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A—Sounds like you're planning to do quite a lot of clowning around. An 8 x 10 picture of Bozo, who appeared at the St Johns Educational Association faculty and family Christmas party, is on its way to you compliments of FACT FINDER.

## New merchant in St Johns

ST JOHNS—There's a new merchant in St Johns.

He's Bill Bennett, new owner of Lester H Lake Jewelry. The new business, on North Clinton Avenue, will be known as Bennett Jewelry.

Bennett, an Exchange Club member experienced in retailing, hopes to build up the business to what it was before Lake's retirement. Lake will continue to act as a consultant to Bennett.

Bennett and his wife Beth live in St Johns. Mrs Bennett is employed at Kroger in Southgate Shopping Plaza. Store hours will be Monday through Thursday and Saturday 9 am to 5:30 pm and Friday 9 am to 9 pm. A grand opening is planned for this spring.

## P-W, Fowler to play in St Johns

ST JOHNS—St Johns is going to be the site for the big battle Jan 12 when Fowler and Pewamo-Westphalia tangle in a basketball battle originally scheduled for the Fowler gymnasium. Because of rivalry between the schools, drawing large crowds, Fowler school officials said they have rented the St Johns High School gymnasium to seat the expected large spectator attendance.

The St Johns Redwings have no game scheduled for that evening. Currently Fowler is unbeaten for the season and Pewamo-Westphalia has but 1 conference loss.

A victory by Fowler would maintain their lone possession of 1st place, while a Pewamo-Westphalia victory would put both teams in a tie for the league lead.

Game time for junior varsity competition is 6:30 pm with the varsity attraction to follow.

## More problems over sewers

Angry citizens confronted the DeWitt Township Board Monday with complaints about sanitary and storm sewers.

Residents of Capitol City Mobile Home Park questioned sanitary sewer billings sent them by the township. Citing a recent increase in their rent to cover cost of utilities, they felt they had no responsibility for the sewer bill.

Township attorney F. Merrill Wyble, referring to a letter from the mobile home park owner Norman Pabst, explained he had instructed the township to issue the bills.

Wyble further stated that Pabst was exercising a legal option in doing so. The best recourse in such a situation is to take class action against the

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### NOTICE

The annual meeting of the policyholders of the Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Co of Clinton County will be held at the home office building at 201 E State Street, City of St Johns, Mich, on Tuesday, Jan 16, 1973, at 2 pm EST for the purpose of electing two directors and the transaction of any other business that may properly be brought before the meeting.

Lloyd W. Maxwell  
Secretary

# Ambulance service to stop

## Budget problems silence Triple A sirens

ST JOHNS—St Johns and the surrounding area will be without a local ambulance service come Feb 1.

Herb Brown, manager of Triple A Ambulance Service of St Johns has reported that organization will cease to

operate Feb 1.

Also discontinuing operation is Hoag Funeral Home of St Johns, which will

also stop ambulance Feb 1.

Brown, of the Triple A service, said Triple A was forced to discontinue service because of financial reasons. "Our biggest problem is there is not enough volume to support a private company, but the need is still here for an emergency ambulance service."

Triple A began operation in August, 1969 with about 13 volunteers.

Approximately 18 volunteers are presently with Triple A.

The operation of the service calls for 2 volunteers to be on call each night from 6 pm until 6 am the following morning. Brown and volunteers who work in St Johns provide emergency service during the day.

Volunteers earn \$8 per run during the day and \$10 a night. Brown has been paid \$1200 per year to manage the service.

The original reason for the ambulance service came when the state legislature passed a law requiring all persons working with an ambulance service to be licensed by the state. Ambulance service personnel are also required to have completed an advanced first aid course.

Most ambulance services were previously operated by funeral home owners. When the new law went into effect, funeral home operators throughout the state began to cease to offer ambulance service because of the expense involved.

Triple A averaged 300 runs last year. Charges for their service have been \$24 during the day plus 50 cents a mile 1 way. Night charges have been \$30 at the same rate per mile.

Looking past Feb 1, Brown said, "I've had some township people as well as

local St Johns people contact me. What I would like to see happen is St Johns, Fowler and Maple Rapids and the surrounding townships join together to provide a service.

"This is just one suggestion because there are probably many ways to operate. This type of operation would provide less costly service by spreading the expenses over all participating units."

He said such a service would hopefully operate with volunteers with each government unit helping to finance the operation.

Brown added such an operation would require 2 ambulances, probably based in St Johns. He felt it could be operated with 25 volunteers.

"Attempts are being made now," he said, "to discuss the situation with St Johns, village and township officials."

New volunteers would be required to pass the advanced first aid course, which Brown is qualified to instruct. The only expense for such a class is textbooks.

Currently, the City of DeWitt is also without an ambulance, a result of discontinued service by funeral home owner Lee Rummel in that community.

"Persons interested in establishing an area ambulance service," he said, "should contact their local officials."

A meeting has been scheduled for Friday at 7:30 pm at the St Johns City commission chambers to discuss the ambulance situation. St Johns appointed Commissioners Roy Ebert and John Hannah to meet with County Commissioners Maurice Gove and Donald Gilson along with township supervisors. Bob Sbirrino and Brown are expected to express their position.



It's fun sliding down hills but not with a 2 ton bus as St Johns driver Mrs Doris Wilkie discovered Thursday. Rain followed by a sudden freeze caused an ice covered incline at the corner of Cutler and Airport Roads. Because of Mrs. Wilkie's quick action and good training, no students were injured. She ordered children to one side to keep the bus from going over as Dave Conklin came to the rescue with a tractor. He propped the vehicle up in 8 to 10 inches of water until help arrived. Junior Hettler used a wrecker to hold the bus from turning over while a second winched it out. He also used a nearby tree to attach ropes to make a direct pull.

## Board votes unanimously

# Bath to get sewer

By JAN DRYDON  
County News Writer

BATH—Sewers will likely be installed in Bath Township due to a resolution unanimously passed Jan 2 by the Bath Township Board.

The resolution followed the board's failure to render the 5 votes on the sewer approval needed for opinioning of the bonds.

Introduced by attorney Patrick Berardo, it recognized the validity of the sewer bonds and enforced hook-up requirements.

Ray Stauder, financial consultant to the township, estimated that with state money the monthly cost to an individual consumer would be about \$30.

Maximum total cost to consumer would be \$2000 plus \$9.75 a monthly charge.

STAUDER ADDED that costs would

more likely be closer to the \$1500 Michigan average.

Since the sewer installation project seemed doomed, Supervisor Roy VanSickle moved the board request the County Health Department to force rectification of any faulty septic systems in Bath Township.

VanSickle also moved that Bath Village and Park Lake area roads be re-surfaced.

VanSickle also reminded board members that \$200,000 must be paid to consultants and engineers whether or not sewers are installed. Such facts prompted audience reaction and 4 citizens pointed to the need for sewer rectification.

Berardo, in introducing his resolutions to save the sewer project and retain state funding, said a 6-1 vote would satisfy bonding attorneys that sufficient board support for the sewer project existed.

Commencement of bond sales awaits the project approval of the attorney general.

## Schedule benefit supper

MIDDLETON—A benefit supper for Linda Schneider is being held Jan 20 at 6 pm at Fulton High School by the Middleton-Perrinton and Maple Rapids area churches.

Mrs Schneider, the mother of 2, has been hospitalized at the University of Michigan Hospital in Ann Arbor. She was injured Nov 7 when a tractor tipped over on her at the family's rural Middleton farm. Home for the holidays, she's gone back to the hospital for further treatment.

# McNamara heads Lansing Area Hospital Council

ST JOHNS—Paul E. McNamara, Clinton Memorial Hospital administrator was named president of the Lansing Area Hospital Administrator's Council at the group's December meeting which was held in Lansing.

Elected to the post of secretary was John Soderholm, assistant administrator at Ingham Medical Hospital in Lansing.

The Council is composed of administrative personnel in the Tri-County area.

HOSPITALS participating are Eaton Rapids Community, Eaton Rapids; Edward W. Sparrow, Ingham Medical, Lansing General, St Lawrence, all in Lansing; Clinton Memorial, St Johns; Hayes-Green-Beach, Charlotte and Mason General, Mason. Others include Olin Health Center at Michigan State University and the Capitol Area Comprehensive Health Planning Association.

The Council, which was formed over 10 years ago, brings area hospital administrators, their assistants and associates together for the purpose of planning and discussing hospital

procedures and to keep abreast of new programs which prevent overlapping of services in the area.

Topics discussed by the Council in the past have related to Medicare-Blue Cross plans, joint purchasing, Civil Defense radio Communication equipment, fire marshal reports and rulings from State and County Health Departments.

MEETINGS are held monthly and Council members meet in different hospital facilities each time.

Members besides McNamara and Soderholm are John E. Williams, Eaton Rapids Community Hospital; F Karl Newmann and FB Plasman, Edward W. Sparrow Hospital; Darwin Finbeiner, Hayes-Green-Beach Memorial Hospital; Edward McRee, Ingham Medical Hospital; Robert Recher, Mason general Hospital; Robert E. Miller and James Amos, Lansing General Hospital; James Cook, Olin Health Center. Members from St Lawrence are Sister Mary Janice Belen, Gary Sherlock and George Foss.

Retiring president of the Council is Lee Sayre, associate administrator at St Lawrence Hospital.

## Teams prepare for Wrestling Tourney

With the Clinton County News Wrestling Tournament less than 2 weeks away, Pewamo-Westphalia High School is in final preparations to host St Johns, Ovid-Elsie, Bath and DeWitt for the Jan 20 competition.

Winner of the tourney for the past 3 years has been Ovid-Elsie, who now holds permanent possession of the traveling team trophy. The trophy goes to the winner each year, unless a school wins it 3 years in a row, giving them permanent possession.

In 1973, the 5 schools (Fowler has no wrestling team) will be trying to win

possession of a brand new trophy. Activities get underway Jan 20 at noon with weigh-ins with the 1st round set for 1 pm. Competition continues through the afternoon with the championship matches in the evening.

In addition to the team trophy, an outstanding wrestler trophy will be awarded as well as medal for 1st, 2d and 3d places.

Admission for the tournament is \$1 for adults and 50 cents for students in the afternoon with all admission \$1 for the evening finals.



Clinton County's New Years baby is little Linda Marie Schaffer born at 11:19 am Jan 1 at St Lawrence Hospital to Mr and Mrs Marvin Joseph Schaffer, Route 2, Fowler. The mother is the former Diane Blumenay. It is the couple's first child. She weighed in at 7 lbs 10 ozs.



**Sheriff Hufnagel inspects damage**

Dr. Thomas Stevens, 34, a Hart dentist was listed in fair condition early this week following a crash in his single-engine Luscomb aircraft Sunday afternoon 1 mile east of M-21 near Bauer Rd. His aircraft hit 2 power lines and flipped over in an ice-covered field. Dr Stevens was removed from the wreckage by Gordon Thelen, who lives nearby, and taken by ambulance to Clinton Memorial Hospital. He was later transferred to Sparrow Hospital in Lansing with head, hip and leg injuries.

**DeWitt Board proposes new salaries for members**

Voting themselves salary and benefit raises, the DeWitt Township Board Monday attempted to more justly compensate elected officials for time spent in township administration. "The reason we have such a stone age operation," pointed out supervisor Dale Emerson, "is because we don't pay anyone to do anything."

A year secretary handling a \$7 million sewer project, Emerson added. An approximate 15% raise was awarded the clerk and treasurer, moving these salaries from \$7718 and \$6794.50 to \$8900 and \$7900, respectively.

\$25 per board meeting (to include regular special and executive sessions). They are currently paid \$25 monthly. The supervisor position will move from \$5000 part-time to \$14,000 full time. In addition all elected officials will receive a 5% pension benefit.

The Board cut those salaries originally suggested by Emerson by as much as \$2600. Trustee Jack Kzeski cited the need to be realistic and trustee Eilene Corr opposed any salary raises. All increases await final approval at the township's annual meeting.

TRUSTEES WILL be paid

**Unregistered snow machine cost \$**

ST JOHNS--Archie D. Hoebecke, 25, 333 W Centerline Rd, St Johns pleaded guilty in District Court Dec 13 to a charge of operating an unregistered snowmobile. He was fined \$21, in addition to a \$4 judgement fee.

**Circuit Court arraigns seven**

ST JOHNS--Seven persons were arraigned in Circuit Court in St Johns Monday. Arraigned were:

Ronald Grant Roberts, 19, 2350 N Carland, Owosso. He entered a plea of guilty on a charge of larceny in a

building. His sentencing is scheduled for Jan 22. Phillip Andrew Legg, 25, 1702 Glenrose, Lansing, stood mute to a charge of assaulting an officer.

mute on a charge of breaking and entering with intent to commit larceny.

Gerald Edwing Miller, 19, 1788 N Warren Rd, Ovid, entered a plea of guilty to larceny in a building. He is to be sentenced Jan 22.

Jose Luis Delacruz was

scheduled to appear for appointment of counsel. He is charged with carrying a concealed weapon.

In a Jan 3 arraignment, James Chandler, 18, 1413 N Fairview, entered a plea of guilty to unarmed robbery. He is to be sentenced March 12.

**Leave hubby at home . . .**

To reduce your weekly grocery budget, shop alone, advises Michigan State University consumer marketing specialist Maryann Beckman.

According to a recent survey, when women supermarket customers shop in pairs, each spends about 88 cents more than when shopping alone, the specialist reports.

**Word omitted, changed meaning**

ST JOHNS - Last week's story about changes in the Clinton County Sheriff's Dept incorrectly stated Sheriff Anthony Hufnagel hoped to cut down responses

by his department.

The story should have stated "Sheriff Hufnagel hopes to cut down response "time" by his department.

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 Saturday 8 a.m.-9 p.m.  
 Sunday 10 a.m.-7 p.m.



**Houses taking shape**

Three new single family residences and 4 duplexes are going up in St. Johns. Willard Searles is building 3 homes on North Morton Street while Fedewa Builders are constructing the 2-family units at the corner of Lansing and Sickles. The construction area is across from St Johns High School.

**Three receive sheriffs' Dept sergeant promotions**

ST JOHNS—Three Clinton County Sheriff's Dept deputies have been promoted to sergeant by Sheriff Anthony Hufnagel. Now wearing sergeant stripes are Fred Corson, Don Kennell and Bob VanGieson. Corson, 53, of St Johns will have been with the department for 18 years Feb 1. Originally from Maple Rapids, he is a graduate of

Maple Rapids High School and served in the US Navy from 1941 to 1948. He was assigned to the South Pacific area as carrier duty.



CORSON

Corson is a certified breathalyzer operator and is responsible for jail and office operations.

KENNEL, 29, is a resident of 502 East Cass, St Johns and has been with the department for 4 years. He and his wife Barbara, have 2 children, Cynthia, 5 and Michelle, 2.

He also served with the Shiawassee County Sheriff's Dept for 3 years and the Owosso City Police Dept for 1 year.

He is originally from Owosso and is a 1961 graduate of Owosso High School.



KENNEL

Kennell is a graduate of the Mid-Eastern Regional Academy and is a certified breathalyzer operator. He is presently attending Lansing Community College, working toward requirements for an associate degree in law enforcement.

VanGieson, 32, 320 E Pearl, Ovid, has been a Clinton deputy 4 years, previously serving with the



VAN GIESON

Ovid Police Department for 3-1/2 years.

A RESIDENT of the area since 1945, he attended Ovid schools and was employed with Michigan Milk Producers before entering the law enforcement field. He has been manager of Ovid Ambulance Service for the past 2 years and has been a member of the Ovid Fire Dept for the past 8 years. VanGieson and his wife, Sharon, have 2 children, Kevin 10, and Diane, 9.

**Circuit Court sentences 3 to probation periods**

ST JOHNS—Two persons were sentenced Monday to 2-years probation for drug related crimes while another received 3 years probation and 60 days in jail for illegal entering.

The sentencings were by Circuit Court Judge Leo Corkin.

Donald Sexton Jr, 18, 2235 N Vincent Rd, Ovid, was sentenced to 3 years probation for breaking without intent to commit larceny. The 1st 60 days of his

sentence is to be served in the county jail with credit given for 27 days already served.

Douglas Rhines, 22, 609 N Morton, St Johns received 2 years probation on a charge of delivery of phenylcyclidine, (animal tranquilizer).

ALSO RECEIVING 2 years probation was Chris Mabie, 22, Mead St, St Johns. He was sentenced on a charge of delivery of LSD. Each entered pleas of guilty.

**DeWitt Twp**

(FROM FRONT PAGE)

owner, Wyble said. Another complaint brought to the meeting concerned the need for a storm sewer on Wayland and Valley Roads.

Area residents testified that the problem has been repeatedly ignored by County Drain Commissioner, Dale Chapman. The board resolved to send a letter to Chapman strongly urging action. County Road Commissioner Virginia Zeeb promised to follow up on the matter.

Later in the meeting, resident Tom Nitzsche informed the board that a new culvert is needed on Stoll Road, between DeWitt and Turner Roads. The 18 inches of water which accumulate on the road make it a health and safety hazard Nitzsche said.

**Several subjects get DeWitt Council study**

DEWITT—In a 3-hour DeWitt City Council meeting Monday night, members discussed a variety of

**Sewers bring local complaints**

ST JOHNS — A preliminary storm and sanitary sewer report was presented to St Johns City Commission and a large crowd gathered to complain about just that on Monday night's city commission meeting.

Richard Bush, engineer for Williams and Works, Grand Rapids told commissioners 2 catch basins had been discovered as directly relating to the problem. He said he advised city manager Harvey Weatherway to plug off basins at Mead and McConnell and Baldwin and Kibbee where storm water was seeping into the sanitary sewer system.

Bush said the first answer to St Johns' sewer and storm water problems is to get this water out of the catch basins. The sanitary sewer is inadequate because we find these leaks letting in storm water. Although he stated the main area of concern was the lower south part of the city, he added there's a good possibility there are problems in the downtown area.

SOME SMOKING has been done, according to Bush, with the entire system brushed through once and about 40% of the system thoroughly checked. To pinpoint problem areas, he suggested using water to see how many of the catch basins are connected to the sanitary sewer system. But, he said, caution must be used at this time when spraying from fire hydrants. Because of cold weather intersections could become icy and hazardous to motorists.

Bush added there's a possibility of roof and footing drains now entering the

sanitary sewer which is illegal. Many contractors are guilty of running sump pump water directly into the sanitary sewer system. An ordinance passed 10 years ago by the city commission banned the drainage of water through these means.

BUSH SAID Williams and Works will make a recommendation for a master trunk system for storm sewer implementation. First to be tabled was a Wilson Street lot and the council later moved to obtain an appraisal on the land next to DeWitt Lumber Company. The property, owned by Robert Ballard, was offered to city for a price less than already offered. Mayor Raymond DeWitt pointed out that lot and the Wilson St lot are both in the city's master plan and should be considered.

In other action, the council approved a motion to hire a superintendent of water and sanitary sewer installation and maintenance. The employee would also know the workings of the city sewer plant, in addition to working with the public works crews in his spare time.

THE MOTION was passed, subject to approval by the Public Works committee and the Budget and Finance Committee.

A motion was also made to make 2 administrative positions, clerk and treasurer full-time positions. Appointment of those 2 positions have not yet been made by Mayor DeWitt. DeWitt did announce the appointments to several committees as follows: SEWER COMMITTEE, George Moody; WATER MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE, Lawrence Keck, Chairman; Orla McGuire and DuWayne Ziegler. BOARD OF REVIEW, DuWayne Ziegler chairman; Ted Powell and Art Newman. CEMETERY BOARD:

Tom Clayton, chairman; Ralph Woodruff; Paul Mulford; Robert Ballard and Betty Farhat.

DISTRICT LIBRARY BOARD; Sharon Hartwigsen and Mary Woodruff.

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS; Gayla Krzak; William Alfred; Lloyd Ballard; Paul Hartwigsen; Roger Overway; Marshall Warren and John Sutton.

PLANNING COMMISSION; Clifford Knudsen; Marian Malenfant; Donald Powell; Michael Erb; Gerald Deline; Roger Overway; James Wiser; Ronald Simon; Lee Rummell and Ronald Mull.

In other business Councilman Frederick (Bill) Shaver stressed that money in the fire dept depreciation fund should be in a separate account where it can be accounted for.

Dan Elliott, city administrator, said that money is in an account with police and city equipment and is accounted for, with \$20,618 presently in the account.

Mayor DeWitt strongly urged the use of purchase order forms for most types of city purchases and said they should be approved and signed by the city administrator and committee head.

IF 1 OF THESE 2 persons is not available, it was 1st suggested the mayor approve and sign. It was later designated to Robert Ballard who works in the community and would be more readily available.

Dan Elliott said purchase orders for all purchases would be unreasonable at times. Councilman Ronald Mull pointed out the council has just approved a bill for \$1.50 for tire repair and requiring a purchase order for that type of instance would not be logical.

It was finally agreed that purchase orders would be required for purchases of \$200 or more.

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**REGULAR CLINTON COUNTY ZONING COMMISSION MEETING**

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DEWITT TOWNSHIP

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**Two new employees join Central Nat'l**

ST JOHNS--Central National Bank officials announce the addition of 2 new employees.

Dale Cosner has joined the bank as assistant branch manager at Ovid, while Steven D. Cutshaw is in management training assigned to the loan department at the main office in St Johns.

Cosner, 27, graduated from Michigan State University in 1965 with a 2 year associate degree. He was formerly associated with Federal Department Store in Flint as assistant store manager. He is continuing studies toward his bachelor's degree. Cosner, his wife Pamela and daughter Michelle will

be moving from Perry to Ovid in the near future.

Cutshaw, 25, comes to Central National Bank after 3-1/2 years at the Bank of Lansing where he was assistant branch manager. Cutshaw, who attends Lansing Community College, was in the US Army for 2-1/2 years.

He and his wife, Barbara hope to move to St Johns from Lansing.

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# Family and Society

Announce engagement

ST JOHNS -- Mr and Mrs Donald Tolles, 2621 E Walker Road, St Johns, announce

Maple Rapids

Brian Meehling, son of Mr and Mrs Frank Groves of Maple Rapids returned home Saturday from a Grand Rapids Hospital after undergoing surgery.

the engagement of their daughter, Karen, to Duane Bird. He is the son of Mr and Mrs Clarence Bird of Williamston. The bride-elect attended LBU and is employed by Capitol Savings & Loan in Lansing. The prospective bridegroom graduated from LBU and is employed by Oldsmobile. No date has been set for the wedding.



KAREN TOLLES

## Pewamo

A family gathering at the home of Mr and Mrs Louis Thelen Dec 29. A Christmas dinner followed by a gift exchange. All were present. Sunday supper guests at the home of her daughter and husband, Mr and Mrs Carl P. Smith and family of Portland, was Mrs Anna Cook. Christmas day Mrs Anna Cook was a supper guest of

Mr and Mrs Fredrick Schmitz and family. Gary Cook, son of Mr and Mrs Gerald Cook of Lakeland Air Force Base, is home on furlough. They were visitors of Mrs Anna Cook Tuesday. Mr and Mrs James Nurenberg of rural Pewamo are parents to a son born Dec 20, Curt Jerard, weighing 9 lbs and 4 ozs at the Carson

City Osteopathic Hospital. Mr and Mrs Carl Hafner and family were present at the family gathering of their parents, Mr and Mrs Roman Hafner, Dec 24, attending the Christmas family gathering of Mr and Mrs William P. Smith all were present. Wednesday dinner guests of Mrs Clara Caston were her sister and husband, Mr and Mrs Owen Smith

## Coming Events

JAN 10--Income tax meeting for Clinton area farmers, Smith Hall, St Johns, 1 pm.

JAN 11--Free immunization clinic, Congregational Church basement, St Johns, 8:30 to 11 am.

