez Fairbanks of Lansing spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Glenn Oliver.

Mrs Bess Pearson and Marian were guests of Mr and Mrs Gordon Glass of Mount Pleasant on Saturday.

Weekend callers of Mr and Mrs Leon Garlock were Miss Ruth Ann Gregersen and Mrs Watie Garlock of Grand Ledge.

tional Christian Church with their cousins, Gloria and Linda Waggoner.

Mrs James Graham and Mrs Gordon Waggoner attended a tea at the Otto school in Lansing last Thursday afternoon honoring the retirement of Mrs Bernie Collins, who has been in the Girl Scout Council for more than 30 years.

Mr and Mrs Pat Owensby and three sons, Jeff, Jerry and Terry of Georgia, are here visiting her folks, Mr and Mrs Orrin Blank.



GARY L. WORRALL

Worrall to get Michigan Tech degree Saturday

Gary L. Worrall of St. Johns will be among the 468 candidates for 474 degrees to be conferred at Houghton Saturday at Michigan Technological University's 78th June Commencement.

Commencement speaker will be Dr John H. Hollomon of the US Department of Commerce, assistant secretary of commerce for science and technology.

WORRALL, son of Mr and Mrs Richard Worrall, 801 N. Clinton, is a candidate for a bachelor of science degree in electrical engineering. At Tech, he was a member of the band, the Lutheran Student Assn., Tri-Beta Music fraternity, the Air Force ROTC Drill Team and the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers.

He will be employed by Bethlehem Steel Corp.

DeWitt

Mrs Leo Hanson Telephone 669-9384

Rhine Hennings honored guests

DeWITT—Over 200 persons attended the Sunday open house honoring Mr and Mrs Rhine Henning on their 50th wedding anniversary.

Bertha Magsig was united in marriage to Rhine Henning on June 9, 1915, in DeWitt. Their attendants were Velma Garlock and Victor Henning. Rev T. H. Wright was the minister. Mr and Mrs Henning still reside on the same farm that they came to as newly-weds.

Mrs Henning received guests Sunday in a blue lace two-piece dress and she wore a corsage of yellow roses. Her husband had a yellow boutonniere.

The cake was served by Mrs Don Foster of East Lansing and Mrs Lawrence Wakefield of Lansing.

The event was hosted by the Henning's children, Mr and Mrs Michael Yachtman and family of Lincoln Park, Mr and Mrs Richard Henning and family of Lansing and Mr and Mrs Don Martimucci and family of DeWitt.

Guests were present from St. Johns, Owosso, Pullman, Detroit, Lincoln Park, Stockbridge, Wayland, Pontiac, East Lansing, Lansing and the DeWitt area.

Past Matrons hold memorial ceremony

DeWITT—The Past Matrons of DeWitt of OES presented a memorial ceremony Friday evening in memory of Vedah Halterman, Nora Hitchcock, Warren Cater, Fred Tucker and Glenn Balduf.

The OES will recess for the months of July and August. June and July birthdays were honored with Mrs John McCrum drawing the cake.

DeWitt Grange will meet Friday, June 11, at 8:30 p.m. at the DeWitt Memorial Building. The program theme will be "Flag Day." Members have been asked to bring table service and either sandwiches, cake or gelatin dessert for lunch which will follow the meeting.

Allan Nickels of Chicago spent the weekend with his parents.

Mr and Mrs John Wardell hosted a graduation reception for their son, Wendell, on Sunday.

Mr and Mrs David Graves and family are visiting the New York World's Fair and the East Coast.

Rev and Mrs Daniel Kellin will leave Wednesday for a two-weeks vacation to Cape Cod, Mass.

Caroline Malenfort and Dolores Miller graduate this week from St. Mary's Academy in Monroe.

The DeWitt Past Matrons will meet Friday with Mrs Leonard Wellington for luncheon.

The DeWitt Jobs' Daughters will initiate three girls Thursday at 7 p.m. They will hold an open installation of officers on Saturday, June 12, at 7:30 p.m.

700 attend last all-school reunion at Elsie Sunday

ELSIE— The Ivy-covered walls of old Elsie High School echoed with voices from the past as 700 former students, teachers and their families returned for the final all-school reunion Sunday.

It was the last such assemblage, as the next one in 1970 will find Elsie and Ovid merged and located in the new Ovid-Elsie Area High School soon to be erected midway between the two towns.

Many people arrived in the morning to wander leisurely through the old part of the high school that will be torn down to make way for progress. They spent much time poring over scrapbooks, year books, graduation and class pictures, letters from former students and other items reminiscent of earlier days.

DINNER, served buffet style and catered by Mr and Mrs James Hurst of the J & M Restaurant, was enjoyed by 448 people. Members of the Junior and Senior classes served in the dining room and also as guides to various classrooms.

A brief business meeting and program followed in the gymnasium. President Raymond Thornton (1934) presided with secretary - treasurer Elizabeth Cobb Hess (1938) giving reports of her office.

Thornton expressed appreciation for the fine cooperation shown by the many committees and also the American Legion Post for the additional tables and dishes.

HAZEL HUFFMAN Blayney (1910) gave the school history, opening with the following quote from an article by the late Leon Tyler, the last member of the first graduating class, as written for the 1910 Sulphite Yearbook: "IN 1885, T. P. Storey, for sometime the genial schoolmaster in Elsie, emigrated to Ster-

ling, Colo. His place was taken by a young graduate of the Michigan Agricultural College, Truman L. Parker.

"Filled with zeal born of high ideals, Mr Parker set himself the task of giving the village schools an enriched curriculum leading to a goal. This course of study with graduation in view was a somewhat novel idea in those days, but Mr Parker's Scotch-granite determination was infectious and soon nine candidates were delving away with might and main in the mines of knowledge.

"As two years of high school work had already been covered under the old plan, a Junior class was organized. Two years more passed quickly by and when the first Commencement Day arrived, June 3, 1887, a program was presented to an appreciative audience with Leon Tyler as saluatorian and Hattie Tillotson Maynard as valedictorian."

MR TYLER, who died last summer at the age of 95, was buried in Niles, where he had lived for many years. Tyler Drive that passes the Knight Elementary School in Elsie was named in his honor. Jerry Tyler Student Center at Alma College and Tyler Hall at Earlham College in Indiana were given by Dr and Mrs Tyler.

Mrs Blayney said that Maude McComber Fyler (1891), 91 years of age, Syracuse, N. Y., Maude Morse Skinner (1894) residing at the Clark Memorial Home in Grand Rapids, and Edith Rummell Pearce (1895), Jacksonville, Fla., were unable to be present.

Lena Jarvis Carter (1897), the last surviving member of her class and her sister, Minnie VanDeusen (1899), were the two oldest graduates present for Sunday's reunion. Mrs Fannie Emmons of the Ovid Nursing Home was the oldest student present.

MRS BLAYNEY went on to give news of the older graduates, students and teachers that was received in letters from others unable to attend. She pointed out that the smallest class was 1900 with only one graduate, Clarence Carter, while the largest class was this year with 80 members.

She also mentioned that R. C. Woodard (1902) could probably count the greatest number of descendants in the Elsie Schools. There were all of his ten children and four grandchildren who graduated and nine who have or are attending here.

Mrs Blayney named those present from the class of 1915 who were given special 50-year recognition. They were Juanita Sebring Watson, Elizabeth Porter Deal, C. H. Green, W. S. Lusk, Ruth Steadman Lusk, George Libey, Eva Curis Libey, Mozell Sowersby Nolan, Park Watson, Vera Williams Slater and Martin VanDeusen.

ALSO MENTIONED were Dr B. L. Bates, Ovid; and Miss Lula Knight, 1901; Elsie Crell Fizzell, Willard Peterson of Alma and R. C. Woodard, 1902; and Earl Chamberlain of Lansing and Alton Fizzell, 1903.

These seven people and Mrs C. S. (Mae) Goodrich, who taught in the Elsie Schools 25 years and also Mrs Carter, Mrs VanDeusen and Mrs Emmons were presented rose corsages by Eleanor Emmons Thornton (1933) on behalf of the Reunion Assn.

Among the teachers from out-of-town were: Wilma Green Cole, Litchfield; Gertrude Heinze Bennett, St. Johns; Beverly Milner, Freeland; Wilda Dodge Engbretson, Janesville, Wis.; Margaret Clark Day, Parma; C. K. Richards, Linden; and Harold Benge, Lansing.

A TENT was set up by Kelley Carter at the entrance of the school to call attention to the new Elsie Public Library and its

needs. Friends of the Library and library board trustees were present to explain the plans and "brick sales". A large exhibit of pictures featuring athletic teams attracted much attention also.

Frank Bernath announced that the Band Boosters are now taking orders for a record recently taped by the EHS Band. This record is a memorial to the late Carl R. Tethal, a member of the band, and includes the "C. R. T. March" composed and directed by John W. Beery and also several selections played by the band at music festivals.

Art Davis related plans to mount the old EHS bell, which was cast in 1870, along with the keystone that is now over the front door arch and an appropriate name plate as a permanent memorial to the school. A collection was taken that drew the necessary \$150 to erect the memorial.

MRS RUSSELL Libey gave instructions for finding the various class meetings and distributed schedules. Information sheets were completed by the various graduates as to address, education after high school, family and work or profession. These will be placed on file for future use.

Leonard Tillotson, nominating committee chairman, announced the following slate of officers which was accepted: president, Merle Baese; secretary-treasurer, Mary Thornton Libey; Elizabeth Cobb Hess, historian; and Versil Baese, nominating committee chairman. They also voted to hold the next reunion in 1970 at the new Ovid-Elsie Area High School.

Out-of-state guests were: Lena Batchelor Henry of Fort Lauderdale, Fla.; Fern Caswell Lincoln, Bradenton, Fla.; Mozelle Sowersby Nolan, Escondido, Calif.; Jean Fitch Ham, Millbrook, N. Y.; Carlita Cox Reed, Greensburg, Pa.; Irene Mole Krapal, Deerfield, Wis.; Wilda Dodge Engbretson, Janesville, Wis.; Esther Miller Halner, Columbus, Ohio; and George Lusk, Portland, Tex.

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Next water bills to be 'electronic'

St. Johns will "go modern" with its next water billing. Electronic data processing will be used for the first time for the April - May - June quarter. Readings for water use during that three months will be made in July and the bills sent out in August.

The city has shifted its water billing to data processing because of the savings in time and labor.

"WITH THE large number of water users we have now, we just can't afford to sit down and hand-scratch every single water bill," City Manager Ken Greer said. "It's really your money we use in doing it this old way. We're planning to switch because it's a pure labor and time saver and in the long run it will mean better service."

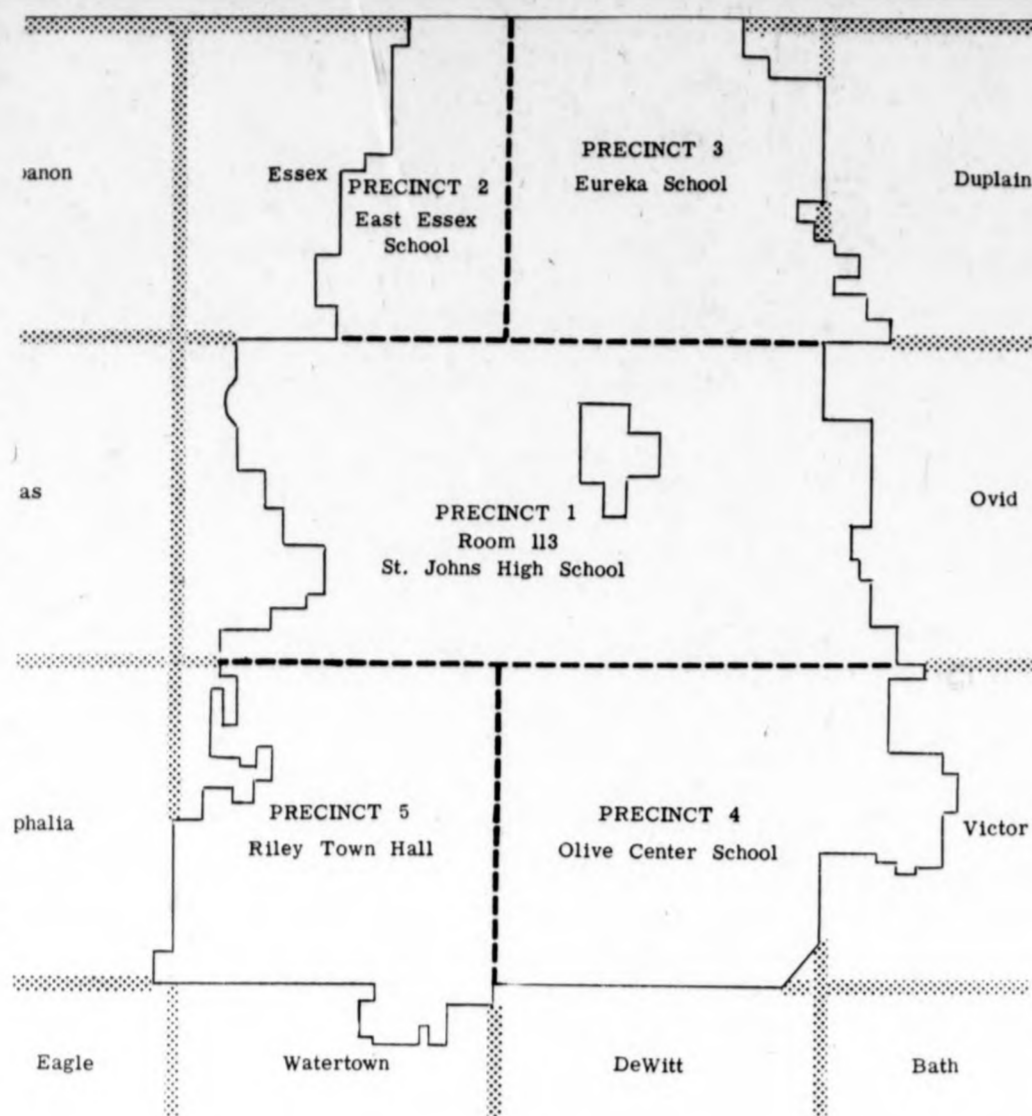
Greer pointed out that errors undoubtedly will be made in the first few water billings by the data process method until the "bugs and kinks" can be worked out. But he said residents who note errors should call it to the attention of the city and the errors will be corrected.

"We're not here to cheat anyone," he said.

"BUT DATA processing is a cold, mathematical process, and there's no human element to it. It's going to prescribe things which we have no choice but to follow, such as the due date for payment of the bills."

According to city law, water bills must be paid within 20 days of the billing date. After that a 10 per cent late charge is added to the bill.

The data processing will be done by a Lansing firm.



New St. Johns School Voting Precincts

Map shows the boundaries of the five voting precincts established by the St. Johns Board of Education for use in school elections. They will be in effect for Monday's election. Precinct 2 also includes that part of the former East Essex district in Fulton Township of Gratiot County. Precinct 3 also includes parts of the old East Essex and Union Home districts in Washington Township and parts of the Page district in Washington and Elba Townships of Gratiot. (Additional school election story on Page 1-A.)

Shelter survey being conducted

A pilot survey to determine how much fallout shelter space is available in smaller buildings — including multi-family dwellings, small commercial and industrial buildings — in Clinton, Ingham and Eaton counties is now being conducted.

The engineering firm of Davenport Associates of Grand Rapids is doing the work at the direction of the US Army Corps of Engineers, Detroit District.

SURVEYED WILL be buildings that did not qualify under the original National Fallout Shelter Survey because they did not contain enough spaces. New buildings that have been constructed since the earlier survey will also be checked out.

Additional survey items to be considered in qualified buildings are the amount of usable food and water in each and the adequacy of existing sewers. This will determine the amount of supplementary shelter supplies needed and storage space requirements.

WORK ON the survey is currently in progress and will be concluded within the next four months. Further information on the survey can be obtained from Clinton County Civil Defense Director Charles Frost.

Peace Corps tests slated for Saturday

Peace Corps placement tests will be administered at 9 a.m. Saturday at the following locations in Central Michigan: federal building or post office in Flint, Grand Rapids, Lansing and Saginaw. The placement tests measure general aptitude and the ability to learn a language. Peace Corp applications must be filled out and brought to the exam.

Name 3 more area juniors to Girls' State next week



LINDA CUNNINGHAM

HUBBARDSTON— Linda Cunningham, Sherry Martin, and Sharon Tait have been selected as representatives to Girls' State by the Hubbardston American Legion Auxiliary.

For the 25th consecutive year, Wolverine Girls' State will be held at the University of Michigan on June 15-22. The primary object of Girls' State is the knowledge it brings of the fundamental principles of American government through actual practice and control.



SHERRY MARTIN

speech pathology and audiology.

SHARON, daughter of Mr and Mrs Virgil Tait of Hubbardston, is a student at Carson City Community Schools. She has been active in 4-H for seven years, a junior leader for two years, sophomore vice president, in the choir two years, and last year she was page editor of the school paper. She also participated in the junior class play.



SHARON TAIT

Sharon and Linda are former students of St. John the Baptist School in Hubbardston. Sherry formerly attended Carson City High School.

THE HUBBARDSTON girls join several others from around Clinton County, whose selections were announced earlier. They include Linda Bled and Cathy Matthews of St. Johns, and Nancy Thornton and Sharyn Moore of Elsie.

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Summer's arrival due June 21

Summer will arrive in Michigan officially at 9:56 a.m. Monday, June 21.

University of Michigan astronomer Dr Hazel M. Losh reminds us that the sun has been steadily climbing northward, and on June 21 will reach the summer solstice, 23.5 degrees from the equator, the most northerly point reached by the sun in its apparent yearly journey.

ON THAT DAY the northern hemisphere will receive the most heat from the Sun in any 24-hour period of the year, but the chances are very good that this day of the summer solstice, the longest day of the year, will not be the hottest of the summer.

There will be more than 15 hours of daylight of that day, Professor Losh says, but the peak of the season usually comes from four to six weeks later, because the Earth receives more heat from the sun than is lost each day.

THE EARTH will be storing up more heat than it is losing because the atmosphere acts like a blanket holding back some of the heat falling on the surface. Consequently temperatures are likely to keep climbing until around the first of August, when the Earth will begin to lose more heat than it is taking in. This is known as the "lag of the seasons."

Fortunately we are farthest from the sun during our summer and nearest it during the winter, so that our seasons in the north tend to be a little milder than those of the southern half of the globe, she explains.

ALSO SINCE the Earth is moving a little slower in its orbit around the sun during our summer, this season is slightly longer than our winter. This is known as the "inequality of the seasons," and is said to have been detected by Thales as early as the 6th century B.C. Since we have a longer day, we have a shorter night.

Boys' State to open Wednesday

Wolverine Boys' State, conducted on the Michigan State University campus by the American Legion Department of Michigan, will be held June 16-25, with at least 11 county boys attending. Bob Barber, Jim Leonard, Cayle Beagle and Ted Rahl will be going from St. Johns, and Elsie will be represented by Joe Guysky, Jerry Bernath, Randy Daley, Dennis Baese, Kenneth Speri, Ronald Darling and Tom Bakita.



Out of the Past — A Mystery

Mrs Carl Boak of 106 S. Lansing shows a 96-year-old tombstone unearthed from under the foundation of an old garage at the rear of the Boak property May 29. Why the stone was placed in the foundation is not known; there is no evidence of a grave there. Mrs Boak said she and her husband will attempt to find out more about it. The tombstone was made for "Marilla H., wife of Stebins G. Bliss, who passed to spirit life Dec. 26, 1868, aged 44 years 2 mo."

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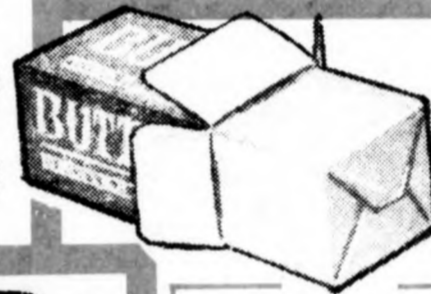
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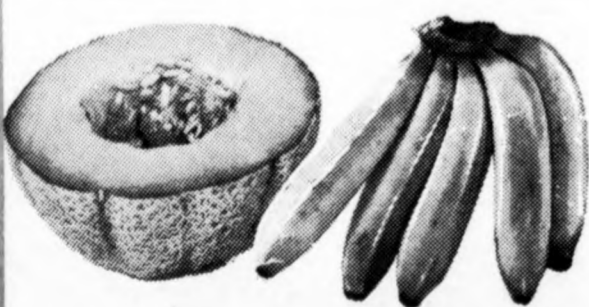


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Elsie

By MRS. NEVA KEYS, Correspondent

EHS "Roundup" held by grads

ELSIE— The 1965 Roundup for Elsie High School seniors featured a class night program Tuesday evening, June 1, in the gymnasium.

Mountain scenes, tall cactus and bales of hay surrounded an improvised campfire formed the stage setting. Several Western songs by the graduates provided musical interludes during the evening.

The young people who participated in the Roundup were seated

on the hay. Jim Temple served as master of ceremonies.

The past of the graduating class was presented by Mary Brady, Ellen Loynes, Sonja Goscinski, Marsha Smith, Dee Washburn and Betty Prikasky and the future was prophesied by Pat Bellinger, Betty Lydle, Pat Dennis, Robert Ladiski, Mike Hinkley and Carl Moore.

Penny Sturgis and Marsha Smith composed a class poem which was read by the former and giffatory was featured by Maureen Peck, Carol Price, Janice Levey, Michael Slagh and Jack Loynes.

The class will, which bequeathed the talents and characteristics of the seniors to the underclassmen was read by Terry Seybert, Kerry Reed, Gary Bashore and Ross Carter.

Jennifer Keys, member of the junior class, played the Triumphal March from Verdi's Aida for both the processional and recessional.

Gerald Stambersky has entered the Clinton Memorial Hospital in St. Johns for treatment and observation. He expects to be there 10 days.

Donald Adair returned home Tuesday from the Clinton Memorial Hospital where he underwent surgery.



East Essex School Graduates 9 Eighth Graders

East Essex School held its eighth grade graduation exercises May 18 at the Lowe Church, with these nine students receiving diplomas and promotion to high school freshmen. Left to right are JoEllen Slepr, Karen Stockwell, Colleen Leema, Connie Bellinger, Barbara Ward, Penny Foland, Darwin Powers, Kenneth Eldridge and Robert Schmid. Teacher is Mrs Reva Ward. Rev Calvin Carey of the Lowe Church was speaker, and diplomas were presented by Donald Findley.

Recommended changes in zoning plan studied

Legal recommendations for changes in the proposed new St. Johns zoning ordinance were referred back to the City Planning Commission last week by the city commission.

City Atty. Harold Reed presented the commission with his opinions of the ordinance. Commissioners suggested that the changes be returned to the planning commission, the authors of the proposed ordinance, for their study and final recommendation to the commission for approval and adoption.

NO TIME limit was set by the commission.

In other miscellaneous business conducted last Tuesday:

—The commission authorized the placement of a new street light in the 300 block North Morton Street following receipt of a request for a light from Alex Lucif of 308 N. Morton Street.

—CITY MANAGER Ken Greer reported that under a new high-way maintenance contract with the state, St. Johns will no longer be responsible for care of US-27 and M-21 within the city limits, with the exception of maintaining crosswalks, traffic lights, sweeping, catch basin cleaning and snow removal at the head of Clinton Avenue and at the US-27, M-21 intersection. All other maintenance of those routes through the city will be the County Road Commission, Greer said.

—A public hearing on the necessity of water main installation in the 800 and 900 blocks of West McConnell Street was set for next Tuesday, June 15, at 7:30 p.m. If

the installation is then approved, an assessment hearing would be held later. The commission pointed out, however, that the work of installing the main would probably not be done until next spring or summer because of the lateness in receiving the request. The request for the main was made by Robert Leonard.

—A NEW SURFACING for the center two tennis courts at the city park was approved by the commission. The asphalt surface is to be of a material designed specifically for tennis courts. Resurfacing of the outside two tennis courts was delayed by the commission, in that the city budget does not provide enough funds this year for the whole job to be done.