JAN 16 -- Wacousta Chapter #133 and DeWitt Chapter #30 OES will hold a composite Friends Night meeting at 8 pm at the DeWitt Masonic Temple.

JAN 17--8 pm Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary meeting in hospital cafeteria.

JAN 17--Dairy cattle nutrition-health conference, 9:30 am to 3 pm, Smith Hall, St Johns.

FEB 3 -- Clinton County Memorial Couples Theatre Party will go to Fisher Theatre in Detroit to see "See Saw," starring Laine Kazan. \$35 per couple, includes bus and ticket. Call Mrs Howard Gentry, 4-3751.

## Engaged



DOROTHY ANN STEVENS

EAST LANSING -- Mr and Mrs Cecil Stevens, 5426 Amber Dr, East Lansing announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy Ann to Daniel Leslie Botimer, son of Mr and Mrs Leslie Botimer, Route 5, St Johns.

The bride-elect, an Okemos High School graduate, is employed by Wohler Corporation. A St Johns High School graduate, the prospective bridegroom is stationed at Ft Knox, Ky with the US Army. A February wedding is planned.

Annual Meeting Annual meeting of the congregation of the Church of Christ will be Monday evening, Jan 15, at 7 pm. All members are urged to be present for this important meeting.

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## Births

SCHULZE -- A boy, Kristopher Jon, was born to Mr and Mrs Karl Schulze of Lansing Dec 24 at Lansing General Hospital. He weighed 6 lbs 7-1/2 ozs. The baby has 2 brothers. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Ken Schulze of Maple Rapids, Mr and Mrs Clinton Wright of Lansing. The mother is the former, Sharri Wright.

## Carland News

by Mrs. Pudge Deming

Mrs Eva Munson will be leaving the post office in Carland, January 5, and Mrs Floyd Horn of Carland will be replacing her, under the new postal system that will be in effect.

Miss Janet Glenton, of Australia, has been visiting the Dale Dumond family over the holidays.

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## Open house planned for DeWitt couple

DeWITT - The daughters of Mr and Mrs Donovan Kosht announce an open house Jan 20 at DeWitt Memorial Building in honor of their parent's 25th wedding anniversary. The affair will be from 5 to 10 pm. The couple was married Jan 20, 1948 in Owosso. Mr Kosht works for Consumers Power Co and Mrs Kosht is a housewife. They have 6 daughters and 3 grandchildren.

Friends and relatives are invited.

## Salon 581 has penny auction

Clinton County Salon #581 met at the home of Mrs Alice Brooke for the annual Christmas party. There were 11 members present. The regular order of business was conducted by Petite Chapeaux, Marjorie Pardee. It was decided to hold a penny auction at the January meeting. Mrs Nelda McWilliams drew the mystery package. At the conclusion of the business meeting, presents were exchanged by the members and the names of new secret pals were distributed by La Secretaire. A salad course was served by the hostess. Miss Maralyse Brooks was a guest of the club. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs Dolina MacKinnon.

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**Marriage Licenses**  
George H. Daley, 32, 13445 Dawn Dew Drive, DeWitt; Bette J. Moats, 34, 13445 Dawn Dew Drive, DeWitt.  
Rodney D. Benjamin, 21, 4601 Turner Rd, Lansing; Dianna L. Hanchett, 18, 2021 W State Rd, Lansing.

OVID -- The Free Methodist Church in Ovid provided the setting for the Nov 24 marriage of Miss Diane Marie Goodknecht to Gerry Gene Freed at seven o'clock in the evening.

Rev Richard Gleason performed the double ring candlelight services for the daughter of Mr and Mrs Bernard Lyle Goodknecht, 645 Tallman Rd, Fowler and the son of Mr and Mrs Paul Freed, 2153 S Hollister Rd, Ovid.

Organist Dorothy Rule accompanied Joyce Noble as she sang "The Lord's Prayer" and Theresa Freed for "We've Only Just Begun." The church altar was decorated with 2 baskets of white mums and pink carnations.

Given in marriage by her parents the bride selected a floor length gown with a velvet top accented in seed pearls with a lace skirt and train attached at the lace. The dress, made by Marge Kenroy of Holt, featured long sleeves with lace trim at the fingertips and neckline. A seed pearl tiara secured her shoulder length veil. She carried a bouquet of white roses with green ivory.

Maid of honor was Deborah Goodknecht, sister of the bride from Fowler. Bridesmaids were Sharon Carney, friend of the bride, Charlotte and Joyce Freed, the groom's sister, Ovid. Miss Goodknecht wore a gown with a blue velvet top with a light blue floor length lace skirt. The bridesmaid's dresses were styled in rose velvet tops with light rose lace floor length skirts.

Larry Freed was best man with groomsmen, Richard Bartek, and Michael Goodknecht. Ushers were Ed Conklin and John Freed.

A reception at the Ovid VFW Hall followed the ceremony for 200 guests. Special guests were Mr and Mrs William Hoover, Banning, Calif, grandparents of the bride.

For a wedding trip to Canada, the new Mrs Freed wore an orchid double knit dress. Her corsage came from the center of her bridal bouquet.

The bride is a 1969 Fowler High School graduate, while the groom graduated from Ovid High School in 1969. They are making their home at 2155 S Hollister Rd. Mrs Freed works at Domestic Finance and her husband is employed by Olin Kraft, Owosso.



**ERNST** - A boy, Zachary James, was born to Mr and Mrs James Ernst of R#2 Middleton Jan 3 at Carson City Hospital. He weighed 7 lbs 14 ozs. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Keith Murray and Mr and Mrs Lloyd Ernst. The mother is the former Kristine Murray.

A girl, Stacy Mae Jolly, was born to Mr and Mrs John Jolly of 202 S Lansing Dec 28, 1972 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 7 lbs 7 ozs. The baby has 1 sister. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Keith Jolly, Mr and Mrs William Cartwright. The mother is the former Charlotte Mae Cartwright.

**PHELPS** - A boy, Jason Nicholas, was born to Mr and Mrs Randy Ray Phelps of 815 W Clinton, 12-29-72 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 8 lbs 9-1/2 ozs. The baby has 3 sisters. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Oliver Nicholas, Mrs Jane Phelps, Mr Leon Phelps. The mother is the former Paula Kathleen Nicholas.

**MILLER** - A girl, Stephanie Michelle, was born to Mr and Mrs James Miller of 104 W Steel Street, 12-30-72 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 6 lbs. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Martin McCausey and Mrs Sue Leon Miller. The mother is the former Nancy McCausey.

### Carland News

by Mrs. Pudge Deming

Mr Walter Kusnier, son of Mr and Mrs Mike Kusier of rural Carland, has returned to Houghton Engineering College at Houghton, Upper Peninsula, Mich, after spending the holidays with his parents and sisters. Mr and Mrs Kusnier's other children, Carol and Bob, of Lansing also spent some time at home while Walter was home.



MR & MRS TIM BUNCE

## Derby-Bunce repeat vows

In a candlelight ceremony held at the Church of Christ of St Johns the evening of Dec 23, 1972, Sharon Anne Derby and Tim D. Bunce were united in marriage.

The Rev Michael Hargrave officiated in the double ring ceremony before the immediate families of the couple.

The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Wm Derby of rural Ithaca, and the groom's parents are Mr and Mrs Duane Bunce of rural St Johns. The bride was escorted down the aisle by her father. She wore a gown of white organza over taffeta fashioned with high neckline and accented with eyelet lace trim. The skirt featured a chapel train with tiny satin bows at the waistline. Her veil was of silk illusion with a crown of simulated pearls. The bride carried a white Bible topped with yellow roses and streamers tied with yellow rose buds.

Mrs Sue Kostal, friend of the bride sang "The Wedding Prayer" accompanied by Mrs Nida Dunham at the organ.

Bridesmaid, Patricia Hooper wore a green velvet floor length gown trimmed in ecru lace. Her headpiece was of yellow rosebuds knotted into green velvet streamers.

David Schwark, friend of the groom, served as best man. The father of the groom, father of the bride, and groom's attendant wore black double breasted tuxedos with mint green ruffled shirts. The groom wore an identical tuxedo with white ruffled shirt and a

yellow rose as a boutonniere. John Derby, brother of the bride served as usher and candlelighter.

The brides mother chose a dress of aqua blue crepe trimmed in silver. Her corsage was of white carnations and yellow roses. The groom's mother wore a lavender crepe floor length gown with corsage of pink roses and white carnation. Honored guest was Mrs Alethea Gostrey, grandmother of the bride.

The reception was held at the Masonic Temple in St Johns where a buffet supper was served to approximately 200 guests. Assisting in the serving were Mrs Patricia Stapleton, aunt of the bride and Terry Bunce, sister of the groom. Hostesses for the reception were Mr and Mrs Robert Darling of St Johns.

At the guest book was Mrs Andrea Simms, friend of the bride. Jayne Kostal, friend of the bride, and Jill and Polly Bunce, sisters of the groom were at the gift table. Maureen Stapleton and Steven Heimburger also assisted.

The rehearsal dinner was prepared and served at the home of Mr and Mrs Duane Bunce to 16 guests. Prenuptial showers were given by Patricia Hooper and Mrs Andrea Simms; Mrs Lela Clark and Mrs Gerry Bishop.

### Announce engagement

Mrs Basil Deibert announces the engagement of her daughter, Barbara Jane Deibert Kuhns to Cayle H Beagle, son of Rev and Mrs Harold Homer.

A spring wedding is being planned.

### Pewamo

Barbara is employed by the St Johns Public Schools and Cayle by the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Co.

Sue Thelen of Owosso spent the holiday vacation at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs Louis Thelen.

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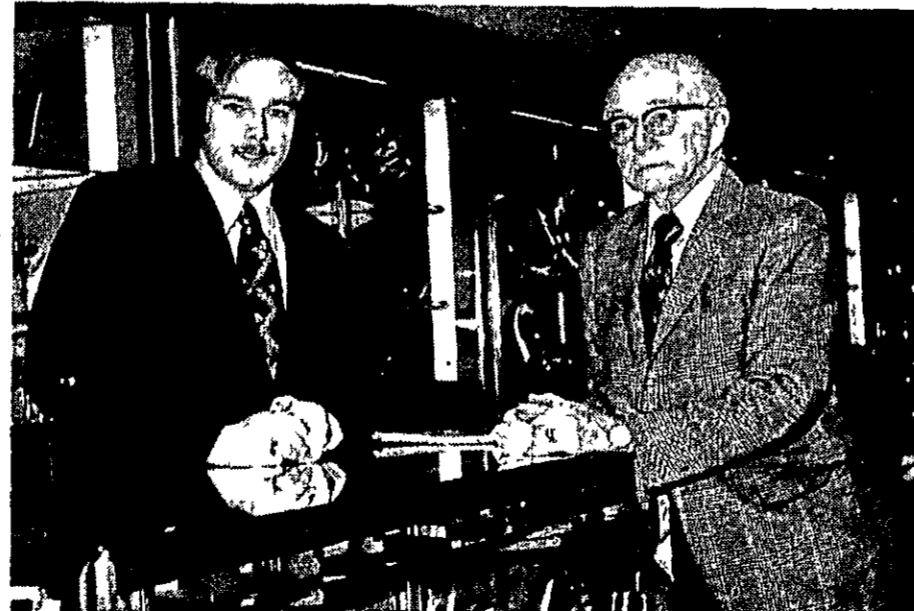
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County road commission explains why

Do your roads a favor--use No 19

By Lee Peters
County News Writer
ST JOHNS - If you're a Clinton resident complaining neighboring counties are doing a better job constructing and maintaining roads there's a reason why... They're using Clinton money to do it!

Figures released from a road block survey conducted by the Clinton County Road Commission in cooperation with the sheriff's department show the county could be losing about 32.4% in vehicle registrations. And this, estimates road commissioner Paul Nobis, is a loss of \$1.25 million to Clinton from the Motor Vehicle

Highway Fund (MVHF). License plates fees are a major source of revenue for county road improvement, continues Nobis. Often a vehicle owner will record on the registration form the county where his car is purchased or where he works rather than his county of residence. This means he's cheating himself and his

own county. Because Clinton receives 78% of its annual gross income from the MVHF, all out effort is being waged to make sure Clinton gets its fair share of the MVHF. The only way to do this, stresses Nobis, is to make sure #19 appears on all Clinton County vehicle registrations.

NOBIS, with other road commissioners and personnel and county government officials met Monday to decide on a plan of attack. Attending were Marvin Platte, road commission chairman and Gerald Lankford, road commissioner; county commissioners, Derrill Shinabery and Duane Chamberlain; township supervisors, Dale Emerson, DeWitt, Roy VanSickle, Bath and Herman Openlander, Watertown, and R. Jay Hebner and Robert Eldridge of the road commission. Former county commissioner Jack Andrews presented his views as a secretary of state branch manager in St. Johns.

It's the 3rd time Clinton has attempted to do something about the MVHF loss, reported Nobis, but this time they have and are going to do a lot more. "We've had handbills printed, put in newspaper ads and are making personal contact through word of mouth," said Nobis. County officials agreed that education of the public is the only solution to the problem MVHF poses. The problem goes back many years said Nobis. But it's worse today because many people living in southern Clinton County and villages work in Lansing. It's more convenient for them to buy license plates at secretary of state branch offices in shopping malls. This is fine, officials feel, but to insure Clinton gets the weight and gasoline tax derived at from the registration it must have #19 in the upper right hand



Meeting Monday to discuss problems posed in connection with the Motor Vehicle Highway Fund and its importance to Clinton County were seated from left, Paul Nobis, Marvin Platte, Gerald Lankford, R. Jay Hebner and Robert Eldridge. Standing from left are Derrill Shinabery, Duane Chamberlain, Jack Andrews, Roy VanSickle, Herman Openlander and Dale Emerson.

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RESULTS OF ROAD BLOCK SURVEYS
1. Wright Road between Clark and I-96 on 1-5-73 Eagle Twps
100 cars were stopped in 2 hours; 76 of total cars stopped were owned by residents of Clinton County; 20 of the 76 cars owned by county residents were registered out of county; This is a total of 26.3% lost registrations.
2. Airport Road at State Road on 11-29-72 between DeWitt and Watertown Twps
109 cars were stopped in 2 hours; 73 of total cars stopped were owned by residents of Clinton County; 17 of the 73 cars owned by county residents were registered out of County. This is a total of 23.3% lost registrations.
3. State Road at Wood Street on 12-20-72 DeWitt Twp
77 cars were stopped in 2 hours; 66 of total cars stopped were owned by residents of Clinton County; 53 of the 66 cars owned by county residents were registered out of county. This is a total of 80.3% lost registrations.

46 of the 53 residents of the Court were registered out of County. This is a total of 86.8% lost registrations from this area.
4. Park Lake Road at Coleman Road on 12-11-72 Bath Twp
109 cars were stopped in 2 hours; 78 of the total cars stopped were owned by residents of Clinton County; 38 of the 78 cars owned by County residents were registered out of county. This is a total of 48% lost registrations.
5. Hollister road at M-21 on 1-5-73
90 cars were stopped in 2 hours; 53 of the total cars stopped were owned by residents of Clinton County; 4 of the 53 cars owned by county residents were registered out of county. This is a total of 7.6% lost registrations.
In the southern part of the county a total of 395 county resident owned cars were stopped and it was found that 128 of these cars were not registered in the county for a total of 32.4% lost registrations.
The Hollister Road block would probably reflect a normal off-setting loss of registrations such as any county could reasonably expect to experience.

corner. Mixups have occurred in southern Clinton County especially when people scratch out 33 (the numerical code of Ingham County), write in 19 and it comes back from the secretary of state coded back to 33. According to township supervisors Emerson and Openlander, this has happened more than once to their constituents. Nobis said he personally looked into this and expressed confidence it would not happen again. ADDRESSING, is what confuses both Clinton residents and secretary of state employees. "At least 60% of DeWitt Twp is a Lansing address," said Emerson, "and these people think they live in Ingham County." Portions of East Lansing, Grand Ledge and Portland also cut into Clinton County. Emerson said he realizes DeWitt Twp has a unique problem with the continued growth and sewer construction. "We're behind the road commission 100%," he added, "and we're even trying to get a good sized of our revenue money into roads." In Watertown Twp, a #19 handbill went out with every tax notice. "With the survey results I feel we're really getting some figures together," Openlander stated. He added that facts can't be disputed and there ought to be adjustment made to Clinton County. Openlander asked Watertown residents to make sure #19 appears on their registration. "It's no wonder they get confused," he said, "with 2 phone systems, 2 fire departments, 5 school districts and 4 mailing addresses." VanSickle agreed with Openlander saying no person has a right to delegate where he wants to pay his tax. He stated he believed the road commission has been doing a good job with what they've got to work with and that Bath will do all they can to help. He questioned why funds are based on a population basis instead of mileage. ALTHOUGH Ingham County receives 3-1/2 times the income from the weight and gas tax than Clinton does, Clinton maintains 1137 miles of primary and secondary roads compared to Ingham's 1104. In addition, Ingham's roads are practically all hardtop, according to Nobis. Clinton received around \$1.2 million from the MVHF in 1972. At a time when VHF is up 5% across the state, Nobis said he felt Clinton's share should be up 10% in comparison in relation to growth

Of \$1,823,370 spent for primary and secondary road construction and maintenance, 53.7% went to primary road construction; 16.41% to primary road maintenance; 6.2% to local road construction, and 24.32% to local road maintenance. Included in the \$1,823,370 was a \$750,000 bond issue. Commercial license plates must be purchased by March 1 followed by an April 1 deadline for passenger plates.

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# St. Johns

BY HILA BROSS



Mr and Mrs Ed Gora spent Christmas with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs Robert Beavis, and children, Lynn and Kim, of Flint. The Goras then spent the remainder of the week in Detroit suburbs visiting relatives and friends.

Dr and Mrs Clyde Wilcox of Marshall were recent weekend house guests in the home of Mr and Mrs Alden Livingston, and were present to see the New Year in with them and a number of other old friends at the Livingston home. Dr Wilcox who is Minister Emeritus at First Congregational Church, conducted the morning worship service there Sunday, Dec 31.

Carl Eckerle, who is a patient at the Veterans Hospital in Ann Arbor, was able to spend the weekend at home with Mrs Eckerle and their son, Mike. Mr and Mrs Randy Humphrey and Mr and Mrs Bill De Groot spent Wednesday through Friday of last week at the Timothy Green cottage at Higgins Lake.

Mr and Mrs Daniel Bross, who have recently moved from Lansing to their new home on French Road, were surprised by a family house warming Friday evening, Dec 29.

The Rev and Mrs Averill M Carson and children, Cathy, Rick and Midge, returned home last week after spending the Christmas and New Year holidays with Mr Carson's parents, Mr and Mrs Clyde Carson in Pennsylvania.

Mrs H.M. Bross attended the State Board meeting of the Michigan Federation of Music Clubs, held at the Albert Pick Motor Inn in East Lansing, Sunday night and Monday.

Mr and Mrs William L DeGroot arrived home recently from England, where they have been living since their marriage two and a half years ago. He was stationed at the United States Air Force base at Alconbury for about 4 years. They were honored at a "welcome home" champagne party and buffet supper Saturday evening, Dec 23 at the home of Mrs DeGroot's brother-in-law and sister, Mr and Mrs James Fabiano, on Blackberry Lane in Lansing. Assisting hosts were their parents, John Fox and Mr and Mrs Dick W DeGroot. Other family members present were Mr and Mrs Robert Smith, Mr and Mrs Michael Quintieri, and their children, as well as Mr and Mrs Hoyt De Groot and

daughter, Kelly of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Thomas Frazier of Milwaukee, Wis, returned home Monday after spending the weekend visiting in the home of his aunt and uncle, Dr. and Mrs H.M. Bross, and his aunt, Mrs Floyd Countryman. His mother, Mrs Winnifred Frazier, returned with him to her home in Milwaukee, following a ten day's stay with his sisters, Mrs Countryman and Mrs Bross. The Fraziers were Friday night dinner guests at the home of Mr and Mrs Daniel Bross, and Sunday they were entertained by Mr and Mrs Jack Dietrich and family.

Mrs Delbert Conklin was a guest at the home of Mr and Mrs David Conklin Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.

Mrs E.G. Hulse spent the Christmas holidays in Lansing with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs Jack Tanner. New Year's Day she was a guest of Ed Craun and Mr and Mrs John Craun.

Dr and Mrs Barry Knight with their children, Susie and Mike, came from their home in Marquette to spend the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr and Mrs William Knight and Herman Pohl.



The Masters Quartet, well known for their concerts in various churches and camp meetings, will be appearing this Sunday, Jan 14 at the Bridgeville Gospel Mission, 4 miles south of Pompeii. Admission is free and all are welcome.

## Church of God installs new pastor

ST. JOHNS - The First Church of God of St Johns installed their new pastors, Rev and Mrs W. Jeff Webb, this past Sunday afternoon at a special service at the church.

Over 90 people from the central Michigan area attended the service which was opened by invocational prayer offered by Rev Earl VanSipe, Assoc Pastor of Penway Church of God, Lansing. The congregational singing was led by Dean Stork.

Rev Avril Carson of the Congregational Church and president of the local Ministerial Assoc welcomed the Webbs to St Johns and the fellowship here. Then welcoming the Webbs to the Area-4 Churches of God was Rev Kirkpatrick of the Crystal Church of God and president of the Area-4 ministerial fellowship. Rev James Henegar of the Ithaca Church of God read the scripture followed by the local church choir singing, "Here Am I".

Giving the message was Rev Robert Hazen, Pastor of Penway Church of God. He compared the relationship of a pastor and a congregation

to that of a marriage between people. The Charge to the Congregation was offered by Rev George Bush of the Alma Church of God with response by Kenneth Salisbury, Pres. of the Pulpit Comm, responding for the congregation. Rev Johnston of the Edgewood Church of God, Ithaca gave the charge to the Webbs followed by response by Rev Webb. The prayer of installation was offered by Rev B Gale Hettrick, Executive Secretary of the Church of God in Michigan.

The service was closed in prayer and followed by a reception for the Webbs in the basement of the church.

## CHURCH NEWS

ST. JOHNS - Rev Francis C. Johannides, pastor of the United Methodist Church, St Johns will be guest speaker at the annual First Congregational Church meeting and potluck dinner. The event begins at 6:30 pm with business of the church to be conducted following the dinner.

## Farmers talk about tax today

ST. JOHNS - Clinton farmers are meeting at Smith Hall today with Earl Haas, county agriculture agent, to talk about income tax.

Topics to be discussed at the 1:30 pm session include: 1. What's New in Income Tax, Recent changes and new rulings

2. Investment Credit, New rulings on what is included

3. Instructions for Form 4797, Most farms must use it and it is difficult to understand

4. Explanation of Code Definition of Property, Sections 1221, 1231, 1245, 1250, etc.

5. Guidelines for Depreciation, Methods - Advantages & Disadvantages

6. Income Averaging, Savings may be considerable

7. Forms to be Used Opportunity will be provided for questions on all phases of income tax reporting.

THE DIVIDEND Tomorrow is the day that the thing you didn't put off today will begin to sprout.

# Clinton area obituaries

## Jean Peterson

Services were held Jan 2 from Holihan Funeral Home in Grand Ledge for Jean Peterson, 55, 7429 W Willow Rd, Rt 1 Lansing, who died Saturday, Dec 30 at home. Her death followed a lengthy illness.

She was born Oct 4, 1917, in Eaton Rapids; the daughter of Frank and Genevieve Hunt.

She was employed at Farmer City Market.

Surviving is 1 son, Steven Cantline at home. Her husband, Stuart Peterson, preceded her in death 1 year ago.

Rev Grant Schrauger officiated with burial at Wacousta.

## Carolyn Godreau

ELSIE (c) - Funeral services for Mrs Carolyn Godreau, 76, of 203 E Elm St, Elsie, were held Wednesday at the Carter Funeral Home with the Rev David Litchfield officiating. Burial was made in Ford Cemetery.

Mrs Godreau passed away Saturday, Dec 30, at the Shiawassee County Medical Care Facility in Corunna. She had been in ill health for several months.

Mrs Godreau was born in Alba Township April 28, 1896, the daughter of Ephraim and Anice Hayes. She attended Elsie High School and graduated from Central Michigan University and University of Michigan.

She had resided most of her life in Elsie and was married to Gregorio Godreau in Flint, March 11, 1936. Mrs Godreau was affiliated with Phi Beta Kappa Honorary Society. Her life work was teaching, on the high school level. She taught many years in Flint and Elsie. She is survived by a nephew and one cousin.

## Koshork is named at Transamerica

LANSING - Frederick E. Pepper has been named Central Michigan Regional Manager for Transamerica Title Insurance Company.

In his new position he will have responsibility for Ingham, Eaton and Clinton counties and will headquarter in Lansing. Transamerica also named David Koshork Manager, Clinton County. He will report to Pepper and be based in St Johns.

Pepper comes to Lansing from Kalamazoo where he was County Manager for the firm, while Koshork has most recently worked in the company's Lansing office.

Transamerica Title Insurance Company is one of the leading title insurance companies in the nation. It is a subsidiary of Transamerica Corporation, a diversified corporation with assets of over \$3.5 billion. Other Transamerica Corporation subsidiaries operating in Michigan are Occidental Life, Transamerica Insurance Company, Budget Rent-A-Car, United Artists, and Pacific Finance Loans.

## Mrs Una Serviss

ELSIE (c) - Funeral services were held Monday, Jan 2, for Mrs Una Serviss, 77, of 222 E Main St, Elsie at the Carter Funeral Home. The Rev Charles Cowley officiated and burial was made in Forest Home

Cemetery in Greenville. Mrs Serviss died Saturday, Dec 30, at the Seaway Hospital in Trenton, after having been ill for about a month.

Mrs Serviss, the daughter of James and Nau Mae Godbold, was born April 4, 1895 in Greenville. She had resided in Elsie the past 45 years and was a member of

the Elsie First Baptist Church and the Blue Star Mothers. She and George Serviss were married Dec 24, 1912 in Greenville.

Surviving are 2 sons, John of Owosso, Jerry of Trenton; 6 grandchildren, and 15 great-grandchildren.

## CLINTON COUNTY ZONING APPEAL BOARD MEETING

A regular meeting of the Clinton County Zoning Appeal Board will be held on Monday, January 15, 1973 at 8:00 p.m. in the Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan. At that time the following applications will be acted on:

### WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP

The appeal of Mr. & Mrs. John Gaugier to occupy a mobile home on the following described parcel of land:

Beg. at a point on W. line Sec. 35, T5N-R3W, 461 ft. N. of intersection of said line of Sec. 35, & N'y line of US-16, th. N. 158', E. 300', S. 158, W. 300' to beg.

### OLIVE TOWNSHIP

The appeal of Douglas Twiss to create two lots from a parcel of land with less square footage and less road frontage than the minimum allowed by the Clinton County Zoning Ordinance on the following described parcel of land:

Beg. on the c/l of DeWitt Road (W. 1/8 line of Sec. 17) at a point located 300' N. of the S. boundary of Sec. 17, T6N-R2W, Olive Twp, Clinton County, Michigan; th. N. alg. the c/l of DeWitt Road 264'; th. W. 233', th. S. // to DeWitt Rd. 264'; th. E. // to the N. line of said lot 233' to POB.

Arnold R. Minarik  
Zoning Administrator

## Open Letter

from VAN W. HOAG

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Van W. Hoag

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Eagles still unbeaten

# Fowler fights back, downs scrappy DeWitt

DEWITT—DeWitt threw a scare into undefeated Fowler Friday night, but the Eagles fought from behind in the last quarter to take a 65-61 victory.

The Panthers took over command of the game in the opening period with 22 points, while holding Fowler to 15.

Fowler outscored the Panthers in the second period, but still trailed at half-time 35-34.

DeWitt hung onto that lead and outscored the Eagles 15-13 in the 3d period for a 50-47 lead going into the final quarter of the contest.

Panther foul trouble in the final period aided the Eagles in their comeback effort of 18 points. They outscored DeWitt 18-11 in that quarter to maintain their unbeaten record.

DeWitt's Tom Ashley and Chris McNeilly both left the game in the last quarter because of fouls.

DeWITT TOPPED the CMAC rival from the floor by 8 points, but the Eagles sunk 23 shots in 33 trips to the foul line to provide the winning edge.

DeWitt had only 15 shots from the foul line and sunk 11 of them.

Glen Thelen and Dan Jandernoa led the Eagles scoring with 15 each and 8 of Jandernoa's 15 came in the

last come-from-behind quarter.

Also scoring for Fowler were Neil Simon with 9, Mel Pohl with 10, Tony Thelen with 8, Bob MacKinnon 6 and Scott Spicer 2.

Terry Faust topped the DeWitt scoring with 14 points, followed by Randy Lankford with 10, Chris McNeilly and Steve Dalman

with 8 apiece, Mike Ferguson with 7, Tom Ashley and Lonnie Stone 3, and Bob Reck and Randy Pitts with 2 apiece.

DeWitt travels to Webberville Friday and Fowler and Pewamo-Westphalia will battle it out in St. Johns.

Because of the seating capacity of both school and the expected number of

spectators, Fowler rented the St. Johns High School gymnasium for the contest.

Pewamo-Westphalia has only 1 loss and the Eagles are undefeated.

A VICTORY by P-W would put both teams in a tie for the league lead, while a Fowler win would maintain their hold of the undisputed top spot on the conference.

## P-W Pirates blister cold Springport squad

Pewamo - Westphalia's Pirates had little trouble dealing with Springport Friday night, shooting their way to a 72-60 victory on the Pirate's home court.

Springport's shooting wasn't a lot hotter than the temperature outside the gymnasium and the Pirates took advantage of the problem to post their season record at 4-1.

P-W outscored the visitors 18-12 in the opening quarter

and raced past Springport in the 2d quarter by 10 points, 27-17.

Trailing 35-19 going into the 3d quarter, Springport outscored the Pirates 16-15.

THEY DUMPED in 25 points in the final period, but P-W kept them from closing in too close by scoring 22 points.

Springport shot 95 times, while P-W took 67 shots. However, Springport saw the ball go in only 26 times, while P-W hit the hoop 32 times for a 48% field goal average. Jim Hengesbach gave Springport an early taste of his hot shooting night, canning 12 points in the last quarter. He finished the contest with 23 points.

He was followed by Doug Walter, who also had a strong night, hitting for 20 points.

Also scoring for P-W were Dan May 10, Randy Fedewa

8, Roy Piggott 7 and Louis Thelen 4.

SPRINGPORT GOT outstanding performances from Nevin Alexander with 26 points and Jim Heisler with 23. Springport's downfall was the fact those 2 players accounted for all but 9 of the visitor's points.

Pewamo-Westphalia and Fowler both expect a barn burner Friday when the 2 rivals square off in the St. Johns gymnasium.

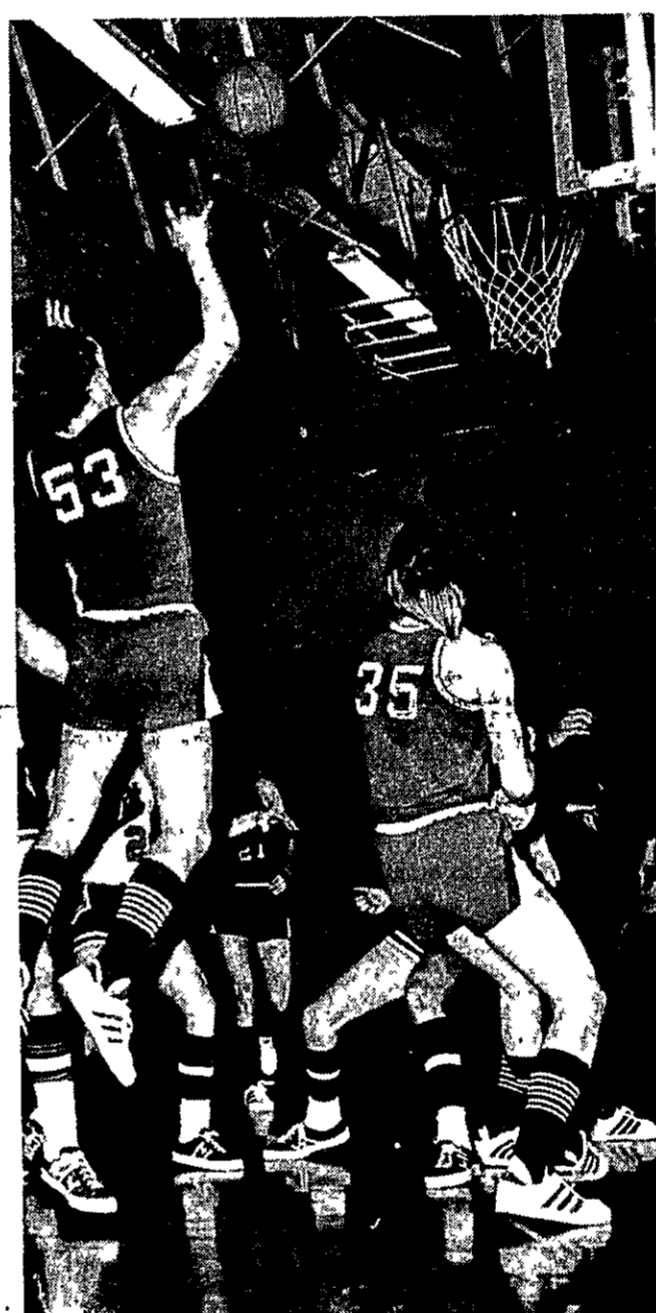
Because of the large turnout expected, the 2 teams will play at St. Johns, a larger facility.

P-W has only 1 defeat and Fowler is undefeated in conference competition.

A win by P-W would put both teams in a tie for 1st place in CMAC competition while a Fowler victory would give the Eagles a secure grip on the conference lead.



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## Bees lose 53-49

FOWLerville - Bath's Bees fell victim to 4 Fowlerville shooters in double figures as the Bees fell 53-49.

Fowlerville started the contest with a 12-9 lead at the end of the opening quarter and outscored the Bees 14-8 in the 2d quarter for a 26-17 halftime lead.

Bath came back in the 3d quarter, dumping in 19 points, while Fowlerville picked up 8.

Bath tied the game at 47-47 with a little over 2 minutes left in the game, but 2 foul shots gave the lead back to Fowlerville.

The 4 players hitting in double figures for the Gladiators were George Smith 14, Randy Cesarz and Dave Kirkby 12 and Dave Ganton 14.

Fritz Ordiway led the scoring for Bath with 19 points. Also scoring for the Bees were Dale Cantwell with 11, Doug Kesson with 8, Glen Tarrent with 4, Robin Tucker with 3 and Don Henry with 2.

Bath is now 1-3 in Ingham County League action and 3-5 for the season.

Fowlerville has an even 2-2 league record and is 3-4 for the season.

After a Tuesday contest with Pinckney, Bath takes on Perry in an away contest Friday.

Perry has a 1-3 conference record and is 3-3 for the year.

Leading the league is Leslie who extended their record to 7-0 with a Friday victory over Perry.

## St Johns students learn correct snowmobiling habits

ST. JOHNS—Over 500 St. Johns students 12 to 15 are learning about snowmobiling. A snowmobile safety course started Monday as a joint effort by the St. Johns Area Chamber of Commerce Industrial Committee, school officials and area dealers. Classes will continue through Friday and Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

Teacher for the course is Wayne Morrison, an outdoor recreation safety instructor. Morrison, who received his training through the Department of Natural Resources, is teaching 110 students 5 times daily.

The 8-day course is outlined by the DNR and features 4 days of lecture and snowmobile safety movies. The 5th day students go outside to learn the correct way to load and unload snowmobiles. They also will see the proper way to back up a car with a snowmobile trailer. The last 3 days is spent at a staged obstacle course.

Morrison says that regardless if a student will be doing a lot of snowmobiling, they'll still know the rules and regulations. Upon completion, each will receive a pocket size certificate and safe snowmobiler emblem. They'll also be given a snowmobile safety manual.

Michigan snowmobile law requires children 12 to 15 to complete a snowmobile

safety training course before snowmobiling on lands other than those owned or under the control of their parents.

Morrison has been working in cooperation with Charlie Coletta and Ralph LeBrato, chairman of the industrial committee. Dealers furnishing machines and manpower include S & H Farms, Bee's Sports

Division, Bob's Sporting Goods, Clinton Tractor, Dunkel's Snowmobiles, Don Tolles Sporting Goods and Beck & Hyde Farmarina.

This course is one of 2 community events the chamber's industrial committee will sponsor in '73. A children's bicycle safety program is planned for this spring.

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# St Johns smothers Charlotte 84-55

CHARLOTTE — A 32-point 2d quarter sent St Johns on their way to an 84-55 trouncing over Charlotte Friday night.

of the 1st quarter, the Redwings bombarded Charlotte with 32 in the 2d period for a 45-21 lead at half-time.

tack in the 2d quarter, the Redwings harrassed Charlotte with the fast break, hit for 10-of-11 free throws and balanced the attack with jump shots from 10 feet.

Dan Mohnk and Mike Sutherland led the scoring in that quarter, dumping in 6 points apiece, with Dennis Parker and Charlie Faivor

added 10 more points with 5 points each.

With St Johns busy putting the points on the scoreboard, Charlotte didn't have much of a chance at the ball and finished the quarter with only 6 points.

25 points. Charlotte bounced back a bit with 15 points. The Redwings were outscored 19-14 in the final period, but were too far ahead for Charlotte to make

it a close contest. Dan Mohnke was the scoring leader for the Redwings with 17 points. Doug Woodhams and Charlie Faivor were also in double figures with 14 apiece.

They were followed by Mike Sutherland and Dennis Parker with 9, Alex Mackinnon with 6, Mark DeBoer 5 and Eddie Jorae, Tom French, Brian Studer, Bob Wiewer and Steve, Pytlowanyj added 2 apiece.

Charlotte had no player in double figures with their scoring led by Tom Frantz and Roger Adams with 8 points apiece.

MIKE SUTHERLAND was the leading Redwing rebounder with 11, followed by Charlie Faivor with 9. St Johns hauled down a total of 40 rebounds in the contest.

At the free-throw line, St Johns was deadly hitting on 30-of-40 attempts.

As a team, St Johns shot at a 45% rate from the floor, hitting on 27-of-60 shots. Charlotte shot the ball more times, but could only make it count 20-out-of-64 times.

The victory gives St Johns a 4-4 record and 3-2 in the league.

In junior varsity action, St Johns won 69-63 with their record identical to the varsity.

## Clinton area SPORTS

### Ovid-Elsie loses early lead, falls to Bay City Saints 64-58

BAY CITY — After leading Bay City for 2 quarters Friday night, Ovid-Elsie faltered in the 2d half and lost to the All-Saints 64-58.

The non-league defeat gives the Marauders a 3-4 record for the season. Bay City has a strong 6-1 season record.

Ovid-Elsie grabbed an early 20-14 lead at the end of the opening quarter. At half-time the

Marauders led Bay City 30-26. The 3d quarter was costly for Ovid-Elsie and most of the damage was done by Mark TaLaga. He poured in 14 points in the 3d quarter and kept up the pace in the 4th quarter with 9 points. He topped all scorers with 33 for the contest.

Randy Loynes led the attack for Ovid-Elsie with 17 points, with 10 of these in the 1st half. Jack Bashore also finished in double figures with 13 points.

Ovid-Elsie tangles with a hot Ithaca squad Friday night in Ithaca.

Ithaca is unbeaten in their Mid-Michigan B league with 2 wins and no losses. They also are enjoying a 4 game winning streak.

Coaches Wayne Morrison and Bruce Barber were pleased with the results, saying "they were glad to have the first victory under the belt." Barber commented that Alma had a lot of young swimmers in the exhibition events and that St Johns freshmen and sophomores fared very well against them.

Placing for St Johns were: 200 medley relay—Kirt Robbins, Charlie Rehmann, Mike Butler and Dan Downing, 1st.

200 Medley relay — Haas, 1st; John Mailand, 2nd and Andy Huntley, 3rd.

200 individual medley — Tom Villereal, 2nd and Dale Stephenson, 3rd.

50 free style — Butler, 1st and Downing, 2nd.

Diving — Brian Stork, 1st and Kirt Robbins, 2nd.

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P-W SHOOTER GOES UP FOR 2 AGAINST COLD SPRINGPORT. P-W GOES AGAINST UNBEATEN FOWLER IN ST JOHNS FRIDAY



Pewamo-Westphalia basketball coach, Harry Peacock (left) and Fowler coach, Charles Trierweiler, engage in a bit of "who's got the ball" combat for the benefit of the County News camera. The 2 got together recently for this photograph to remind basketball fans, the 2 schools will stage their inter-league rivalry Friday at the St Johns High School gymnasium. They chose to play in the larger facility because of the large spectator turn-out expected. Fowler is unbeaten and leads the league with P-W close behind with just 1 loss.

### Swimmers top Alma Butler, Haas break records

ALMA — Two varsity and pool records were set as St Johns swimmers surged past conference foe Alma 73 to 22 last Tuesday.

Senior Mike Butler swam the 50 meter free style in 24.6 seconds while teammate Doug Haas was clocked at 4:36.91 for the 400 meter free style. It was St Johns' first victory of the season after taking 10 medals in the Waverly Invationals.

In commenting on his record-breaking performance, Butler said he wants to get his time down below 24.3 to qualify for the state meet in March. Although Haas, a senior, said his time wasn't as fast as he hoped, he said it felt good at the Alma pool because he could pace himself. But, he added, it wouldn't be the record at the end of the year.

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DOUG HAAS AND MIKE BUTLER

### Fined for untagged traps

ST JOHNS—Robert James Little, 31, 942 Cleo St, Lansing, pleaded guilty in District Court to a charge of possessing untagged wild animal traps.

He paid a fine of \$18, conservation fee of \$3 and a judgement fee of \$4.

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### Legal Notice

ORDER OF PUBLICATION — General State of Michigan, Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of Nellie Brown Pearson, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 28th, 1973, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims and heirs will be determined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Glenn Pearson, R.F.D. DeWitt, Michigan, prior to said hearing.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. Dated: January 8, 1973.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate. ROBERT H. WEED, Attorney for Estate 200 W. State, St. Johns, Michigan. 3713



### St Johns Public School Community Calendar

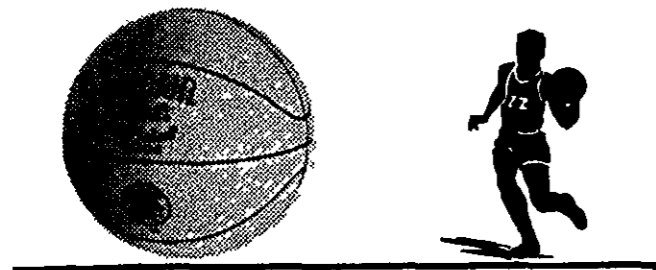
Monday, Jan 15  
Lansing Community College Class — Accounting I — High School 6-8 pm.  
Open Swim — High School Pool — 6:30-8:30 pm.  
Adult Enrichment Classes — Knits & Lingerie — High School — 6:30-9:30 pm.  
Adult Enrichment Classes — Typing I — High School — 7-10 pm.  
Adult Enrichment Classes — Arts & Crafts — High School — 7-9 pm.

Tuesday, Jan 16  
Jr. Varsity and Varsity Basketball w/Alma — There — 6:30 pm.  
LCC Class — Personnel Management at High School — 7-10 pm.  
Adult Enrichment Classes — Bishop Sewing I — High School — 6:30-9:30 pm.

Wednesday, Jan 17  
City Recreation Basketball — High School Gym — 7:30 pm.  
Lansing, Community College — Accounting I — High School — 6-8 pm.  
Adult Enrichment Classes — Automotive Repair and Maintenance — Auto Center Downtown — 7:30-9:30 pm.  
Adult Enrichment Classes — Carpentry for Handyman — High School — 7-9 pm.  
Adult Enrichment Classes — Home Planning & Layout — HS — 6:30-8:30 pm.  
Adult Enrichment Classes — Masonry Trades — Auto Center Downtown — 6:30-9:30 pm.  
Adult Enrichment Classes — Women's Volleyball — RB Wilson Gym — 8-9:30 pm.

Thursday, Jan 18  
Open Swim — High School Pool — 6:30-8:30 pm.  
Fresman Basketball w/Alma — Here — 6:30 pm.  
Jr Varsity & Varsity Wrestling w/Waverly — There — 6:30 pm.  
Swim Meet w/Waverly — Here — 7:30 pm.

Friday, Jan 19  
Jr Varsity & Varsity Basketball w/Ionia — Here — 6:30 pm.



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Card of Thanks

LYON-Our family wishes to express our very warmest thanks to all of you wonderful people who participated in the raffle held for our benefit. It was a very generous thing to do and we thank you very much. Gwen Lyon's family. 37-1p-nc

MILLS-My sincere thanks to Dr. Mark Harold and staff at Ingham Medical Hospital for their services during my stay there. Also to my pastor, relatives and friends for their prayers, visits, flowers, gifts, cards while in the hospital and home. Special thanks to my aunts who helped my family. Gerald Mills. 37-1p-nc

LAPHAM-We wish to thank all our friends and relatives for the beautiful cards and gifts we received on our 50th anniversary. Thanks to our sons and wives for the delicious dinner they served. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lapham. 37-1p-nc

SMITH-The family of Stanley A. Smith wish to convey their sincere thanks and appreciation to his relatives, friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and sympathy during his extended stay in the hospital and at the time of our bereavement. Also a special thanks to Rev. Forest Crum, Masonic Lodge, Eastern Stars, and Rummell Funeral Home, all of DeWitt for their services. 37-1p-nc

PERRY - My sincere thanks to Drs. Russell and Bennett, nurses and aides of the third floor at our hospital for their wonderful care. Friends and relatives for their calls of concern, visits, cards, gifts and flowers. To the kitchen personnel for the nice Christmas dinner and other meals. To all who helped

make my stay at the hospital more pleasant. It was greatly appreciated. Thelma Perry. 37-1p

DYKE- We wish to thank Drs. Russell and Grost, the nurses and aides of Clinton Memorial Hospital for the excellent care and kindness shown, also to our friends and neighbors who were so thoughtful during the illness and death of our loved one. The family of Beryl V. Dyke. 37-1p-nc

CLINTON COUNTY INFIRMARY-We wish to express our thanks to all church groups and organizations who were kind enough to give and visit the residents of the Clinton County Infirmary during the year and at Christmas. L.G. Nowell, Supt. 37-1p-nc

ROSSOW-I wish to thank my relatives and friends for the gifts and many nice cards I received for my 88th birthday. All were deeply appreciated. Carl Rossow. 37-1p-nc

BLEMASTER-I want to thank the WSCS for the basket of fruit for Christmas. Ralph and Margie Blemaster. 37-1p-nc

CAUDY-I want to thank all the nice people who voted for me and helped me win the grand prize at Parr's. Joe Caudy. 37-1p-nc

HYLER-We wish to thank Dr. Russell, Dr. Grost, Clinton Memorial Hospital, nurses and aides for their care, friends, relatives, neighbors and organizations for their visits, cards, plants, food sent in and other acts of kindness. Hoag's Funeral Home and staff, Rev. Homer for his comforting words during the illness and death of our wife and mother, Nora Hyler. Mitchell Hyler, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Hyler, Mr. and Mrs. Glennald Hyler, Mr. and Mrs. E.O. Hyler. 37-1p-nc

MAPLE RAPIDS Mrs. Joyce Rumsey 127 West Main Street Maple Rapids, 682-4243

Mrs Ruth Bancroft was guest of honor on Jan 27 at a birthday dinner in Middleton. Her husband Steven Bancroft and daughters and Mr and Mrs Wilbur Bancroft helped celebrate the occasion and a birthday cake complete with song was a great surprise for Mrs Bancroft.