—No new mat for the ice skating pond is needed this year, City Manager Ken Greer told the commission, with last year's seal coat still holding up fine. He received permission of the commission to proceed with a plan for a spray sprinkler from a center post on the pond, which he said he felt would increase skating time next winter by up to 15 days at little cost.

—A HEARING regarding water mains in the 100 and 200 blocks of Oak Street, 100 and 200 blocks of Steel Street, 100 block North Scott Road and 1000 block East State Street also is scheduled for Tuesday night at 7:30. Each of the blocks in the project is needed either to replace a bad galvanized line or to eliminate an existing dead end line, Manager Greer said.

—Two ordinances received first reading at the meeting. One, No. 183, repeals Ordinances No. 1 and No. 82, which govern

the hours of operation of pool halls in St. Johns. The other ordinance, No. 184, concerns licensing of dance halls, exclusive of taverns, schools or private dancing places. The ordinance grew out of a number of arrests recently of people using the dance hall in the old bus depot.

BOTH ORDINANCES will receive second reading and will probably be passed next Tuesday night.

—Commissioner Rex Sirrine publicly thanked Police Chief Everett Glazier and the members of his police force for the "fine work" they did with traffic control during the Memorial Day parade.

Society prints history guide

The Historical Society of Michigan has published a guide to museums and historic sites devoted to Michigan's history. Called a "Journey Into The Past," the 16-page booklet lists nearly 100 museums and sites located in 55 counties in Michigan.

The guide gives a variety of information to the traveling public. It lists the location of each museum and site, special directions, hours opened to the public, admission fees and a brief description of what can be seen.

THE GUIDE is for sale at 25 cents a copy, including mailing, by writing the Historical Society of Michigan, Civic Center, Lansing.

The Historical Society of Michigan is a non-profit membership organization devoted to the dissemination of Michigan's history.

North Bengal

By Mrs Wm. Ernst

Mrs Louis Moritz and daughters, Kathy and Ann, are spending a few weeks in Tucson, Ariz. with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr and Mrs Fred Witt and son, Robert. Accompanying them were Mrs Moritz's and Mrs Witt's parents, Mr and Mrs Clarence Damon of St. Johns. Mr and Mrs William Ernst and

Maxine were Friday evening visitors of Mr and Mrs Edmund Falk.

Mr and Mrs Robert Eldridge, Mr and Mrs Rudolph Tiedt and Mr and Mrs Edwin Tiedt attended the Mohnke-Hart wedding held at Riley Lutheran Church on Saturday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs William Ernst and Maxine visited Mrs William Lemmen and Miss Gwendolyn Ernst of rural Ionia on Sunday evening.

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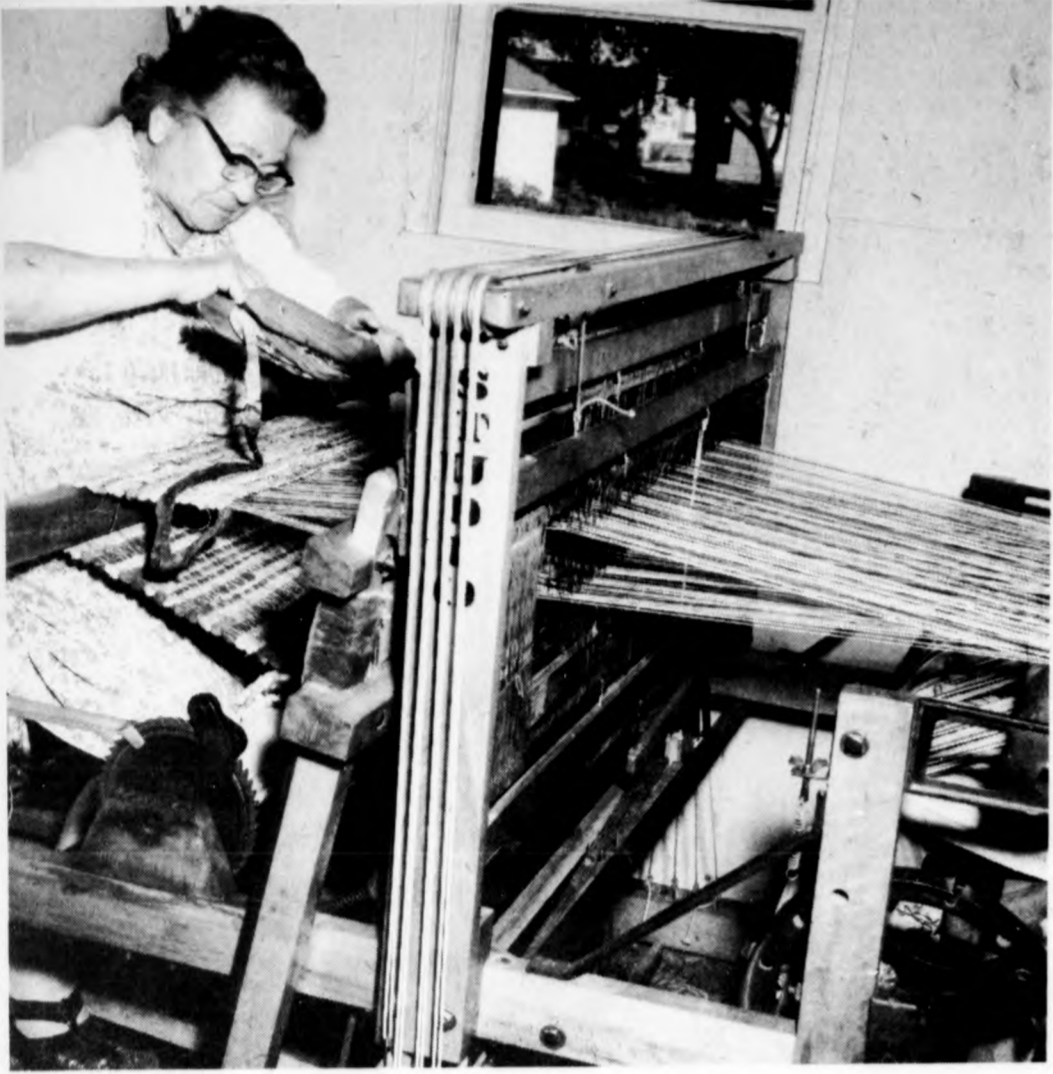
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Fowler woman is expert in the arts of weaving

BY PATRICIA HOLMES

When Mrs. John Schafer of 431 North Main Street in Fowler finds herself in need of a throw rug, she sits down at her loom and weaves one.

Mrs. Schafer, who learned to weave in her native land of Germany, also weaves rugs for relatives, friends and interested purchasers.

As a girl of 14, Mrs. Schafer went to work in the silk mills of Germany, making dresses. She became so accomplished at her craft that when she moved from Germany to Iowa in 1912, she sought out American silk mills where she could continue with her work.

SHE FOUND such mills in Belding and in Paterson, N. J., and continued to work and learn the trade which she knew quite well by then.

It was not until 10 years after she moved to Fowler, in 1944, that she purchased a Lima, Ohio loom and began weaving rugs. The early experience in the silk mills gave Mrs. Schafer an unquenchable knowledge about the weaving business from the production of the thread, or warp which is

the material Mrs. Schafer uses, to the intricacies of the weaving process.

She can tie a break in the thread so clean that her knot could pass through the eye of a needle. It takes her about 2 hours to complete a yard and a half long rug.

MOST OF her rugs are made by a process where rags which have been sewed together, are interwoven with the warp, individual threads. They are pulled together so tight that the end product is completely solid.

Mrs. Schafer must purchase her warp and, because of a rise in labor costs and materials, she said, has watched the price rise steadily since she started weaving the rugs 20 years ago.

A variety of materials are used for the rugs and they are obtained in a variety of ways.

If a party employs Mrs. Schafer to make a rug specifically for them, then they supply the rags, shredded into strips and sewed together. Sometimes she must obtain her own rags and then she uses good cloth from old dresses, shirts, curtains and anything she can get her hands on. When she

does this, the rugs come out variegated.

FOR A SOLID throw rug, all the rags she uses must be of a solid color. On her loom she can also make wool rugs and throw rugs for carpeting out of upholstery material which she obtains from Grand Rapids.

"Even though my rugs are sold commercially," she said, maintaining a heavy German accent, "the profit is negligible and I do it mostly for my own pleasure."

A member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church and of the Daughters of Isabella, Mrs. Schafer has one daughter, Mrs. Clarence Dolphin of Ionia, three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

DeWhittlers TOPS plan July picnic

Members of the DeWhittlers TOPS Club set the date for a picnic as July 25 at their end of the month meeting in May.

May Marek was crowned queen of the month with a weight loss of 15 pounds and at the end of the meeting opened gifts which were given to her by the other members.

QUEEN OF THE WEEK was Sally Foland and group queens were May Marek and Jean Yanz. There was a total of 21 pounds lost among the seven members present and 4 1/2 pounds gained.

It was decided not to have a meeting the second Thursday of June, July and August. Meetings during the summer months will be held in the DeWitt Memorial Building instead of the high school.

Past Noble Grands set picnic at lake

Sixteen Past Noble Grands met at the home of Mrs. Fred Fleischer on Wednesday evening, June 2, with Mrs. Florence Wickham as co-hostess.

After the business meeting, conducted by the president, Mrs. Pauline Burk, the program was turned over to Mrs. Ed Sonier, who was the auctioneer at a White Elephant sale.

REFRESHMENTS were served by the hostesses.

The July meeting will be a picnic at Bass Lake with Mrs. Sonier as hostess.

Church service asks for usable clothing

Good usable clothing for the needy overseas is being collected by the Church World Service.

Donations are being accepted in the basement of the First Methodist Church until June 26 and, due to shipping costs, the Service is asking for an 8 cent donation with each pound of clothing.

Mrs. Charles Klaver host to Brown Bees

The Brown Bee Extension Study Group met at the home of Mrs. Charles Klaver and Mrs. Victor Voltz as co-hostess. Fifteen members answered the roll call with "Why I think a vacation is necessary."

Mrs. Martin Ohn gave the council report and Mrs. Laureta Bauerle and Mrs. Lucille Frees showed slides on Far Eastern habits.

Mrs. Florence Magsig had charge of recreation.

On Tuesday, June 29, the group will meet for an "Eat Out."

Michigan produced last year more than three-fourths of a million hundredweight of cabbage worth \$2,169,000. It stands ninth in production of this crop among the states.

CLINTON COUNTY NEWS PAGE for Women AND MEN, TOO

Picnic foods perish without proper care

BY BETTY KETCHAM
County Extension Agent
Home Economics

PICKLED EGGS—SOUTHERN STYLE

- 15 to 18 hard-cooked eggs
- 3 c. white vinegar
- 1 c. water
- 1 tsp. salt
- pickling spices if desired (Avoid using mustard as a spice—it will discolor eggs.)

Carefully shell eggs. Place in hot sterilized jars and cover with boiling pickle liquid. Seal immediately. Eggs may be eaten within 3 to 4 days, but don't hold them longer than a week. No refrigeration required.

PICKLED EGGS—PENNSYLVANIA DUTCH STYLE

Place whole, peeled hard-cooked eggs in a glass jar. Cover with a mixture of equal parts beet juice and vinegar. Add a little chopped onion and a few whole cloves. Cover the container and hold under refrigeration 3 or 4 days before using.

To deodorize jars

To deodorize bottles and jars, use a strong solution of dry mustard and water.

Soak raw potatoes

To remove flower bowl rings, fill with water and soak raw potatoes in it.

Warm weather is good for picnics—but not right for some types of picnic foods.

Many picnic foods are perishable and must be kept cool until time to eat. The best rule to follow for picnic fun is to keep hot foods hot and cold foods cold. Insulated or thermos containers help keep foods at the desired temperatures. But be sure hot foods are boiling hot when packed in the containers. Cold foods should be thoroughly chilled before they are put in the thermos.

PICKLED eggs are a good substitute for deviled eggs and can be made easily at home.

Pickled eggs make excellent canapés. They are good in salads, at picnics or as a snack with crackers and cheese. These two recipes—one requiring refrigeration; the other without—come from the North Carolina Agricultural Experiment Station.

Glenn Lochers honored guests on anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Locher of 2151 West Locher Road in DeWitt were the honored guests of various affairs recently for their silver wedding anniversary.

On Wednesday, May 26, Mrs. Locher was a luncheon guest of Mrs. Harry Northrup of Loomis Road.

LATER THAT evening, the Arnold Blizzards honored Mr. and Mrs. Locher with a dinner at their home on Norris Road. Among the other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Magsig, Mr. and Mrs. Don Brainard, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Al Eggleston and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Schneberger, all of DeWitt, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mack of Carrollton, Ga.

Sunday, May 30, the Lochers were honored at a family dinner by their children, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Phinney and family, Dennis and Debbie Locher and Sally Cairns. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mack of Carrollton were also guests at the dinner.

Country Club scene of family potluck

Memorial Day at the Clinton County Country Club meant a family potluck and a day of golfing for 48 members and their families. Many persons were awarded prizes.

The weather kept Green Tee members off the golf course and away from their scheduled games on Wednesday, June 2, but bridge was played and prizes were won by Mrs. Lester Lake for first; Mrs. Joseph Ricker, second; Mrs. Basil Deibert, third; Mrs. Julius Becker, fourth; and Mrs. Oliver Montague, low.

The women were scheduled to play in the Claren on June 9 and in St. Johns, June 16.

Newlyweds honored at family luncheon

Mrs. Stanley Weir of 204 West State Street entertained 15 guests at a family dinner and evening luncheon in her home Sunday, honoring her son and his recent bride, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Weir of Inglewood, Calif.

This was Mrs. Weir's first visit with her son and daughter-in-law since she attended their wedding in Inglewood in February.

The couple arrived Friday, May 28, and returned to their home on Memorial Day.

Too many people look for the rainbow before the shower.

Fox-Schueller rites read in Westphalia



MRS. EUGENE SCHUELLER

St. Mary's Church in Westphalia was the scene of the marriage of Miss Laraine Fox, daughter of Mrs. Bertha Fox of Westphalia, and Eugene Schueller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Schueller of Pewamo. Rev. Aloysius Miller officiated at the double ring rite.

The bride, escorted to the altar by her brother, Roger Fox, wore a gown of nylon organza over taffeta, styled with a chapel train and a bouffant veil with headpiece of organza, lace appliques, crystal beads and seed pearls and carried a cascade bouquet of carnations and roses with ivy.

THE BRIDE'S sister-in-law, Mrs. Hope Fox, was matron of honor and bridesmaids were Miss Bernice Schueller, sister of the bridegroom, and Miss Joan Pung. They wore aqua sheaths of empire style and matching headpieces. The junior bridesmaid, Miss Karen Schueller, sister of the bridegroom, wore a gown similar to the other attendants and all carried cascade bouquets of pompon chrysanthemums. The flower girl, Miss Renate Rademacher, wore a gown styled with tiers of white lace and carried a basket of pompons.

Organist Joseph P. Martin played while his daughters sang

the nuptial Mass. Larry Schueller was his brother's best man. Groomsmen were LaVern Carr and Joseph Nurenberg. Seating the guests were Richard Schueller and David Witgen.

THE MOTHER of the bride wore a two-piece lace dress with blue accessories and the bridegroom's mother wore a dress of blue lace with beige accessories. Each wore a corsage of carnations and rosebuds.

A reception, attended by 400 persons, was held in St. Mary's Hall. Serving at the bride's table were Miss Mary Jane Nurenberg, Miss Helen Kowatch and Miss Gay Frees. Miss Monica Platte and Mrs. Hejen Carr cut the cake.

Following a honeymoon in northern Michigan, the newlyweds returned to Westphalia where they are making their home.

The new Mrs. Schueller is a 1963 graduate of Pewamo-Westphalia High School and her husband graduated from St. Mary's High School in 1960.



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MRS. HARRY SCRANTON

The president of the Lutheran Women's Missionary League of St. John's Church, Mrs. Harry Scranton, is the mother of two sons, Terry, 22, and Jon, 18, and is the full-time office cashier at J. C. Penney's. She is also a member of the Lutheran Ladies' Guild, sews, hunts and fishes. Her husband, an employe of Oldmobile, brought his wife and family to St. Johns from Toledo, Ohio, 20 years ago. They live at 705 West McConnell.

P-W math instructor to enter counseling

Phyllis D. Mayers of 500 South Clinton has been selected to attend the National Defense Counseling and Guidance Institute at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor.



PHYLLIS D. MAYERS

The Institute begins on Aug. 23 and lasts for 36 weeks. It was established to give prospective counselors training in all phases of counseling, tuition-free and offers a stipend of \$75 per week to all recipients.

THIRTY persons were selected to attend from all over the United States. Selection is based on academic records in previous college work and personal qualities which would insure group cooperation.

Upon completion of the Institute, Miss Mayers will receive her masters degree from the University of Michigan in the area of guidance. She received her BA degree from Albion College in 1964 and was a graduate of

Rodney B. Wilson High School in 1960.

The past year she taught mathematics at the Pewamo-Westphalia High School. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Fred Mayers of 1360 North Airport Road in St. Johns.

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Warn of itinerant salesmen

Because of complaints against some home improvement salesmen, the Michigan State Police are warning property owners to first check the background of such canvassers before letting any contracts.

Providing some information on method of operation was a Saginaw County case involving spray painters investigated by the state police.

IN THIS instance the painters contacted an elderly client and were contracted to sealcoat the house roof for \$100. The subjects then on two repeat visits advised the homeowner that the house had termites. Two treatments for these brought a charge of several thousand dollars.

The homeowner's eventual suspicion led to police investigation. The case was closed with restitution of the sums paid and charges of obtaining money under false pretenses were dropped.

TO THWART chances of being similarly victimized, property owners should check itinerant sales and service contractors through a better business bureau or chamber of commerce.

A check also may be made with local police, though it is pointed out that contractors engaging in questionable services may depart the area before complaints are made.

IN THE Saginaw County case, the subjects set up an answering service office with which they checked by telephone for new orders or work estimates, not bothering with complaint calls which included quality or durability of work.

Itinerant operators usually come to Michigan in late spring and depart for southern areas in the fall. Vehicles used may be late model trucks and cars, the trucks carrying no identification or an easily removable decal type. Services offered include roof and barn and house painting, water proofing, and spraying for termites.

SHOULD A warrant for their arrest in relation to their services be issued, the subjects on learning this may flee the state and leave equipment behind for others to bring, thus lessening chances of discovery and possible arrest in flight.

State police investigation indicated that questionable operators prefer elderly persons as clients, though they will do work for others. Elderly persons may be revisited on the pretext their property needs more work for which extra charges are made.

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REP. LESTER J. ALLEN
of Ithaca, 88th District

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For the first time, we have found a way to help the "poor" districts. There are two parts to the bill. The first section provides for a gross allowance of \$255 per pupil with 4.6 mills deductible. This part of the bill provides for enrichment of about \$28 million. The formula is the same used in prior years with the exception that we increased the per pupil allowance from \$236.50 to \$255 and increased the deductible millage from 4.25 to 4.6. For full participation, it is necessary that school districts levy 9 mills or over for operating costs.

THE SECOND section of the bill provides for additional state funds for all school districts with a per pupil valuation below the state average of about \$13,000. This additional allowance will go to districts which levy 9 mills or over for operations. The average per pupil cost for operations in our secondary schools in Michigan is \$380, the target figure for which we are aiming to provide in all districts.

Following are three examples for determining the total allowance per pupil in varying districts:

1. A DISTRICT with an equalized assessed valuation of \$13,000 behind each pupil would receive, under the new formula, \$195.20 per pupil—a gain of \$13.95 over last year's school aid bill. Since the district with \$13,000 per pupil is at the state average, it would receive no additional revenue under the second section of the bill.

2. A district with an equalized assessed valuation of \$10,000 behind each pupil will receive \$209 under the new formula. This is \$15 over last year's school aid bill. Since this district is below the state average, they will receive an additional amount of \$19.50, making a total allowance of \$228.50. This is a total gain of \$34.50 per pupil.

3. A SCHOOL district with \$7,000 equalized assessed valuation behind each pupil would secure, under the present school aid formula, \$222.80 per pupil, a gain of \$16.05 over last year's formula. In the second section of the bill, they would receive an additional \$41.78 per pupil, making a grand total of \$264.58 which amounts to a gain of \$57.83 per pupil.

In addition, this year the ceiling

was removed from the provisions for transportation and special education. Transportation appropriation was raised from \$15 million to \$21 million and special education was raised from \$14,500,000 to \$19 million. In both instances the state will be paying 75 per cent of the costs.

THIS IS BY far the most expensive school aid bill in Michigan's history. I have frequently been criticized for being too liberal in the matter of appropriations for secondary education; however, I believe the following reasons justify my position: I have always thought the state should pay a larger portion of the expenses of secondary education. Rural areas have subsidized urban areas for many years, mainly because our better students leave the rural areas to settle in urban areas where they can find more opportunities. These students create large amounts of taxable wealth which benefits the urban community in which they have chosen to live. Local property taxes are already too high and rural areas are paying too large a share of the costs of education. The additional money, under the new school aid formula, should provide some relief from local property taxes.

Further, I believe this bill will go a long way toward solving some of our problems in the fields of welfare, unemployment and civil rights.

THERE IS ONE bad flaw in connection with the new school aid bill. There is no method yet provided for raising the additional needed revenue to finance it, and, under the new constitution, running the state at a deficit is prohibited.

The surplus in the general fund, so painstakingly built up during Governor Romney's tenure in office, is practically exhausted. Legislators are reluctant to pass legislation for raising revenue as long as there is any surplus whatever, somewhat under the theory "You don't drill another well when you're flooded with water." (Of course, the general fund hasn't been exactly "flooded" with funds).

IT IS extremely difficult for a legislature to withstand all the pressures to spend any surplus for a long period of time. Apparently, the only way to operate state government efficiently and with some degree of frugality is to stay in the "red."

Most of you are aware of the furor and the great hue and cry last week over a bill to raise legislative salaries. I feel this raise is entirely unwarranted and I voted against this preposterous proposal which squeaked through the House by the barest minimum of the necessary 56 votes. Fifty-one Democrats voted for the bill—aided and abetted by five incensed and disgusted Republicans lending their willing assistance to help them commit political harikari.

LARGER salaries do not necessarily mean better legislators. I came to Lansing nine years ago at a salary of \$4,000. I am sure we worked as long and diligently at that time as any legislature has since despite the difference in pay. Further, the quality of legislation passed was considerably higher and certainly more responsible to the taxpayers than anything I have seen approved this session.



Eighth Grade Graduating Class at Eureka School

Here are the members of the eighth grade graduation class of 1965 at Eureka School in Greenbush Township. Standing are Jack Larson, Larry Burtovoy, Mack Webster and John Dush. Seated are Lois Wenner and Kay Clark. The teacher is Mrs Fidelis Cameron of Eureka.

Farm Bureau women aid state projects

The Clinton County Farm Bureau Women's Committee met Tuesday, June 1, at 10:30 a.m. at the Farm Bureau office with 12 groups represented.

Officers for the county group, elected to take office in October, are: Mrs Dorothy Ward, chairman; Mrs Catherine Sehke, vice chairman; Mrs Harry Rosekrans, second vice chairman; and Mrs Raymond Mayers, secretary-treasurer.

MRS WARD reported that the Michigan Farm Bureau voted to help send a delegate from Michigan to the Associated Club Women of the World meeting in Dublin, Ireland in September. Fifty-nine other countries will send delegates. The ACWW will be invited to meet at Cobo Hall in Detroit in three years, their next scheduled meeting time.

A "Cooperative Cookbook," a project to promote Michigan agricultural products and put the name of the Farm Bureau before homemakers, is being edited by Mrs Jerold Topliff, vice chairman of the state committee and well-known for her own culinary abilities.

CLINTON County committee women will contribute six tested recipes using either wheat (flour) or meat (beef). The deadline is Aug. 15. Release date for the cookbook has been set for Oct. 1. The women were requested to bring samples of their recipes to the July 6 picnic meeting at the park. They will be notified as to which commodity should be used as the main ingredient.