The Fulton Athletics Boosters met in the Fulton Commons on Dec 20 for election of 1973 officers. Glen Kanizy, president; Mrs Joann Badge, vice president; Mrs Letha Troup, treasurer; and Mrs Minnie Nunemake, secretary. Meetings will be held every 4th Monday at 8 pm in the Fulton High School.

Mrs Mary Ball is in Carson City Hospital for surgery. William Hall, son of Mr and Mrs Roger Hall of Maple Rapids spent the weekend with Raymond Rumsey of Maple Rapids.

Mr and Mrs Bruce Bancroft of Canonsburg, Penn were guests of Mr and Mrs Wilbur Bancroft during Christmas week.

North Bengal

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William S. Ernst of Battle Creek and Mr and Mrs Edwin Mohnke of South Bengal spent New Years Eve with Mr and Mrs William Ernst and Maxine.

Mr and Mrs Louis Moritz and Kathy and Ann spent Tuesday evening, Dec 26, with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Clare Moritz and Randy of rural Grand Ledge. Also guests were Mr and Mrs Edwin Mohnke of South Bengal.

Herman Noller of Lebanon and his grandsons, James and Robert Noller of Lafayette, Ind, were callers on Wednesday afternoon, Dec 27, of Mr and Mrs William Ernst.

Mr and Mrs Richard Rossow and Justin of Flint came Christmas Day for a few days visit with his parents, Rev and Mrs H.E. Rossow and David and grandmother, Mrs Herman Rossow.

Maxine Ernst attended a family dinner at the home of Mr and Mrs Robert Beckhorn of Ionia on New Years Day. Other guests were Mr and Mrs Edwin Mohnke of South Bengal, William S. Ernst of Battle Creek, Mr and Mrs Clarence

Ernst of Holt, Mr and Mrs Edward Ernst and Mrs Joan Ernst of St Johns. Mrs William S. Ernst and Karen and Ron went to Greensboro, North Carolina during the Christmas vacation to visit her sons and brothers, William and Robert Ernst and their mother and grandmother, Mrs Edith Fagge, and other relatives and friends.

Little Justin Rossow of Flint spent the New Years weekend with his grandparents, Rev and Mrs H.E. Rossow, uncle David and great-grandmother, Mrs Herman Rossow.

Miss Kathy Ernst of Battle Creek was a guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs William Ernst, and Maxine on Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec 26 and 27.

Mr and Mrs Louis G. Thelen were hosts to their Christmas party on Thursday, Dec 28, at the KC Hall at Fowler. Those attending from this neighborhood were Mr and Mrs Marvin Thelen and family and Mr and Mrs Claude Thelen and family.

Visitors of Mr and Mrs William Ernst and Maxine on New Years night were Mr and Mrs Clarence Ernst of Holt and Mr and Mrs Edward Ernst and Mrs Joan Ernst of St Johns.

Pewamo

Mr and Mrs Hilary Schafer and family and Mr and Mrs Norman Schafer and family were Christmas dinner guests of their mother, Mrs Laurine Schafer Saturday, Dec 30, a gift exchange followed the dinner.

Mr and Mrs Clyde Shoemaker had their family home for Christmas dinner on Saturday, Dec 30. They were Mr and Mrs Roger Leonard and family of Lansing, Mr and Mrs LeRoy Collins and family and Mr and Mrs Tom Shoemaker and family.

Mr and Mrs Clyde Shoemaker attended the wedding of their nephew, John Shoemaker, of Eaton Rapids, Dec 22.

Cindy Collins, granddaughter of Mr and Mrs Clyde Shoemaker, spent Christmas week with them. Mrs Charles Cook entertained her family with a Christmas dinner and gift exchange Dec 30. Twenty-five guests attended.

Mr and Mrs Dennis Imhoff spent Christmas with her father and family, George Cvetnich. Mr and Mrs Dennis Imhoff are stationed at Camp Carson, Colo.

Carl Borton, Route 1, Pewamo, was discharged from the Ionia County Memorial Hospital Monday, Dec 25.

Mr and Mrs Dennis Imhoff were callers of Arnold Hattis, Christmas day.

Thomas Cvetnich and Arnold Hattis were visitors at the Ionia Manor Tuesday, Dec 26, visiting Frank Hattis.

Mrs Barbara Alexander spent Christmas week with her daughter, Mrs Mary Albers, at St Johns. She returned home Sunday.

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Grace Bissell were her cousin, Mr and Mrs Edward Rogers of Chicago.

Mr and Mrs John Blauwielk entertained with a Christmas dinner and gift exchange. They were Mrs Ann Bower, Mr and Mrs Nichlas Blauwielk of Grand Rapids, Mr and Mrs Kenneth Thelen and family of St Johns, Mr and Mrs Joseph Bower and family, Mr and Mrs Lawrence Blauwielk and family and Mr and Mrs Harry Blauwielk and family of Grand Rapids.

Mrs Laurine Schafer entertained her sons and daughter-in-law with a Christmas dinner and gift exchange Saturday, Dec 30. They were Mr and Mrs Hilary Schafer and family and Mr and Mrs Norman Schafer and family.

Mrs Vera Cook and Mrs Joan Daniels were New Years Day dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Marvin Thelen of Fowler and New Years Day supper guests of Mr and Mrs Leon Thelen of rural St Johns.

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# Clinton teen scene

## Chris Hayes is exchange student

Chris Hayes, daughter of Mr and Mrs John Hayes, 904 S Lansing, and senior at St Johns High School, will be leaving Thursday, Jan 11, for Le Mans, France.

Making it possible for Chris to be an exchange student and spend second semester in France was Mrs Arlene Scramlin, counselor at St Johns High School and the International Cultural Exchange program. The International Cultural Exchange program is a fairly new organization with Chris being the only one now from the US going to France for a semester.

Chris stressed that any student wishing to par-

ticipate in a program as such, that one needs the language background and the desire, but most important that the student has to prepare for it and not wait until the last minute. In fact, Chris and Mrs Scramlin



have been working on it since last March. Chris is financing the trip by herself.

During the 1st semester, Chris has been a student assistant for Mr Gonzales, in his French I class, helping students with pronunciation and other problems. Other activities that Chris has participated in during her high school years are: Vice-President of Sophomore and Junior Class, member of student council, member of the National Honor Society, Drama Club, pep club, GAA and Ski Club. And although Chris has been this active in high school she has been able to maintain a 4.0 grade point average.



CHRIS HAYES

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8. Rocky Mountain High — John Denver
9. Pieces of April — Three Dog Night
10. Smoke Gets In Your Eyes — Blue Haze



## Ovid - Elsie High School

O-E Scuttlebutt

by Sue DePond

The annual Ovid-Elsie High School Football Banquet was held in the high school cafeteria. During the program awards were given by the team for most valuable, Randy Loynes; most humorous, Wayne Bowen; tape kit, Rob Nethaway; most improved, Charlie Thelen; most desire, Dan Egbert and Jim Kelley. The varsity team's captains were Rick Staples,

Gary Groom, and Dan Egbert. The team voted Rob Nethaway and Randy Bowles as captains for 1973.

Egbert, Nethaway and Loynes were presented with honorable mentions on the class B all-state team.

The Mid-Michigan "B" league chose Gary Groom and Frank Ends for offense with Tom Kirinovic given an honorable mention. They chose Loynes, Egbert, and Nethaway for defense, while Dave Winkler and Rick Staples were given honorable mention.

Clinton County also chose an all-county league.

Groom and Kirinovic for offense, and Egbert, Loynes, and Nethaway for defense were chosen for this team. Winkler, defense, and Loynes, offense were given honorable mentions.

Egbert made a new, individual record this year making 112 tackles.

### Fowler High School

by Ann Thelen

Back in December, the students of Fowler High pushed on because they knew Christmas was coming, and along with it a break. Now that we are back in school, there is only exams coming up - not willingly welcomed by the students. The exams will be Jan 18 and 19.

Of course there is basketball to tide us over until Spring. But that is not a bad prospect. After 6 games our record is 6-0, our latest victory being DeWitt. This Friday Jan 12, we'll play Pewamo Westphalia in the St Johns High School gym.

The Junior class turned their eyes and thoughts to this Spring and the Prom. They are working on a theme and setting.

The Sophomore class received their class rings shortly before Christmas vacation but, unfortunately, many had to be returned because of sizing.

And the Seniors are earning money and planning for their class trip.

### Service Personnel

Pvt Johns

SAN DIEGO -- Marine Pvt Michael R Johns, son of Mr Robert I Johns of Bath, graduated from basic training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot in San Diego.



MICHAEL JOHNS

They've got it together! This year's shorthand II and typing II students have formed a new club known as the Business and Office Education Club (BOEC).

Elections were held recently. The officers are president, Nancy Bohil; vice-president, Luanne Bancroft; secretary, Theresa Huntoon; treasurer, J o A n n G a l e c k a ; parliamentarian, Voljeme Waydak; and reporters, Pam Walter and Carol Borst. Their advisor is Mrs Mary Porubsky.

On Dec 1 and 2 the president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer, and Mrs Porubsky traveled to Detroit for 2 training conferences. They listened to some guest speakers on various related topics.

To get their club off to a great start these girls held two bake sales one in Ovid and one in Elsie.

The bake sale for the Elsie area was held Dec 8 at Darling Hardware from 9 to 12. For their efforts, the girls earned \$40.75 for club funds.

The Ovid bake sale was Dec 16 from 9 to 12 at Ovid Hardware. This brought in \$30.

The club would like to thank everyone for making the bake sales such a success.

Thursday, Jan 4, the Ovid-Elsie High School student council held the first of the tri-annual conference meetings in the high school library. The meeting was kept in order by president Tom Kirinovic. Various activities were discussed on how we could get the schools together without having competition.

The other student councils arrived at 9 am. The schools attending were St Louis, Bullock Creek, Chesaning, Corunna, and Ithaca. Refreshments were served by the Ovid-Elsie student council representatives at 10:30. Later the O-E council conducted tours of the school.

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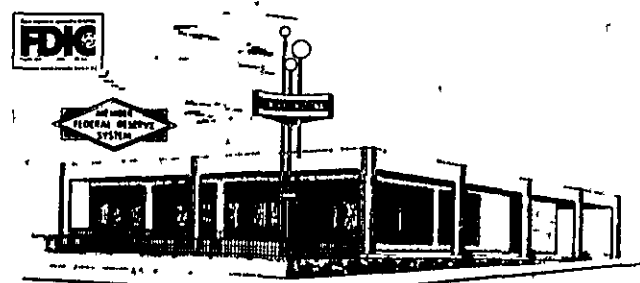
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Fourth in a series

# Melba classes add beauty to vo-ed program

(Editor's Note: This is the fourth of 5 features on a Clinton County vocational-education program known as shared time being administered by St Johns High School in cooperation with Ovid-Elsie, Bath, Pewamo-Westphalia and Fowler school districts - on an experimental basis this year.)

By Lee Peters  
NEWS Staff Writer

LANSING - The Beauty of the Clinton County vocational education program is at Melba Beauty Academy.

That's where 77 area high school girls are taking classes in cosmetology. Monday through Friday sessions are the first step in their studies toward becoming State of Michigan licensed beauticians.

An MG Murphy School, Melba has contracted with St Johns to provide the service, says Kenneth Lashaway, vo-ed director. And in turn fees are paid to St Johns by local districts.

"IF THE girls were walk-in students it would cost them \$595 for the 1500 hour course," Lashaway explains, "but as a part of the school program it's paid from the school budget." He feels the classes are good because they provide an opportunity for the young ladies to take something they've never had before.

Although Melba does have a North East St Lansing address, they're still in Clinton County which is one thing Lashaway and other school officials are proud of. But it has posed a transportation problem which

appears to have been adequately solved.

Pewamo-Westphalia buses carry 41 students from P-W, Fowler and St Johns to the 9 to 11 am class. Ovid-Elsie transports their students and those from St Johns, and Fowler to the 12:30 to 2:30 pm meeting. They are joined by Bath girls to make a total of 36 attending afternoons.

"WE STARTED out with 44 and 43 students respectively," says Mrs Betsy Perry, instructor, "and so we've had a very low percentage of dropouts." Although this is the first year for co-op students on a large scale at Melba, Murphy operates a similar program through the Jackson school system.

Through the process of 2 school years attending 2 hours daily, Mrs Perry explains 700 hours will be accumulated. Students have the option of attending summers at their own expense to reach the 1500 hours required for graduation. In addition they receive 2 credits toward their high school graduation.

Girls are issued complete cosmetology kits which are theirs to have if they complete the course. It includes brushes, styling combs, rubber gloves, rollers, clips, permanent rods, scissors, razors, an apron, manicure items and many other essentials. They are asked to wear white uniforms and shoes.

THESE GIRLS are now in the junior division, continues Mrs Perry, while they're being given the basics for everything they'll do in

(SEE PAGE 9B)



Following theory, it's practice for Karen Prass, Bath, Lois Epkey, Fowler (from left), and Anna Duffield, Ovid-Elsie.




Mrs Betsy Perry, instructor, discusses cosmetology with Clinton County vocational-education students.



A student in the junior division practices on a manikin. Following 350 hours accumulation students are allowed to work on customers.



St Johns has contracted with Melba Beauty Academy in southern Clinton County to provide cosmetology classes which means busing. Here Ovid-Elsie students are dropped out at Melba for an afternoon session.



**This is  
Joe Humenik  
Week**

Assisting Santa Claus used up most of Joe's December as he spent many hours sitting in for the jolly old man in a variety of locations throughout the St. Johns area. From stores to hospitals, schools and private homes Joe kept a steady pace right up to Christmas Eve and his efforts brightened the holidays for many. Especially cheered were those confined by illness or age and, while Christmas is for youngsters, Joe's efforts at spreading joy covered kids "from two to ninety-two." Joe (Santa) Humenik, our citizen of the week.

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## Young views

Farm Bureau Insurance Group annually publishes a booklet titled "America and Me." The booklet contains opinions of youth 13-14 on their roles in America. We believe several of the excerpts from the booklet are well worth passing on to our readers. Here are a couple of offerings on the topic on pollution: --America, love it and clean it. --Man's eras should be summarized as the Stone Age, then the Bronze Age, the Iron Age, the Space Age and now the Garb-Age. --Ride a bike, the only thing it can burn is calories.

Space exploration prompted these remarks: --Why don't we take care of our own planet before we mess up another: --People criticize the space program, but I support it. We will get more out of the space program than we will get out of aiding foreign countries that beg for more money.

--The 13-14 year olds had this to say about inflation: --If people would be a little less piggy and stop thinking about money and let down their prices, people might buy more. --To buy 1 loaf of bread we are soon going to carry a bushel basket of money. --Thank you President Nixon, for wage and price controls. We needed that.

The following comments deal with politicians and government: --Why do we call ourselves a Democracy when the federal government is trying to take care of us from the cradle to the grave. --I think the radicals and the government are both right, but the government has might and might makes right.

Feelings on America are strong. Here are a few: --People of America always go and say how they solve the problems and then they walk away. --If America is so bad, how come millions of people from other countries move to America every year? --I think that soon America is going to be a place where people will say, America's a nice place to visit. . .but I wouldn't want to live there. --Money: in America everything evolves around that stupid green piece of paper and a hunk of silver. --I realize that America has a bad side, but it also has a good one. And on the most part, I'm really proud of my America. . .or should I say our America?



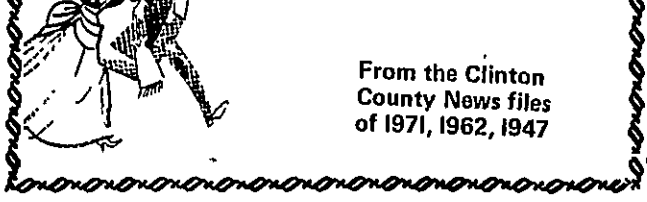
## View from the Senate

By SEN. WILLIAM S. BALLENGER

Although the end of the current (1972-73) fiscal year is still six months away, some State Capitol observers are already predicting that state treasury coffers soon will be bulging with a mountainous surplus. This is bound to start lines forming at the right by special interest groups, all seeking more money for their own pet projects. Education, social services, mental health, and public health -- to name just a few worthy causes -- will be wanting all they can get if indeed a surplus does materialize. In recent weeks, there has been renewed interest in building a new State Capitol, a move which has been at least temporarily sidetracked during the budget pinch of the last three years. It seems the money is already beginning to burn a hole in some people's pockets. The late State Sen Elmer Porter of Blissfield -- one of the most prudent men with the taxpayer's dollars in Senate history -- contended that a small deficit was infinitely better than even a small surplus. He found it was much easier to contain

empire-building bureaucrats when there was a deficit than when there was a surplus. One non-government source predicts that the surplus at the end of the present fiscal year might range from \$100 million to as much as \$150 million. This "source" attributes the rather unexpected largess to the increased state income tax rate; federal revenue sharing of about \$75 million; funds from the state lottery; and higher-than-expected income from such nuisance taxes as cigarettes, wine, beer, and retail and general sales. One of the Governor's top budget men said returns from income taxes are running about 13 per cent higher than last year instead of the 11.5 per cent increase anticipated. This is all good news, although budget makers and financial experts know from experience that this is a little early to bank heavily on what the surplus, if any, might be by June 30. An unexpected downturn in the nation's economy or an unanticipated major expenditure could wipe out most of the expected surplus quickly. Now, if the surplus does materialize, the question becomes what to do with it. With Detroit's request for a state "bail out" of its \$80 million deficit leading the way, many school districts in the state could gobble up almost any surplus without suffering any stomach ache that might require antacids. Needless to say, many welfare recipients are complaining bitterly that the cost of living is taking food right out of their mouths and are clamoring for more money. Of course, any list of potential worthy beneficiaries should include Michigan's taxpayers. They would fervently welcome some relief even though Michigan's taxes right now are far lower than some other states. According to the US Census, eight states exceed Michigan's \$333.92 per capita tax and Michigan ranks 10th among the states in the rate of tax increases in the last five years. Hawaii's residents average \$480.67 per person, and taxes in Illinois increased 127 per cent in the last five years compared with Michigan's 87 per cent.

## Back Through the Years



From the Clinton County News files of 1971, 1962, 1947

**ONE YEAR AGO**  
Jan 12, 1972  
Fred Lewis, 73, chairman of the Selective Service Local Board 19 in St Johns has announced his retirement last week after nearly 21 years on the local selection committee. A new law that requires retirement from the board at age 65 went into effect at the first of the year causing the action. Don Gilson, personnel manager of the St. Johns branch of Federal-Mogul Corporation has announced his early retirement from the firm following employment of 21 years. Derrill Shinabery, Greenbush township supervisor, has been named to replace Andrew Cobb on the Clinton County Board of Commissioners. Cobb resigned Dec 1 with one year left on his unexpired term. Half the cows and nearly 90% of the dairy herds have disappeared from Michigan in the last 25 years.

**25 YEARS AGO**  
Jan 8, 1948  
Contributions for the fund to finance the new addition at Clinton Memorial Hospital continued to arrive at campaign headquarters this past week. Total donations for the week amounted to nearly \$2000 and brings the fund total to \$55,181.57. Clinton County will have a new Red Cross Chapter secretary about Jan 15 when Mrs Vernon Christensen will replace Miss Helen Wolf who has held the position for the past 15 months. Miss Wolf has resigned and is expecting to leave for California later this month. Don't be surprised if you see a deer eating from your garbage pail some cold, gray dawn. Reports have them in the heart of St Johns now and there seems to be no question that at least one section of the city received a nocturnal visit. For the first time in nearly 10 years bank deposits in Clinton County appeared to be leveling off. Year-end reports from the county's several banks showed a total increase of only \$278,000.

**10 YEARS AGO**  
Jan 10, 1963  
A campaign will be conducted in St Johns and Clinton County churches Sunday, Jan 20, to raise funds for the installation and equipment of a prayer room on the main floor of Clinton Memorial Hospital. Fred M Lewis, assistant Clinton County prosecutor for the past 2 years who took office as prosecutor by appointment Jan 1, announced this week the appointment of Harold B. Reed as assistant prosecuting attorney. A proposal to build a \$488,000 sewage collection

## The Safety Valve

Answers your questions about every day traffic-related problems. Write Michigan Traffic Safety Information Council, c/o Michigan State Safety Commission, Department of State Police, East Lansing, Michigan 48823. The Safety Valve will try to answer all inquiries. However, not all will be printed.

**QUESTION: WHAT IS THE RECOMMENDED WAY TO MAKE PROPER TURNS WITH A MOTOR VEHICLE? NU, Alpena**  
**ANSWER:** The Highway Traffic Safety Center at Michigan State University recommends these five steps to make proper turns:  
1. Check traffic, your rear view mirrors and blind spots;  
2. Signal well in advance;  
3. Get into the proper lane of traffic;  
4. Turn smoothly; and  
5. Sight down the center of your new lane.  
If you avoid sudden moves and turn properly, you'll help keep your vehicle, as well as others, moving smoothly.  
**QUESTION: IS IT ILLEGAL TO LEAVE MY CAR'S MOTOR RUNNING, TO KEEP THE CAR WARM IN THIS COLD WEATHER, AS LONG AS I LOCK THE DOORS, WHILE I RUN INTO THE GROCERY**  
**ANSWER:** If you're parked in the store's private parking lot you probably wouldn't have any trouble. Be sure your key to unlock the door isn't on that same ring with ignition key that's still inside! Be sure, too, the brakes are set, so the car can't suddenly roll and cause damage to other property for which you might be held liable. However, "No person having control or charge of a motor vehicle shall allow such vehicle to stand on any highway unattended without first effectively setting the brakes thereon and stopping the motor of said vehicle and when standing upon any grade without turning the front wheels of such vehicle to the curb or side of the highway."  
Remember, too, that some local ordinances forbid leaving keys in the ignition of an unattended car.

## State Police announce retirement promotions

**EAST LANSING** -- Retirement of a Michigan State Police captain Jan 12 and the promotion of 7 officers Jan 14 has been reported. Capt Lawrence N Hofmann, 46, commander of the intelligence section of the detective division of East Lansing, will have completed 25 years Jan 5. During his first 15 years he worked at West Branch, Flint and St Clair. Upon retirement he will become public safety director at Fraser. Hofmann was born at Detroit. Sgt Robert S Huddy, 43 of the traffic division for the Bay City district, is promoted to 11 level sergeant. Six troopers are advanced to detective sergeant 10 level. Robert F Bunn, 34, of Erie, is assigned to the licensing unit of the records division at East Lansing. Westley W Haney, 30 who has been a juvenile officer at the Paw Paw post, is transferred to the district juvenile unit at Rockford. William J Grace, 29, of the Lansing post, is assigned to a detective division unit at East Lansing headquarters. Christopher I Olson, 29, formerly juvenile officer at the Lansing post, John A Wilson, 32 of Paw Paw, and Earl R Johnson, 33 of Calumet, are assigned to units of the detective division at Detroit. Years of enlistment for the promoted officers were 1955 for Huddy, 1963 for Johnson, 1964 for Bunn, 1965 for Haney and 1966 for Grace, Olson and Wilson.