Mrs Marilyn Knight reported on the county secretaries' meeting at Camp Kett in May where representatives of Blue Cross-Blue Shield spoke on the merit rating of Blue Cross.

MRS BERNICE Rice, citizenship chairman, told about the Share-a-Loaf idea, adapted by CROP for use in Michigan, sponsored by the Farm Bureau, extension groups and United Churches and being led by Mrs George Romney. Share-a-Loaf coin folders will be distributed by organized women's groups by

Space still open on fluoride plan

Parents who wish to have sodium fluoride treatments on the teeth of their children may still be able to get that done this summer. County Nurse Mrs Luella Canfield said a few more appointment times can be squeezed in in probably all the areas of the county.

The fluoride treatments are now being given at DeWitt through June 21 for children in the southern half of the county. The treatment center will move to Ovid from June 23 to July 7, to Fowler from July 9 to July 19, and to St. Johns from July 21 to Aug. 11.

The fluoride program is available to pre-schoolers, second, fifth and eighth graders and to special cases referred by the family dentist.

the first week of July, she said. They can be filled with 25 cents, the price of a loaf of bread and it is hoped that all will be full by Thanksgiving.

MRS LEWIS Babbitt, legislative chairman, reported that two students, one from Grand Ledge and one from DeWitt, would be sponsored by the group at a citizenship seminar at Camp Kett in July and presented with the book, "The Naked Communist."

Mrs Anna Simcox reported for the cancer committee.

The July 6 meeting will be held at 10:30 a.m. at the Farm Bureau office. It will be followed by a potluck at the park at which Mrs Lyle Fenner will demonstrate flower arranging.

Decisions due on purchase of land for park

Decisions are due today and tomorrow by the Conservation Commission on land matters affecting the proposed Sleepy Hollow State Park in Ovid and Victor Townships of Clinton County.

The commission is meeting at Gaylord. Scheduled for 9 a.m. tomorrow is formal action on a proposal of the Conservation Department to buy 190 acres at the newly dedicated park. Part of the lands lie within an impoundment site which the department plans to flood to create a 550-acre lake as the main feature of the park.

As approved by the Commission last month, about 2,700 acres will eventually be acquired in the Clinton County area where development work will be carried out.

Indiana Guard here Saturday

Some 60 National Guard vehicles containing members of the 151st Infantry Unit of the Indiana National Guard will use the St. Johns City Park overnight Saturday.

The Guard unit will be on its way to summer camp at Camp Grayling. The vehicles will arrive in convoy here about 6:30 p.m. Saturday and will use the part and 4-H grounds for parking of the vehicles and an overnight bivouac site.

St. Johns police will provide traffic control for the turn off the highway at the south and the return to the highway at the north side of town Sunday morning.

Acts being hunted for Showboat at Chesaning

Amateur acts and queen contestants are being sought for the 1965 Chesaning Showboat. The chairman of these two pre-Showboat events have put out calls to all interested people to come and compete in the amateur acts-tryouts or the queen contest.

The tryouts for amateur acts will be held in Peet Community Center, Chesaning, at 7 p.m. June 16, 17 and 18. The Showboat queen contest will be held in Peet Center at 7 p.m. June 21 and is open to any single girl aged 16 to 25. No particular talent is needed, with beauty and personality as the key factors.

Twenty-five positions will be available in the amateur acts. Five will perform each of the first five nights of the showboat, with the nightly winners competing Saturday night of the Showboat for the grand prize of \$50. Nightly prizes are \$25, \$15, and \$10.

The record 170,000-ton crop of red tart cherries produced in Michigan last year was 67 per cent of the national crop. It had an estimated value to growers of more than \$14 1/2 million. The yield of sweet cherries, which will increase because of new plantings, was 22,000 tons, worth \$4.4 million. Michigan's national production standing was first in red tarts and third in the sweet varieties.

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MARILYN ROSSOW

CC women are grads of Bible institute

Two Clinton County women are among the recent graduates of Prairie Bible Institute in Three Hills, Alta.

They are Miss Marilyn Rossow, daughter of Mr and Mrs Raymond Rossow of DeWitt and Miss Lavonne Ball, daughter of Mrs Carroll Ramsey of R-4, St. Johns.

MISS ROSSOW, a graduate of DeWitt High School is counselor for the summer at Camp Barakel near Fairview.

In August, Miss Ball will at-

tend the candidate school at the Unevangelized Fields Mission in Philadelphia, Pa. in preparation for her future as a missionary in Brazil.

Mr and Mrs Ramsay attended the graduation and toured the Canadian Rockies and Lake Louise.

Over 33,665 million kilowatt hours of electrical energy were produced by Michigan utility companies of all types during 1963. This was an increase of 77 per cent over the 18,990 million kilowatt hours produced during 1953.

Awards given at cub picnic

The final meeting of Cub Scout Pack 281 was a picnic at the City Park with the parents present.

The flag ceremony was conducted by Den 5 and Den 1 received the cubbie award.

Bobcat pins were awarded to Raymond Kinney, LaVern Mudgett, Richard Foster, Ray Quick and Scott Martin, Shirley Bond, Sally Martin, Barry Knight, Tom Knight, John LaChappelle, Bruce Kelfter and Helen Roberts received den mother awards.

Other awards were received by Tim Martin, Benjamin Mills, Bruce Devereaux, Gary Heathman, Larry Brown, Eric Bond, Bob Little, Joe Ferholz, Nick Roberts, Bill Bearndt, Ray Quick, Scott Martin, Barry Knight, Tom Knight, John LaChappelle, Bruce Kelfter and Tracy Roberts.

Terry McDiarmid was awarded a Webelo Badge and a flashlight from the pack.

Derby trophy winners were Joe Fernholz, Eric Bond and Bill Bearndt.

The pack marched in the Memorial Day parade.

Friend of court to attend meet

Gordon I. Willyoung, friend of the court for Clinton County, will attend the 35th annual State Convention at Manistee, June 22 through 25.

The friend of the court is required by statute to investigate divorce cases where the parents have minor children, make recommendations to the circuit court regarding custody and support and enforce court orders for support of minor children.

SUBJECTS to be discussed at the convention are: child support under the Bankruptcy Act, jurisdictional problems between probate and circuit courts, enforcing visitation rights, and relationships between the friend of the court's office and the State Bureau of Social Aid.



LAWRENCE NEMCIK

Nemcik to receive masters degree at CMU June 12

Lawrence E. Nemcik will receive a master of arts degree in the area of speech pathology Saturday. In September 1964 Nemcik accepted a graduate fellowship in special education and attended Central Michigan University on a full-time basis. The fellowship is granted to qualified individuals to encourage work in the graduate area.

Nemcik received his BA degree from Central Michigan University in 1961 and served as an officer in Texas for two years and was a Speech Therapist for Clinton County during the 1963-64 school year.

Nemcik, son of Mr and Mrs Lawrence F. Nemcik of rural Bannister is married to the former Marcia Cowles of rural St. Johns.

Partial lunar eclipse due

Skywatchers will be treated to a partial eclipse of the moon on Sunday evening, June 13, according to Prof. Hazel M. Losh, University of Michigan astronomer.

Just a few minutes before the moon appears over the horizon, it will hit the Earth's shadow. The eclipse will start at 7:59 p.m. to be exact—so that the moon will rise with the eclipse under way, she explains.

MIDPOINT OF the eclipse will come at 8:49 p.m., and the end will be at 9:40 p.m.

This is only a partial eclipse, with the moon never completely entering the Earth's shadow. Professor Losh says. The shadow will appear dark in contrast to the remaining exposed section of the moon.

For a lunar eclipse to occur, the phase of the moon must be full, and it must be situated in nearly the same plane as the Earth and Sun. The reason we do not have a lunar eclipse every full moon is because the moon's orbit is inclined to the Earth's path five degrees, so the moon usually passes above or below the shadow.

PROFESSOR LOSH says the shadow should be first detected at the northeast edge of the moon, and last be seen at the northwest edge. Only the northern edge of the moon will be hidden.

Man bound over on VFR charge

Gene VanEtten, 37, of R-1, St. Johns, was bound over to the next session of circuit court June 14 on a charge of driving in violation of financial responsibility after his appearance in municipal court Friday. The charge grew out of an accident early May 1 when his car crashed in making a turn at French and McNeil roads. His daughter, Gloria, 11, was injured in the crash.

Plan dedication services Sunday at Bethel Church

Dedication of the newly-re-modeled Bethel Mennonite Church is scheduled for Sunday, June 13, at 2:30 p.m. The Rev. A. Lehman Longenecker is pastor of the church which is located on US-27, 10 miles north of St. Johns.

Bishop Paul M. Miller of Goshen, Ind., will preach the dedicatory sermon. The invocation will be spoken by the Rev. Ralph Staley, pastor of the Midland Mennonite Church and the benediction will be pronounced by the Rev. Ralph Conline, pastor of the Salem EUB Church of St. Johns.

RICHARD Stagell will lead congregational singing at the opening of the afternoon dedication service. Special selections will also be sung by a mixed octette from the local congregation and a male quartet from Midland.

In the evening, a combined hymn sing of area churches will begin at 7:45 p.m. The public is invited to attend both the afternoon and evening meetings.



JANET KAY HOFFERBERT

Mr and Mrs Ivan Hofferbert of rural Bannister have announced the engagement of their daughter, Janet Kay, to John Howard Weber of Portland, son of Mr and Mrs Howard Weber of Brooklyn. Miss Hofferbert is a 1962 graduate of Elsie High School and Mr Weber is a 1961 graduate of Brooklyn High School. Both are employees at the Michigan State Police Dept. in East Lansing. An Oct. 2 wedding is being planned.

Speed of 80 in 45 zone costs him \$75

Frank Veliz, 21, of 316 E. Lenawee, Lansing, paid a fine of \$70.-10 and \$4.90 costs Friday after being found guilty of speeding 80 miles an hour in a 45 mph speed zone in St. Johns. The fine was levied by Municipal Judge Alba Wert.

Many a good thought has been wasted because too many words were used in expressing it.

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Derby balloonist no first-timer

Fifty years of experience in taking hot air balloons into the sky and in parachuting from them will be available for Clinton County residents to see at the Soap Box Derby in St. Johns June 20.

Seventy-eight-year-old Ted Sweet of Lansing, reportedly the only licensed hot air balloonist in the state, will send the balloon up at the conclusion of the Derby races. He won't be jumping this time, however, with

that honor being given to Dave Monroe of Lansing.

SWEET'S experience comes from a background of 50 years in the business of riding the balloon and parachuting. He gave up the riding and jumping about 1955, however, after a total of 1,858 ascensions and drops dating back to 1905.

Sweet lost a leg in a hunting accident in 1927, but he didn't let it bother his balloon ascension

and parachute drops, continuing with an artificial limb. The only serious injury he suffered in his 50 years of performing was a broken ankle when he fell into a lake near Lansing and landed on a submerged stake.

SWEET RECALLED that during the years 1932-33-34 he made over 100 jumps a year. In 1933 alone he made a total of 111 drops from the balloon, with 14 of them coming on one day, July 4.

The veteran jumper provided some information about balloon ascensions that is little known to the average person. It really isn't a simple matter of filling the balloon with hot air and going up into the sky.

THE owner-operator, is required to have a Federal Aviation Agency certificate, and the balloonist has to have a pilot's license. Notification must be given to the nearest FAA Flight Service Station 72 hours before making an ascension, and nearby airport operators must also be notified with the exact time and locations of jumps.

Federal regulations state that the point of balloon takeoff must be downwind from crowds and upwind from open terrain, to insure the balloon and chutist won't come down in a crowd of people. Regulations also limit the ceiling on exhibition ascensions to 2,000 feet.

SWEET uses a balloon measuring 66 1/2 feet high and 165 feet in circumference, and it is made of unbleached sheeting. It takes about 20 minutes to fill the big balloon with hot air with the use of a kerosene and wood fire built in a trench beneath the bag.

Horse training clinic Saturday

A horse training clinic for Clinton County 4-H Club members will be conducted at Jim Gallagher's ring Saturday at 9 a.m., with Dr Ralph Morrow, Extension specialist in animal husbandry at Michigan State University, in charge.

The Gallagher farm is located at Lowell Road three-quarters of a mile north of Grand River Avenue and about a half-mile south of Stoll Road in Watertown Township. Horses should be taken directly to the field where the ring is located, according to County 4-H Club Agent Don Walker. No riding is allowed except in the ring.

The ring will be available in the afternoon to 4-H'ers, even though formal session will end at noon. Members who do not have horses are invited to attend anyway.

Reveal 50th birthday plans for Ionia Fair

Plans for the Golden Anniversary 1965 Ionia Free Fair, Aug. 9-14, were revealed last week at a kick-off dinner attended by Free Fair Assn. officials and newsmen.

Ionia Free Fair Secretary-Manager C. L. Teachworth, fair officials, and department heads gave a verbal preview of this year's Golden Anniversary Fair.

IN THE PLANNING stage for over a year, the 50th Anniversary



Some of Prizes for Soap Box Derby

These are some of the prizes to be awarded to winners in the annual Soap Box Derby June 20. The winner will receive a \$500 bond. Second prize is a portable television set, third is a Polaroid camera, fourth prize a watch, fifth prize a transistor radio, sixth prize a watch. Other prizes include a Kodak camera, fishing rod and reel and others to be announced later.

Gunnisonville

By MRS. LOUI FRITZ, Correspondent

School district annual election set for Monday

GUNNISONVILLE—The Gunnisonville School District will hold an annual election Monday, June 14. The polls will be open from 1 to 8 p.m.

Items to be voted upon are:

1. Election of one board member for a 3-year term ending June 30, 1968. Candidates are Veer I. Stevens of 15515 Wood Street and Robert Reese Jr. of 14633 Wood Street. The term of Sean Parks expires at this time and he is not seeking re-election.
2. The question of closing the seventh and eighth grades and sending these pupils to other schools. This vote is required by law every year even though the seventh and eighth grades have been sent to other schools for many years.

There will be no vote this year for extra operating millage as the voters approved 10 mills last year for a 3-year period.

The school district has been transferred to the Ingham County School Reorganization Study Committee for assignment to a high school district. This is the result of the K-12 school reorganization law which the legislature passed last year and could result in the annexation of Gunnisonville to the Lansing District sometime in the future.

The Gunnisonville Community Methodist Church Sunday School will hold a Daily Vacation Bible School at the church from June 14 to 25, from 9 to 11:30 a.m. children from 4 to 15 years old are invited.

Gunnisonville Girl Scout Troop No. 211 and their leaders, Mrs Nancy Cheney and Mrs Florence Hartman, marched in the Memorial Day Parade at Bath on Monday, May 31.

Memorial Day dinner guests at the Oliver Angell home were Mr and Mrs Don Kautz, Miss Eva Angell and Mrs Eva Brown of Lansing and Mr and Mrs Bruce Angell III. Monday dinner guests were Mr and Mrs Bruce Angell I.

Mr and Mrs Ernie Fritz were Memorial Day visitors of Mr and Mrs Scott Hartwick of Elsie.

Dale Schmidtman of Marquette spent the Memorial Day weekend with his family on Clark Road. While returning to his work at Marquette Monday, he was stricken with a kidney infection and has spent the past week in a hospital at Gaylor. Mrs Schmidtman visited him Wednesday and he returned home Friday.

REFLECTING the emphasis on the 50-year tradition of the fair will be several extremely unusual features. Among these will be a three-day-long style show staged on the banks of the Grand River and featuring both modern and 50-year-old styles.

A free grandstand show on Wednesday morning will feature steam powered vehicles and equipment dating back to the turn of the century. Ionia County extension services are arranging for an exhibit of old and new kitchens, plus items of 50 years ago, in the fair's exhibition building.

FEATURES with the viewpoint of today will be the exclusive Michigan appearance of a new midway, the Deggeller Amusement Co.; the participation in the opening day parade of the Chanute Field Air Force Band; and an automobile thrill show on Monday afternoon.

Teachworth said that several spectacular free acts have been secured for the anniversary fair, and the parking area has been increased especially for this year.

He said that great emphasis is being placed on items from, and associated with, the Ionia Free Fair through the past 50 years.

Private support for 4-H comes from community organizations, service clubs, business, industry and individuals.

Krepps District

By Mrs Lucille Heibek

Mr and Mrs Carl Thelen and Donna attended a graduation party in honor of Bill Thelen of Portland, Mike Thelen of Lansing and Dale Trierweiler of DeWitt at the Danby Grange Hall of rural Portland Sunday evening.

Mr and Mrs David Ebersole and family and Mr and Mrs Lloyd Ebersole of Sterling, Ill., spent the weekend with Mr and Mrs Don Smith.

Mr and Mrs Richard Cramer and Crystyne attended a graduation party in honor of Miss Constance Cramer at the home of Mr and Mrs Stanley Baird of DeWitt Sunday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Glenn Davis spent the weekend with Rev and Mrs Wayne Smith of Rensselaer, Ind. While there, they attended the wedding of their granddaughter, Miss Kay Smith, to James M. Fish of Rapid City, S. D.

Miss Barbara Ballinger of Breckenridge spent a few days this past week with her uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs Glenn Davis.

Edwin Heibek was a dinner guest of Mrs Eva Boron of St.

Lightning hits, water goes off

Water service in St. Johns was interrupted for over an hour last Tuesday evening when lightning hit a transformer controlling electric power to the city's water pumps.

The lightning strike came at a time when the water level in the new water tower was at almost its lowest point of the day. Pressure, therefore, was not sufficient when the pumps went off.

Johns while Mrs Heibek attended the second all-school reunion at the Elsie High School Sunday. Mr and Mrs Edwin Heibek and Mrs Nora Heibek of St. Johns attended a pre-graduation open house in honor of Miss Patricia Heibek at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs Lawrence Heibek of St. Johns.

Mr and Mrs Jack Cornell and family called on Mr and Mrs Clare Challis of Fowlerville Sunday afternoon.

Bonnie and Connie Leonard are spending a few days with Mr and Mrs William Kinney and family of St. Johns.

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NOTICE

As per Resolution of the City Commission a Public Hearing of necessity for the installation of 6-inch cast iron water main, in which the properties on the 800 and 900 blocks of West McConnell street will be especially benefited, is to be held.

All those persons affected thereby or interested should take notice that this hearing shall be held on

June 15, 1965 — 7:30 p.m.

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Price District

By Mrs Harold Crowley

Children's Day will be observed Sunday, June 13, at the Price Church at 11 a.m. There will be no worship service that day. Practice for Children's Day will be held Friday, June 11, at 1:30 p.m.

A farewell party will be given for Rev and Mrs Rudy Wittenbach at the Price Church Thursday, June 17. There will be a potluck supper at 7:30 p.m. with a program following.

Mr and Mrs Walter Crowley of Traverse City, Mrs Agnes Price and Mrs Terry Reese of St. Johns were Saturday evening supper guests of Mr and Mrs Harold Crowley and family.

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Bannister

By MRS. ELMER LEYDORF, Correspondent
(Too late for last week)

Graduates hear Emil Lockwood

BANNISTER— Graduation exercises for Bannister Elementary School were held Monday night, May 24, at Bannister Methodist Church.

The speaker for the evening was Senator Emil Lockwood of St. Louis. He used the class motto, "Out of the harbor—into the sea," in his comments to the eighth grade graduates.

Songs and instrumental music were provided by the other classes, under the direction of the teachers, Mrs Evelyn Borough, Mrs Irene Keck and Mrs Rachael Eichenberg. Sharon Tillitz, one of the eighth graders, sang a solo, with her mother at the organ.

Stanley Loznak of Elsie made the presentation of the certificates. This included every grade from kindergarten through the eighth grade. A special guest for the evening was Earl Seybert, assistant superintendent of the Ovid-Elsie school district.

The eighth graders being honored were Gary Boog, Kenneth Coon, Peter Glowney, Mark Saxton, and Sharon Tillitz.

Roger Moore, son of Mr and Mrs Thomas Moore, received his discharge from the Marine Corps. He arrived home Friday night, May 28.

Mr and Mrs Richard Moore held a graduation open house on Memorial Day to honor their son, Rick. Commencement exercises were held Thursday, June 3, at Elsie.

Word was received that Mr and Mrs Steve Sarkon, formerly of Bannister and now of Traverse City, are the grandparents of their first grandchild, a girl, Lynette Marie, born May 16 to Mr and Mrs Larry Sarkon of Traverse City.

Graduation open house was held at the home of Mr and Mrs Ray Peck on Sunday, May 30, to honor their daughter, Maureen.

At the meeting of the Bannister MYF, it was decided to start painting the floor of Wesley Center on June 10. Plans for the summer months were also made.

Dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Dale Schmidtman of Lansing were Mr and Mrs Walter Miller and family and Ernest and Jean Valentine. Afternoon callers were Mr and Mrs Foster Schmidtman and Sally and Mr and Mrs Robert Valentine and family.

Discipline studied by Bannister WSCS

BANNISTER— "A Disciplined Life" was the title of the lesson given to the Bannister WSCS at the home of Mrs Edna Nowlin.

Mrs Ray Canfield, speaker, said that there is a discipline in person's lives in the areas of church, family, job, and community. She asked each person present to evaluate their Christian attitudes in each of the areas.

Mrs Walter Miller was the worship leader. Mrs William LeClear explained the worship setting with the help of Mrs Ivan Hofferbert.

The business meeting followed with Mrs Margaret Moore, president, presiding.

Following the meeting, the hostess served a dessert luncheon.

Those from Bannister participating in Memorial Day activities at Elsie were Donald Hinkley, Robert Saylor and Mrs Albert Ensign.

Mr and Mrs Ivan Scott of Pennsylvania visited friends and relatives in the Bannister area.

Rew District

By Mrs Howard Witt

Mr and Mrs Arlo Barnard and family and his mother, Mrs Doris Barnard of Bath, called on Mr and Mrs Clyde Chadwick recently.

Mr and Mrs W. D. Chadwick of Park Lake were Memorial Day supper guests of his parents, Mr and Mrs Clyde Chadwick. It was Bill's birthday.

Mr and Mrs David Stevens and family and Mr and Mrs Marvin Witt brought birthday cakes and ice cream to help their father, Howard Witt, celebrate his birthday recently.

Mr and Mrs Paul Witt and family spent an evening recently with Mr and Mrs Howard Witt and Lee.

Don Young and Lloyd Carpenter spent Sunday, May 30, fishing at Five Lakes.

Enza Ives who had a stroke two weeks ago has gone to stay with his son, Eric Ives, after spending a week in Sparrow Hospital.

Mr and Mrs Rollin Beardslee took her parents, Mr and Mrs Clyde Chadwick, to dinner Sunday, May 30, as a Father's and Mother's Day surprise. Later they drove to Williamston.



A New Gift Cart At Clinton Memorial Hospital

Candystripers Norma Jean Arens, left, and Linda Droste display the new gift cart at Clinton Memorial Hospital, purchased by the Hospital Auxiliary. The cart, new last Tuesday, accommodates a wide selection of items for patients of all ages to select from. It will be used regularly as another patient service at the hospital.

City offices take on new look

Wholesale changes in the physical arrangement of St. Johns city offices are just about completed. Basic carpentry work for the new layout is done, with some cabinet and shelving arrangements yet to be done.

A new counter across the former entrance to the city offices will be used to wait on all customers, who will now remain in the outer hallway. Those who are called in to one of the inner offices will enter through the door which formerly led to the police department.

ALL MONEY collected over the counter by the city will now go through City Treasurer Olive Pung, whose desk is located behind the front counter.

City Manager Ken Greer's office has been moved from the southeast corner of the building to the space formerly occupied by the clerk and bookkeeper, with the bookkeeper, Mrs Treva Hill, now in Greer's former office.

County Line News

By Mrs Doris Fisher

Vacation Bible School program will be held at Salem EUB Church Sunday morning, June 13, at 9 a.m.

June will be vacation month for the County Line EUB Woman's Society. There will be no meeting until July.

Rev and Mrs Ralph Conine and daughter, Sharryl, will leave the last week in July for a 2-week trip to Porto Rico. There they will help to rebuild a camp building which was destroyed by fire last year. An auction sale of usable items will be held at the church grounds on Saturday, June 26, for the benefit of their trip.