## A PERSONAL LOOK AT THE NEWS Between the lines with Jim Edwards

"What's with Edwards-I was just up in the news department and he's sitting in the corner making strange noises and poking his finger in his eye." "Don't let it bother you. He claims his weekly column is right at his finger tips. But, when it isn't, he goes through all kinds of strange rituals to get it out by deadline time. If it'll make you feel better, we'll have somebody go upstairs to check on him." "Jim? Jim? Oh, hi there, why are you sitting with your feet in the filing cabinet." "Writing my column." "Oh, yeah that's what I kinda figured. Don't you figure you'd have better luck at the typewriter?" "Thinking." "Well, be careful, the drapery cord looks like it's making a mark on your throat." "Aaggggh, choke, choke." "For crying out loud, Jim, you gotta be careful. Here, let me help you. Now just hold still and I'll have you out in just a second. There, just take a few deep breaths and you'll feel just great. By the way, Jim, why can't you just sit at your desk and write like other people?" "If I don't have an idea right, I've got to work for one. You can't do that sitting at a desk looking at the typewriter." "Yeah, I guess I see your point. But, the police department's right across the street and they frown on people hanging themselves with the drapery cords. Why don't you chew pencils or cut out obscene paper dolls like you used to do?" "Look, you don't know what it's like when the ole noggin just goes dry and typesetters are yelling, 'why hasn't that idiot written his column yet?' It's a desperate feeling." "Sure, sure. Say, you better stop chewing on the telephone cord. You might hurt yourself and the telephone company said they won't replace anymore." "Oh, yeah, forgot. Why don't you do whatever it is you're supposed to do and let me write my column." "I can't do that." "Why not?" "I've been appointed by the other members of the staff to watch you on days like this to make sure you don't destroy the office. You almost set fire to the place a few weeks ago when you said you were writing your column. It looked to us that all you were doing was sitting on your desk watching your lighter burn. That's when you fell asleep. That's also when your lighter set 43 rejected columns on fire." "How come you guys always exaggerate. It doesn't matter, anyway. It's finally happened. No column. Just run a blank spot this week. There ain't gonna be no Between the Lines in Mudville this week." "That's what you think. We've been recording all this and we're going to substitute it for your regular column." "You wouldn't dare."

## "If It Fitz . . . Hum along with me

Editor, Lapeer County Press " By Jim Fitzgerald

The holiday season is finally past and the droning sound of the hummer can no longer be heard in the land. I can quit moving my lips while making no sound. And I can make repairs to my wounded psyche, shoring it up in preparation for the next onslaught of merry carolers. I am a non-singer, doomed by a perverse god to live out my days surrounded by relatives who give each other weather reports in 4-part harmony. (The pain in rain is mainly the refrain.) I was raised in the shadow of my big sister, Terrible Jean. And she cast the biggest shadow in town. It was humiliating enough that she was tougher and smarter than Little Brother. But she could also sing the entire score from every Fred Astaire-Ginger Rogers movie, with choreography. Relatives were constantly demanding that she perform, which was similar to demanding that Tuesday follow Monday. No one ever asked me to sing. It was always taken for granted that I couldn't carry a tune, but I never really got a chance to try. Terrible Jean carried all the tunes for our family, in her ample mouth, and she never put one down for fear someone else might get a chance to lift it. So, naturally, I grew up musically warped. (la la tra.) It is true that I wasn't the only non-singer in the house. Another sister, Mary Lou, had a voice which was often confused with a malfunction in the steam heating. But she enjoyed compensations. She took piano lessons and tap dance lessons (I still remember when she practiced behind closed doors. From the sound, you couldn't tell which subject she was practicing). There were no compensations for me. I was simply the dumb kid "with no ear for music." After holiday dinners, when the relatives sat around the table singing background for Terrible Jean's solos, I was continually sent to the kitchen on important errands such as making, sure, the refrigerator hadn't run away. It is no wonder I developed a mental block which, to this day, prevents me from learning all the words to any song ("I'm dreaming of a white mmmmm"). Things are no better in my middle age. Somehow I married a woman who has sung in the same church choir for 35 years. Our 3 children are also singers. The hippie-haired daughter even totes a guitar and, to my horror, she adequately filled the huge void created this Christmas dinner when Terrible Jean was unable to be present (she had a previous engagement substituting for worn-out sound tracks at a Fred Astaire-Ginger Rogers film festival). Not only that, but Mary Lou has married a sweet singer named Jack. You should hear my mother and aunts rave about Jack's great tenor while I sit there humming holes through my teeth ("Jim, please see if the sink is still in the kitchen"). Jack even plays the ukulele, and he's wealthy, too. (Mary Lou would have married Arthur Godfrey but he doesn't allow tap dancing on his piano.) I'll tell you, it is not funny to be the only sour note in the family choir. The hurt is especially grievous at Christmas time. Once I tagged along when my little sisters went caroling through the neighborhood. They collected much praise and \$8.50. I was arrested for loitering. So it is no surprise that I shed no tears as the last sounds of Christmas fade into blessed silence. Onward and Upward. Hum along with me.

## Laughing with Lee

by Lee Peters

My husband I feel good "all under" . . . but it's not because of our matching his and her hip briefs and body shirts. There's a new us coming for the new year. Any day now I'm going to wake up and find Tyrone Power beside me and he'll look over at Dorothy Lamour. IT'S EASY and fun, too. All we have to do is drink milk, says the American Dairy Association. Isn't that UDDERLY fantastic? That's right. Drink milk and you're off on the right hoof for the new year. It seems the human body every minute by a process of "mitosis". So to give these new cells the energy to grow on, ADA recommends nature's own drink. You'll either turn into an incurably healthy specimen or you'll be the best looking Holstein in town. . . not to mention how contented you'll be. Just think. There's new hope for all age groups, all on account of moo juice. Whether you're a dateless dame trying to navigate down the aisle of matrimonial bliss or a 4' 10" midget trying out for the 6th grade basketball team for the 6th time, all you have to do is "pour it up and drink it down" and you're instantly energized and glamorized. And you don't have to do it the COWard's way as a second class citizen. It's the Grade A way. It fortifies us to know we won't have to go through the next 12 months on a sour note -- as long as the milk's fresh. We'll come shining through if we make sure at least a 25% "share of the stomach" of the 1450 pounds of food we'll each consume this year is in dairy products. To be on the safe side we each plan to put down 132 quarts of milk, 4.3 pounds of butter, 18 pounds of ice cream, 5.2 pounds of cottage cheese and on the up side of the dairy case, 13 lbs of cheese. IF ELSIE does her thing we'll do ours. Now that everything's computerized, mechanized and automated cows will no longer thank the farmer for a warm hand on a frosty morning. A plug unplugs it all. There's a new MOVement in cows, too. It's the new cow. In 1950 there were more than 1 million dairy farms with 21.9 million cows producing 116,602 billion pounds of milk. In 1972 there were 12.2 million cows on some 300,000 dairy farms producing 120 1/2 billion pounds of milk. Fewer cows, but better producers--that's how zero population growth has affected them. SO GOODBYE '72. This year should be the cream of our lives as we rise to the top in '73.



By Jose J. Llinas, MD  
Director of Community  
Mental Health Clinton,  
Eaton and Ingham

## An ounce of prevention

### How Doctors learn

Do you think that high blood pressure often cause headaches, nosebleeds, and noise in your ear?  
If you do, you would be thinking the same way a good many physicians do. And, of course, you would be just as wrong as they are.

Most times, there is no connection between elevated blood pressure and the 3 symptoms mentioned above.

#### CORRECTING THE ERROR

How could that be? Professors of medicine and other physicians are not immune to the development of myths. In fact, if a mistaken statement somehow gets into a medical textbook, it takes years to get it out. And since sometimes textbooks copy from each other, the error tends to be perpetuated.

FORTUNATELY, there are always those in the profession who, like people from Missouri, question most everything, and want to be shown that something is indeed a fact and not a figment of somebody's imagination.

And that is precisely how the mistaken belief that hypertension (the proper medical name for high blood pressure) causes nosebleeds, headaches and ringing in the ears was debunked.

**NEGATIVE RESEARCH**  
Ten years ago, the United States Health Examination survey studied 6,672 persons, tabulating their blood pressures against their responses to several questions concerning their medical history.

Contrary to the then prevailing medical opinion, the survey found no relation between the 3 named symptoms and elevated blood pressure.

"And yet," Dr. Morris Fishbein, a former editor of the AMA Journal comments, "still to be found among the well-established beliefs of physicians is the concept that severe bleeding from the nose is associated with high blood pressure. Indeed, one of the first steps most doctors take in evaluating nosebleeds is to measure and record carefully the patient's blood pressure."

In an attempt to determine for sure whether there was

any truth to the persistent belief, a young medical investigator, Dr. Noel S. Weiss reviewed carefully all of the statistics of the original study made in 1962, using modern mathematical techniques and computer technology.

#### CONVINCING EVIDENCE

"I am happy to report," Dr. Weiss, who is with the National Center for Health Statistics in Maryland, said, "that in fact bleeding from the nose is a very infrequent occurrence in hypertension."

His sophisticated analysis of the information did show, however, that hypertensive patients whose eyegrounds are affected by the illness, tend to complain of headache more often.

When confronted with this evidence, Dr. Irvine H. Page, a well known cardiologist from the Cleveland Clinic was amazed.

"IN MY own practice," he stated, "I always thought that headache, a red face and nosebleeds usually went together with high blood pressure."

After reviewing Dr. Weiss'

study, Dr. Page conceded that, in reality, there is nothing that we now know which could signal to either patient or physician when hypertension may be developing.

"Some day we will be able to discover a warning sign, such as angina (pain in the chest) alerts us today about a possible heart attack," Dr. Page concludes. And so the medical profession learns. While earlier textbooks of medicine quite regularly mentioned nosebleeds and headache as common symptoms of hypertension, a survey of half a dozen recently published medical textbooks fails to reveal any reference to epistaxis (the scientific name for nosebleed) or discussion of its relationship to hypertension.

#### THE OUNCE OF PREVENTION

A good rule to follow in life is that you don't believe everything you hear; you don't necessarily believe everything you read (such as this column), and you certainly want to see proof before you accept any statement as fact.

### State Police record 1624 cases in month

**EAST LANSING** - State Police laboratory specialists at East Lansing, Plymouth, Warren and Holland made 1879 identifications in 1624 cases handled in November.

Of the cases, 658 were for State Police, 757 for cities and townships, 136 for sheriffs, and 73 for other agencies.

Examinations of all types of evidence totaled 78,415, including 27,745 for State Police, 44,461 for municipalities, 5,042 for sheriffs and 1,167 for other jurisdictions.

Processing of 74,755 latent fingerprints led to the identification of 85 suspects in criminal cases.

Mobile lab technicians made 35 scene investigations. Bomb squad officers worked 17 cases, recovering two incendiary, explosive or fake devices.

totalled \$29,760.15, an average of \$115.79.

The fire marshal division reported investigations of five explosions, 52 incendiary fires, 23 cases of law violations, and 82 other fire cases.

Field inspections included 56 schools, 33 hospitals, 33 nursing homes, 18 state properties, 15 bulk gas plants, one theater, and 23 miscellaneous.

Thirty-nine nursing homes and 28 hospitals were certified to the state health department for licensing.

Final building plans processed included 24 schools, 13 hospitals, 15 nursing homes, and 27 state properties.

### Service News

#### PFC Cosgrove

**MEMPHIS, TENN.** - Marine Pfc Jack D. Cosgrove, son of Mr and Mrs John E. Hayward Sr of 3435 E Mead Road, Elsie, has completed the Aviation Electronics Technician School at Memphis.

Aviation Electronics technicians maintain radar, radio and other guidance systems aboard naval aircraft.

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#### KEN RICHARDS RETIRES FROM MSU

Ken Richards retired Jan 1 as Superintendent of Custodial Services after 37 years of service at Michigan State University. A reception honoring Mr and Mrs Ken Richards was held on Friday pm, Dec 8, in the Centennial Room of the Kellogg Center on the MSU Campus.

About 150 of his co-workers and friends were in attendance to reminisce many fond memories. Very much to his surprise, Ken was officially inducted as an Honorary member of the MSU Alumni Varsity S Club. Mr Richard O. Bernitt,

Director of MSU dept of Public Safety, made the presentation. Mr TB Simon, Director of Physical Plant presented Ken with a shot gun, router bits and a Cassette Case. Mrs Richards was presented with a beautiful poinsettia plant.

The DeWitt past matrons club will meet Friday, Jan 12, at the home of Mrs Richard Keck.

Sympathy is extended to the families of Robert Norris and Stanley Smith who passed away last week.

#### Bingham Grange sets meeting

Bingham Grange will meet at the hall Friday Jan 12 at 8 pm.

The business meeting and program is to be followed by light refreshments.



#### Lottery is wrong

Dear Editor:

So we have a new Michigan law called "State Lottery". I am surprised that Governor Milliken signed such a bill which is gambling by any name we call it. I have read that the lottery law in New Hampshire isn't being successful.

Lottery has been law in Ireland many years. Surely that strife torn land is not our example for us to follow. Just as the law that was passed barring Bible reading from public schools, so is State lottery. Both are entering wedges to under mine our government. Two wrongs never make one right. Great empires of the past were never destroyed until they decayed within namely Egypt, Babylon and Rome. There were others. Turn to your Bible and read why they were destroyed.

In the old testament. Dear reader don't you see that could happen to us. When we think about buying a lottery ticket, just remember half the people of this old world go to bed hungry. There cannot be a lasting peace as long as this condition exists.

Saint Paul in his letter to the Romans tells us: "Therefore follow after the things which make for peace" Romans 14-19. Read on down 14-21. "It is good neither to eat flesh nor to drink wine nor anything whereby thy brother stumbleth or is made weak".

I hope you may read the entire chapter. Personally I do not think the Michigan lottery will lower our taxes.

A Citizen,  
Mrs Pearl Blank



By: ELAINE CINCALA  
County Extension Office

### The Home Economist

This is the time of year when those winter knitting and crocheting projects should be about finished.

There are some very important steps that even experienced knitters and crocheters follow:

1) The garment should be knit to the recommended gauge. To check this, knit or crochet a 2" square and count the stitches across and down the rows for each inch.

If two inches have fewer stitches than the directions call for, you need to use a smaller needle; if more stitches, use larger needles. This guarantees that the garment will fit, when finished.

2) Always finish the row before putting your work down. But, if you must stop your work in the middle of a

row, when you pick up again, be certain that the end of the yarn coming from the skein is in your right hand. Then you can't go wrong.

After the pieces are finished and before sewing the seams is the time to block.

Block each piece separately using rust proof pins. Place the pieces on a flat padded surface or pressing board wrong side up.

Use plenty of pins and place them close together to avoid scalloped edges when fastening the pieces to a flat padded surface.

Then, lay a damp cloth over it and lay a moderately hot iron near the surface. Only letting the steam touch the garment - NOT THE IRON.

Let it dry completely before removing.

On January 18, 7:30 pm at Smith Hall, three experienced knitters, Mrs Richard Rutter, Mrs Lester Jenkins and Mrs Robert Tait will give their hints on sewing seams, blocking, and other hand knitting problems.

Come next Thursday to learn more.

To care for hand washable garments:

1. Remove buttons or trims that are not washable.
2. Lay garment flat and outline its shape.
3. Wash separately in cold water and mild soap.
4. Squeeze suds through gently.
5. Rinse several times in lukewarm water.
6. Add a few drops of white vinegar to the last rinse to cut soap and to give garments a smoother hang.
7. When removing from water support garment at all times, roll in turkish towel to remove moisture. Do not squeeze, wring, or hang.
8. Lay garment on paper diagram and shape to original outline. Permit to dry at room temperature. Do not put near heat or in sun.
9. If a garment is machine washable, machine drying is preferable.

### Cadette state: an experience in government

**LANSING** - The Michigan Capitol Girl Scout Council of Lansing which includes Clinton County Scouts and the Fair Winds Council, Flint are providing a governmental experience on Jan 12-13, 1973 for over 400 girls.

They have nominated a 2-party state of official candidates for governor, Lt Governor, Attorney General, Secretary of State and Justices of the Supreme Court. The political proceedings are structured after the state and presidential nominations and elections.

Nov 18 the "Run Around Party" and the "On the Move Party" held their conventions with a total of 400 cadettes participating.

#### Shot clinic is Thursday

**ST JOHNS** - A free immunization clinic will be held Thursday, Jan 11 from 8:30 to 11 am at the Congregational Church basement, corner of State and Maple St in St Johns.

All shots will be given by nurses of the Mid-Michigan Health Dept. Immunizations include DPT, DT Typhoid, smallpox, oral polio, red measles, rubella (3 day measles) or the new combination measles shot and the TB skin test.

There were nomination speeches and discussion of platform issues which included abortion, marijuana legalization, welfare reform, amnesty and family size limitation to 2. Only after 5 ballots and hot debate for 3 hours did the delegates reach a nomination for the governmental offices. Pam Rogers of 3418 Palmer, Lansing was nominated for Governor by the "Run Around Party", and Penny Jo Ward of 531 S Francis, Lansing as her opponent for the "On the Move Party".

**DEMONSTRATIONS** for and against the issues continued throughout the day. Final elections for officials will be held at the MSU Union Auditorium on Jan 12. The Governor-Elect will be sworn into office on Saturday, Jan 13, at the Highway Department Auditorium. She then will outline what issues she wants the House and Senate to pass and will have the opportunity to sign or veto any bills they do pass.

The Lt Governor-Elect will be chairing the Senate while they are in session. Carolyn Kreer of East Lansing has been elected to preside over the House during their voting on the bills.

Members of the Cadette Steering Committee have

invited the actual governmental officials of Michigan to be guests of honor. These governmental officials will be working with their cadette state counterparts after the elections to help them better understand the duties of their offices.

### NOTICE

#### Regular 1973 Clinton County Planning Commission Meetings

The Clinton County Planning Commission will hold regular meetings on the second Wednesday of each month as follows:

January 10	July 11
February 14	August 8
March 14	September 12
April 11	October 10
May 9	November 14
June 13	December 12

At 7:30 P.M. in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan.

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## Farm Bureau kicks off 1973 membership drive

ST. JOHNS — "I know of no industry which faces any greater challenge than agriculture. Through Farm Bureau, we in agriculture, can meet the challenges we face—both today and down the road," Bill Kissane told membership workers in Clinton County.

Kissane, who is managing the Clinton County Farm Bureau's 1973 Membership Campaign, challenged the volunteer membership workers to reach their goal of 1447 family memberships at an early date. This is necessary, he maintained, to devote necessary effort to the implementation of the policies of the largest farm organization.

In outlining the many services available to member programs available to Farm Bureau members, he emphasized that members desiring to continue their eligibility for many of the programs, including Blue Cross-Blue Shield, must renew their 1973 dues on or before January 15.

The Kick-off was held January 4 at the county office with 45 in attendance representing nearly every township in the county. A dinner was served at noon by Farm Bureau Women's Committee.

Speakers from the Michigan Farm Bureau included Carl Kentner, manager of the Information Division and Bob Driscoll, Broadcast Services Division. Working on the membership drive are: Bath, Bill Brook; Bengel, Leonard; Koenigsnecht, Bob Murton; Alden Knight, Ray Mayers; Eugene Thelen and Levi Blakeslee Bingham, Bob Grams, Raymond Doyle and Bob Kissane; Dallas, Jerry Spitzley, and David Pohl; DeWitt, Paul Eeger; Duplain, Wayne Peck; Robert Moore and Andy Cobb; Eagle, Harry Byam; Essex, Tom Benson, Dick Dershem, and Francis Dershem; Greenbush, Don Swagart, Art Motz, Fran

Motz, Fran Sipkovsky; Lebanon, Dennis Phillips; Olive, Bill Fedewa, Ovid; Mervin Chamberlain, Lee Ormston and Ron Miller; Victor, Claude Underhill, Claude Jones and Arlo Stiehler; Watertown, Ron Lonier and Lewis Lonier; Westphalia, Duane Platte.

## Activities under REAP water bank terminated

Funding of cost-sharing activities under the Rural Environmental Assistance Program (REAP) and for further contracting under the Water Bank Program (WBP) is being terminated, Arthur Rowley, Chairman of the Michigan State ASC Committee announced.

These 2 programs are among those selected after a review of federal programs to identify those of low priority that can be reduced or eliminated without serious economic consequences. This review was initiated as part of the effort to hold 1973 federal budget outlays to \$250 billion.

The income supplements for farmers that have been provided by the REAP and WBP are no longer necessary, Rowley said. Realized net farm income in 1972 will reach an all-time high of nearly \$19 billion. In view of this, and because of the general acceptance and profitability of certain practices, it is believed farmers will continue to implement a significant number of them without supplemental income from the federal government.

The program is considered unnecessary since the Department of the Interior administers similar programs to enhance and conserve migratory waterfowl habitat. The Department will honor commitments made under the 2 programs through Dec 22. No request by producers for cost-sharing under REAP or for Water Bank contracts were approved after that date.

### Valley Farms DeWitt

MRS. JULIA RICHARDS

Mr and Mrs Joe Chocola had dinner with the Ken Richards Sunday, Dec 24.

Mr and Mrs Ken Richards were dinner guests on Christmas Day, of the Bennie Allens.

Herbert Fizzell spent the Christmas and New Years holiday with relatives in Elkhart, Ind.

Fred French is now convalescing at his home, 321 E Thomas St after being a surgical patient at Henry Ford Hospital.

David Every, son of Mr and Mrs William McCain of DeWitt, has been removed from the Intensive Care Unit at St Lawrence Hospital where he was taken following an auto accident several weeks ago. His room number is 382. He would appreciate hearing from his friends.

Mrs George Frost is now at her home after spending several weeks in the hospital.

### Fowler

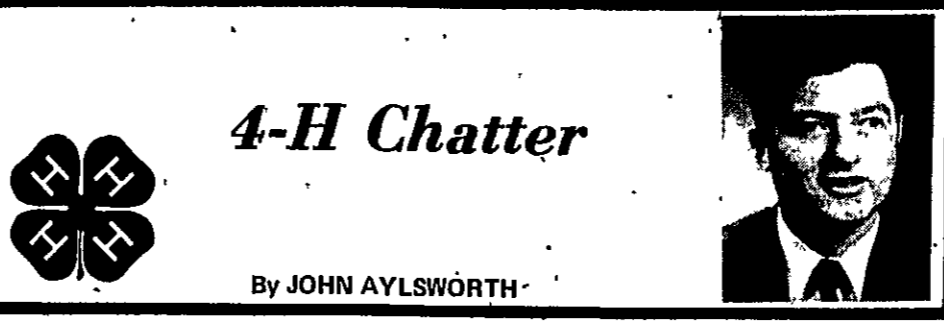
By Miss Cecilia Thelen Phone 593-2613

Mr and Mrs Clair Thelen visited her sister, Sister Joan, who is visiting her mother Mrs Elizabeth Fedewa during the Christmas holidays on Sunday.

Mrs Opal Miller spent Christmas Day with her daughters and son-in-laws, Mr and Mrs Edward Wallace and Mr and Mrs David Mackey of Lansing.

Mr and Mrs Clair Thelen spent Wednesday evening with Mr and Mrs James Fedewa.

Mr and Mrs Robert Mack and family of St Johns spent Sunday with her mother Mrs Nora Braun.



## 4-H Chatter

By JOHN AYLSWORTH

## National 4-H symposium

Dan Washburn of St Johns has been selected as Michigan's 4-H Commodity Market Award winner and will participate in the 22nd National 4-H Commodity Marketing Symposium in Chicago, Jan 21-24. The program is sponsored by the Chicago Board of Trade, Cooperative Extension Service and National 4-H Service Committee.

Twenty-five states in the midwest and western areas in the United States will be sending one delegate each to participate in this National 4-H Marketing Program.