Mr and Mrs Kenneth Yordy and Mr and Mrs Raymond Kindel are holding open house on Sunday, June 13, from 2 to 5 p.m. at Salem EUB Church in honor of their parents, Mr and Mrs Gerald Kindel, on their 25th wedding anniversary.

There will be a hymnsing Sunday, June 13, at the Bethel Menonite Church at 7:45 p.m.

Born at Gratiot Community Hospital, Alma to Mr and Mrs Kenneth Yordy, a daughter, Carolyn Ann, on June 2.

Mr and Mrs N. C. Patterson of Bannister were Sunday dinner guests of their parents. Born at Clinton Memorial Hospital, June 4, to Mr and Mrs Jerry Pattison, a son, Jeffrey Lynn, weighing 8 pounds and 4 ounces.

Mrs Gene Bates and family of rural Ithaca were Friday visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs Gilbert Baker and family.

1963 EHS graduates join WMU honorary

ELSIE— Judy Kay Allen and Linda Jean Bennett have accepted invitations to join the Eta Kappa Chapter of Tri Beta, a national honorary biological fraternity at Western Michigan University.

The girls, both 1963 graduates of Elsie High School, were required to have at least a 3.0 average and be second semester sophomores.

Judy, the youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs Henry Allen, is majoring in chemistry and minor in biology. Linda, the youngest daughter of Dr and Mrs G. W. Bennett is studying to be a medical technologist.

Mr and Mrs S. J. Keys, Mrs Margaret Edwards of St. Johns and Mrs Dorothy Kasper of Detroit attended funeral services of their cousin, Arthur M. Martin of Harrison, at the Stephenson Funeral Home in Clare Thursday. Burial was made in Chapel Hill Cemetery in Lansing.

Mr Martin, who died Monday in a Mount Pleasant hospital, formerly lived in Eureka and was married to the former Alice Scott.

Dewey Saylor is under treatment and observation at the Henry Ford Hospital in Detroit where he was taken last week.

Watch your future plans—the bigger the summer vacation the harder the fall.

Officers installed of Methodist WSCS

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Mrs Goodrich prepared a colored emblem of the WSCS which she mounted on a poster and surrounded by an electric light for each person who was installed.

Each officer gave a Bible verse that spoke of light as she turned on a light to indicate the acceptance of her duties and repeated the purpose of the WSCS.

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Utility—Standard	17.00 to 22.00
Cows	
Heifer Cows	\$18.50 to 19.50
Utility—Commercial	16.50 to 18.40
Canner—Cutter	14.00 to 17.00
Fat Yellow Cows	14.00 to 17.00
Bulls	
Fat Beef Bulls	\$16.00 to 18.00
Utility—Commercial	18.00 to 19.85
Canner—Cutter	15.00 to 18.00
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Steers	
Good—Choice	\$22.00 to 24.50
Common—Medium	17.00 to 22.00
Heifers	
Good—Choice	\$19.00 to 23.00
Common—Medium	15.00 to 19.00
Calves	
Prime	\$33.00 to 34.50
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Deacons	20.00 to 27.00
HOGS	
Butchers	
190-230 lbs. No. 1's	\$22.80 to 23.10
190-230 lbs. No. 2's	22.50 to 23.00
190-230 lbs. No. 3's	22.00 to 22.50
230 lbs. and up	20.00 to 22.80
180 lbs. and down	16.00 to 21.50
Sows	
Fancy Light	\$18.50 to 18.75
300-500 lbs.	18.00 to 18.50
500 lbs. and up	17.00 to 18.00
Boars and Stags	
All Weights	16.00 to 19.50
Feeder Pigs (Per Head)	
Feeder Pigs	— to —
SHEEP	
Shorn Slaughter Lambs	
Choice—Prime	— to —
Utility—Good	— to —
Cull	— to —
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Choice—Prime, Quotable	\$26.00 to 28.50
Utility—Good	— to —
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NEWS FROM THE Rivard Nursing Home

Mrs Agnes Wells, Mrs Bertha Zimmerman and Mrs Emma Pratt visited Mrs Catherine Crowe, Mrs Minnie Lewis and Miss Leta Walker.

Mrs Brewbaker, Becky and Brian visited Mrs Catherine Crowe and Mr and Mrs J. Guernsey.

Mrs Paul Hill and Mrs Paul Stevens visited Mrs Geddes Bernthel.

Mrs Ivan Parrott and Mrs Herbert Rhynard visited Mrs Lilly Ward.

Mr and Mrs F. G. Reavis of Cedar Lake, Mr and Mrs Reynolds of Royal Oak and Mrs Norbert Pohl and Mrs Eugene H. Thelen of Fowler, visited the home.

Rev Norman Crotser visited Clarence Shoup and Mrs Nellie Pearson.

Miss Ruth Grieve of Portland and Mrs Lucille Grieve of St. Johns visited John Wesley Grieve.

MRS VERONICA Rahl, Hugh McCullough, and Peter Hankey entered the home from Clinton Memorial Hospital.

Vincent Bennett entered Clinton Memorial Hospital.

Mr and Mrs Roy Hyke of Eureka, Mrs William Ernst and Maxine Ernst of St. Johns visited Hattie Letts.

Harold Beardsley of Ovid visited Mrs Geddes Bernthel, Harry Graham and John Grieve.

Visitors of Mrs Bessie Stockwell were Mrs Ethel Sutliff of Eureka, Mr and Mrs Oscar Stockwell, Mr and Mrs Emerson Stockwell of St. Johns, Mrs Leona Rumbaugh of Bannister and son, Larry Rumbaugh of Lansing.

Mr and Mrs Richard Pung and family came in to visit all the patients.

MRS AGNES Wells, Mrs Hazel Berkhausen of St. Johns and Mrs Meda Warren visited Mrs Catherine Crowe.

Mr and Mrs J. D. Robinson visited Herbert Rummell, Beulah Dixon, Hattie Letts, Mae Owen, Catherine Crowe, Margaret Goldsmith and Ivah Hoover.

Mrs Martha Wohlfert of South Haven and Mrs Freda Lewis of St. Johns visited Mrs Minnie Lewis.

Visitors of Mrs Ivah Hoover were Mrs Marie Roberts, Mrs Helen Howe of Maple Rapids, Mr and Mrs Chester Bishop of St. Johns and Mrs Ruth Going.

Mr and Mrs Carl Hammond of Higgins Lake, Lawrence Shoup of St. Johns, Mr and Mrs Howard Shoup of Fenton and Mr and Mrs Carl Geller visited Clarence Shoup.

Mr and Mrs LeRoy Hyke visited Mrs Lilly Ward and Mrs Hattie Letts.

Mrs Hattie Letts celebrated her 87th birthday, May 30. A birthday cake was served to all patients.

MR AND Mrs J. O. Gower and Mary Gower visited Mrs Mae Owen, Herbert Rummell and Mrs Hattie Letts.

Mrs Donald Arrington, a former employee, and family visited all the patients.

Mrs Minna Freed and Mrs Mina Dangel called on Harry Graham.

Mr and Mrs Raymond Koenigsnecht, Miss Lucy Koenigsnecht, Raymond Koenigsnecht Jr. of Fowler, Mrs Walter Pohl and Patty and Diane Pohl of Eagle visited Mrs Theresa Koenigsnecht. Mrs George Schmidt of Fowler was also a visitor.

Rev Kenneth J. Weber and Richard Schultz of Detroit, Mrs Myrtle Griswald of DeWitt, Mrs Katie M. Woodruff, Mrs Goldie Lamberson and Mrs Pearl Crom visited Mrs Mae Owen. Mrs Owen attends the First Methodist Church every Sunday and Senior Citizen meetings twice a month and attended the Past Noble Grand Club at Mrs Fred Fleischer's home.

MR AND Mrs Rollie Letts visited Mrs Veronica Rahl. Other visitors were William Esch, Judy and Larry Miller and Kurt Martin of St. Johns.

Mr and Mrs Datton Foster of Lansing visited the home. Miss Juanita Carroll, David Dunham, Mr and Mrs Lyle Dunham, Mrs Ethel Williams and Mr and Mrs Ginther and children all of Elsie, visited Hugh McCullough.

Mrs Ella Pinkney was surprised the evening of June 4 when her family gathered to help her celebrate her 88th birthday. There were 32 persons in attendance. Refreshments were served.

Mr and Mrs E. Card of Detroit and Mr and Mrs C. Plowman visited Herbert Rummell, Clarence Shoup and Mrs Mae Owen. Three car loads of patients were taken to watch the Memorial Day parade. Mrs Mae Owen, Herbert Rummell, Mrs Lilly Ward, John Grieve, Clarence Shoup and Mr and Mrs J. Guernsey were among them.

The South Central Region of the Michigan Nursing Home held their meeting at Walker's Cafe. Jennifer Keys and Kay Acre entertained. Mrs Beatrice Rivard was elected regional director.

RECENT VISITORS of Mary Sykora were Alan and Helen Henney of Middleton. Jeanette Mehney, Mary Dean and grandsons of St. Johns, Joseph Sykora and Betty Frasier of Detroit and Mr and Mrs Jim Sykora of Clare.

Mr and Mrs Rollie Letts, William Esch, Judy and Larry Miller, Kurt Martin, Pauline Esch of St. Johns, Mrs Don Rahl of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Rex Morris of Owosso, Mr and Mrs Gerald Martin, Mildred and Ted Rahl and Mr and Mrs Mervyn Rahl of St. Johns were recent visitors of Mrs Veronica Rahl, along with Katie M. Woodruff and Neva and Gladys Ballard.

Among the visitors of Mrs Nellie Pearson were Mike Pearson, grandchildren, Michelle and Pamela Wawczyk, Rev Norman Crotser and Neva and Gladys Bullard. Caroline Kozak visited all the residents.

Mrs Cora Brown's visitors were Dewey and Catherine Brown and Pauline Brown.

Mr and Mrs Eldred Kramer visited Mrs Lula Winans.

Miss Leta Walker went for a drive with Mr and Mrs Glen Oliver and sister, Ethel Fairbanks.

Chapman District By Mrs Gerald Pope

Mr and Mrs Roy Auten and family, Russell Johnson, Mr and Mrs Lyle Auten and daughter spent the weekend at their Higgins Lake cottage.

Mr and Mrs Mike Daley of Lansing were Sunday visitors in the Gerald Pope home.

Mrs Evelyn Heinlen accompanied Mr and Mrs Dan Diller to Hillview, Ill., to spend the week with Evelyn's sister, Mrs Geraldine Powell.

Mr and Mrs Max Ballinger and family attended the open house at Neil Harte's honoring Gail Harte who is graduating from high school.

Mr and Mrs Eugene Simon and family spent Sunday at Crystal with Eugene's family.

Mr and Mrs Gerald Pope joined several St. Johns Knights Templars' and their wives in the annual Conclave in Saginaw Saturday.

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District winners in the junior division of American Legion essay contest on the theme "America's Future" receive checks for \$5 and \$3 from Sister Marie Jane, principal of St. Joseph School, where both boys attend. At left is Ken Kramer, who received second place in the junior division (grades 7, 8 and 9), and at center is John Yurek, first-place winner, whose essay will be judged in the state contest.

Youngsters look at future

(Editor's Note: The following essay on "America's Future" was judged best in district competition in the junior division of the American Legion Essay Contest, according to Mrs Robert Conn, district chairman. The junior division includes grades 7, 8 and 9.)

By JOHN YUREK
St. Joseph School
Eighth Grader

In 1780 a gallant young colonel in the Patriot army wrote a letter to a friend who was a member in the Continental Congress. In this letter the young colonel went bravely forward into the future and put down some ideals which he thought would aid greatly to the destiny of America, a destiny that would follow a path blazed by liberty and justice.

THE COLONEL was Alexander Hamilton; the letter was in short an outline for the Constitution. Today, 178 years after the ratification of the Constitution, we are still striving in order to carry out these ideals and to improve upon them in hope that we might have created a more perfect society for America's generations of tomorrow.

It will be us, the youth of America who will make up the future of our country, for we are the teachers, doctors and scientists of tomorrow. We will be the ultimate leaders of America and in essence of the world.

WILL WE be ready? Will we be capable mentally as well as morally? If we follow our forefathers and cope with the ever-constant uprisings as they did, then I am sure we will be and I am sure that America will be destined for a future that will bring more things to more people, a future where life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness will be inevitable.

As the freedom-loving Ameri-

can that I am, I hopefully see a future where there will be no great moral and civil strife as there regrettably now is in many parts of the United States, where there will be no stains of war on the soul of mankind as there is now in many parts of the world.

BUT I ALSO sorrowfully see a future that will be hampered by evils such as Communism, Atheism and war. Because of these vices and aggressors, we will need stronger families, communities and governmental leaders than ever before.

Such family members and leaders are being produced now through the church which directs back to one of the greatest freedoms—that is freedom of worship — and through one of the greatest educational systems in the world—American education.

THIS IS what I believe; this is what I hope for. The challenge has been presented; are we ready to accept?

City accepts bid for a new car

The 1961 Ford now being driven by the city manager of St. Johns will soon be replaced by a 1965 Ford which the city commission last week decided to purchase from Egan Ford Sales, Inc.

Egans' bid of \$1,800 plus trade-in was the second low bid, but the commission accepted it on the basis of a promise of delivery in three weeks rather than five weeks as promised by the low bidder.

The low bid, by Bee's Chevrolet-Olds on a Chevrolet, was for \$1,796.59 plus trade—only \$3.41 less than Egans.

Ecuador has 5,666 primary schools.



DENNIS WHITLOCK

(Editor's Note: The following essay on "America's Future" was judged best in the senior division (grades 10, 11 and 12) of the American Legion Essay Contest.)

By DENNIS WHITLOCK
Senior, St. Johns High School

America is a place of freedom, progress, opportunity, education, and a promising future. The US has been fortunate in having many natural resources which have helped our industries. America is the home of many great men and inventions and shall go on producing them. The land of the 50 states has been a world leader for many years; and we hope, with our democratic ideas, to continue world leadership.

I am sure that in the future, as in the past, the United States will draw people from everywhere to our land of promise. People will come here for religious freedoms. They will come because here there is a chance for advancement. Despite the many arguments against government con-

trols, America is the land of the free.

THE PEOPLE of the United States must keep alert and support the government in every way possible. We have always had problems and will continue to have them. Foreign governments are going to try to break us every chance they get. They will try to incite rebellion in our country so that their undemocratic way of life can make us one of their victims.

There will also be troubles within our borders. Our race problems are far from settled. There will be many more labor and management disputes. There will be disputes between sections of our country, between states, counties, townships, cities, and individuals; but through mediations and the American feeling of unity, we hope that these problems will all be solved peacefully.

NO ONE knows from one day to the next what our scientists are going to dream up. Science is making our everyday life easier and more enjoyable all the time. Before long, rockets will be landing us on the strange planets.

The atom is going to play a major part in our future. It is going to be the fuel for our transportation, heat for our buildings; and it will have uses which no one has ever heard of at the present time. Industry and farming will be taking unbelievable progressive strides. Machine with brains will be taking over more of man's work.

EDUCATION WILL be revolutionized as never before to meet the needs of our ever-expanding population. New job skills, technical and scientific training will become necessary. The US must continue to develop leaders in order to keep our country strong. I believe that through hard work and the help of God, America will go on being a land of opportunity and freedom.

Riley and Olive

By Mrs Goldie Moore

(Too late for last week)

On Friday evening, May 28, Mr and Mrs Herbert Kowalk visited Mr and Mrs Glenn Locher.

Mr and Mrs Bob Fedewa Sr. and Mr and Mrs Lloyd Brocker attended St. Therese Concert at C. W. Otto High School in Lansing on Sunday evening, May 30.

Mr and Mrs Richard Lietzke of Syracuse, N.Y. visited their parents, Mr and Mrs Loren Lietzke and family over Memorial Day weekend.

On Sunday evening, May 30, Mr and Mrs Max Locher and family and Sally Cairns had a picnic supper with Mr and Mrs Glenn Locher and family.

Mr and Mrs Ted Piotrowicz and David were holiday weekend guests of their parents, Mr and Mrs Lloyd Brocker.

Mr and Mrs Arnold Blizzard, Bruce and Larry and Mr and Mrs Dale Blizzard spent the holiday weekend at Horsehead Lake.

Mrs William Leach and Cheryl of Lansing called on Mrs Roy Gibson one day recently.

Mr and Mrs Ray Moore visited Mr and Mrs Lewis Silm and their guests, Mrs Vineta Burk, Billy and Shirley of Dunedin, Fla. on Wednesday evening, May 26.

Callers at the Glenn Locher home on Memorial Day were Mr



and Mrs William Stortz and Miss Ella Loesch of Lansing.

Sherry Anderson of Lansing spent Sunday and Memorial Day with her grandparents, Mr and Mrs Lloyd Brocker.

Becky and Tod Gibson spent Saturday, May 29, with their grandparents, Mr and Mrs Roy Gibson.

Mr and Mrs Ray Moore visited Mr and Mrs Dan Stenzel and Mr and Mrs Melvin Plunkett and Danny of near Wacousta.

The cottontail does not shed his summer brown coat as does his cousin, the varying hare or snow shoe rabbit, but remains the same color all year long.



56 Eighth Graders Graduate From St. Joseph Catholic School in St. Johns

Graduation for 56 eighth graders at St. Joseph Catholic School in St. Johns was held Sunday, with Holy Mass at 7:30 a.m. A baccalaureate breakfast was held in the social hall for the graduates, their parents and faculty. Diplomas were conferred by Bishop Joseph Green. Members of the class are: Diane Albers, John Ballard, Douglas Barker, Brenda Barrett, Mary Ann Becker, Theresa Cornwell, Mary Dick, James Dickman, Carla Ernst, David Feldpausch, Jane Garcia, Gay Geller, Alan Harris, Gale Henning, Terry Henning, Judy Hettler, Michael Hettler, Denise Hufnagel, Charles Kehr, Michael Kellen, Scott Knight,

Janet Koenigsnecht, Daniel Koenigsnecht, Kenneth Kramer, Betty Ann Kus, Michael Lewis, Sharon Liszewski, Terry Mater, Juanita Martinez, Susan Martinez, Gary Masarik, Terry Masarik, Terri McQueen, Alicia Medina, Karyn Meyer, Judy Miller, Rose Mitosinka, Suzanne Moore, Diane Mueller, Roger Ordway, Kathleen Powers, Bonnie Pung, Dianna Rademacher, Michael Rademacher, Richard Rehmann, Richard Salters, Kathy Schaefer, Gary Sipkovsky, Judy Smith, Marlene Stoddard, Richard Vitek, Jane Wieber, Linda Willette, Deborah Witten, John Yurek and Patricia Zuker.

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EDITORIAL PAGE

Old-fashioned advice for our new graduates

If an employer were asked to give a graduate looking for a job some advice, he might well say this, which recently appeared in a magazine, "The Christophers."

If you work for a man, in Heaven's name work for him.

If he pays you wages which supply your bread and butter, work for him; speak well of him; stand by him and stand by the institution he represents.

IF PUT TO A pinch, an ounce of loyalty is worth a pound of cleverness. If you must vilify . . . resign your position . . . but as long as you are part of the institution, do not condemn it.

Show as an employer the initiative and hard work that you would expect from someone working for you.

Whatever your position, strive to correct legitimate grievances. But recognize, too, your obligation before God and man to achieve a balance between a good day's work and a good day's pay.

Mix a little caution with your summer fun

Summer is on its way, and it won't be long until it's here. For those interested in exactness, it will make its official appearance at 9:56 a.m., June 21.

It's the season of vacations and fun. Almost everyone welcomes and eagerly awaits it. But, every year, that fun is brutally, bloodily and instantly ended for great numbers of people — because of careless, thoughtless and overenthusiastic practices.

The dangers are varied—but they all can be averted. For instance:

HIGHWAY DRIVING will be at its height, and congestion will be common. Adjust and adapt your driving habits accordingly.

Sunbathing is a happy and somnolent pleasure. But too much exposure can make your vacation a time of pain—and even put you in the hospital. Take the sun in moderate doses, particularly at the beginning.

Swimming is summer's classic exercise. Tragically, drownings run well into the thousands each season. Swimming alone, overestimation of ability and endurance, diving into unknown waters are some of the potentially lethal practices responsible.

THE BOATING boom has reached enormous proportions. Improper boat handling, overloading, failure to have the proper safety equipment aboard, a lack of knowledge of the rules of the road — such needless hostages to fortune as these take a heavy toll of health and life.

So—have fun this summer. But know what you're doing and do it the right way. That is the safe way!

GUEST EDITORIAL

CLINTON MAKES A MOVE

(From the Ingham County News, Mason)

If Clinton County officials mean it, they have taken a giant step toward curtailing juvenile drinking.

Law officers, the probate judge, municipal judges, circuit court judge, and county prosecutor have announced that juveniles brought before them on drinking charges can expect and will get the worst under the limits of the law.

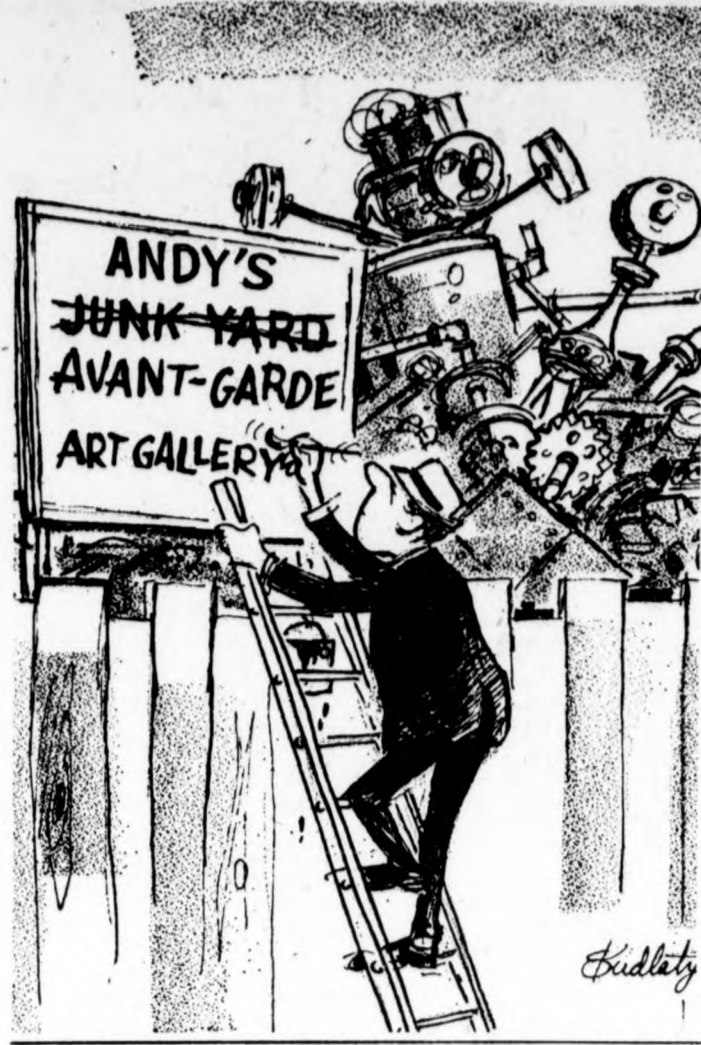
In a joint communique the court and law and court officials warned that "all youths under 21 found guilty of being in possession of intoxicating beverages will get at least three days in jail or in the juvenile home."

TEENAGE DRINKING is not something we can sweep under the rug by repeating that often-heard cliché, "It isn't a problem here. All the problems are in the larger cities."

It is happening here.

Check the beer cans tossed around school parking lots. Check with those who pick up the cans and bottles left behind after Saturday night dances uptown in Mason.

Curbing the juvenile drinkers is just part of the problem. Adults who furnish the stuff to minors should get slapped down twice as hard.



RAMBLIN' with Rink

BY LOWELL G. RINKER

One of the most enjoyable ways to relax is to go for a walk in the woodlands. I was fortunate enough to be able to do just that over the Memorial Day weekend, and I can attest to what I've heard others say for years.

We spent part of Saturday and all day Sunday southwest of Cadillac on a farm in the estate of my wife's late grandmother at Hoxville. Ann's relatives from Mesick, Muskegon and Grand Rapids and Walkerville were there, too, and I brought my mother up from Hart Saturday evening.

IN ALL THERE were 15 people plus dogs from St. Johns, Muskegon and Grand Rapids. It was a great weekend and a discovery so great for me that we'll be going back there several times this summer if I have my way.

The farmhouse is an old structure but has been kept up nicely by the family. It's the typical farmhouse of the past—two story frame building, about four bedrooms upstairs, three rooms downstairs, big kitchen featuring a wood-burning kitchen stove and another wood-burner in the living room.

AND IT'S comfortable. When I got there the men in the group were playing cards on a small cardtable in the front room, a game that was continued later at Mesick where the six of us spent the night.

The farmhouse sits at the west end of 80 acres of timber and meadow, shaped by nature in such a way that the meadow is practically surrounded by woods and at the same time surrounds another wooded area—kind of like a big letter P.

TYPICAL OF the land west of Cadillac, the farm has hills—

hills in the woods and hills in the meadows. And being as wild as it is, there are plenty of deer, though we didn't happen to see any on the farm when we were there.

The highlight of the trip for me was the walks around the farm. Despite playing tennis for the first time in two years the afternoon before, my feet didn't bother me, and I made two circuits of the farm during the day.

The first was in the morning, with about two-thirds of the people in our group. That lasted about an hour. Then in the afternoon I got away to the woods by myself and spent a most enjoyable two hours wandering and relaxing.

FOR A HALF hour I sat on a stone on a hillside and watched the breeze make waves of pale green across the dark green of the meadow. I swept the edges of the woodlands with my binoculars, but I couldn't spot any deer. At another place, on another hillside, I lay down on the grass and watched small clouds form and dissipate in the almost-cloudless blue sky overhead.

Birds sang and the sun shone warmly. What a day!

I'VE ALWAYS admired the writings of Haydn Pearson, another Clinton County News columnist whose work is published in many other papers all over the country. His periodic articles about the good that comes from a walk in the woodland has always inspired me.

Memorial Day weekend I finally got a chance to follow his advice. He couldn't have been more correct in his analysis of the therapy that woodland walks provide.

—rink

The Conflict

By W. E. DOBSON

There's a royal battle brewing,
Twixt two forces tried and true,
And I cannot be a neutral—
I'm involved in this one too!

These two armies each have warriors,
Who have long waged bitter fight,
Neither force will e'er surrender—
Each is sure their cause is right.

Though the fight be long and costly
Each is bound to see it through,
With such battle-scarred old veterans
Just what else is there to do?

There are rightist groups and leftist,
In the battle being waged;
Since the war is long and bloody
New shock troops are oft engaged.

Each new day renews the struggle,
Charge and counter charge no end—
Either one may lose a skirmish,
But it shall not prove the end.

If you're not as yet embroiled
(Conflicts may not be your dish)
Do you fight for lawn and garden?
Or enlist with golf and fish?

ONCE OVER LIGHTLY

by Ink White

We stayed out of this argument

ONE ARGUMENT I'm glad The County News stayed out of is that involving the naming of the proposed new state park and recreation area in the southeastern part of the county.

Ovid's village council got into the act early, suggesting to the Conservation Department and our state legislators that the new project be known as the Ovid State Park instead of the picturesque "Sleepy Hollow" designation approved by the Conservation Commission.

Ovid folks claimed in their communication to state officials that their village is the closest incorporated community and the natural trading center for park visitors.

ART ELMER, the Conservation chief of parks and recreation, side-stepped Ovid's suggestion quite neatly. He pointed out that the Sleepy Hollow designation had already been approved for the area but, as a conciliatory gesture, he announced that the body of water created in the proposed park would be named Ovid Lake.

This seemed like a reasonable consolation prize, but it left some sore spots among people in Victor Township and in Laingsburg. Folks there are really closer to the proposed park than anyone else and there's a feeling they've been overlooked.

Mrs Phyllis Saxton, who lives on Upton Road, gave expression to this view when she pointed out in a letter that creation of the new park will uproot 22 families in Victor as opposed to only eight families in Ovid Township. She also points out that Laingsburg is only three miles from the borders of the new park and that it is incorporated as a city while Ovid has only village status.

EDITOR F. J. VEITH of The Laingsburg Press gave up much of his front page last week to discussion of the controversy. Editor Veith even goes so far as to suggest that Laingsburg might change its name to Sleepy Hollow.

"It appears," he writes, "that if Laingsburg is to gain any recognition in connection with the state park, the city would have to be renamed Sleepy Hollow. Names of state parks are well known and therefore any city named after it would gain much recognition."

As I indicated earlier, The County News is steering clear of this argument. But I hope Editor Veith doesn't pursue his city name change further. Laingsburg is an old and honorable name for a good, solid community. Sleepy Hollow may be fine for a park, but it's a lousy label for a wide-awake town.

In the final analysis, a town's name won't make it headquarters for the new park. The city or village whose friendly people give the best service to visitors will be favored with the park trade.

SCHOOL ELECTION time this coming Monday brings the almost startling realization that there are only 15 organized school districts remaining in Clinton County.

Some of us not so old-timers can remember when there were upwards of 120. Mrs Iva Mae Warner, secretary to County School Supt. Carl Bates, recalls that there were 110 when she started work for the county schools only nine years ago.

This, I'm convinced, is necessary progress in the educational field, but as a former practicing politician and fundraiser I selfishly lament the fusing of school district boundaries.

BACK IN THE days of 100-odd school districts we had a ready-made division of the county into geographical areas. With a committeeman or two in each district we had a real grass roots organization for the promotion of any project.

It will require some new thinking and new methods to reestablish these old lines of communication but, in the long run, we'll be better served.

Back Thru the Years

★ Interesting Items from the Files of The Clinton County News

10 YEARS AGO From the Files of June 9, 1955

Appointment of William J. Morriss, St. Johns attorney, as probate judge of Clinton County to succeed Jean H. Corkin, who resigned because of ill health, was announced Wednesday by Gov. G. Mennen Williams.

An application from the Kroger Co. for a hearing on the rezoning of the Hicks property at West State and Ottawa streets for a new store and parking site was rejected Tuesday night by the city commission.

In a ceremony unique in a village the size of Ovid, four local boys were awarded Eagle Scout ratings Wednesday of last week. They were Terry Hallead, Charles Wittenberg, John Oven Jr., and Gary Kadolph.

25 YEARS AGO From the Files of June 6, 1940

Forty-one farm reporters have begun inspection trips of Clinton County farms to determine compliance with the 1940 Soil Conservation Program.

Sealed bids will be opened in the representative chamber of the state capitol on Wednesday, June 12, for the construction of a new bridge across Bad Creek 2 1/2 miles south of St. Johns on US-27.

The 1940 summer tax rate of \$15 per \$1,000 has been set upon

the assessed valuation of St. Johns property. Meeting Tuesday night, the city commission voted the 15-mill levy to operate an estimated budget of \$42,223 for the coming year.

50 YEARS AGO From the Files of June 10, 1915

The baccalaureate sermon to the high school graduating class will be given by Rev. C. J. Kruse at the Methodist Church Sunday evening, June 20. The eighth grade promotion exercises will take place at the Methodist Church Tuesday evening, June 22. Senior class day exercises will be held on Wednesday afternoon, June 23, at the Congregational Church. High school commencement exercises and presentation of diplomas will be Thursday evening, June 24, at the Congregational Church.

Fred Shulters was appointed city treasurer to fill the vacancy caused by the death of William H. Field.

A sweeping change in the RFD routes of Clinton County has been ordered by the Post Office Department at Washington, to go into effect the morning of the 16th of the present month. Postmaster VauConsant received notice Tuesday of the changes to be made from the St. Johns office. Several routes will be discontinued and others extended to serve the patrons.

Letters to the Editor

Forwards say thanks to their friends

WE CAME IN January for a three months' stay in the West. However, due to ill health, here I am in the West yet in June—1700 miles from home.

We do want most sincerely to thank all friends, neighbors and relatives for the hundreds of cards, letters, the flowers and all other various remembrances sent us during my long illness.

THIS includes also the greetings of all kinds received at the time of our Golden Wedding anniversary date—May 21. I would like to thank each person and organization personally, but such is impossible.

Health permitting, we are still planning a grand celebration of that May 21, 1915, event sometime later this summer in Waucousta. And we do hope to see you all on that day.

Thanks again for everything.

MAURICE & VEDA FORWARD Boulder, Colo.

Firemen get pat on back from victim

IT IS COMFORTING to know that St. Johns has a volunteer fire department of the quality they displayed last week in answering a call to our automobile dealership and garage.

Our own staff here also moved quickly on assigned duties when the fire broke out, but what was gratifying was the quick response to the fire siren by volunteers on the department. They moved in

fast and got the smoke out of the basement of our building fast. They were courteous and efficient.

The fire wasn't serious, but that was due in great part to their fast work. Thanks fellows, thanks a lot.

NORMAN CAIN Cain Buick, Rambler, Pontiac St. Johns.

Urges interest in school elections

I HAVE BEEN quite pleased to read in your paper a two-part series about vocal and instrumental music in the St. Johns schools. The writer has captured purposes and objectives of the program and, in addition to the photography which is excellent, made both vocal and instrumental music quite meaningful to your readers.

Recently I read of the successful annexation of all 32 rural districts to St. Johns Public Schools and without a doubt all persons who made the annexation possible should be congratulated. Efforts like these will increase educational opportunities for all children be they "city" or "rural" children.

TO BE SURE, the job of increasing educational opportunities is far from being done just because the 32 districts have been annexed and I would imagine that there would be a great many problems to which reasonable and patient men can give appropriate attention and solve.

I would like to direct your readers to SEE LETTERS Page 3-C

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MICHIGAN MIRROR

Delta area step closer to degree-granting college

Highly populous Midland, Bay and Saginaw counties will soon be one step closer to the long-sought degree-granting public institution of higher learning.

Some problems are still to be solved, but legislative authority to put state funds behind such a college should ease some of these.

Many years and many people have been involved in the fight to get a state college established in the Delta area, which State Rep. William Boos, D-Saginaw, says is one of two areas of this size in the country not already served by a four-year institution.

STATE FUNDS could be forthcoming as soon as backers of the college plan raise \$4 million from private sources. Site selection is still in question.

This local-state initial financing combination has been used only once before in Michigan, but legislators viewed it as a means to determine when real local support exists. Grand Valley State College was started in the same way.

The 11th state-supported college is viewed in the Saginaw Valley as the answer to a long-standing need. The area has been served for only one year by a private four-year institution.

A GROUP of residents established the private Saginaw Valley College because they had given up hope for legislative approval after the several years of haggling over whether a four-year college was really necessary.

Camping travelers are expected to once again reach record numbers this summer and fall but state officials expect to be ready to meet the demand.

More than 1,100 new campsites are available at state parks and state and national forest campgrounds. This brings the total sites available to more than 15,600 including those in county and township parks.

CAMPSITE PERMIT issues last year reached a record 3.1 million and another 50,000 camping groups were estimated to have been turned away for lack of space in 1964. This was in state parks alone, where the permits are required.

Free facilities, varying in the amount of convenience, accommodate thousands more annually at the forest areas and local parks.

Uncounted numbers of camping families and groups also have free access to some 7 million acres of public forest land in the northern portion of Michigan. Campsites are not specifically designated there.

"PEOPLE in Michigan who cry for more and more federal aid with the excuse that Michigan taxpayers cannot stand the cost should find food for thought in figures showing how much the state gets in federal grant programs," says a Michigan Farm Bureau spokesman.

Robert E. Smith contends that Michigan, as a rich state, can pay its own way at less cost and with considerably less red tape than through many of the federal grant-in-aid programs now in operation.

Latest statistics show Michigan received some \$368,725,000 in federal grants during the 1963-64 fiscal year. This included aid for highway construction, public assistance, hospitals, schools, public housing, surplus food distribution and conservation.

THE PREVIOUS fiscal year, the first in which federal grants went over the \$10 billion mark, Michigan received about \$346,500,000. This represented about \$43 per person.

The receipts in 1963-64 gave Michigan a per capita figure of \$46 to rank 44th among the states.

IN BOTH years, most states stayed in the same relative position when comparing the share of grants to the share of taxes paid. Alaska remained high per capita in aid receipts, at \$226 and \$254 in the two years.

Average return in Michigan was 5 per cent of what state taxpayers paid in federal taxes during the two years.

MICHIGAN'S point system for driving violations now will apply to juveniles who previously were exempt from this provision of law.

Bringing juveniles under the point system was a part of recommended traffic safety improvement program which had the endorsement of several safety-minded organizations, including a special governor's commission.

Legislators specified, however, that juveniles still would have their day in court at the probate level. Some supporters of the change said juvenile motorists who violate the law should be tried as adults.



BY ELMER E. WHITE Michigan Press Ass'n.



I have to sit home with you - when I might be out somewhere - being discovered by some famous movie director.

Bement Library Book Shelf

By Elizabeth Millman

Noah Webster, who was responsible for the first American dictionary, was born in 1758 on a Connecticut farm. He lived to see American pioneers penetrate overland into California and Oregon. Living under 10 presidents, he witnessed great expansion in this country with the purchase of the Louisiana Territory, Florida, and the annexation of Texas. He was influential in the adoption of the federal Constitution and wrote scores of articles, pamphlets and books.

He believed the new nation needed its own school books and a uniform language, and his "Blue-Backed Speller" was his first effort. This taught not only spelling, but pronunciation, common-sense, morals, and good citizenship. He then turned his hand to dictionaries, mostly because of his resentment against the ignorance of American institutions shown in British dictionaries. At the age of 70, he published "An American Dictionary of the English Language." This came out in two volumes. This stands alone for its clarity of definitions.

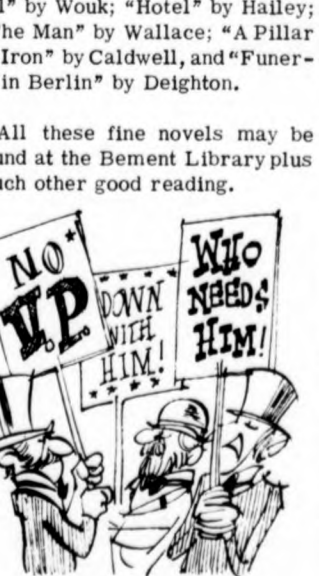
ALL Webster-Merriam Dictionaries published since have used this first as a base. This company has just published its third edition of their "International Dictionary," which is completely unabridged, and all the experience and resources of 100 years have gone into it.

The Biographical Dictionary and Dictionary of Geography formerly included in the Webster-Merriam are now published under separate cover and have vastly more information. These volumes have been purchased by the Library for your use.

SAUL BELLOW'S book, "Hersog," has been selected as the best novel of 1964. A \$10,000 award went with the honor accorded the winner of the International Literary Prize. This book may be read at the Bement Library.

Other best-sellers of the week include "Up and Down Staircase" by Kaufman; "The Ambassador" by West; "Don't Stop the Carnival" by Wouk; "Hotel" by Halley; "The Man" by Wallace; "A Pillar of Iron" by Caldwell, and "Funeral in Berlin" by Deighton.

All these fine novels may be found at the Bement Library plus much other good reading.



The only U.S. vice-president who had to be selected by the Senate because the Electoral College failed to agree was Richard M. Johnson, in 1837, who served under Martin Van Buren. He became so controversial a figure that the Democrats refused to renominate him in 1840—and nominated no one for the office. It was the only time a convention has failed to nominate a vice-presidential candidate.

Mennonites plan Bible School starting Monday

ASHLEY - The Bethel Mennonite Church, R-1 Ashley, is conducting a summer Bible school again this year. The date of the school has been set for June 14-25.

There will be classes for all ages from Monday through Friday. Kindergarten I to Grade 8 will meet during the morning hours from 9 a.m. - 11:30 a.m., and the teenage and young people's class will meet each evening at 8 o'clock.

THE THEME for the morning school session is "Learning to Pray." The materials used are published by the Herald Press, Scottsdale, Pa., and are noted for their interdenominational appeal and also for their close adherence to the Bible.

The evening young people's class will be studying the subject "Great Prophetic Themes," prepared by Keith Brooks. A period of recreation will follow the conclusion of each evening's class period.

THE COMMUNITY has always responded well to the Bible Schools conducted in former years at the Bethel Church, and an invitation has again been extended to the children and youth of the community for two weeks of Bible study and recreation. A. L. Longenecker is pastor of the church and also superintendent of the Bible school.

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HAYDEN PEARSON

Where does one search for serenity in a world of tension and turmoil? Where can one experience an interlude of peace when man ruthlessly sets self-interest above the common good? There are always places and opportunities to step aside from the traffic rush of life if one will.

When the beauty of June is a benediction on the countryside and the green tide is full on the fields, uplands and hills, one of the sanctuaries is a woodland where a man can walk among friendly trees and absorb the serenity of Nature's sanctuary.

THE GREAT boles of oaks and beeches, maples and hickories resemble the columns of a cathedral; the inter-laced branches above are a roof that closes off the distractions of man-made society.

It is peaceful, quiet and brood-

ATHLETE'S FOOT GERM HOW TO KILL IT. IN ONE HOUR.

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All those persons affected thereby or interested should take notice that this hearing shall be held on June 15, 1965 - 7:30 p.m. in the Municipal Building, St. Johns, Michigan.

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2-step facility recommended for preventing high calf die-off

Almost one-fifth of the dairy calves in Michigan die annually as a result of obsolete and inadequate housing, says a Michigan State University agricultural engineer.

The rapid increase in size of dairy operations is the major cause of this problem, says B. F. Cargill. He favors a two-step facility for the proper care of calves during the first 10 months. Proper quarters should include a separate maternity area and starting barn.

MATERNITY pens serve to keep newborn calves from being suddenly exposed during cold, wet weather. Provide one well-bedded, sanitized freshening pen for each 20 cows in the herd, advises Cargill. Expectant cows should be confined to stalls or pens 24 to 48 hours before freshening. Keep calf and maternity areas relatively free of drafts and at a constant temperature and humidity.

"The purpose of the starting barn is to house calves from birth to three or four months of age," says Cargill. Here control of temperature, humidity, and ventilation are again important. Supplemental heat is often necessary during cold weather due to the low levels of animal heat produced by calves.

INDIVIDUAL stalls or pens are recommended in the starting barn since single calf facilities minimize disease and injury. One individual pen should be provided for each five cows in the herd. An adequate number of group pens should be provided for older calves.

Cargill recommends that individual calf stalls be two and one-half by four feet. A calf is tied to the front and the stall left open to the rear. Work alleys in both front and rear of stalls are necessary. Side panels should be solid and four feet high. Slat floors should be elevated 12 inches above the concrete.

IF THE CALF is to be permitted freedom, a four by six foot pen is the answer, says Cargill. Pens should have three solid sides and a slatted gate. This method requires more bedding and feeding facilities than individual stalls.

For older calves, Cargill suggests group pens. "Allow 15 to 25 square feet per calf and no more than 10 calves per pen," he says. If pen size is limited to five or six animals the facilities can substitute for maternity pens—as the space required for five or six calves is equal to that needed for a maternity pen.

ANOTHER asset to the efficient operation of the dairy farm is an adequate hospital area for performing blood testing, udder clipping and artificial breeding tasks. Cargill suggests one hospital stall for every 20 cows in the herd. Another time saving gimmick is a gate to hold, catch or confine cows directly from the milking room.

each, are all part of the confused price picture.

Further, the quality is often so low that supermarket managers have been prompted to post placards warning "not guaranteed, purchase as-is."

NOT THAT THE supermarkets are to blame. The green-grocer is just passing along, as he must, the results of a set of conditions even more disturbing to him than they are to his unhappy customers.

All of this at a time when the fruit has never been finer, when the crop conditions are ideal and tree, bush and vine are burdened with bumper crops. The higher prices and poorer food are the direct result of official government labor policies, urged by labor leaders in a professed attempt to create more jobs.

JOINED BY a number of misguided but vocal religious and social welfare groups, they managed to block the highly successful Mexican "bracero" program, barring most foreign workers from US fruit and vegetable fields, thus leaving the jobs open to Americans.

Ignored has been the fact that under the law allowing such workers to enter this country, all jobs must first have been offered and refused by "domestic" workers. These refused work-offers still stand, but there has been no stampede on the part of America's unemployed to rush into the heat of the tomato or lettuce fields. Untended and unworked, the fruit rots.

INSTEAD of more acceptable jobs for the nation's unemployed, the short-sighted actions of the Labor department have short-changed both the diets and pocket-books of consumers.

Veteran Washington observers freely predict that this error in judgement will prove to be one of this administration's most embarrassing mistakes.

Farm tourists to get choice

A "help-yourself" concept in farm management will be unveiled when the 1965 State Farm Management Tour visits Sanilac County on Wednesday, Aug. 4.

Visitors will be able to individually study their choice of five different types of farms during the morning session of the tour, reports Keith Sowerby, Sanilac County Cooperative Extension Service director.

FARMS BEING featured during the morning stop will be the one-man dairy operation of Earl Warner, Sandusky; the Gordon Priebe 5,000-bird caged layer operation, Lexington; and Arthur Krause Christmas tree farm, Applegate; the John Knoer combination cash-crops-dairy operation, Sandusky; and the Quandt brothers' 100-cow dairy farm, Peck.

Following a noon luncheon and short program at the Sanilac County 4-H Fairgrounds in Sandusky, the tour will move to the new dairy operation of Verne Phipps near Applegate.

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Don Murray, Michigan State University dairy specialist, points out that on-the-farm per capita milk consumption is 87 pounds more than that consumed by urban and suburban folks. Yet, the difference is declining. Just 10 years ago farm per capita milk consumption was 126 pounds higher than for non-farm consumers.

"IF WE HAD the non-farm consumer up to the farm per capita

consumption, our surplus problem in the dairy industry would disappear," says the MSU dairy specialist. "In fact, about 60 pounds of this 87 pound difference would eliminate our surplus."

Murray adds that the 60-pound difference on a per capita basis would amount to about 2 1/2 ounces of milk per meal—about one extra swallow.

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Miss Washburn honored guest at open house

ROCHESTER COLONY — Mr and Mrs J. D. Washburn of the Colony honored their daughter, Dee, at open house in their home Sunday afternoon, May 30. From 2 to 5 p.m., 140 guests called to offer congratulations to the Elsie High School graduate.

Special guests were the grandparents, Mr and Mrs Walter Kaufman Sr. and Mrs Zelma Washburn; Mr and Mrs Charles Pratt and Mrs Rose Pratt and daughters, Paula and Grace, all of Dexter, Roy VanVelsor of Victor; Mrs Lila Keck of Lansing and Mr and Mrs Harold Jorae of Canada.

The class colors, yellow and white, made up the color scheme at the refreshment table where Mrs Loretta Thornton, Mrs James Graham Jr., Mrs David Hiller and Mrs Walter Kaufman Jr. served cake, ice cream, punch and coffee.

Centering the table where congratulatory cards and gifts were displayed, was a bouquet of yellow roses and white carnations which was also a gift.

Following the affair, Mr and Mrs Walter Kaufman Sr. entertained the Washburn family and out-of-town friends and relatives at a luncheon in their home on East Colony Road.

Extension women see GR furniture made

ROCHESTER COLONY — Friendship Park in the Colony was the starting point for a tour by 15 members of the Rochester Colony Home Economics Extension Group Tuesday, May 25.

The women visited a Grand Rapids furniture house where only custom-made furniture is styled and designed, journeyed on to Rockford and toured a shoe factory and climaxed the day with a smorgasbord dinner.

Honor EHS grads at Colony Church

ROCHESTER COLONY — Elsie High School graduates, Betty Jane Thornton, James Temple and Mike Cole were honored and each received a gift at Sunday morning services at the Duplain Methodist Church in the Colony.

Mr and Mrs Joe Kabylarz and family of North Krepps Road spent Memorial Day weekend in Muskegon where they visited her mother, Mrs Anna Johnston.