While in Chicago, Dan will learn more about how the Chicago Board of Trade operates, more about marketing through hedging and futures, the process involved of getting farm grains from producer to consumer, international trade markets, sightsee and tour Chicago, have dinner in Chinatown and see the play "Godspell".

Dan is a member of the Elsie 4-Corners 4-H club for 7 years and has completed 5 years of field crops such as soybeans, corn, navy beans, Red Kidney and Black Turtle Beans. He has learned a lot about local marketing processes by visiting local elevators and by contracting the sale of beans with different processors. Dan is the son of Mr and Mrs J.D. Washburn and is presently a junior at Ovid-Elsie High School. He will be accompanied on this trip to Chicago by Mr Bernard Jarot, Extension 4-H Youth Agent from Tuscola County.

The December 21 4-H roller skating activity had 140 youth and adults participating in this event. The next scheduled 4-H roller skating night will be Thursday, Jan 18 with the following clubs which have made reservations: Happy Hustlers, Willing Workers, Spats & Spurs, Charlie's Gang, Riverside Riders, Olive 4-H Projects, Orchard Glen, Merry Makers, Bengal Community and 4-H Wonders for a total of 218 people.

The 4-H Tel-Award forms have been sent out this week to all Clinton County 4-H members 15 years of age and have completed 3 years of 4-H work. The members have the opportunity to participate in the County, State and National 4-H Award Program. The forms are to be completed and returned to the Extension Office by Feb 5. The members will find the forms are much easier to complete if their records are kept up-to-date. Last year Clinton County had 3 state award winners in this program.

Fifty steers have been registered for the 1973 Clinton County 4-H Fair Livestock Show & Sale. The steers were on feed by Jan 1. 25 of these animals have been weighed and will be entered in the Rate of Gain contest. Kountry Cousins 4-H Club has 10 steers registered while Stoney Creek is second with 9 steers. The fifty steers are divided between 36 4-H members of which 18

members are raising steers for the first time. The Bath All Purpose 4-H Club has donated \$7.00 to the 4-H Motorcycle Project in Belize (British Honduras) bringing the present total of

\$29.00 toward our county goal of \$100.00. Other clubs wishing to contribute to this project should contact the County Extension Office.

The Watertown Grove 4-H members held their Christmas program exchanging gifts, having recreation with everyone having a good time. The club has 15 members under the leadership of Mrs Robert Borton.

The Fowler Busy Bees 4-H Club members held their Christmas party at the Fowler High School. The members decided to donate from \$10-\$20.00 to the Fair Bleacher Fund. The club members invited the Fowler Horse Club (Boots & Buckles) members to join

them in their roller skating activity on Dec 21.

The 4-H Wonders Club members enjoyed their Christmas party with games, gift exchange and refreshments. The club will go roller skating on Jan 18 at the Ranch Roller Rink in St Johns.

The French's Corners 4-H members were reminded of the County 4-H Poster Contest and discussed the possible donation of money to the 4-H Motorcycle Project in Belize. Members are to have their demonstrations ready for the Jan 8 meeting.

Following the business meeting the members enjoyed exchanging Christmas gifts and making Christmas candy.

But, there's help available

## Grain drying brings fuel problems

EAST LANSING—Dorn Diehl, State Executive Director of ASCS and chairman of the Michigan State Emergency Board announced today that any farmer or elevator with

problems in acquiring fuels for drying of feed grains should contact their county ASCS office for assistance.

The State Agricultural Disaster Committee working

LANSING -- Michigan Farm Bureau President Elton R. Smith has called for reconsideration of decisions to terminate low interest emergency disaster loans to farmers and elimination of the Rural Environmental Assistance Program.

In letters to President Nixon and Secretary of Agriculture Earl Butz, Mr Smith cited the adverse weather conditions which have prevented harvesting large acreages of corn and soybeans. Even if harvest can be resumed field losses will be high and further add to the economic disaster. A factor not generally recognized is the high moisture content of corn requires that it be dried for storage. Fuel shortages have resulted in many farmers being unable to obtain further fuel supplies to dry

grain. Mr Smith urged that emergency disaster loans be made available to farmers. He noted that low interest loans with a requirement for full repayment of the loan would not violate fiscal responsibility and would provide assistance to farmers faced with disaster situations.

Earlier in the week Mr Smith urged that funding be reinstated to continue long term soil and water conservation practices and pollution abatement structures under the Rural Environmental Assistance Program. Such enduring practices do not increase production or profits and benefit all people.

### Kincaid District

Christmas Day, Mr and Mrs Grayling Pyle had as dinner guests, Mr and Mrs Robert Scarborough of DeWitt, Mr and Mrs Gerald Scarborough and Leanne of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Kenneth Pyle of St Johns for dinner and all spent the afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Jerry Myszak and sons hosted the Christmas Day dinner at DeWitt, Mr and Mrs David Parks and children of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Clarence Parks of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Clyde Jenks and Billy of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Don Henning and children of DeWitt, Mr and Mrs Lee Schavey of St Johns, Mr and Mrs Porter Parks and Kriss of Wacousta.

Mr and Mrs Clyde Jenks and Billy of Lansing visited Mr and Mrs Porter Parks and Kriss Tuesday.

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Signed Dale Crosslan,  
 Ovid Village Clerk

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# Clinton Farm Bureau members attend national convention

Thirty-five members of the Clinton County Farm Bureau recently attended the annual convention of the American Farm Bureau Federation in Los Angeles California.

Over 10,000 members were present from all over the United States with a total of over 600 from Michigan alone. The Clinton group left from Grand Rapids (see picture) and flew non-stop to Los Angeles where they were housed in the LA Biltmore about a mile from the Convention Center. The group heard an address by Gov Ronald Reagan, of California, Secretary of Agriculture Earl Butz, Teamsters leader, Frank E. Fitzsimmons and the annual address by the National President William J. Kuhfuss. Part of the evening's entertainment on the award's night was music by Lawrence Welk and his orchestra. The group went on several sightseeing tours, including Disneyland, Beverly Hills, Hollywood, citrus groves and dairy farms and saw many other points of interest in the southern California area.

Pictured in Grand Rapids as they are about to leave for LA are from left to right front row Mrs Raymond Doyle, Mrs Lee Ormston, Mrs Robert Fox, Mrs John Jones, Ray Doyle, Lee Ormston, Dick Woodhams, and Mrs Woodhams. 2nd row Bob Fox, Harriet Motz, Bob Kissanne, Lewis Lonier, top Mr and Mrs Arlo Stichler, Mr and Mrs Warren Malkin, Fran Motz, Judy Kissane, Mrs Gale Boron, Mrs LaVern Lerg, Marilyn Kissane, Lewis Lonier and top right Bob Zeeb. Others not pictured were Mr and Mrs Earl Barks, Mrs Fern Brandt, Mrs Oral Tolles, Gale Boron, Bill Kissance, Mrs Lewis Lonier, Louis Mayers, Mr and Mrs Ray Mayers, LaVern Lerg, and Mrs Robert Zeeb.

Shown with leaders at the Farm Bureau convention in Los Angeles are Clinton County Farm Bureau President Robert Kissanne and Mrs Kissanne, National President William J. Kuhfuss, Mr and Mrs William Kissanne and Elton Smith, Michigan Farm Bureau President.



## Dairy cattle conference scheduled at Smith Hall

ST JOHNS--A meeting on nutrition and health of dairy cattle will be held at Smith Hall Jan 17. The program will be conducted by the Dairy Science and Large Animal and Medicine Departments of Michigan State University.

The program includes:  
9:30 am - Milk, Coffee and Rolls.  
10:00 am - Impact of Adequate Nutrition and Health on Dairy Income; C.A. Lassiter, Chairman, Dairy Science Department.  
10:15 am - How Nutrients Affect Production and Health. Milk fever, ketosis, displaced abomasum, and vitamin and mineral deficiencies: Don Hillman, Extension Dairy Specialist.

11:45 am - Lunch at Smith Hall.  
12:45 pm - Nutrition and Management Affect Conception and Calving. Retained placenta, metritis, silent heat, ovulation, embryo resorption, and abortion: R.W. Mellenberger, Extension Dairy Specialist; D. A. Morrow, Large Animal Surgery and Medicine.  
1:15 pm - Timely Topics. Liquid protein, MHA supplementation, non-protein nitrogen, heat damage to haylage and silage quality. R.S. Emery, Dairy Science Department. J.W. Thomas, Dairy Science Department. F.T. Huber, Dairy Science Department. Herb Bucholtz, Extension Dairy Specialist.  
2 pm - Rations for Maximum Production, Health and profit. Don Hillman, Extension Dairy Specialist.

### Kincaid District

Mrs Porter C. Parks  
Mr and Mrs Otto Dickinson entertained their son and families for the holiday. Mr and Mrs Eldon Dickinson and children of Delta Mills, Mr and Mrs John Dickinson and family of Williamston. Sunday, Mr and Mrs S. C. Swanson of Grand Ledge were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Grayling Pyle.

## Farm Bureau announces "America and me" contest

LANSING -- "What is my Bill of Rights for America" is the theme for the sixth annual America and Me Essay Contest sponsored by Farm Bureau Insurance Group. The contest, open to all Michigan eighth grade level students, will begin on Jan 19 and end Feb 19.

Purpose of the essay contest is to stimulate teacher - student - parent interest in America... its problems, its strengths. And, more important, it will give youngsters a chance to reflect upon their role in tomorrow's America.

Honor certificates will be awarded to the three top contestants in each school. Each participating school will be presented a permanent plaque on which the name of the first place winner from that school will be engraved. All first place school essays will be entered in statewide competition.

A trip to Mackinac Island and an Executive Flag will be awarded to the third place state winner; a Chicago week end and Presidential Flag to the second place

winner; a tour of Washington, D.C. and Presidential Flag to the top State essayist.

A Colonial Flag, Presidential Flag and Executive Flag will be presented to the schools of the first, second and third place state finalists respectively. All three

essays will be forwarded to Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge for entry into National School Award Essay competition.

ANY ONE OF 430 Farm Bureau Insurance Group representatives operating in 52 offices throughout Michigan can be contacted for further information.

On Wednesday, Jan 17 at Smith Hall there will be an all day meeting on Dairy Herd Health and Nutrition. The program starts at 9:30 am with refreshments and the seminar sessions start at 10 a.m. Sessions will deal with how adequate nutrition and health affect income; how nutrients affect production and health; and how nutrition and management affect conception and calving.

Also there will be a discussion of timely topics as liquid protein supplement, non-protein nitrogen, and rations for maximum production, health and profit. Put 9:30 am, Jan 17 at Smith Hall on your calendar for the Dairy Herd Health and Nutrition Program. Lunch will be served and cost will be \$2.50.

With all the wonders in scientific technology we've seen in the last 2 decades, nothing compares with the progress we've seen down on the farm. For every input, farmers have increased their output by 40% during the last 20 years. This is accomplished with 5% less land, 50% less labor, 30% more machinery and equipment and 340% more lime and fertilizer.

Much of this success can be credited to research by MSU's Agricultural Experiment Station and all those like it in the 50 states. But it has taken progressive farmers to apply these research developments, improve production methods, increase production per acre and lower the cost of food to consumers.

True, food prices have gone up, but they take a smaller portion of the consumers dollar. The average

worker today spends 15.5% of his paycheck on food compared to 22.2% in 1950. It's better food, too.

U.S. Department of Agriculture figures show that consumers are buying more costly items -- more meat instead of cereal grain products for example. Prices received by farmers for food have gone up 23% since 1950, but wholesalers received 40% more; retailers 65% more.

Farmers have increased production per acre of every single crop. Yields of 2 major

agricultural crops in Michigan, corn and alfalfa, have doubled in the past 20 years.

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For further information on classes that are not listed, High School Completion, High School and LCC College credits, call 224-2394.

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Bishop Sewing 1	Tues.	6:30-9:30	148 H.S.	15.00	8
Knits & Lingerie	Mon.	6:30-9:30	148 H.S.	15.00	8
Home Planning & Layout	Wed.	6:30-8:30	147 H.S.	12.00	10
Masonry Trades - Block Laying, Brick Laying and Flat Work	Wed.	6:30-9:30	Auto Center Downtown	20.00	10
Typing 1	Mon.	7:00-10:00	110 H.S.	20.00	10
Womens' Volley ball	Wed.	8:00-9:30	Gym R.B.W.	8.00	10
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## Kincaid District

By ROSALYN PARKS, Correspondent

Sunday, Mr and Mrs Alexander Long were dinner guests of her son, Mr and Mrs Elwyn Dietrick and Mrs Elwyn Dietrick of Woodland and family, Mr and Mrs Richard Hellman and daughters of Delta Mills. Mr and Mrs Raymond Dietrick of Grand Ledge, Mr and Mrs Edward Fosnight of Dimondale, Mr and Mrs David Hummel and family of Lake Odessa, Mr and Mrs Michael Warrick and family of Lake Odessa.

Sunday, Donna J. Parks and Mrs Dora Parks visited in the home of Mr and Mrs Eldoris Hahn and daughter.

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**Kincaid District**  
Mr and Mrs Alexander Lang attended a surprise birthday party at the home of Mr and Mrs Edgar Fosnight in Dimondale Saturday evening.

Sunday, Mr and Mrs William Fosnight of Delta Mills, spent New Year's Eve and Day with Mr and Mrs Alexander Lang.

Kris Parks spent from Thursday until New Year's Day with her brother and family. Mr and Mrs David Parks in Lansing.

Mr and Mrs Porter Parks were New Years Day dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Clyde Jenks and Billy of Lansing.

Mr and Mrs Charles Fisher and Kevin spent Sunday night with her sister and family. Mr and Mrs Franklin Metz and Frank at their cabin at Harrison. They returned home Monday.

Mr and Mrs Porter Parks visited Mr and Mrs Lewis Flegler and daughters of Lansing.

Mr and Mrs Lee DuMond and family of Lansing visited Mr and Mrs Don DuMond and Roy.

Mrs Raymond Sherman and Kevin of Grand Ledge Sunday visited her parents, Mr and Mrs Donald Sullivan, Garry and Dan. Kevin spent the night with his grandparents.

Mrs Raymond Sherman and Kevin of Grand Ledge, Miss Audrey Showers of Dimondale were New Years dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Don Sullivan and family.

Russ Sullivan of Edmore visited his parents Friday night.

Mr Don Sullivan and Dan spent from Thursday morning until Sunday evening with their mother and grandmother respectively, Mrs A. W. Brackett of Traverse City.

George Sargent visited Mrs Harold Hoerner Wednesday afternoon.

Harvey Hoerner and Jill visited Mrs Harold Hoerner, Monday.

**Pewamo**  
By Mrs Irene Fox

The Clement Schneider family attended a Christmas dinner and gift exchange at the home of Mr and Mrs Rick Thelen of Westphalia Sunday, Dec 24. Mrs Mary Goodman also attended.

Mr and Mrs Lincoln of Muskegon entertained the Herman Werner family on Sunday, Dec 24, at a Christmas dinner and gift exchange. All were present.

Mr and Mrs Joseph L. Fox entertained with a Christmas dinner and gift exchange for the family Christmas Day.

Mike Freund, son of Mr and Mrs Clifford Freund is on crutches due to a broken leg which happened while at home.

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**Scott Towels** **36¢**

**Kimberly Diapers** **1.38**

**Prel Shampoo** **1.18**

**Tide Laundry Detergent** **59¢**

**Kroger Vac Pac Coffee** **1.97**

For your convenience and personal satisfaction we do all to our power to have all our advertised Specials on our shelves when you stop for them. Sometimes, due to conditions beyond our control, we may not have all the advertised Specials. If this occurs, we will make every effort to have the same Specials on our shelves as soon as possible.

# XTRA LOW DISCOUNT

**Everyday Xtra Low**

<b>Kroger Corn</b> <b>20¢</b>	<b>Kellogg's Rice Krispies</b> <b>53¢</b>
<b>V-8 Cocktail Juice</b> <b>39¢</b>	<b>Campbell's Soup</b> <b>17¢</b>
<b>Hi-C Grape Drink</b> <b>28¢</b>	<b>Nestle's Quik</b> <b>66¢</b>
<b>Instant Coffee</b> <b>69¢</b>	<b>Strained Baby Foods</b> <b>9¢</b>
<b>Macaroni &amp; Cheese</b> <b>16¢</b>	<b>Macaroni Dinner</b> <b>17¢</b>
<b>Spaghetti</b> <b>16¢</b>	<b>Wheaties</b> <b>53¢</b>
<b>Spaghetti</b> <b>16¢</b>	<b>Cheerios</b> <b>53¢</b>
<b>Spaghetti</b> <b>16¢</b>	<b>Macaroni Dinner</b> <b>17¢</b>
<b>Spaghetti</b> <b>16¢</b>	<b>Pizza Mix</b> <b>24¢</b>
<b>Spaghetti</b> <b>16¢</b>	<b>Macaroni &amp; Cheese</b> <b>16¢</b>
<b>Spaghetti</b> <b>16¢</b>	<b>Flour</b> <b>52¢</b>
<b>Spaghetti</b> <b>16¢</b>	<b>Log Cabin Syrup</b> <b>65¢</b>
<b>Spaghetti</b> <b>16¢</b>	<b>Peanut Butter</b> <b>83¢</b>
<b>Spaghetti</b> <b>16¢</b>	<b>Peanut Butter</b> <b>39¢</b>
<b>Spaghetti</b> <b>16¢</b>	<b>Peanut Butter</b> <b>16¢</b>
<b>Spaghetti</b> <b>16¢</b>	<b>Kraft Dressing</b> <b>67¢</b>
<b>Spaghetti</b> <b>16¢</b>	<b>Catsup</b> <b>36¢</b>

# STOCK UP AND SUPER CANNED

<b>Clover Valley Peaches</b> <b>4.1</b>	<b>Whole Kernel Corn</b> <b>6.1</b>	<b>White Shortening</b> <b>79¢</b>	<b>Avondale Tomatoes</b> <b>5.1</b>
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<b>Hamburger Magic</b> <b>39¢</b>	<b>Ruby Red Grapefruit</b> <b>18.19</b>
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**White Bread** **5.1**

**Dole Bananas** **10¢**

# Ski lodges offer improvements and new facilities

(See map Page 9B)

Most of the 67 Michigan ski lodges operating this winter are offering improvements and new facilities ranging from regroomed or recon-toured slopes to construction of indoor tennis courts and \$50,000 condominiums, according to Automobile Club of Michigan.

While many lodges are expanding and improving, there is one not opening this year while two others have changed names.

The lone ski area closing its slopes is Ironquits Mt., near Britany (Upper Peninsula). Operating under new names are two East Michigan areas. Tyroleann Hills and Michaywe, both near Gaylord, operated last ski season as Pineacres and AuSable Lodge, respectively.

ONE OF THE major developments this winter in Michigan is the increasing popularity of cross-country skiing, also known as Nordic or ski touring.

The vast majority of the 44,000 persons expected to take to the slopes in Michigan this winter, however, will devote their time to the downhill or Alpine method where chairs, bars and rope tows take the skier to hill tops. Once off the lift, the Alpine skier goes downhill, where he recon-

nects again with the lift. This winter, over one-third of the Michigan lodges are offering cross-country skiing, many for the first time.

The cross-country skier is more closely allied to a snowshoe hiker than the downhill skier. He uses no lifts. Instead he pushes and walks up and down hills and glides along wooded trails on skis into remote areas where the reward is a good pair of downhill ski boots. In addition, the Nordic skier pays no daily lift fee, ranging between \$4 and \$8.50, at most Michigan lodges catering to the Alpine skier as a snowmobile area, is now offering cross-country skiing as a major attraction.

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A novice cross-country skier can purchase poles, skis, bindings and boots for 75-less than the cost of a good pair of downhill ski boots. In addition, the Nordic skier pays no daily lift fee, ranging between \$4 and \$8.50, at most Michigan lodges catering to the Alpine skier as a snowmobile area, is now offering cross-country skiing as a major attraction.

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Ranch Rudolf, in the Boardman River Valley 15 miles north of Traverse City, also offers a new winter sport connected with Nordic skiing called "ski touring."

The ranch has four "ski touring" trails, many of which are guests can use under supervision.

THE NORDIC skier is expected to have very little to do with the amount of money spent by all skiers this winter although accommodations are in coming years.

Downhill skiers alone this winter are expected to spend \$180 million, an average of \$180 per person.

Not all of the money will be spent on the slopes. Motels, lodges, cocktail lounges and restaurants will collect 70 percent of each ski-related dollar while the remainder goes for lift tickets, equipment and clothing.

This winter the Michigan skier will have 686 downhill runs at the 67 lodges operating. There are 84 chairs, 42 bars lifts and 273 rope tows to take Alpine skiers to the top of these hills.

OF THE 67 ski lodges open, 31 offer night skiing and 36 have snowmaking equipment. While 53 ski areas have accommodations, 37 have dining rooms, 30 have cocktail lounges and 31 offer weekend entertainment.

Traverse City is one of the areas where the most development at ski lodges has been most impressive during the past several years.

There are six ski lodges within commuting distance of Traverse City, five with accommodations at lodges. Five of the six areas have land developments designed to make chalet and condominium owners part of the area.

Almost every lodge in the Traverse City area has taken steps ranging from housing developments to slope improvements to attract skiers during the past year.

Sugar Loaf, one of the most deluxe lodges near Traverse City, is now building luxury townhouses and will sell the 25,000 sq ft and up bracket. Sugar Loaf also is opening four indoor tennis courts this winter and is planning to open cross-country skiing for the first time.

MANY LODGES across the state while not offering spectacular developments like condominiums and indoor tennis-are taking steps to improve their areas so they become more appealing to the skier.

In West Michigan, Boyne Highlands, near Harbor Springs, has added an 80-room wing plus two chalets. At Boyne Mountain, near Boyne Falls, new condominium apartments and two-bedroom villas are available and work is already underway for a new ski center there next season.

Thunder Mountain, near Boyne Falls, has added a four-place chairlift.

Mount Manicella, near Marcella, has added two poma lifts while Nub's Nob, near Harbor Springs, is adding a chairlift. Schuss Mountain, near Traverse City, has tripled its snowmaking capacity to the point where it can operate with no natural snow if weather is cold enough.

TimberLee Hills, also near Traverse City, is adding new housing such as apartments and condominiums. Crystal Mountain, near Thompsonville, has added a double chair lift and opened five new slopes.

Improvements are notable in East Michigan also. Bear Mountain, near Gaylord, has added cross-country skiing and ice skating. Sheridan Valley, near Atlanta, has opened a new slope with chairlift. FonRon, near Comins, added a run and rope tow while Sylvan Knob, near Marquette, has opened a new hill and rental shop.

Southeast Michigan areas are most popular on weekends, but many of the nine lodges near Detroit are making more improvements to increase weekend use.

Even Upper Peninsula lodges have made substantial improvements for this winter. Brule Mountain, near Iron River, has remodeled its dining room and cut one slope. Cliff Ridge, near Marquette, has a new chairlift while Mount Ripley, near Houghton, has added a double chairlift and new runs. Pine Mt., near Iron Mt., has added 8 sleeping rooms. Indianhead Mountain, near Wakefield, has regressed its slopes and built 8 new chalets in its adjacent subdivision.