Sunday evening, May 30, supper guests of Mr and Mrs Al Rademacher of North Watson Road were their children and grandchildren, Mr and Mrs Richard Rademacher and Roshelle of Maple Rapids and Mr and Mrs Kirk Burl and baby Michael of North Watson Road.

Mr and Mrs Reo Pattison of North Watson Road spent the holiday weekend at their cottage at Eight Point Lake and entertained Mr and Mrs Robert Powers of Lansing who were weekend guests of the Pattisons.

Mr and Mrs Mike Kurnez accompanied by his mother-in-law, Mrs Bascki, all of Chicago, spent the weekend visiting his brothers and their families, Mr and Mrs Peter Kurnez, Mr and Mrs John Kurnez and Nick Kurnez, all of East Colony Road.

A Memorial Day visitor at the Kirk Burl residence, rural Elsie, was his aunt, Miss Lucille Burl from Chicago.

Mr and Mrs Robert Fox of Farragher Road have welcomed a new baby boy into their home and family. They have named him John Brian. The Foxes have two other children, Patrice and Michael.

Colony resident back from trip

ROCHESTER COLONY — Mrs Florence Ewer of North Watson Road returned home recently from a trip to California, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs Donald Ike of Holland, formerly a resident of this area.

The purpose of the trip was to be on hand for the birth of Michael Edward, who was born May 13 to Mr and Mrs Harold Creamer of San Diego, Calif. Mrs Creamer is the former Ruth Ann Ike, granddaughter and daughter of Mrs Ewer and Mrs Ike, respectively.

The women took the northern route to California by train from Chicago, Ill. A six-hour wait in Portland, Oregon enabled them to take a short tour on the Columbia river, view the Multnomah Dam and visit a salmon hatchery.

After arriving in San Diego, Mrs Ewer went to Los Angeles to visit a long-time friend, Mrs Elsa Eslaut, who went with her to Disneyland and the Knotts Berry Farm.

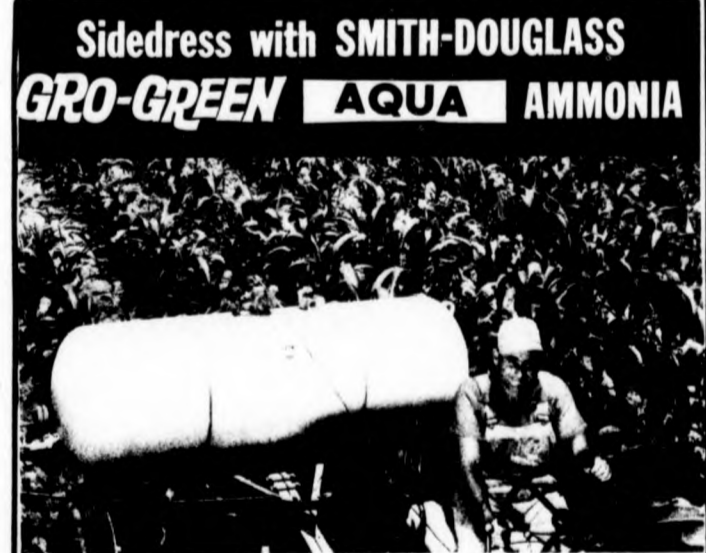
Following the baccalaureate services in Elsie for the 1965 high school graduation class, Mr and Mrs Don Temple of the Colony hosted an open house in honor of their son, James, a member of the class. After graduation James will continue his education at Michigan State University in East Lansing.

AGRICULTURE in ACTION

by M. L. Woell

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Shopping for fresh fruit and vegetables has become a taste of nightmare proportions for most housewives, with good produce almost impossible to find even at prices that remind one of war-time days. Apples, oranges and grapefruit at 10 to 15 cents each, cauliflower at double the usual price, potatoes more dear than bananas, and medium-quality heads of lettuce at 40 to 45 cents



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New techniques helping farmers keep moisture in ground, at work

On a Michigan carrot field a sprinkler irrigation system "mists" instead of spraying; in California a scientist sprays an almond tree with plastic; in Illinois a pond turns milky white

with the addition of a resinous emulsion. These bizarre and seemingly unrelated actions accomplish the same thing they save water for farmers.

One of the newer methods is an irrigation technique used in Michigan to prevent water loss from the very leaves of the crop. From 95 to 98 per cent of all water absorbed by roots of most plants is transpired into the air.

THIS NEW method "air-conditions" the crop by sprinkling small quantities of water on plants during the hottest periods of the day. Water loss from the plants and soil is reduced. The plants function more efficiently and their yield and quality are greatly improved.

A California approach to preventing water loss from the plant leaves is to spray the plant with a very thin plastic coating. Certain plastic sprays allow the necessary CO₂ and oxygen to go in and out through the pores of the leaves, but the passage of water vapor is greatly inhibited.

ONE OF THE largest farm water losses is through evaporation from the surface of lakes and ponds. Scientists have developed a chemical which is spread over the water surface to form a thin film which floats on the surface and greatly reduces evaporation.

Soil is probably the biggest water thief next to air. All to much moisture is lost to soil areas where it does little good. Water seeps away from irrigation ditches, ponds, pipes and away from the root zone itself. There are many ways to prevent seepage

downward and barriers to prevent loss from the soil upward.

LININGS for farm irrigation ditches have become increasingly practical with the recent development of new, economical and easily constructed lining materials. Portland cement concrete linings work well when they are properly constructed, although the initial cost is relatively high. Asphalt concrete is another permanent type liner. Black polyethylene vinyl plastic film controls vegetation and seepage in irrigation ditches and ponds and is quite economical to secure and install.

Although it has a relatively short life, one of the newer methods is to spray asphaltic membranes made of asphalt cement on the ditch walls. This may also be applied using rolls of asphalt-coated kraft paper.

ONE OF THE older methods still very useful today is the application of Bentonite an earth material containing a large percentage of clay for longer life. Some of these ditch and pond linings should be covered with a protective layer of earth or gravel.

Chemicals are available which will provide excellent seals for leaky ponds and ditches. The materials are added to the water in quantities of a fraction of a gallon per square foot of water area. The chemical reacts with the soil at the bottom of the body of water to form a more water-impenetrable lining. They are quicker and cheaper to apply than mechanical barriers and usually the pond or ditch does not have to be drained

or taken out of service during the treatment.

JUST AS moisture is lost downward into the soil, great amounts escape from the root zone upward into the air. Saving moisture here means less water needed to irrigate the crop, faster germination and growth, and usually a higher yield of better quality. Plastic sheets put down on top of the seedbeds hold this moisture in the soil.

New machines are being developed to automate planting and mulching in one operation. An even newer approach to plastic mulching has been begun with the development of a liquid resin mulch which is sprayed on the ground. This water-petroleum-resin emulsion forms a light film on the ground which holds in moisture and transmits the sun's heat downward, speeding germination and early growth.

West Hubbardston

Clara Hogan

(Too late for last week)

Mr and Mrs Libbey Thompson and son, Alex, of Detroit and Mr and Mrs Jack Churchill of Flint spent the recent holiday weekend at the home of Mr and Mrs Joe Fahey.

Mr and Mrs Jack Schineman and family of Lansing were guests of Mrs Anna Hogan on Memorial Day.

Mr and Mrs Frank McHenry and family were holiday weekend guests of Miss Clara Hogan.

A number of former residents were in Hubbardston for Memorial Day. Among them were Misses Helen and Marjorie Smith of Lansing, Mr and Mrs William Yates of Midland, Mr and Mrs Andy Brown of Detroit, Mrs Lotie Cranson of Grand Ledge and her sister, Flossie (Stuck) of Grand Rapids and Mrs Hattie Brow (Sturgis) of Muskegon.

Mr and Mrs Walter McDumott of Chicago, Ill. called on Miss Clara Hogan on Sunday, May 30.

Mr and Mrs Gordon Baldwin of DeWitt were guests of Mr and Mrs Keith Clark on Sunday, May 30.

Mr and Mrs Jack Stout and family of Muir and Mr and Mrs Bob Barker and family were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Keith Clark on Memorial Day.

Mr and Mrs Michael Hogan and family visited Mr and Mrs Fred Robson of Mount Pleasant on Sunday, May 30.

People on the up-grade are those who keep on the level.

Pewamo

By Mrs Irene Fox

(Too late for last week)

Republican women gather in Ionia

PEWAMO— The Ionia County Republican Women's Club luncheon was held at the Ionia County clubhouse on May 26. The guest speaker was Elly M. Peterson, chairman of the State Central Committee of Michigan.

Among those present from the Pewamo area were Miss Ruth Swindt, Mrs Carolyn Muehlman, Mrs Herman Wahl, Mrs Lawrence Blauwiel, Mrs Harry Blauwiel and Mrs Ferd C. Blauer.

The Pewamo WSCS is making plans for their 25th birthday party. All officers since 1940 will meet on June 17 at the Pewamo Methodist Church at 2 p.m.

Open house for Tom Steinke was held following the graduation exercises. Those from out of town attending were Mr and Mrs Forrest Day and John Campbell and son, David, all of Edmore.

Fredrick Schmitz Jr. was hurt while playing ball. He was taken by ambulance to Clinton Memorial Hospital on Monday, May 25, and returned home the following Saturday.

Lavern Schneider had X-rays taken for a possible fracture of his arm on Monday, May 25.

Mrs Ethel Gee attended the graduation exercises at Fowler Wednesday evening, May 26. Her grandson, Mark T. Wieber, was a graduate. A reception was held at the home of his parents, Mr and Mrs Mark Wieber, following the exercises.

Mr and Mrs Clarence Slowinski and son, Bob of Lake Odessa and Miss Jane Droste of Ionia were Sunday, May 30, guests of Mr and Mrs Edward Droste.

Mrs Arnold Fedewa had her family home on Memorial Day, in addition to Mr and Mrs Ted Fedewa and Mr and Mrs Edward Vevina, all of Detroit and Mr and Mrs Ben Fedewa of Farmington.

August Kramer came home on May 26, from an Ann Arbor hospital where he had been a patient for over 5 weeks, following major surgery. Visitors of the August Kramer's over the holiday weekend were Miss Lucille Stump of Detroit and Mr and Mrs Roy Morton of St. Louis.

Mrs Joan Daniels of Lansing spent Memorial Day with her mother, Mrs Casper Cook.

Mr and Mrs Floyd Bissell, Mr and Mrs Phil Waigle and daughters, Ellen and Joann, attended the graduation exercises and open house of their grandson and nephew, Robert Bissell of DeWitt, Tuesday evening, May 25.

The banns of matrimony were announced for the first time, Sunday, for Bernard Smith of Portland and Miss Karen Bissell of Pewamo and for Kenneth Smith and Miss Pat Foster of Pewamo. Mr and Mrs Carl Miller and family of Saginaw were Memorial Day guests of their mother, Mrs Arak Roach.

Miss Aurelia Cook spent a week with her sister Miss Marie Cook. Many former residents of Pewamo attended a homecoming and dinner at the Masonic Hall Sunday, May 30. They also attended the East Plains Memorial Services at the cemetery.

Mr and Mrs Richard Vance of Lansing were holiday weekend guests of their sister, Mrs Louise Fox.

Mrs Elizabeth Crabb and her sister, Mrs Beulah Dual of Lowell, called on a number of friends in Pewamo, Sunday, May 30.

Minard Leonard of Howard City spent several days at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Mrs Leonard and Guy were guests of Miss Ruth Swindt.

The Fowler Post 3733 Veterans of Foreign Wars held services at the Pewamo Cemetery at 10:15 a.m. on Memorial Day in honor of Edward G. Fox.

William Heckman was among several others of the area that attended the Indianapolis 500.

Dr and Mrs Leslie Caston and daughter, Kay, of Hastings were holiday weekend guests of Mrs Clara Caston. Sunday, May 30, guests were Mr and Mrs Owen Smith of Lyons.

Mr and Mrs Daniel Schafer and family were Memorial Day guests of Mr and Mrs Ernest Schafer.

Mr and Mrs Joseph Heckman Sunday, May 30, had their family home in honor of their daughter, Joann's graduation.

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ASC PROGRAM

County loan, purchase support wheat rate set



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County ASC Manager

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Three general changes are made in the price-support rate schedules for the 1965-crop wheat. They deal with terminal rate adjustments, discontinuance of the sedimentation value tests, and a readjustment of other premium and discount schedules.

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As in the past, terminal price-support rates are derived by adding rail freight and handling charges necessary to get the wheat from the producing area to the terminal markets. The county loan rates are then computed on the basis of the tributary terminal market loan rate, minus rail-freight rates. County and terminal loan rates are subject to further adjustment for premium and discounts in determining individual producer loans, depending on the grade and quality of the producer's wheat collateral.

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the Annual Election will be held in the St. Johns Public School District, in the County of Clinton, and State of Michigan, at the five (5) voting precincts as described below, for the purpose of electing two (2) members of the Board of Education, one for a four (4) year term, and the other for a two (2) year term.

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The Candidates for the Two (2) Year Term Are:

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The five voting precincts as determined by the St. Johns Board of Education shall be as follows:

Precinct No. 1—All of Bingham Township including the City of St. Johns, those portions of the former Rowell, Wildcat, and Serviss Districts which lie in Ovid Township, and all of that portion of Bengal Township which now lies in the St. Johns School District.

The place of voting for Precinct No. 1 will be in Room 113 of the Rodney B. Wilson High School, West Cass Street, St. Johns, Michigan.

Precinct No. 2—All of that portion of Essex Township now in the St. Johns School District, plus that portion of the former East Essex School District which extends into Fulton Township, Gratiot County.

The place of voting for Precinct No. 2 will be in the East Essex School.

Precinct No. 3—All of Greenbush Township, and including those portions of the former East Essex School District and the Union Home School District which lie in Washington Township, Gratiot County; all of the former Church District in Washington Township, Gratiot County; all of the former Page School District which lies in Greenbush and Duplain Township, Clinton County, and Washington and Elba Townships, Gratiot County; and that portion of the former Rowell School District which lies in Duplain Township.

The place of voting for Precinct No. 3 will be the Eureka School.

Precinct No. 4—All of Olive Township and including the former Cedar Lake School District in Victor Township, and that portion of the former Price School District which lies in Victor Township.

The place of voting for Precinct No. 4 will be the Olive Center School.

Precinct No. 5—All of that portion of Riley Township now in the St. Johns Public School District, plus those portions of the former Simmons, South Riley, Kincaid and Clark School Districts which lie in Watertown Township; and that portion of the former Kincaid School District which lies in Westphalia Township.

The place of voting for Precinct No. 5 will be at the Riley Town Hall, corner of Francis and Pratt Roads.

The polls at all voting places will be open from seven o'clock a.m. (7:00 a.m.) until eight o'clock p.m. (8:00 p.m.) on the fourteenth day of June, 1965.

This notice is given by order of the Board of Education of said school district.

RAYMOND PARR

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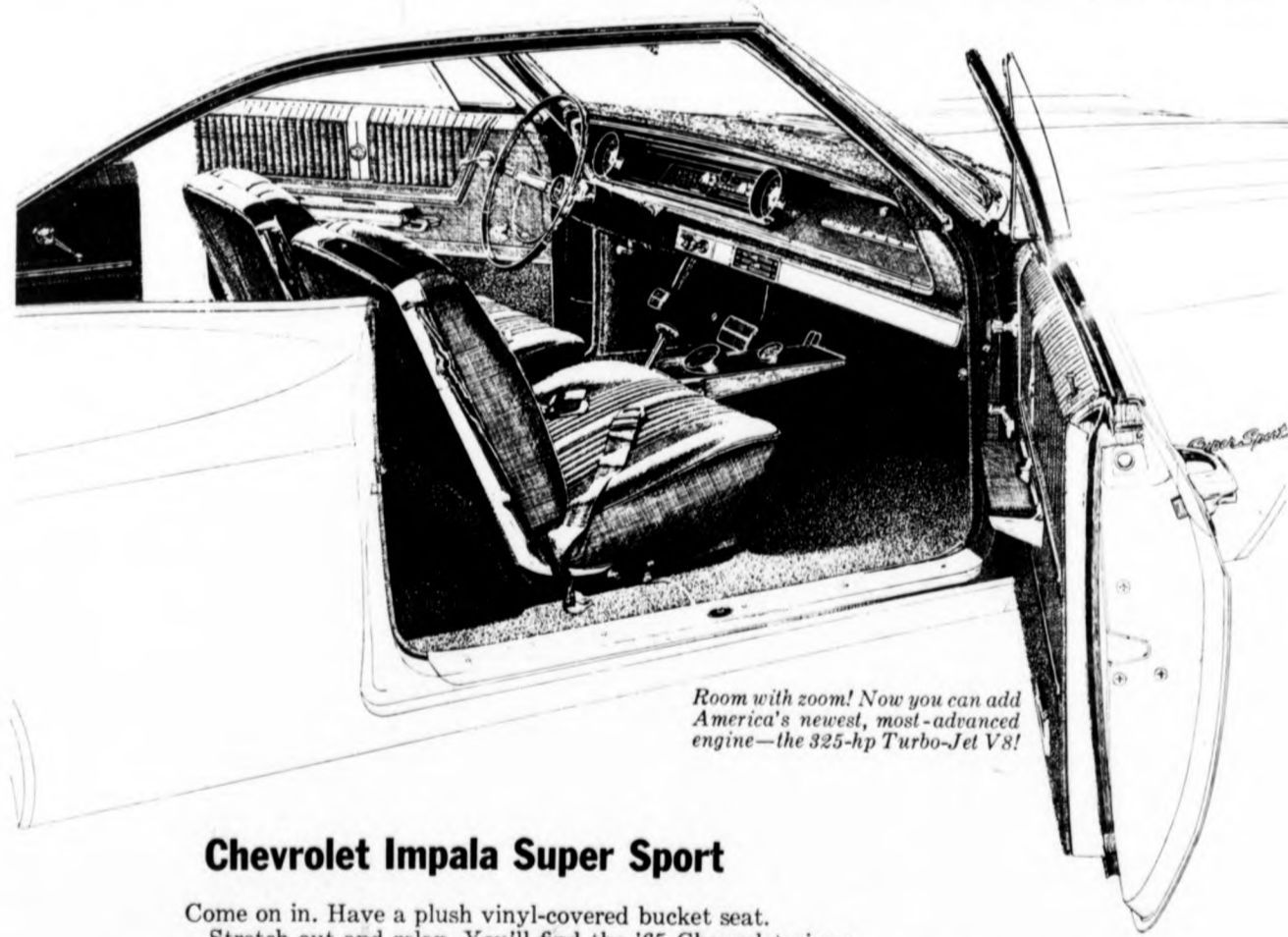
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Clinton's Civic Calendar

Officers of these organizations are advised to notify The Clinton County News at least one week in advance of the date of publication of the issue in which a change in the regular schedule should appear.

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 Tuesdays, noon, Walker's Cafe
 Grission WRC—1st and 3rd Tuesday, 2 p.m. Municipal Building
 40 et 8—1st Monday, 8:30 p.m., St. Johns and Breckenridge 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, 8:30 p.m., Daley's Restaurant
 Knights of Columbus—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 8 p.m.—K of C hall
 Knights Templar—1st Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
 Lions Club—2nd and 4th Wednesday 6:30 p.m., IOOF Hall
 Masonic Lodge—1st Monday, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
 Morning Musicals—2nd and 4th Thursday 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, 1:30 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
 WCU Mary Smith Union—Third Monday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in the 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 Committee—1st Tuesday 7:30 p.m., at the school
 Cub Scout Pack—4th Thursday, 6:30 p.m., school
 Firemen's Auxiliary—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., home of members
 Park 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
 WSCS—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 in homes of members
 Child Study Club—4th Monday evening, homes of members
 Circle Eights—First and third Saturdays, DeWitt elementary school
 Cub Scouts—3rd Thursday, 5 p.m., Memorial building
 DeWitt Grange—2nd and 4th Fridays
 Girl Scouts—Every Thursday 3:30 p.m., Memorial building
 DeWhitters—Tops Club—1st three Thursdays at DeWitt high school, 4th and 5th at Memorial Building at 8 p.m.
 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, 1 p.m., Memorial building
 St. Francis Club—1st Monday, 8:30 p.m., Memorial building
 Thursday Afternoon Club—Last Thursday in homes of members
 Veterans' Club—2nd Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Memorial building
 Volunteer Firemen—2nd Tuesday evening, fire hall
 WSCS—3rd Thursday evening, Methodist church

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
 WSCS—1st Wednesday, Ladies' Rooms 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., alternate months, Band room
 B.W.C.S.—2nd Tuesday, 9:30 p.m., in homes of members
 Lions Club—1st and 3rd Mondays, 7:00 p.m., Legion hall
 Masonic Lodge—2nd Tuesday, 8:00 p.m., Masonic hall
 WSCS—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
 Woman's Literary Club—Alternate Tuesdays, 8 p.m., homes of members

Fowler

Boy Scouts—Every Wednesday, 7 p.m., Holy Trinity gym
 Confraternity of Christian Mothers—4th Tuesday 8 p.m., Most Holy Trinity church
 Daughters of Isabella—2nd Wednesday, 8 p.m., Most Holy Trinity church
 Fowler Conservation Club—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., Fire Hall
 Jaycees—3rd Thursday, 8 p.m., Fire hall
 Knights of Columbus—Monday after the 2nd Sunday, 8 p.m., K of C hall
 Lions Club—3rd Monday, 12 Noon, 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 the 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 Thursday, 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
 Sorosis Club—2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 1:30 p.m., homes of members
 St. Martin DePorre Altar Society—1st Thursday, 8 p.m., homes of members
 Council Meeting—1st and 3rd Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
 Women's Fellowship—Last Friday of month, 1:30 p.m., church dining room
 WSCS—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 2 p.m., homes of members

Ovid

Acme Society—3rd Thursday, 8 p.m., in homes of members
 American Legion—3rd Wednesday, 8:30

p.m., Memorial building
 Businessmen's Association—2nd Tuesday, time and place varies
 Crescent Club—1st and 3rd Mondays, 8 p.m., in homes of members
 Disabled Veterans—1st and 3rd Fridays, 8:30 p.m., Memorial building
 Homemakers—2nd and 4th Thursdays, 2 p.m., in homes of members
 IOOF—Every Tuesday, 8 p.m., IOOF hall
 Job's Daughters—2nd and 4th Mondays, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
 Lions Club—2nd and 4th Mondays, 6:30 p.m., Main Street church of United Church
 Laf-a-Lot Club—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 2 p.m., in homes of members
 Masonic Lodge—1st Monday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
 Order of Eastern Star—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
 Ovid-Duplain Library Club—1st Friday, 12:30 p.m. in homes of members
 Past Grand Club—4th Tuesday, in homes of members
 Rebekah Lodge—1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 8 p.m., IOOF hall
 Royal Arch Masons—1st Wednesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
 Roman Football Boosters—Meet every Tuesday at 8 p.m. at the high school
 Social Evening—Veterans Memorial Building, 8 p.m., every Wednesday, sponsored by Ovid veteran's group
 Town and Country Extension—4th Wednesday, in homes of members
 VFW—2nd and 4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Memorial building
 VFW Auxiliary—1st Tuesday 8 p.m., in Memorial building
 Volunteer Firemen—First Thursday, 7:30 at Fire hall
 World War I Veterans—1st Thursday p.m., Memorial building

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., Masonic hall
 21 Club—2nd Monday, 8 p.m., club house
 WSCS—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. 138—Regular meetings first Thursday of the month at 8:00 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

4 area students to be graduated

Four Clinton County students will graduate from Western Michigan University at Kalamazoo this Saturday morning at 9:30.

They are: Donna J. Oatley of North US-27, St. Johns, with bachelor of science and elementary certificate; Mike L. Oatley of 700 S. Oakland, St. Johns, BS and secondary certificate; Douglas P. Warren, of 307 E. Clark, St. Johns, BBS; and Marsha A. Schavey of 207 Wilson Street, DeWitt, BS and secondary certificate.

Featured speaker at the commencement will be R. Sargent Shriver, director of the Peace Corps and head of the US Office of Economic Opportunity.

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Kincaid District

Mrs Porter C. Parks

(Too late for last week)

Mrs Raymond Smith and baby and Elnora Dumond visited Mr and Mrs Porter Parks and family on Memorial Day.

Delmer Brace and Jimmy of Grand Ledge visited Mr and Mrs E. J. Brace on Memorial Day.

Memorial Day afternoon, Mr and Mrs E. J. Brace called on Mr and Mrs Robert Brace of rural Grand Ledge.

Mr and Mrs Clarence Parks and children, Mr and Mrs David Parks and children and Mr and Mrs Don Henning and Tommy, all of Lansing and Mrs Marge Myszek and sons of DeWitt visited in the Porter Parks home during the Memorial Day weekend.

Marilyn Parks visited Elnora Dumond Sunday evening, May 30. Nancy Hoerner visited Mr and Mrs Howard Sargent, Friday evening, May 28.

Mr and Mrs Charles Fisher and Kevin, Otto Witt and Clare had a picnic on Memorial Day at St. Johns Park.

Mrs Charles Fisher and Kevin, and Mrs Grace Sullivan visited Mrs Porter Parks Tuesday, May 25.

Sunday, May 30, dinner and supper guests of Mr and Mrs Harold Hoerner and Nancy were Mr and Mrs Elmer Hardenburg, Stuart and Roger, Loyal Kincaid of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Howard Sargent and Russ Sullivan.

Memorial Day dinner and supper guests of Mr and Mrs Harold Hoerner were Richard Grove, Loyal Kincaid of Lansing, Russ Sullivan and Vernon Grove of Grand Ledge.

Mrs Loretta Grove and children visited Mr and Mrs Harold Hoerner on Memorial Day afternoon.

Sunday, Mike Hoerner of Lansing and Arlon Grove visited Mr and Mrs Harold Hoerner.

Mrs Jean Grieve is ill and confined to her home on Chadwick Road.

Mr and Mrs Floyd Hedglen of Marion are visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs Ed Fuhr.

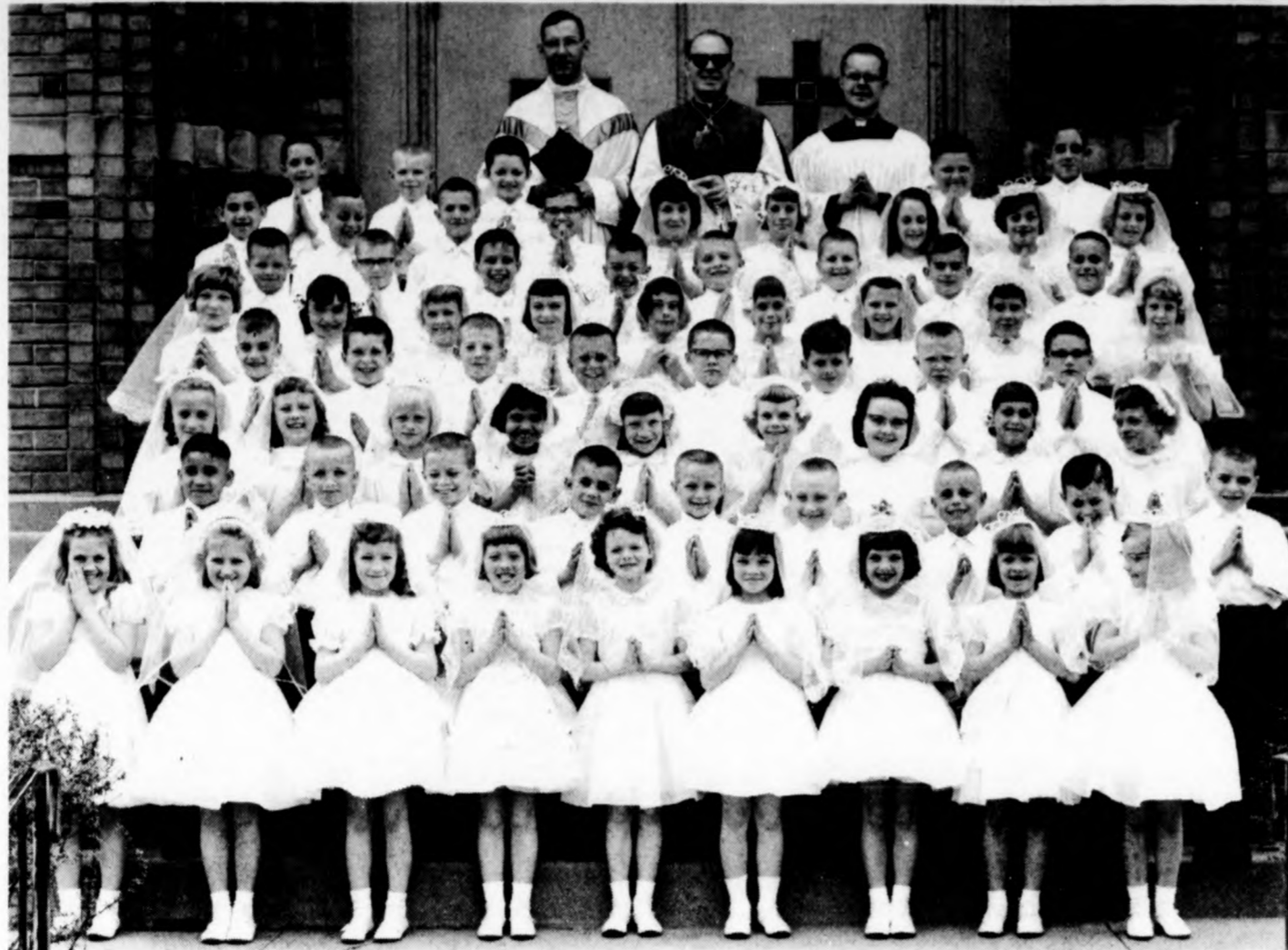
Mr and Mrs Ed Fuhr went to Nashville and Hastings, Sunday. Clare Witt visited Mr and Mrs Porter Parks and family Monday, May 31.

Mike Hoerner of Lansing spent the weekend with Mr and Mrs Richard Grove and children.

Mrs Vernon Grove and children of Grand Ledge visited Mrs Loretta Grove and children Memorial Day.

Otto Dickinson attended the father-son banquet at the Portland Methodist church with John Dickinson Tuesday evening, May 25.

Mr and Mrs Frank Bedalme visited Mr and Mrs Otto Dickinson Tuesday, May 25.



May traffic deaths dip

Michigan traffic deaths for May totaled 135, a reduction of 29, or 18 per cent, compared with 164 in the same month a year ago, state police provisional figures show.

Included in the May fatalities were 21 persons who were killed during the 78-hour Memorial Day holiday weekend, three less than 24 in the same period in 1964. Delayed death reports are expected to add slightly to the holiday and May provisional tolls.

IT WAS the fourth month in five this year to show a decrease. April, which had shown a reduction provisionally, was moved into the increase column by delayed deaths, giving it 148 compared with 144 in the month in 1964.

The May loss was four higher than the average of '31 for that month in the 10 years of 1955-64. High May was 193 in 1941 while the low was 49 in 1944, a war year.

THE PROVISIONAL five-month total is 670 deaths, which is 129 or 16 per cent less than 799 in the same period a year ago.

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105 children receive first Holy Communion in St. Joseph Church

One hundred and five children received their first Holy Communion at the 8:15 Mass in St. Joseph Catholic Church in St. Johns May 8. The Mass was celebrated by Rev John Young, President in the sanctuary were Bishop Joseph Green and Rev Edwin Schoettle.

In the accompanying large picture are students who attend St. Joseph School. They include:

Judy Asher, Kathryn Bappert, Paul Butler, Ruth Ann DeBoer, Linda Eisler, Simeon Ewing, Edward Falvor, Susan Falvor, Diane Feldpausch, Timothy Fox, William Fox, Maurine Gallagher, Steven Henning, Pamela Hufnagel, Mark Hurst, Patrick Hurst, Cynthia Maier.

CATHRYN Merignac, Marcia Miller, James Moore, Carol Nurenberg, Carol Parker, Cindy Pung, Cynthia Rademacher, Debra Rademacher, Dale Rhyndard, Michael Rice, Debra Rudy, Joseph Thelen, Richard VanRooyen, Thomas Villarreal, Liane Whitford, James Willette.

Thomas Zuker, Kenneth Andrews, Daniel Barnes, James Bond, Helen Buggs, Mark Fedewa, Wayne Fedewa, Darlene Fero, Patrick Fox, Ella Geller, Allen Glowacki, Lorraine Goff, Julie Harris, Bruce Joslyn, Michael Kenaski, Ellen Kielen.

MARY Liszewski, Mary Ann Malusek, Dale Mankey, Cella Martinez, Cynthia Miller, Mary Jane Moegenberg, James Morrison, Robert Quinn, Daniel Salazar, Ellen Schneider, Raymond Schneider, Scott Smith, Jeffrey Snater, Lisa Spitzley, Charles Thelen, Diane Vitek, and James Gaffney.

IN THE three-column picture are the children from public

schools who are attending St. Joseph CCD classes. They include:

Ronald Ballinger, Michael Beaufore, Joan Carr, Curt Cornell, Ronald Dershem, Beverly Droste, Pamela Flegel, Jerilyn Flowers, Cheryl Kirilovic, Karen Kundrata, Michael Lyon, Renee Makara, Margarita Martinez, Craig Masarik, Raymond Mead, Ronald Minarik, David Motz, Carl Orson, James Plowman, Ronald Prosocki.

LOU ANN Prowant, Kenneth Randolph, Rebecca Reagen, Jerome Schueller, John Seyrek, Cathy Seyrek, Christine Signs, Michael Simon, Michael Sipkovsky, Esther Smith, Lynette Sperry, Debra Spicer, Benedict Swanchara, Katherine Swanchara, Kenneth Swanchara, Daniel Szarka, Karen Vitek, Melanie Wieber.

We're thirsty city, May water figures show

St. Johns residents and businesses consumed an average of 1,339,355 gallons of water per day during May, according to a report on the well operations presented to the city commission last Tuesday night.

A total of 41,525,000 gallons was pumped during the month, an average of 930 per minute. These figures compare with 33,186,000 gallons pumped during May 1964. The rate per day then was 1,070,516, or 743 gallons per minute.

This year, the biggest consumption day was May 20 when 1,745,000 gallons of water were pumped during filling of the new water tower. The lowest figure was 1,057,000 gallons on the last four days of the month.

ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTION OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF DeWITT PUBLIC SCHOOLS, CLINTON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

to be held

June 14, 1965

To the Qualified Electors of Said School District:

Please Take Notice that the Annual Election of the qualified electors of said School District will be held in the Gymnasium of the DeWitt High School Building, in the Village of DeWitt, on Monday, June 14, 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.

At said Annual Election there will be elected two (2) members to the Board of Education of said district for full terms of four (4) years, ending in 1969.

The following persons have been nominated to fill such vacancies:

- LLOYD BALLARD
- MAURICE BECKER
- ROBERT HAWKER
- ROBERT RICHMOND
- ROBERT TAYLOR

Take Further Notice That the following propositions will be submitted to the vote of the electors qualified to vote thereon at said annual election:

I. Shall the limitation on the total amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in DeWitt Public Schools, Clinton County, Michigan, be increased by thirty-five hundredths of one per cent (0.35%) (3½ mills) of the assessed valuation, as equalized, of all property in said school district for the year 1965, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating expenses?

II. Shall the Board of Education of DeWitt Public Schools, Clinton County, Michigan, be authorized to transfer the balance of approximately \$3,002.45 remaining in the 1951 debt retirement fund to the building and site fund?

III. Shall DeWitt Public Schools, Clinton County, Michigan, be annexed to the Lansing Community College?

IV. Shall the Board of Trustees of Lansing Community College be authorized to levy a tax on the real and tangible personal property within DeWitt Public Schools, Clinton County, Michigan, not to exceed the annual rate of one mill on each dollar (\$1.00 on each \$1,000) of the assessed valuation, as equalized, of the property within the district, in the manner and for the purposes provided by Act 188 of 1955 as amended?

Each person voting to elect members to the Board of Education and on the above propositions must be a citizen of the United States, have attained the age of 21 years, and have resided in the State of Michigan six months and in the School District 30 days next preceding the election.

Only persons registered as electors in the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote.

I, Velma Beaufore, Treasurer of Clinton County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of April 27, 1965, the records of this office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in DeWitt Public Schools, Clinton County, Michigan, is as follows:

- By Clinton County: None
- By DeWitt Township: 1 mill 1961-1966 inclusive, 6 years
- By Watertown Township: None
- By Olive Township: None
- By the School District: 7 mills, 1965 only
- Special Education: ¾ mill annually

VELMA BEAUFORE
Treasurer, Clinton County, Michigan

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of DeWitt Public Schools, Clinton County, Michigan.

EARL W. CORYELL
Secretary, Board of Education



KENNETH MUNGER

RE-ELECT
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MUNGER

... to the St. Johns
SCHOOL BOARD
ELECTION — JUNE 14



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McCARTHY

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Board to the Community
and School System

Re-elect Incumbents....
MUNGER and McCARTHY
At the Polls Tuesday, June 14

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Next Sunday in Clinton County Churches

All Churches in Clinton County are invited to send their weekly announcements to The Republican-News. They must reach us by noon Monday to insure publication in the current week's issue.

St. Johns Area

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Dr Howard A. Smith, Minister

9:45 a.m.—Morning Worship, Sermon: "The Role of the Church Today," Installation of Woman's Society Officers

11:00 a.m.—Church School June 9-13—Annual Conference at Albion

Monday, June 14
6:30 p.m.—Wesleyan Service Guild picnic

Tuesday, June 15
7:30 p.m.—Official Board meeting

9:30 a.m.—Vacation Church School June 14-18. Kindergarten and primary children meet at the Congregational church. Grades 4, 5 and 6 meet in First Methodist church

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Gerald Churchill, Minister

Thursday, June 10
7:30 p.m.—June meeting of the Church Council

Sunday, June 13
9:45 a.m.—Church School, nursery through junior high

11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship. All Church School departments will participate in the Annual Children's Day Service. Children will be baptized. Mr Churchill's sermon will be "Stop, Look and Listen."

1:00 p.m.—Duets at City Park

9:00 a.m.—Opening session of the Daily Vacation Church School sponsored by the Congregational and Methodist churches. Pre-School and Primary departments will meet at the Congregational church; Juniors will be at the Methodist church. The school will meet each morning, Monday through Friday, from 9:00 until 11:30. Children who do not have a church home or are associated with a church which does not have such a school are welcome to attend

6:45 p.m.—Congregators' picnic at the home of Mr and Mrs K. L. Jones, French road

Tuesday, June 15
9:00-11:30 a.m.—Vacation Church School

1:00 p.m.—Priscilla Alden Division Black luncheon in Wilcox Hall at the church

6:30 p.m.—Pearl Caldwell Vesper Division picnic at the home of Mrs Russell Welsh, 801 E. McConnell

Wednesday, June 16
9:00-11:30 a.m.—Daily Vacation Church School

Thursday, June 17
9:00-11:30 a.m.—Daily Vacation Church School

6:30 p.m.—Father and Son Banquet, Wilcox Hall

Riley Township

ST. JOHN'S BAPTIST TEMPLE
400 E. State Street
Rev. Roy Green, Pastor

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School. Teaching the First and Second Timothy

11 a.m.—Morning Worship

6 p.m.—Young People and Junior Cadets

8 p.m.—Adults studying the book of Leviticus

7 p.m.—Evening Worship

Ladies' Bible reading class every day Monday through Friday at 9 a.m.

All ladies are invited

7 p.m.—Wednesday evening Bible study hour

Every one is welcome to all of the services

Gunnisonville Area

GUNNISONVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH
Clark and Wood Roads
Rev. John P. Keith Pastor

9:15 a.m.—Sunday School

10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship

A friendly church where all are welcome

Maple Rapids Area

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

WCSA meets second Wednesday of each month at the church

Matherton Area

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH
Matherton, Michigan
Rev. J. J. Wibert, Pastor

9:45 a.m.—Worship Service

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

DeWitt Area

DEWITT COMMUNITY CHURCH
(Inter-denominational)
Rev. Daniel Kellin, Pastor

9:45—Sunday School "Teaching God, Christ, and the Church," Mrs Ardis Sihler

11:00 a.m.—Divine Worship

Fulton Area

FULTON FULL GOSPEL CHURCH
1/2 mile east of Perrinton on M-37, 1/2 mile south
Rev. Fred Wink, Pastor

9:45 a.m.—Sunday School

11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship

7:00 p.m.—Youth Service

7:45 p.m.—Evening Service

7:45 p.m.—Thursday, Prayer and praise service

Valley Farms Area

VALLEY FARMS BAPTIST CHURCH
241 E. State Road
Rev. LaVern Bretz, Pastor

10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship, Junior Church for children through 6th grade

11:15 a.m.—Church School. There is a class for everyone from the youngest to the oldest. The Bible is our textbook

8:30 p.m.—BYF for both Juniors and Seniors

7:00 p.m.—Evangelistic Service

9:00 p.m.—Morning practices

Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.—Mid-week Prayer Service; 8:00 p.m.—Morning Practices

Saturday 10:00 a.m.—Jr. Choir practice

First Thursday 7:30 p.m.—Woman's Mission Society

2nd Saturday 2:00 p.m.—Ann Judson Guild for H. girls

3rd Tuesday 6:30 p.m.—Men's Fellowship

Fowler Area

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH
Fowler, Michigan
Rev. Herbert Schmidt, Pastor

9 a.m.—Worship Service

10 a.m.—Sunday School

Westphalia Area

ST. MARY'S CHURCH
Rev Fr Aloysius H. Miller, Pastor
Rev Fr Roy O. Schoendorff, Assistant Pastor

Sunday Masses—6, 8 and 10 a.m.

Weekdays—During school year, 7:45 and 11 a.m.

Holy Days—5:30, 7:30, 9 a.m. and 8 p.m.

Holy Hour—Friday, 7:30 p.m.

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

Ovid Area

OID FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
South Main Street
Rev. Wallace E. Lewin, Pastor

Myron Woodruff, Church School Supt.

10:00 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

Shepardville Area

CHURCH OF GOD
Ovid, Michigan
Rev. L. Sanders, Pastor

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School

11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship

6:00 p.m.—Youth Fellowship

7:00 p.m.—Evening Service

7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, Bible Study; 8:45 p.m.—Choir practice

Victor Township

GROVE BIBLE CHURCH
Rev. Robert Franke, Pastor

10:00 a.m.—Sunday school. Classes for all ages

11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship

6:30 p.m.—Young People

8:00 p.m.—Wednesday, prayer meeting

7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, prayer meeting

Thursdays Missionary circle meets 4th Thursday

Couples Club meets 4th Saturday in month

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 (M.Y.F.) and 3rd Sundays of month

Wednesday, 3:30 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

WHO BATS FIRST??



THE CHURCH FOR ALL

ALL FOR THE CHURCH
The Church is the greatest factor on earth for the building of character and good citizenship. It is a storehouse of spiritual values. Without a strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization can survive. There are four sound reasons why every person should attend services regularly and support the Church. They are: (1) For his own sake. (2) For his children's sake. (3) For the sake of his community and nation. (4) For the sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral and material support. Plan to go to church regularly and read your Bible daily.

Part of playing any game is to learn how to settle the inevitable arguments.

In a league in which nobody has a coin to toss, this is the time-honored method for getting the game started without a squabble. But there are other games to be played, in other leagues. Life for each of us brings many occasions for conflict. And they don't all yield to simple techniques like twirling a bat around one's shoulders with just a couple of fingers. Earnest Christians believe that our faith can point men to the right attitude and action in times of stress. That's why, as we face the conflicts of life, we always hope the other fellow will behave like a Christian. And he's hoping as much of us. Why not meet him in Church next Sunday? That's where right attitudes often begin.

Sunday Matthew 18:21-35	Monday Mark 9:33-41	Tuesday Ephesians 4:22-33	Wednesday Philippians 2:1-11	Thursday Philippians 2:14-18	Friday Colossians 2:1-6	Saturday 1 Timothy 6:3-10
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Wrong Dose

In Glendale, Arizona a baby saved its life by refusing to swallow its medicine. The medicine was the wrong prescription and could have caused the child serious illness or death. The druggist somehow got prescriptions mixed and when it was noticed phoned the police who rushed to the home to avert the tragedy. The relieved couple told how they had tried to give the baby the medicine but she had spit it out. I wonder how many unsuspecting people have entered liberal churches and have been given wrong doses of religious medicine, which if followed would cause eternal death. When seeking to be right with God they are told, "Do the best you can"; "Be baptized and join the church"; "Live right"; as the means of being reconciled to God. These are poisonous potions that have already caused thousands to be doomed for eternity. No person will ever be reconciled to a holy God in this way. My Bible tells me that it is only through a personal faith in the finished work of Jesus Christ. You will never be saved by what you do for the Lord. You are saved when you accept what God has done for you through Jesus Christ. This is New Testament Christianity—believe it to be safe.

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First Baptist Church

9:45 a.m.—Morning Worship, Sermon: "The Role of the Church Today," Installation of Woman's Society Officers

11:00 a.m.—Church School June 9-13—Annual Conference at Albion

Monday, June 14
6:30 p.m.—Wesleyan Service Guild picnic

Tuesday, June 15
7:30 p.m.—Official Board meeting

9:30 a.m.—Vacation Church School June 14-18. Kindergarten and primary children meet at the Congregational church. Grades 4, 5 and 6 meet in First Methodist church

St. Joseph Catholic Church

Most Rev. Joseph Green, J.C.D., D.D.
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. Holy Communion 7:15 a.m.

Weekdays: (No School) 7, 7:30 and 8 a.m.

Sundays: 6, 7:30, 9, 10:30 (High Mass Oct. through May) and 12 noon Holy Days: 6 and 8 a.m., 5:30 and 7:30 p.m.

Sacrament of Penance—Saturdays: 3:30 to 5 p.m. and 7:30 to 9 p.m., during the 9 and 11:20 Masses.

First Fridays—Sacrament of Penance: Thursday from 3:30 to 5 p.m., 1:30 to 3:30 p.m., and during a 11 Masses

Holy Communion: 6 a.m. and before 7 and 8 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 11:20 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 4:30 p.m. (No 11:20 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. First 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 on preceding Thursday from 8:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Instruction Classes: Adult Instruction and Inquiry 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.

Free Methodist Church

305 Church Street
Bruce L. Srigley, Minister

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School

11:30 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

9:45 a.m.—Worship Service

11:00 a.m.—Sunday School

8:00 p.m.—MYF

Church of God

Whitmore 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

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

7 p.m.—Wednesday, second and fourth, WMC

7:30 p.m.—Thursday evening service

St. Mary's Church

Rev. Roy O. Schoendorff, Pastor

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School

11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship

6:30 p.m.—Evening Service

7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, Bible study

St. Cyril Catholic Church

Rev Fr C. D. Smolinski, Pastor
Rectory: Bannister, Phone 862-5270

Sunday Masses—8:10 a.m., First Fridays—7:30 a.m., 8 and 8 p.m.

Holy Days, Mass—7 a.m. and 8 p.m.

Confessions—4 to 5 and 7:30 to 9 every Saturday except First Fridays before Mass.

St. Martin DePorre Mission

Middleton, Mich.
Father Charles L. Ganley, Pastor

Sunday Mass—9:15 a.m.

No Weekday Mass

Bath Area

BATH METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Reginald B. Becker, Minister

10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship

11:00 a.m.—Church School

7:00 p.m.—Jr. MYF at the church

8:00 p.m.—Sr. MYF at the church

Rose Lake Church

Reorganized L.D.S.
Elder Jack Hodge, Pastor

Corner of Union and Stool roads

10:00 a.m.—Church School

11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship

7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship

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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

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11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship

St. Peter Lutheran Church

Missouri Synod
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2 miles west on Church road

Elmer B. Schiefer, Pastor

Phone 224-3178

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Ovid High School Class of 1965

Road Commission Weekly Report

The dust control program got underway again last Friday after being postponed because of rainy weather. We have four units working in the county this week and expect to complete all roads that are scheduled by the middle of next week.