# PRICES plus TOP VALUE STAMPS

**Discount Prices**

<b>Lady Scott Bath Tissue</b> <b>28¢</b>	<b>Kroger Gelatin</b> <b>8¢</b>
<b>Lady Scott Facial Tissue</b> <b>31¢</b>	<b>Kroger Cake Mixes</b> <b>27¢</b>
<b>Bathroom Tissue</b> <b>38¢</b>	<b>Right Guard Deodorant</b> <b>88¢</b>
<b>Vac Pac Coffee</b> <b>1.57</b>	<b>Chuck Steak</b> <b>78¢</b>

# X-Tra Low Discount Meat Prices!

**STEAKE SALE**

<b>Sirloin Steak</b> <b>\$1.49</b>	<b>T-Bone or Club Steak</b> <b>\$1.59</b>	<b>Porterhouse Steak</b> <b>\$1.69</b>
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**Chuck Steak** **78¢**

**Ground Turkey** **59¢**

**Smoked Picnics** **49¢**

# SAVE WITH OUR GOODS SALE!

<b>Avondale Peas</b> <b>6.1</b>	<b>Sliced Potatoes</b> <b>16¢</b>	<b>Kroger Applesauce</b> <b>6.1</b>	<b>Cut Green Beans</b> <b>6.1</b>
<b>Mac Intosh Apples</b> <b>4.49</b>	<b>Pork Loin</b> <b>79¢</b>	<b>Sliced Bacon</b> <b>88¢</b>	<b>Smoked Turkey</b> <b>23¢</b>
<b>Zipper Skin Tangerines</b> <b>24.99</b>	<b>Strawberries</b> <b>79¢</b>	<b>Whole Ham</b> <b>1.19</b>	<b>Double Breasted Fryers</b> <b>49¢</b>
<b>Marvel Oranges</b> <b>8.99</b>	<b>Endive Lettuce</b> <b>19¢</b>	<b>Smoked Sausage</b> <b>89¢</b>	<b>Smoked Turkey</b> <b>23¢</b>
<b>Fancy Tangelos</b> <b>5.79</b>	<b>Juicy Lemons</b> <b>5.49</b>	<b>Smoked Sausage</b> <b>89¢</b>	<b>Smoked Turkey</b> <b>23¢</b>

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# County Board of Commissioners

Tuesday, October 24, 1972

The Clinton County Board of Commissioners met Tuesday, October 24, 1972 at 9:00 a.m. Prayer was offered by William Hufnagel. Roll was called and a quorum reported. Present were Derrill Shinabery, Walter Nobis, Maurice Gove, Robert Dittmer, Duane Chamberlain, Claude Underhill, William Hufnagel, Robert Montgomery, Gerald Lankford, Roy Andrews and Gerald Shepard.

Minutes of the October 10, 1972 meeting were presented. Gove moved, supported by Dittmer, to approve the minutes as presented. Voted and carried.

A communication from State Jail Inspector, Rovert J. Russell, requesting the Board to review the amended rules and regulations governing jails was read. They will schedule legislative meetings to consider changes to the proposed regulations. Chairman Shepard referred this to the Government and Personnel Committee.

A communication from James H. Brickley, Chairman of Michigan Manpower Planning Council informing the Board that the Lansing Tri County Manpower Area Planning Council as outlined in the council charter is recognized as the official agency for this area.

A communication from National Association of Counties directing attention to a series of informational meetings on HR 14370 (Federal Revenue Sharing Act) was read and placed on file. They will keep us informed on future developments.

Commissioner Dittmer reported that the building to be erected on the County Farm to house the communications system should be of block construction and plans will be presented for such a building.

The Board recessed for committee meetings at 9:45 a.m.

Upon resuming session, Commissioner Chamberlain reported on a DeWitt Township request for a change in the County Zoning Ordinance (sewer permits). The committee recommends that the applicant have a sanitary sewer permit before a final inspection or occupancy permit be granted.

Commissioner Nobis presented and moved, supported by Andrews to adopt the following resolution. On a roll call vote, those voting aye were Shinabery, Nobis, Gove, Dittmer, Chamberlain, Underhill, Hufnagel, Montgomery, Lankford, Andrews and Shepard. Nays none. 11 ayes, no nays. Motion carried unanimously.

### RESOLUTION

Whereas: Certain legislation enacted by the Legislature requires that assessing units of government employ State Certified Assessors to make up the assessment rolls and, further that if the assessing units do not supply certified assessors to do the job it becomes an obligation of the county or state to complete said assessment rolls, and

Whereas: The Clinton County Board of Commissioners is of the opinion that a conflict of interest would result from a county employee assessing and then later acting, as required by law, as the agent equalizing the assessment rolls of the county. Also, the present staff of our Equalization Department would not have sufficient time to make up assessment rolls for cities or townships. Therefore, Be It Resolved, That the Clinton County Board of Commissioners hereby declare that the County Equalization Department staff will not be available for completing assessment rolls for townships or cities.

Federal Revenue Sharing was discussed. As this was the appointed time for a budget hearing (11:00 a.m.), Lankford moved, supported by Gove, to take from the table the 1973 budget. Voted and carried.

Commissioner Lankford then presented the budget by line item. Lankford moved, supported by Nobis, to amend the budget by changing the line item, anticipated revenue, Justice and Municipal Court Costs, from \$116,000.00 to \$60,000.00 or a decrease of anticipated revenue of \$56,000.00. On a roll call vote, those voting aye were Lankford, Nobis, Shinabery, Nobis, Gove, Dittmer, Chamberlain, Underhill, Hufnagel, Montgomery, Andrews and Shepard. 1 aye, 10 nays. Motion declared lost.

Discussion on the budget continued. The Board recessed for lunch at 12:05.

### P.M. SESSION

Upon again being called to order, discussion on the budget was resumed. Tri County Regional Planning Commission has not submitted a budget at this time. Lankford moved, supported by Hufnagel, to transfer the budget line item for Tri County Regional Planning Commission in the amount of \$24,000.00 to the Contingency Fund. Voted and carried unanimously.

Nobis moved, supported by Shinabery, to transfer the sum of \$15,000 from the budget line item, Community Mental Health, and the sum of \$10,240.00 from the budget line item, Mid-Michigan Health Department for a total of \$25,240.00 and to transfer such total sum to the Contingency Fund. Motion carried.

Shinabery moved, supported by Nobis, to adopt the total budget as per line items, as amended. Voted and carried.

### CLINTON COUNTY GENERAL FUND BUDGET 1973

Anticipated Revenues	164,783.00
1972 Real Property Tax Levy	1,063,217
Less: 1972 Real Property Tax Returned Delinquent	63,217
1972 Real Property Tax Collection	1,000,000.00
Delinquent Property Tax Collection	63,217.00
Licenses & Permits - Non Business	50,000.00
Licenses & Permits - Business	7,000.00
Fines, Forfeits and Penalties	18,000.00
Revenues Use of Money & Property	23,000.00
Liquor Licenses	2,000.00
T.B. Subsidy - State Aid	-
Civil Defense - State Aid	4,500.00
Probate Judges Salary - State Aid	15,000.00
Michigan State Income Tax	225,000.00
Other Units of Government	13,000.00
Circuit Court Fees	7,000.00
Justice & Municipal Court Costs	116,000.00
Friend of Court Fees	12,000.00
Probation Fees	3,000.00
Probate Court Fees	5,000.00
Treasurers Fees	3,000.00
Clerk Fees	4,000.00
Register of Deeds Fees	50,000.00
Sheriff Fees	4,000.00
Other Department Fees	1,000.00
Other Revenues Sales	1,000.00
Refunds & Rebates - Other Revenue	30,000.00
Subtotal	593,500.00
Totals	\$1,821,500.00

### CLINTON COUNTY BUDGET FOR 1973

APPROPRIATIONS	
Soil Conservation	\$ 3,600.00
County Road	75,000.00
Tri County Regional Planning Commission	-
Tri County Mental Health	-15,000.00
Mid-Michigan Health Department	-10,240.00
Law Library	1,000.00
Michigan Childrens Aid Society	-
Soldiers' & Sailors' Relief	500.00
Social Services	160,000.00
Delinquent Tax Revolving Fund	-
Michigan Week	100.00
Department of Public Works - Water & Sanitation Revolving Fund	10,000.00
East Michigan Tourist Association	300.00
Drains - County at Large	20,000.00
Drain Revolving	20,000.00
Public Improvement Fund	72,430.00
Agricultural Extension	30,000.00

Animal Shelter	27,000.00
Ambulance	1,000.00
Births & Deaths	200.00
Building Authority	500.00
Circuit Court	28,000.00
Assignment Clerk	9,000.00
Circuit Court Reporter	13,500.00
Civil Defense	9,500.00
County Clerk	45,000.00
Contagious Disease	10,000.00
Courthouse & Grounds	54,000.00
Drain Commissioner	42,000.00
District Court	80,000.00
Magistrate - District Court	12,000.00
Elections	3,500.00
Equalization	39,000.00
Friend of the Court	25,000.00
Insurance	45,000.00
Jail	35,000.00
Jury Board	1,000.00
County Library Board	500.00
Other County Property	12,000.00
Coroners	10,000.00
Clinton County Planning Commission	6,700.00
Plat Board	1,200.00
Probate Court	36,000.00
Probation - Adult	6,500.00
Probation Juvenile	25,000.00
Prosecuting Attorney	55,000.00
Record Copying	7,600.00
Register of Deeds	32,000.00
Retirement	45,000.00
Social Security	40,000.00
Sheriff	185,000.00
Driver Licensing	14,000.00
Board of Commissioners	50,000.00
State Institutions	35,000.00
Tax Allocation Board	1,000.00
Telephone - Central Switchboard	26,000.00
Treasurer	40,000.00
Veterans Burial	7,500.00
Zoning Board of Appeals	800.00
Zoning Commission	44,000.00
Child Care (Probate)	40,000.00
Child Care (Juvenile Detention Home)	18,000.00
Contingency Account -24,000 -25,240	149,240.00
Total Budget	\$1,821,500.00

Commissioner Nobis presented the proposed salary schedule as prepared for Clinton County for 1973. He moved, supported by Andrews, to approve appendix C & D of the classification study as presented. The question was called for. Voted and carried unanimously.

Nobis moved, supported by Montgomery, that the 1973 salary recommendations for salaried employees be approved as presented. Voted and carried.

Andrews moved, supported by Nobis, to change the classification of Administrative Clerk in the Extension Department to step "4" with a salary of \$7,046.00. Voted and carried.

Nobis moved, supported by Gove, that employees longevity pay be paid in the month of December in one lump sum. Voted and carried unanimously.

The proposed salary schedule for elected officials was presented. This proposal is for a two year period. Nobis moved, supported by Hufnagel, that the salary schedule for elected officials for 1973 & 1974 be approved as presented. Gove moved, supported by Underhill, that the salary increases for the three Judges be set at \$500.00 each per year. The amendment was declared lost. Voting on the original motion was declared carried.

### SALARY - CLINTON COUNTY ELECTED OFFICIALS

NAME	TITLE	1973 & 1974 SALARY
Leo W. Corkin	Circuit Court Judge (supplement)	\$6,000
Timothy M. Green	Probate Court Judge	16,978
Roland J. Duguay	District Court Judge (supplement)	5,980
Jon Newman	Prosecuting Attorney	21,996
Ernest E. Carter	County Clerk	13,494
Velma Beaufore	County Treasurer	13,494
Willard Krebel	Register of Deeds	13,494
Dale Chapman	Drain Commissioner	13,494
Anthony Hufnagel	County Sheriff	13,494

\*Full time work - No outside work  
The Chairman declared a recess at 3:30 P.M.

On again coming to order, Nobis moved, supported by Lankford that the salary of the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners be increased from \$2100.00 to \$2400.00 per year. Voted and carried.

Nobis moved, supported by Andrews, that the salary of the Finance, Government and Personnel, Land Use and Property Management Committee Chairman be increased by \$300.00 per year. Voted and carried.

Nobis moved, supported by Montgomery that the salaries of the County Commissioners remain at \$1800 per year. Underhill moved that the salaries of County Commissioners be set at \$2,000 per year. The motion failed for lack of support. The original motion was voted and carried.

Nobis moved, supported by Hufnagel, that per diem pay for commissioners remain the same, \$25.00 per diem, \$15.00 for three hours or less. Voted and carried.

Richard Padgett, Chairman of DeWitt Township Planning Commission appeared. Also present were Eileen Corr and Marilyn Stage. Mr. Padgett presented and renewed the request to obtain a portion of the county owned property (DPW property) for use as a township park. They are attempting to secure a Federal grant to assist in the proposed project which will extend over a five year period. He thinks that the request is a sound proposal and will not jeopardize any future DPW project. They are requesting a lease of a 10 to 15 acre parcel at this time. The question arose over who has jurisdiction over the property. The County Commissioners or the Department of Public Works? Nobis moved, supported by Montgomery that the request be tabled until the next meeting and to invite the Department of Public Works to be present and present their views on the matter. Voted and carried.

Hufnagel moved, supported by Underhill to approve commissioners expense accounts as presented. Voted and carried.

Montgomery moved, supported by Chamberlain to adjourn at this time and to meet again Thursday, November 9, 1972 at 9:00 A.M. Voted and carried. Meeting adjourned.

Ernest E. Carter Clerk Gerald E. Shepard Chairman

Thursday, November 9, 1972 The Clinton County Board of Commissioners met Thursday, November 9, 1972 at 9:00 A.M. Prayer was offered by Ernest Carter. Roll was called and a quorum reported. Present were Derrill Shinabery, Walter Nobis, Maurice Gove, Robert Dittmer, Duane Chamberlain, Claude Underhill, William Hufnagel, Robert Montgomery, Gerald Lankford, Roy Andrews and Gerald Shepard. Also present were Virginia Zeeb and Dyle Henning. Minutes of the October 24, 1972 meeting were presented.

It was moved by Shinabery, supported by Montgomery, to approve the minutes as presented. Voted and carried.

Commissioner Dittmer reported that they have received two bids on constructing a communication building at the County Farm: Dave Johnson - \$1,317.50 and Richard Cornell - \$2,600.00. Dittmer moved, supported by Gove to accept the low bid of \$1,317.50 as submitted by Dave Johnson. Voted and carried. He also reported a request to place the present radios used by Sheriff Department with the ambulances serving the county and also to Fire Departments. Discussion followed.

Lankford moved, supported by Shinabery, that the ambulances serving the county be offered a life time lease on the radio equipment when available for one dollar per year with priorities given to those units located within the county. Gove moved, supported by Hufnagel, to table the motion. Voted and carried.

The Board recessed at 10:00 A.M.

Upon resuming session, Roy Davis, Paul Nobis, Marvin Platte, Robert Eldridge, Jay Hebler and Julius Becker from the Road Commission appeared. They presented plans for the 1973 road projects which they wish to implement. As spokesman, Paul Nobis reviewed the existing road conditions and directed attention to the most pressing needs. They propose a five-year \$860,000 road improvement plan and will need financial assistance to implement such a program. They are requesting a minimum of \$150,000 per year in addition to their present appropriations. Hopefully Federal Revenue Sharing funds could help in this area. A rather lengthy discussion followed. On a show of hand, a majority are in favor of the proposed road program and the chairman instructed the Finance Committee to investigate and to make a recommendation to the Board.

Commissioner Gove was excused for the p.m. session. The Board recessed for lunch at 11:55 a.m.

### P.M. SESSION

Arnold Minarik, Zoning Administrator presented the action taken by and the recommendations of the Zoning Commission at their October 17, 1972 meeting.

Item I. DeWitt Township (Dale J. Martin)

Special Use Permit to erect a service station on the following described parcel of land:

Beg. at a pt. on the W. sd. of Sec. 15, T5N-R2W, DeWitt Twp. Clinton County, Michigan, said point of beginning being N. 1,322 ft. of the W 1/4 post of sd. Section 15; thence N. 200 ft. alg. W. sd. of Section 15; th. E. 311 ft; th. S. 200 ft; // to W. sd of Sec 15; thence West 311 ft. to point of beginning, commonly known as a portion of Tucker's Property.

Lankford moved, supported by Shinabery, to approve the request and grant a Special Use Permit. Voted and carried.

Item II. Watertown Township (Lawrence Teller)

Special Use Permit for an auto body repair and refinish on the following described parcel of land: Com. on c/1 of US-16, 1,500' E & 761.9' S of NW cor of Sec 34, T5N-R3W, th S 1,865.76', W 229.85, N 1924.56' to c/1 of US-16, 237.25' to beg.

Montgomery moved, supported by Hufnagel, to approve the request and grant a Special Use Permit. Voted and carried.

Item III. DeWitt Township (John Niecko)

Special Use Permit to allow for repair and auto painting of motor vehicles on the following described parcel of land:

Part of the SW1/4 of the SW1/4 of Sec. 34, T5N-R2W, DeWitt Twp., Clinton County, Michigan beg. at a pt. on the S. ln. of sd. Sec. 247.36 feet East of the SW corner thereof, running E. 200 feet along the S. sec ln., th. N. 233 feet; thence West 200 feet, thence South 233 feet to POB; also, beg. at a pt. on the S. ln. of Sec. 34, T5N-R2W, at a pt. 447.26 feet East of the SW corner of said Section; thence East on the section line 100 feet, thence North // to the West section line 233 feet; thence West 100 feet, thence South 233 feet to the point of beginning, DeWitt Township, Clinton County, Michigan.

Andrews moved, supported by Nobis to approve the request and grant a Special Use Permit. Voted and carried.

Item IV. Bingham Township (Clinton County Sheriff's Department)

Application for a Special Use Permit to erect a radio tower and service building on the following described parcel of land: Com. 944' E. of the SW cor. of the SE1/4 of Sec 28, T7N-R2W, th. E. 500 ft., N. 572 ft., W. 500 ft., S. 572' to P.O.B.

Mr. Jack Stenberg appeared and asked for consideration of relocating the tower. Hufnagel moved, supported by Nobis to approve the request and grant a Special Use Permit. Voted and carried unanimously.

Commissioner Dittmer presented a progress report on the Sheriff Communications system. The Building and Grounds Committee will meet on the matter.

Bids on furnishing two Sheriff patrol cars were opened: Dick Halleford Ford, Elsie, Michigan

Two cars w/ trade-ins \$5407.00

Bill O'Shaughnessy Chev., Inc., DeWitt, Michigan

Two cars w/ trade-ins \$5300.00

Bee's Chevy-Olds, Inc., St. Johns, Michigan

Two cars (no trade-in) \$7153.12

Hettler Motor Sales, St. Johns, Michigan

Two cars w/ trade ins \$5900.00

Egan Ford Sales, Inc., St. Johns, Michigan

Two cars w/trade-ins \$5561.14

Nobis moved that the committee readvertise for bids on cars with lower specifications. The motion failed for lack of support.

Shinabery moved, supported by Hufnagel, to accept the low bid as submitted by Bill O'Shaughnessy Chev., Inc. of DeWitt, Michigan for \$5300.00 for two sheriff cars. Voted and carried.

The Board recessed at 2:50 P.M.

Upon again coming to order, Sheriff Patterson appeared and requested permission to dispose of abandoned and stolen property as specified by law.

Shinabery moved, supported by Hufnagel, to hold an auction sale to dispose of abandoned and stolen property, the proceeds of which to be turned over to the county general fund. Voted and carried.

Commissioner Lankford presented the following named drains that should be removed from the Revolving Fund:

8-12-71 Beeman (Inter-County) - Ovid	\$15.04
6-27-68 Branch #4 of Big Horn - DeWitt	63.20
4-24-72 Derham - Watertown, Riley & Olive	7.00
10-6-72 Feasel-Olive	2.21
6-4-71 Lester-Ovid	48.01
10-6-72 Brown & Travis-Bingham	36.82
12-13-68 Mill Branch of Mead-Bath	71.25
	\$243.53

He moved, supported by Montgomery, to transfer from the general fund to the contingency fund, from the contingency fund to the drain fund and from the drain fund to revolving drain fund the sum of \$243.53. Voted and carried.

Lankford moved, supported by Montgomery, to approve payment of audited bills for the month of October in the amount of \$25,122.23. Voted and carried.

Nobis moved, supported by Hufnagel, to table the request by DeWitt Township, (Richard Padgett). Voted and carried.

Commissioner Chamberlain moved, supported by Nobis, to designate County Treasurer, Velma Beaufore as Clinton County agent to receive Federal Revenue Sharing funds. Voted and carried.

Commissioner Nobis presented a Salary and Clerk Hire Committee report:

Recommendations to the Board:

1. Salaries of temporary employees shall be Federal Minimum Standard:

Minimum wage - \$1.60  
Maximum wage - \$3.00

2. Any deviations from the wage schedule will have to meet approval of Board.

3. Mileage be set at 12¢ per mile.

4. Salary of Road Commissioners for 1973: \$2400 for members; \$2700 for chairman with no per diem or mileage authorized.

5. Retirement for county employees. Recommend to have a study made to ascertain cost of implementing C-1 Retirement Plan after Jan 1, 1973.

6. Appointment recommendations:

a. A member of the Road commission expires 12-31-72. Recommend name of Gerald Lankford.

b. Only one member from the Road Commission be appointed to the DPW.

c. Paul Nobis be appointed as a member of the Road Commission to the DPW.

d. Herman Openlander as a member of the DPW.

e. Ed Irdzowski as a member of the DPW.

f. Two appointments on the Planning Commission expire 12-31-72. Almond Cressman and Dale Anderson.

Recommend Almond Cressman for reappointment.

Nobis moved, supported by Andrews that the minimum hourly wage be the same as established by Federal standard (\$1.60) to a maximum of \$3.00. Voted and carried.

He moved, supported by Lankford, that mileage be set at 12¢ per mile. Voted and carried.

He moved, supported by Andrews, that the salary of the Road Commissioners for 1973 be set at \$2400 for members and \$2700 for the chairman. Voted and carried.

He moved, supported by Montgomery, to have the C-1 Retirement Plan study. Voted and carried.

Appointment to DPW Board:

Nobis moved, supported by Andrews, to reorganize the DPW Board and that the five members of the Board be as follows: County Commissioner; Drain Commissioner; member of Road Commission; member at large; member at large. Voted and carried unanimously.

Road Commission member - Paul Nobis - 2 year term. 73 & 74.

Drain Commissioner - Dale Chapman - 3 year term. 73, 74 & 75.

Board member - Duane Chamberlain - 1 yr. term 1973.

Member at large - Herman Openlander - 2 yr. term 73 & 74.

Member at Large - Ed Irdzowski - 3 year term. 73, 74 & 75.

Montgomery moved, supported by Hufnagel to nominate the above named persons. Lankford moved, supported by Andrews, to close nominations and direct the Clerk to cast a unanimous ballot for the above named persons. Voted and carried, unanimously.

Nobis moved, supported by Hufnagel, to appoint Gerald Lankford as a member of the Clinton County Road Commission for a six year term, 1973-1978.

Chamberlain nominated, supported by Lankford, Kenneth Munson of Bath Township for the same position. Andrews moved, supported by Nobis, to close nominations. Voted and carried. Voting by ballot, results were as follows: 9 votes cast. Lankford received 6 votes, Munson received 3 votes. Lankford declared elected.

The appointment of a member to the County Planning Commission to represent agriculture will be acted upon at a later date.

Nobis moved, supported by Shinabery, to adjourn at this time and to meet again on Thursday, Nov 30, 1972 at 7:00 p.m. Voted and carried. Meeting adjourned.

Ernest E. Carter Clerk Gerald E. Shepard Chairman

Thursday, November 30, 1972

The Clinton County Board of Commissioners met Thursday, November 30, 1972 at 7:00 P.M. Roll was called and a quorum reported. Present were Derrill Shinabery, Walter Nobis, Duane Chamberlain, Claude Underhill, Robert Montgomery, Gerald Lankford, Roy Andrews and Gerald Shepard. Maurice Gove, Robert Dittmer and William Hufnagel were absent. Also present were Mr and Mrs Dyle Henning, Virginia Zeeb and Anthony Hufnagel. Reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

A letter of resignation from William Hudson as a member of the Community Re-entry program was read. He is requesting that his replacement, Robert Steinman be appointed in his stead.