The Board of Clinton County Road Commissioners held their regular meeting last Thursday, June 3. The board opened bids for the processing and stockpiling of 50,000 yards of gravel at four locations. Pickett and

Scheurer of Allegan were low bidders and were awarded the contract.

THE COMMISSION then opened bids for a new low-boy tandem-axle trailer. There were six bidders and Miller Equipment Co. of Grand Rapids was awarded the contract to furnish a Rogers Trailer.

The board discussed the Supreme Court ruling on highway encroachments and the effect this ruling would have on our federal aid program. All federal aid in withheld on projects where the state or the various counties can not guarantee that the new road will be free from encroachments.

CLINTON COUNTY has two

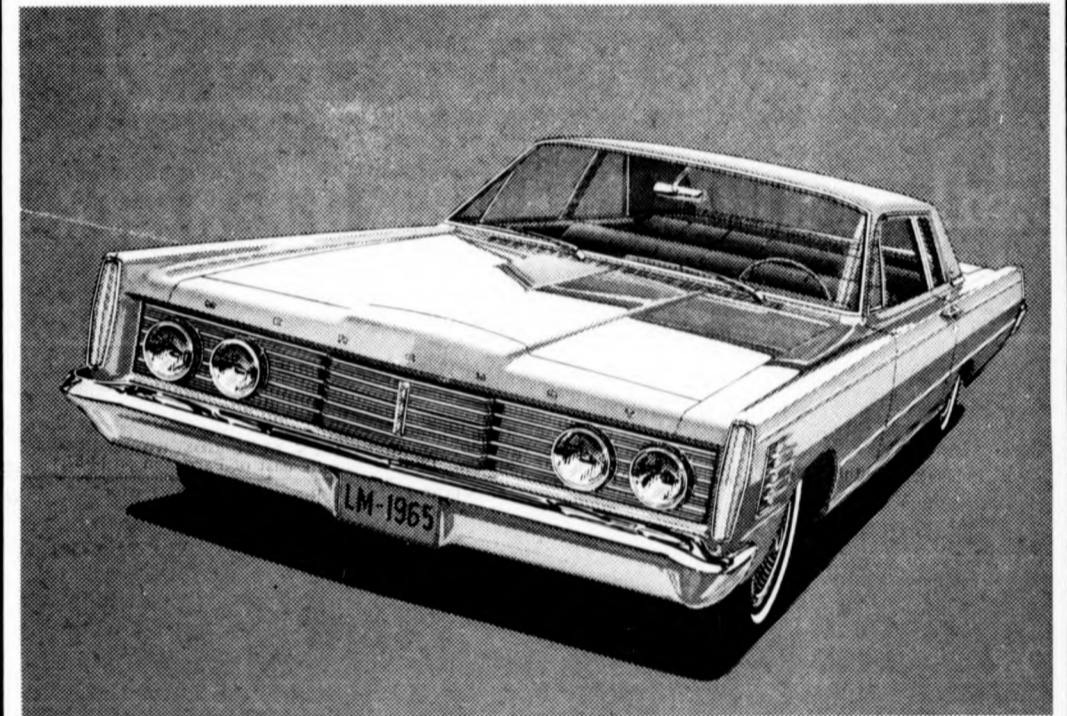
bridge projects in process at this time. The program will quite likely be delayed pending corrective legislation.

The commission examined plans of a new subdivision in Watertown Township and postponed approval until the roads could be checked.

DON EWING
Road Clerk

As early as 1856, Horace Greeley sponsored a corn-growing contest for New York boys, a forerunner of 4-H Club contests. Rural school superintendents and college experiment stations promoted contests in crop production and soil testing in the early 1900's.

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Ovid

By MRS. APHRA PIXLEY, Correspondent

Schroeder leaves as Standard agent

OVID— Jack Schroeder who has been the Standard Oil Agent in Ovid for the past 10 years has left the company. The Standard Oil Agency in Owosso will service this area and a truck will be headquartered here.

Mr and Mrs Schroeder and family are planning a trip west as soon as school is out.

Mrs Myrtle Ball spent Memorial Day in Owosso with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs Calvin Sprague.

Piano recital held

OVID— Mrs Jean Palen presented her piano pupils in recital Monday evening. They are Billie Parker, Karlina Craig, Barbara Sovis, Betty Wolfe, Michael Swender, Colleen Wilcox and Mary Alice Bates.

Two mothers, Mrs Helen Parker and Mrs Janet Bates, played duets with their children.

Miss Barbara Curtis, accompanied by Mary Ann Sovis, sang two songs.

Refreshments were served afterward with Mrs Wilma Swender assisting.

Open house fetes exchange student

OVID— Mr and Mrs Oren Semans held open house for Miss Ellen Radke, an exchange student from Germany, Sunday, May 30, from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. About 70 guests were present from Laingsburg, Owosso, New Lothrop, Mount Pleasant, Whitmore Lake, South Lyons, Detroit and the Ovid area.

Miss Christine Sietak of Detroit attended. She and Miss Radke had been pen pals for years, but had never met before.

Miss Radke is a 1965 graduate of Ovid High School and will return to Germany in July.

Mr and Mrs Albert Dietz of Philadelphia, Pa. spent Tuesday and Wednesday of last week with Mrs Hazel Dietz.

1st Ovid band awards banquet held in school

OVID— The first Ovid band awards banquet was held Thursday, May 27, in the high school auditorium when a large crowd sat down to a potluck supper. The room was decorated by the special education class.

The invocation was given by Rev Chauncey Green. Willard Barthel introduced Edgar Kelley, the toastmaster for the evening.

The Star Spangled Banner was sung, led by Chip Seward, student director, after which Kelley introduced the Band Booster's officers and special guests.

Band leader, Don Thayer, presented the medals and awards to the band members. Solo and ensemble medals, district and state medals and band certificates were given out.

Barthel presented a movie screen to the school. Principal, Thad Flaughter, accepted it.

Dennis Borton presented a State Festival Plaque to Thayer who in turn presented it to the school.

Thayer played the tape recording of Ovid High School Band from the State Festival. It was announced that anyone wishing to buy a record of the band playing at the State Festival could do so.

The guest speaker of the evening was then introduced. He was William Moffit, assistant band director of the Michigan State University Band. Moffit's topic was "The Band." Films were shown of the MSU band in pre-game and half time shows.

The evening program ended by the group singing the Ovid High School song.

(Too late for last week)

Walter Clock returned home Monday, May 31, from Sparrow Hospital where he underwent eye surgery.

Mrs Harry Huntoon entered Owosso Memorial Hospital Tuesday, June 1, for surgery.

Mr and Mrs Lloyd Peterson attended the Honor Guard picnic held northwest of St. Johns Monday, May 31, following the parade in St. Johns.

Mr and Mrs Henry Ziegs of Laingsburg have moved into the Julius Poulton home on West Williams Street which they recently purchased.

Mr and Mrs Ronald Austin were Memorial Day guests of Mr and Mrs Sillaway Sr. at Cedar Springs.

Arthur Flucke of Saginaw spent Sunday, May 30, in Ovid calling on friends.

Mr and Mrs Stanley Badelt and family of Birmingham spent some time over the holiday weekend with his parents, Mr and Mrs William Badelt.

Airman 1c James Hettlinger and family of Bellevue, Neb. are spend his 20-day leave with Mrs Minnie Secord.

Mrs Henry Gutshall and Mrs Kenneth Parmenter attended the Benson-Weaver wedding at the St. John's Student Center at Michigan State University on Saturday, May 29, and the reception at the Jack Tar Hotel.

Mrs John Holden has returned home after spending several

Elect new officers of Extension group

OVID— Town and Country Extension Group met at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, May 26, with Mrs C. W. Sherwin with 11 members present.

Mrs Paul Call Sr. opened the meeting. Nominating committee chairman, Mrs Leon Woodworth, presented the slate of officers for the ensuing year. Elected were Mrs Paul Call Sr., president; Mrs Thad Flaughter, vice president; and Mrs Aphra Pixley, secretary-treasurer.

Discussion followed about a picnic, to be held at 1 p.m. Tuesday, June 15, with a potluck at the village park. Committee appointed consists of Mrs Lawrence Woodworth and Mrs John Schwarz Sr.

The hostess then served dessert.

weeks with her daughter at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mrs C. W. Sherwin and Mrs A. H. Phelps visited Mr and Mrs William Kellogg at Perrinton on Monday, May 31.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Curtis Jr. and daughters and Mr and Mrs George Fowler and Pamela spent the holiday weekend at Higgins.

John Bartlett of Rochester, N. Y., spent several days last week with his parents, Mr and Mrs Spencer Bartlett.

Mrs Kenneth Barden and sons of Otisville spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr and Mrs John Bracey.

South Ovid

By Mrs George Young

(Too late for last week)

Mr and Mrs Rex Joseph of California returned home Memorial Day weekend after visiting his mother, Mrs Gladys Parker, sister, Mrs Virginia Closson of Midland, and other relatives around Ovid, Sumner and Riverdale. They make the trip to visit their mother and relatives every two years.

Mr and Mrs Dewey Davidson, who have their trailer at Round Lake in Macomb County, visited friends and relatives in this vicinity the last week of May.

Mrs Sarah Young entertained the Homemakers Club Thursday afternoon, May 27. Ten members were present.

Mr and Mrs Edsell Miller of North West Ionia were Sunday, May 30, visitors with Mr and Mrs Kenneth Young.

Those who visited Mrs Sarah Young and Mrs Nancy Baker two weeks ago when Mrs Nina Altwater of Wild Cat Road, Mrs Grace Loomis of Round Lake and Mrs Julia Binger, Mrs Oliver Nicholas and daughter, Paula Phelps and baby of Town Line, William Parker of Hastings, Mr and Mrs Jay Waggoner of Dexter, and Mrs Bertha Mead.

Wayne Underhill attended a wedding in Laingsburg Saturday afternoon, May 22.

Mrs Sarah Young was a Sunday, May 30, dinner guest of Mrs Hattie Morehouse and attended the Decoration Day Services at the Ovid Cemetery.



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Legal News, Business and Professional Announcements

New Suits Started

PAUL WAKEFIELD
County Clerk

Lansing Telephone Employees Credit Union vs. Fred R. Konen and Barbara E. Konen.
Edward M. Peska and Ellen I. Peska vs. Archie O. Taylor and Martha W. Taylor.
Vernard Thompson vs. James L. Barnes and Mary C. Barnes.

Marriage Licenses

John Peter Stone, 24, St. Johns, and Eugenia Ann Higgins, 22, Lansing.
Richard W. Maddox, 21, East Lansing, Barbara Edwards, 17, Bath.
Kenneth E. Kinsey, 18, Lansing, and Phyllis I. Beardsley, 18, Lansing.
Daniel Hostetler, 18, Osslan, Ind., and Juanita May Reiber, 20, DeWitt.
Jerry I. Cooper, 22, Eagle, and Georgia Kay Thorn, 19, Eagle.
Donald Dale Johnson, 21, Perrinton, and Sharon Kay Arger-singer, 20, St. Johns.

Divorces Started

Maude Helen Clark vs. Donald Emerson Clark.
Betty Jean Miller vs. Reo D. Miller II.
Mary Louise Wise vs. Donald James Wise.
Veronica A. Feldpausch vs. Owen Feldpausch.
Sarah J. Sisco vs. John H. Sisco.
John H. Lyon vs. Gail Y. Lyon.
John J. Jakus vs. Judy A. Jakus.

Probate Court

HON. TIMOTHY M. GREEN
Judge of Probate

HELENA M. BURK
Register of Probate

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16

Lucy Pope, claims.
William D. Helbeck, claims.
Harriet Grove, final account.
Mary J. Chant, appointment of administrator.
Annie Speer, M. I., annual account.
Arthur L. Chant, final account.
William F. Bucklin, M. I., annual account.

City Building Permits

May 28: Central National Bank, 201 East Walker, new building for business.
May 28: Gerald Livingston, South Oakland, dwelling and garage.

County Building Permits

May 27: James Robbins, R-4, Lansing, dwelling and garage.
May 28: Gary A. Van Orsdel, rural St. Johns, dwelling and garage.
May 28: Roger Campbell, 900 West Alward Lake Road, dwelling and garage.

May 28: Ehrenfried Lehmann, Bath, dwelling and garage.
May 28: Larry L. Mull, rural DeWitt, dwelling and garage.
May 28: Tom Oster, rural DeWitt, dwelling and garage.
May 28: Ed Carpenter, Bath, septic tank and drain field.
May 28: Jake Snyder, Bingham Township, septic tank and drain field.
May 28: Tony Hufnagel, R-3, St. Johns, garage.
May 28: Carl M. Waltz, 6630 Sleight Road, garage.

Real Estate Transfers

(From records in office of Register of Deeds)

Sarah Kline, Thelma Spence, Wilma Fitzpatrick and Raymond and Ellen Kline to Robert and Rosaline Kline, property in West-phalia twp.

Fred C. and Jean M. Green to Rolan W. and Bernice G. Sleight, property in St. Johns.

Lake Victoria Land Co. to American Central Corp., property in Victoria Hills.

Donald and Fanny Dryer to Walter F. and Anne V. Belem, property in Bath twp.

Coral Porter, Arlene Robson and Mary Jean Miller to Walter F. and Anne V. Belem, property in Bath twp.

Furman-Day Investment Co. to M. Edward and Joyce E. Pruetz, property in Watertown twp.

LeRoy G. and Louise H. Parrish to Sherwood R. and Edith Russell, property in St. Johns.

George S. and Mildred H. Robson to Clarence and Bertha B. Mead, property in Ovid twp.

Julius H. and Gladys M. Poulton to Alfred A. and Frances E. Ziegs, property in Ovid.

Frank Leo and Genevieve A. Twichell to Gerald G. and Mary E. Randall, property in DeWitt twp.

Lloyd E. and Marjorie Ballard to Howard C. and Gladys K. Walker, property in DeWitt.

Herbert E. and Dorothy M. Houghton to Gerald C. and Wanda L. Livingston, property in St. Johns.

Salem Evangelical United Brethren Church to Earl and Gladys Strahle, property in Greenbush twp.

John R. and Marilyn M. Newton to Harold W. and Barbara Kay Richardson, property in DeWitt twp.

In hot dogs or in other ways, frankfurters are extensively used in this state and so are other luncheon meats. Michigan is reported to be a national leader in consumption of comminuted (ground) meats. This may be the reason—Michigan's standards are the strictest in the nation. They permit the use of only skeletal meats—no organs, a minimum of fat, no filler or additives and no coloring. Look for the "Mich. Grade 1" tag.

Life With The Rimples



By Les Carroll



City Commission Proceedings

The regular meeting of the City Commission was called to order by Mayor Smit at 7:30 p.m. Present, Commissioners Smit, Coletta, Irrever, Kentfield, Sirrine, City Manager Greer, City Attorney Reed, and City Clerk.

City Clerk read the minutes of the May 18 regular meeting and they were approved as read. City Manager Greer read a letter from the Michigan Municipal League with reference to the annual convention to be held Sept. 15, 16, 17, 1965, in Grand Rapids.

City Manager Greer reported he had received a request from property owners for a street light in the 300 block of North Morton Street, near the railroad track. Motion by Commissioner Kentfield, supported by Commissioner Sirrine, to approve of the city manager to request Consumers Power Co. to place a 6,000 lumen incandescent street light on the 300 block of North Morton near the railroad tracks. Motion carried.

"I, COMMISSIONER Irrever, hereby move that WHEREAS: the City manager has filed a report including plans and specifications for a public improvement, AND WHEREAS: it would appear necessary that a special assessment would be necessary to complete the project, AND WHEREAS: the said project shall consist of the installation of a six-inch castiron water main in parts of the 800-900 block of West McConnell Street, AND WHEREAS: the area to be affected by this public improvement is that land adjacent to West McConnell Street.

"Be it therefore resolved:— The plans and specifications and the manager's report shall be filed with the city clerk and the clerk is hereby directed to publish a notice in the local paper advising a public hearing to be held June 15, 1965, at 7:30 p.m. in the Municipal Building, St. Johns, Mich. The above motion is supported by Commissioner Sirrine and voted approved on this the first day of June, 1965."

THE FOLLOWING resolution was offered by Commissioner Kentfield and moved for its adoption, which was supported by Commissioner Coletta.

"Be it therefore resolved that the Municipal Maintenance contract between the Michigan State Highway Commission and the City of St. Johns for the period of July 1, 1965, through June 30, 1966, is hereby accepted, and K. G. Greer is designated as maintenance superintendent on sections of state trunkline highways as shown on the municipal maintenance map and budget sheet; said maps and sheets being part of the municipal maintenance contract.

"The following city official, Jack J. Smit, mayor, is authorized to sign the said maintenance contract. Adopted: Yeas: 5, Nays: 0."

CITY MANAGER Greer reported the following police car bids received in his office prior to this meeting.

Bee's Chevrolet, Chevrolet; Delivery Date, July 10, 1965; Net Bid, Alternate 1, \$1,796.69; Net Bid, Alternate 2, \$896.59.

Stan Cowan, Mercury; Delivery Date, 30 days; Net Bid, Alternate 1, \$1,898.99; Net Bid, Alternate 2, \$1,198.99.

Egan, Ford; Delivery Date, 3 weeks; Net Bid, Alternate 1, \$1,800.00; Net Bid, Alternate 2, \$895.00.

Hettler's, Plymouth; Delivery Date, No Date; Net Bid, Alternate 1, \$2,045.00; Net Bid, Alternate 2, \$1,435.00.

MOTION BY Commissioner Sirrine, supported by Commissioner Kentfield, the police car bid be awarded to Egan Ford Sales, Net Bid Alternate 1—\$1,800.00, delivery date, three weeks. Yeas: Kentfield, Irrever, Sirrine, Coletta, and Smit. Nays: None.

City Attorney Reed reported he had prepared an Ordinance with reference to billiard rooms and pool halls. Ordinance No. 183 was offered for the first reading.

The City Commission discussed City Atty. Harold Reed's opinion on the proposed zoning ordinance. Motion by Commissioner Kentfield supported by Commissioner Irrever that said opinion by the city attorney be referred to the Planning Commission for their consideration and final recommendation to the City Commission. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS: City Manager Greer reported on the Consumers Power Co. Improved Lighting Program for M-21 from Lansing Street west to the city limits. Motion by Commissioner Kentfield supported by Commissioner Sirrine to approve of Consumers Power Co.'s proposal on street light improvement of M-21. Motion carried.

CITY MANAGER Greer reported on the State Highway Department's approval of the 1965-66 construction program involving Motor Vehicle Highway Funds, requiring the City of St. Johns to provide \$65,760.00.

City Manager Greer reported estimated costs for the re-surfacing of the tennis courts and recommended, of the four tennis courts, 2 should be resurfaced this year, and possibly two the next year. Motion by Commissioner Coletta supported by Commissioner Kentfield that City Manager Greer proceed with the re-surfacing of the middle two tennis courts.

The city commission authorized the city manager to proceed with the proposed new system of flooding the ice skating pond, to be in operation next season.

City Manager Greer reported on the Michigan Municipal League schedule of maturity of the city's \$200,000 water supply and sewage disposal revenue bonds.

THE CITY commission discussed the hourly rate schedules for the employees of the City of St. Johns. Motion by Commissioner Kentfield, supported by Commissioner Sirrine, that the hourly rate schedules be approved as presented. Motion carried. City Commissioner Kentfield introduced for discussion the poor condition of side walks throughout the city. The City Commission discussed at length the need of sidewalk replacement throughout the city.

City Atty. Harold Reed reported on a proposed license for dance halls.

COMMISSIONER Sirrine expressed his appreciation on behalf of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, and the American Legion to the City Police Department for their assistance in the Memorial Day Parade.

City Manager Greer reported the contracts for the 400,000-gallon underground storage tanks have been returned to the Pittsburgh-Des Moines Co. for correction and upon return would be presented to the City Commission for a Resolution authorizing the mayor and clerk to sign.

There being no further business, the meeting was declared adjourned at 9:50 p.m.

DONALD CLARK
Acting City Clerk

*** LEGAL NOTICES**

Final Account Carr—July 14
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
In the Matter of the Estate of **GERTRUDE CARR, Deceased**
At a session of said court held at the Probate Office in the city of St. Johns in said county on June 1, 1965. Present: Honorable Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate.

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, July 14, 1965, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, in the Probate Courtroom at the City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan, a hearing be held on the Petition of Mary Masarik, executrix of said estate, for the allowance of her final account and for assignment of the residue of said estate.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by statute and Court Rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
Judge of Probate
Clinton County, Michigan

THE NEW YORK BANK FOR SAVINGS
Assignee of Deeds for **Savings**
Dickinson, Wright, McKean & Cudlip, Attorneys
800 First National Building
Detroit 28, Michigan

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE
Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Donald C. Winkler and Clara M. Winkler, husband and wife of DeWitt, Michigan to CLINTON NATIONAL BANK & TRUST COMPANY, a Federal Banking Corporation, of St. Johns, Michigan dated the 9th day of April 1962, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Clinton and State of Michigan, on the 10th day of April 1962, in Liber 233 of Mortgages, on page 940 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of One thousand One Hundred Eighty and 00/100 (\$1,180.00) Dollars, and the further sum of Twenty-five and 00/100 (\$25.00) Dollars, as Attorney's fees, making the whole amount claimed to be due at the date of this notice, to-wit, the sum of One thousand Two Hundred Five and 00/100 (\$1,225.00) Dollars, to which amount will be added at the time of sale all taxes and insurance that may be paid by said Mortgagee between the date of this notice and the time of said sale; and no proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt now remaining secured by said Mortgage, the power of sale contained in said Mortgage has become operative.

Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given that virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described or so much thereof as may be necessary, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at south entrance of the County Building in the City of St. Johns, and Register of Deeds, on the 9th day of June, 1965, at 10:00 o'clock EST in the forenoon of said day, and said premises will

ALICE E. WEBSTER, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, June 30, 1965, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Glenn D. Webster for probate of a purported will, and for granting administration to the executor named, or some other suitable person, and for determination of heirs. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
Judge of Probate.

EMMA KESTERLOOT, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, June 30, 1965, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Billy W. Kinkert for appointment of an administrator, and for a determination of heirs. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

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be sold to pay the amount so as aforesaid then due on said Mortgage together with six (6) per cent interest, any taxes and insurance fees and also Mortgagee does pay or prior to the date of said sale; which said premises are described in said Mortgage as follows: 30-91 Dollet, Land in the Township of Riley, County of Clinton and State of Michigan to-wit: The East Half of the Southwest quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 27, of Riley Township, being Township 8 North, Range 3 West in Michigan.

CLINTON NATIONAL BANK & TRUST COMPANY,
Mortgagee
Walker & Moore
By: James A. Moore
Attorneys for Mortgagee
Clinton National Bank Bldg.
St. Johns, Michigan

MORTGAGE SALE
Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by MILTON A. FRANK and VIRGINIA M. FRANK in said Citizens Mortgage Corporation, Michigan corporation, Mortgagee, dated June 4, 1963, and recorded on June 11, 1963, in Liber 277, on page 384 Clinton County Records, Michigan, and assigned by said Mortgagee to NATIONAL BANK OF DETROIT, a National Banking Association by an assignment dated October 2, 1963, and recorded in Liber 277, on page 384 Clinton County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Twenty-Thousand Six Hundred Fifty-Two and 92/100 Dollars (\$21,652.92), including interest at 5 1/2% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the front entrance to the County Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., Eastern Standard Time, on August 6, 1965.

Said premises are situated in Township DeWitt, Clinton County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot No. 102 Clinton Village, a Sub-division of the East 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4, Section 27, Town 5 North, Range 2 West, DeWitt Township, Clinton County, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof as recorded May 21, 1954 in Plat Book 2, Page 41, Clinton County Records.

Dated: April 27, 1965

NATIONAL BANK OF DETROIT,
A National Banking Association
Assignee of Mortgage
Gerald E. Grandjean, Attorney
2330 First National Building
Detroit, Michigan 48226
WO 2-3754

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