Commissioner Lankford, Chairman Finance Committee reported that the following departments need an additional estimated cost to operate for 1973:

\$ 68,768 Sheriff Department

14,416 Jail

Village of Fowler Council Meeting FOWLER, MICHIGAN

The regular meeting was called to order by President Pettit at 7:00 p.m. Roll call was taken: Present -- Rademacher, McKean, Thelen, Koenigsnecht, Braun, Absent -- Smith. Motion by McKean to accept the minutes as read. Supported by Braun. Motion carried.

Motion by McKean that we transfer \$15,000.00 from the Water Fund, together with \$3,621.00 Revenue Sharing money into a 4-1/2% Savings Account at Clinton National Bank & Trust Co., and that we transfer \$5,000.00 from the General Fund to a Savings Account at the same bank, at the same rate of interest. Supported by Braun. Motion carried.

Current bills in the amount of \$1,812.78 were presented. Motion by Rademacher to pay all current bills. Supported by McKean. Motion carried.

Motion by Koenigsnecht that we proceed with the additional tile work at the lagoon for the verbally quoted price of \$8,605.00 or less, for 865 ft. of 8 in. tile, with 3 man holes & 3 dyke leak repairs with pressure grouting, misc. and additional grading as needed by Smith Engineering & Excavating Co. Supported by Rademacher. Roll call vote: McKean - yes, Braun - yes, Koenigsnecht - yes, Thelen - yes, Rademacher - yes, Motion carried.

Motion by Rademacher that we permit the S.D.M. license transfer from Earl Frechen to James Schrauben. Supported by Koenigsnecht. Motion carried.

Motion by Rademacher to raise the D.P.W. Employees salaries \$15.00 a week. Supported by Thelen. Motion carried.

Motion by Braun to raise the clerk's salary \$25.00 a month. Supported by Thelen. Motion carried.

Motion by McKean to raise the treasurer's salary \$5.00 a month. Supported by Braun. Motion carried.

Motion by Thelen to adjourn the meeting. Supported by McKean. Meeting adjourned at 10:35 p.m. Catherine Rademacher Village Clerk

Your 1973 Guide to Michigan's 67 Skiing Areas

Table with columns for CODE, NAME, MAILING ADDRESS AND ZIP CODE, DAILY SKIING LIFT FEES, TYPE AND NUMBER OF LIFTS, TYPE OVERNIGHT FACILITIES OFFERED, and PHONE. It lists 67 skiing areas across Michigan, categorized by region (Upper Peninsula, West Michigan, East Michigan, Southeast Michigan).

Melba classes

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cosmetology. Because 350 hours are needed before they are allowed to work on patrons, theory is followed by mankin practice only.

Next year these girls will leave the classroom and work in the main clinic on customers. "They'll continue to receive supervision," Mrs. Perry mentions, "along with an hour of theory daily." They're also given periodic tests and they must pass with 85%. They can then take the state board examinations for cosmetology to be followed by a year's work under a licensed cosmetologist.

Widows may qualify for increased Social Security

LANSING--Social Security retirement payments to some aged widows and dependent widowers will be increased in 1973, according to Roger W. Seamon, Social Security district manager in Lansing.

Up to now, a widow's retirement benefit could be no more than 82-1/2% of the amount her husband would have received at age 65. But under new legislation, a widow who started getting benefits at 65 or later can get the same benefit that her husband would have received at 65. If she first started getting checks before 65, the benefit will be less than the full amount of her husband's benefit but not less than she was getting before.

For example, a widow who started getting benefits at age 62 will now get 82.9% of her husband's benefit amount, instead of the 82.5% she receives now. Not all widows will get a raise. And many of those who do will only get a small raise. The increase will first appear in checks delivered in early February.

SEAMON ALSO ANNOUNCED that applications for disability benefits may now be filed after a worker's death.

This change will only apply in cases of deaths occurring after Dec 31, 1969. But there is a deadline for filing such applications.

Be a good neighbor

DRIVE-IN BANKING HOURS: Mon, thru Thurs. 8:30 - 5 pm; Fridays 8:30 - 8 pm; Saturdays 8:30 - 1 pm. CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK, ST. JOHNS

Shepardsville Things." She told of some meeting that would prove interesting to everyone. Her talk was very interesting. She was presented a gift by the Club. Roll call was a home decorating problem. None of the problems were some that could be very easily solved. There were the usual reports. Cards of thanks were read from Mrs. Oriette Eastlick, Mrs. Richard DePond and the Traverse City Hospital. It isn't the size of a man that counts--it's the spirit.

REVISED FEE SCHEDULE FOR CLINTON COUNTY ZONING ADMINISTRATION. Residential and Agricultural Structures: Dwellings (with or without attached garage) \$35.00; Additions to dwellings \$15.00; Unattached non-dwellings (incl. farm bldg.) \$10.00; Dwellings with two or more living units (per living unit) \$25.00; Major alterations to existing structures \$5.00. Commercial and Industrial Structures: New structures or additions over 500 sq. ft. \$50.00; New structures or additions under 500 sq. ft. \$25.00; Major alterations to existing structures \$10.00. Sign and Billboard Permits: All signs and billboards \$10.00. Mortgage Inspections: To Be paid before inspection \$20.00. Zoning Appeal Board Hearings: Appeal for Regular Meeting \$35.00; Appeal for Special Meeting \$125.00. Zoning Commission Hearings: Application for Amendment (includes zoning change) and/or Special Use Permit: Regular Meeting (each request) \$50.00; Special Meeting \$200.00. Approved by the Clinton County Board of Commissioners on January 2, 1973. Effective immediately.

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# Business and Professional Announcements, Legal News

**Probate Court**  
**HON. TIMOTHY M. GREEN**  
 Judge of Probate  
**HELENA M. BURK**  
 Register of Probate  
 Wed, Jan 17, 1973

**HARLEY A. MILLER**  
 Appointment of Administrator

**MONROE D. B. BOLLES**  
 Final Account

**HUBER J. MARTIN**  
 Claims

**EMMA F. HEIN**  
 Claims

**EVA L. KIMBALL**  
 Final Account

**Real Estate Transfers**  
 (From records in office of Register of Deeds)

Dec 28: Nolan, James B and Betty J to George C and Shirley A Hathcox property in Sec 5 Watertown.

Dec 28: Moon, Robert P and Dorothy O to Gerald and Patricia Patteson property in Sec 10 Greenbush.

Dec 28: Haker, Don H to Frank and Betty McNeley Lot 18, Bopp's Wee Farms.

Dec 28: Clayton Corporation to William G and Karen R Parker Lot 26 White Oaks sub.

Dec 28: Peters, Rodney D and Lee F to Lon E and Kathy Canum Lot 7, 8, 9, 5, 6, Blk 116, Walker and Steel's sub.

Dec 28: Schomisch, John N to Fowler Public School District property in Sec 14 Dallas.

Dec 29: Kinsey, Reynold and Donna to Lannie and Margaret L Richmond property in Sec 8 Eagle.

Dec 29: Van Deventer Builders Inc to James D and Geraldine M Raymer Lot 59 Westwinds No 3.

Dec 29: Finney, Paul S and Christiania to Lloyd N and Lois I Gage property in Sec 34 Eagle.

Dec 29: County of Clinton to South Bingham Union Graveyard Society property in Sec 28 Bingham.

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Dec 29: Karber, Gerald and Shirley L to Lon E and Kathryn K Canum Lot 4 Blk 117 Walker Steel.

Dec 29: Smith, Ruth to Kenneth Allen and Janice L Pyle Lot 1 Blue Water.

Dec 29: Martin, Gregory J and Pauline C to Larry T Schaefer Inc property in Sec 13 Dallas.

Dec 29: Trayer, Norma A to Tom and Mary Paksli Lot 14 Blk 29 Ovid.

Dec 29: Fedewa Brothers to James E and Nancy L Smith Lot 10 Blk 26 Fowler.

Dec 29: Ailing, Helen to Boy Scouts of America Chief Okemos Council N 271 Lot 42, 43 Clinton Village.

Dec 29: LaNoble, Ford S and Esther M to Claudine V Jackson property in Sec 16 Bath.

Dec 29: Cathey, James E and Diana M to C Clayton and Emily Harsch Lot 15, 16 Briggs Stoller.

Dec 29: Herrington, Lance E and Marie E to Edwin D and Sandra K Dobson Lot 102 Clinton Village.

Dec 29: Butler, Thelma M to Howard H and Frances Lengham Lot 26, 27, 28 Supy Pl No 2 Lot 23, 24, 25 Rickard's Cootage Allot.

Dec 29: Sherman, John B and Viola D to Richard L and Dorothy D Daye Lot 20 Brookwood.

Dec 29: Flositz, Fred W Jr and Brenda L to Bertred Bruce and Sharon E. Baulch Lot 96 Bolchot Acres No 3.

Dec 29: Baker, Owen and Edith B to Thomas J and Deborah J Papiernik property in Sec 17 Olive.

**LEGAL NOTICES**

**Final Account**  
 Fitzpatrick—Jan 24  
 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton  
 Estate of  
**WILLIAM FITZPATRICK**  
 Deceased  
 It is ordered that on Wednesday, January 24, 1973, at 9:30 a.m. in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Leo Fitzpatrick, Successor Administrator, for allowance of his final account. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.  
**TIMOTHY M GREEN**  
 Judge of Probate  
 Dated: December 21, 1972  
 Walker & Moore  
 By Jack Walker  
 Attorney for Estate  
 115 E Walker Street  
 St Johns, Michigan 35-3

Claims Goodman—Mar 14  
 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton  
 Estate of  
**WILLIAM GOODMAN,**  
 Deceased  
 It is ordered that on March 14, 1973, at 9:30 a.m. in the Probate Courtroom in 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 William Hufnagel, Box 167, R2, Fowler, Michigan 48835 prior to said hearing. And on the petition of William Hufnagel for license to sell real estate of said deceased. Persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing to show cause why such license should not be granted. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.  
**TIMOTHY M GREEN**  
 Judge of Probate  
 Dated: December 21, 1972  
 Kemper, Wells & Lewis  
 By William C Kemper  
 Attorneys for the Estate  
 103 East State Street  
 St Johns, Michigan 35-3

**NOTICE OF SALE**  
 Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of the Writ of Execution issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Ingham in favor of Spartan Asphalt Paving Company, a Michigan corporation against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Russell King and Jearlene King, jointly and severally, in said County to me directed and delivered I did, on the first day of May, 1972, levy upon and take all right, title and interest of the said Russell King and Jearlene King in and to the following described lands, to-wit:  
 In the Township 5 North, Range 2 West, (DeWitt Township), County of Clinton State of Michigan, being - Lots 147 and 148, Riverwood Subdivision, a Subdivision of part of the South 1/2 of Section 7, T5N, R2W, all of which I shall expose for sale at public sale, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Circuit Court Courthouse, County Building St. Johns, Michigan in said County, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court within said County in which the real estate is situated, on the 12th day of January, 1973 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon.  
 Dated: Nov 14, 1972  
**P J PATTERSON**  
 Sheriff for the County of Clinton,  
 Michigan 31-7

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 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton  
 Estate of  
**LEAH E. NOURSE**  
 It is ordered that on Wednesday, February 7, 1973 at 10:00 a.m. in the Probate Courtroom in the city of St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Robert W. Nourse, for probate of a purported will, appointment of a fiduciary and for a determination of heirs. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.  
**TIMOTHY M GREEN**  
 Judge of Probate  
 Dated: December 26, 1972  
 E. Bean  
 223 1/2 Bridge St.  
 Grand Ledge, Mich. 36-3

**Will—Brink January 24**  
 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton  
 Estate of  
**MARTHA L. BRINK**  
 Deceased  
 It is ordered that on Wednesday, January 24, 1973 at 10:30 a.m. in the Probate Courtroom St. Johns, Mich. a hearing be held for appointment of Ancillary Administrator, W.W.A. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.  
**TIMOTHY M GREEN**  
 Judge of Probate  
 Dated: December 18, 1972  
 Raymond Joseph  
 Attorney  
 830 Stoddard Building  
 Lansing, Mich. 36-3

**Claims Swagart—March 7, 1973**  
 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton  
 Estate of  
**CLARE L. SWAGART**  
 Deceased  
 It is ordered that on Wednesday, March 7, 1973 at 9:30 a.m. in the Probate Courtroom St. Johns, Mich. a hearing be held at which all claims against said estate will be heard and heirs will be determined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Lillian Swagart, Administratrix, 600 S. Clinton Avenue, St. Johns, Mich. 48879, prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.  
**TIMOTHY M GREEN**  
 Judge of Probate  
 Dated: December 19, 1972  
 James A. Moore  
 Attorney for Estate  
 115 E. Walker St.  
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 Deceased  
 It is ordered that on Wednesday, March 28, 1973 at 9:30 a.m. in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse in 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 Lucye E. Long, Executrix, Apartment 6, Sturgis Street, 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: January 3, 1973  
 Robert H. Wood  
 Attorney for Estate  
 200 W. State St.  
 St. Johns, Michigan 48879 37-1

**Bath Charter Township**  
 Bath Charter Township Board held its regular monthly meeting of December 18, 1972 at the township offices 14480 Webster Rd, Bath.  
 All board members present as well as Attorney Patrick Berardo, Engineer Paul Thompson, Clinton County Sanitariums Don Oderkirk and John Magyar. Pledge of Allegiance.  
 Minutes of the last regular meeting read and approved. Minutes of the special meeting read and approved. Recommendations for investing the Cemetery funds now in Capital Savings and Loan and Farm Bureau debentures will be made at the next meeting.  
 Stan Tenney moved that the bills as reviewed and approved by the Budget Committee, be paid. Support, Ron Mull. Motion carried.  
 Bob Ballard moved that City employees receive the same Christmas gift as in past years. Support, Gary Gillespie. Motion carried.  
 Ron Mull reported that the Police Board held an informational meeting. They are getting specifications on a new Police car. Next meeting will be December 20, 1972 with the Chief of Police, Charles Anderson.  
 Bill Shaver told Council that Art Newman and Lloyd Berkimer met with the Fire Board and brought them up to date on the equipment. The Board plans to update the phone system and get specifications on a new pumper. Life span of fire equipment is 10 years, possibly 15 years. The City's newest equipment is 8 years old, the oldest 20 years old. Compliments were given to Tim Farr on his questions and comments at the Fire Board meeting.  
 Gary Gillespie moved that all present appointments serve until January 22, 1973. This includes City employees, and appointments made by Mayor Keck. Support Stan Tenney. Motion carried.  
 Stan Tenney presented the following resolution:  
 The City Council of the City of DeWitt heartily endorses the Senior Citizens group that has been formed. It is non-partisan and non-sectarian and the Council urges all persons 55 and over to become involved with the group.  
 Support, Bill Shaver. Motion carried.  
 The Council has a request from the bars to allow them to open on New Years Eve. City ordinance #16 prohibits Sunday opening and makes no exceptions for holidays. Discussion by Council. Moved by Ron Mull, that taverns may be open for business until 4:00 a.m. on any Sunday which falls on January 1st of any year, and may be open for business between the hours of 6:00 p.m. Sunday and 4:00 a.m. Monday of any year when Sunday falls on December 31st. Support Bob Ballard. Carried unanimously.  
 Special Council meeting on Wednesday, December 20, 1972, for the purpose of voting on the above amendment.  
 Stan Tenney moved that the January Council meetings be changed to January 8th and 22nd. Support Ron Mull. Carried unanimously.  
 Mr Bob Fedewa showed Council a planned unit development prepared by Scott Bagby and Associates, for an area on the northwest edge of the City. Mr. Fedewa asked Council if the plan would be acceptable if the land were annexed to the City. Consensus of Council: Mr. Fedewa to proceed in annexing additional land.  
 Mr. Elliot has had two more requests from City property owners, to hook to the Township sewer.  
 Councilman Ballard moved and Councilman Wilcox supported a motion to approve the request of DeWitt Development to tie into the Township Sewer line

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## COMMERCIAL BOWLING LEAGUE

W	L
Daleys	31 23
Demmers	29 25
Galloways	28 26
Brunos	28 26
Schmitts	28 26
Rehmanns	27-1/2 26-1/2
Dry Dock	27 27
Redwing Lanes	27 27
Aloha	25 29
Sprute	25 29
Strouse Oil	24-1/2 29-1/2
Road House	24 30

## DREWRY'S CLASSIC LEAGUE

W	L
Odd Couples	38-1/2 21-1/2
Gambler's	37-1/2 22-1/2
Sparemakers	36-1/2 23-1/2
Mamas & Papas	36 24
Halfways	34 26
Underdogs	31 29
Wildcats	27 33
Four Strikes	26-1/2 33-1/2
Splits & Mis	26 34
Four Pros	24 36
Lost Cause	24 36
Last Chance	19 41

## TEN PIN KEGLERS

W	L
Bruno's	4 0
Masarik's Shell	3 1
McKenzie's Ins	3 1
Daley's	3 1
Clinton Nat Bank	3 1
American Legion	3 1
Julie K	1 3
High Tire Center	1 3
E's Standard	1 3

## Hallenbeck's Const

W	L
Allaby & Brewbaker, Inc	1 3
Parr's Rexall Drugs	0 4
High Team Game and Series, Masarik's Shell 899;	2588; High Ind Game, Jo Rogers 222; High Ind Series, Kay Penix 550.

## OTHER HIGH GAMES AND SERIES - Jo Rogers

W	L
537; S Gavenda 512; G Masarik 505; L Ely 524; A Redman 504; T Miller 538; C Thum 504; K Campbell 204; K Penix 200; D Kuripia 201.	

## SPLITS CONVERTED

W	L
L. Kentfield 4-5-7; D. Frost 3-8-10; G. Wright 3-10; D. Merignac 5-7.	

## NIGHT HAWK

W	L
Legion	36 18
G and I	34 20
McKenzie's	33 21
Beck's	33 21
Zeeb's	32 22
Coca Cola	29-1/2 24-1/2
Egg Station	26 28
Dunkel's	25 29
Hettler's	23-1/2 30-1/2
Randolph's	22 32
Shell	19 35
St Johns Oil	11 43

## IND HIGH GAME, G. Snyder

W	L
224; Ind High Series, G. Snyder and M. Hayes 606; Team High Game, G and I 952; Team High Series, Zeebs 2661.	

## HONOR ROLL - G. Snyder

W	L
217-224; L. Neller 201; S. Sillman 210; A. Mohrke 208; M. Hayes 222; 203; L. Lewis 202; J. Anderson 210-215; L. Huguette 202-215.	

## COFFEE CUP

W	L
Daleys	52 12
Houghton's	44-1/2 19-1/2
Roadrunner's	42 22
Jay's	36 28
Clinton Crop	33-1/2 30-1/2
Snack Bar	33 31
Chaparral	31 33
General Tire	31 33
Jim's Radio	27 37
Tastee Freez	25 39
Mission Imp	19 33
Overway Ag	10 54

## IND HIGH GAME, M. Cook

W	L
207, A. Wolfe 198; Ind High Series, M. Cook 519; J. Hasselback 500; Team High Game, Jim's Radio & TV 860; Team High Series, Jim's Radio & TV 2465.	

## SPLITS - M. Hurst

W	L
3-10; N. Vining, D. Hopp 2-7; E. Underwood 5-6; E. Underwood 5-7; A. Thurlow 4-5; C. Welch 4-7-10; K. Ladisky 4-5-7.	

## NITE OWLS

W	L
Moore's	44 20
F.C. Mason's	43 21
Wheel Inn	38 26
Co-op	36 28
Hobby Lobby	35 29
Kurts	32 32
Hillside Bty Sh	30 34
Rivards	27 37
Cains	27 37
Curley Q	26 38
Drakes	24-1/2 39-1/2
Gen Tel	18-1/2 45-1/2

## High team game, Moores

W	L
940; High team series, Moores 2610; High ind game, Rose Ritter 226-544; High ind series, Lela Clark 545-225.	

## HONOR ROLL - Jeanette Driscoll

W	L
200; Barb Flegel 520; Edna Feighner 508; Judy Pease 506.	

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Overway Ag	9 51

## High game Ind, 187 J.

W	L
Smaldon and J. Hasselback; High Ind Series, 530 B. Martin; High Team Game, Jim's Radio 852; High Team Series, Jim's Radio 2449.	

## SPLITS - M. Magsig

W	L
2-4-10; M. Magsig, J. Payne, B. Keiffer, 3-10; C. Seidel 3-5-10.	

## REDWING LEAGUE

W	L
WPA	51 21
King Pins	50 22
Ten Pins	45-1/2 26-1/2
Sunshine Group	41 31
Pinguins	38 34
MP's	35 37
Sandbaggers	34 38
Fearsome 4	33-1/2 36-1/2
Nitehawks	33 39
3-M	27 45
Goof-Off	25 47
4 Aces	19 33

## Ind High Game, Margie Higgins

W	L
211, Bill Haps 234; Ind High Series, Margie Higgins 559, Bill Haps 574; Team High Game, Ten Pins 696; Team High Series, Nite Hawks 1984.	

## 200's - Bill Haps

W	L
234; Jerry Brockmyre 201; Al Dutcher 203; Margie Higgins 211.	

## Subs: Corky Chamberlain

W	L
230.	

## TUESDAY TEATIME LEAGUE

W	L
Arts Refinery	4 0
Vals Pizzeria	3 1
Paradise Rd & Tv	3 1
S&H Farms	2 2
Redwing Lanes	2 2
Randolphs	2 2
Aloha Drive In	2 2
Gra Farm Sup	2 2
Furman Rly Co	2 2
Clinton Mach	1 3
E-Z-Flo Chem	1 3
Ken Nat Bank	0 4

## High game, ind, Betty Martin

W	L
207; High three games ind, Carolyn Spitzley 543; High games team, Val's Pizzeria 900; High three games team, Art's Refinery 2544.	

## Splits converted - 5-6

W	L
Vianna Bond, Ann Walker; 3-10 Carolyn Spitzley, Arlene Smith, Joan Pardee; 3-9-10 Arlene Smith; 2-7 Lillian Tiedt, Judy Pease, Janet Esch; 2-5-7 Diane Hopp; 5-8 Marge Higgins; 5-10 Janet Esch; 2-10 Marge Higgins; 5-6-10 Deloris Van Belkum; 4-7-9 Virginia Jones; 6-8-10 Judy Pease.	

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## Ind High Game, J. Payne

W	L
209, J. Purvis 202; Ind High Series, J. Payne 533, J. Purvis 528; M. Cook 532; V. Skriba 495; Team High Game, Daleys 913; Team High Series, Daleys 2533; Mission Impossible 2497; Mission Impossible 888.	

## SPLITS - S. Mudget

W	L
M. Cook, L. Uribe 3-10; M. Nothrup 2-7; D. Race 5-10; D. Race 5-8-10; B. Beck 2-7.	

## SHIRTS AND SKIRTS

W	L
The P's B's	6-1/2 1-1/2
Kelly Tires	6 2
Central Nat Bank	5-1/2 2-1/2
Dunkl Plum & Htg	5 3
Lucky Wonders	5 3
Slop Shots	4 4
Patterson & Sons	4 4
Guy's Sunoco Serv	3 5
Coldstream	3 5
Dry Dock D Lnge	2-1/2 5-1/2
Ralyke Farms	2 6

## MaITai 1-1/2 6-1/2

W	L
High game ind, Rick Snyder 245, Marsha Snyder 210; High three games ind, Marsha Snyder 541, Rick Snyder 631; High games team, Kelly Tires 773; High three game series, Kelly Tires 2217.	

## Liaison to visit here

ST JOHNS - Congressman Elford A Cederberg's liaison man, Ronald W Stolz, will be visiting Clinton County to offer the citizens of the Tenth District an opportunity to bring difficulties they might have with the Federal government to his attention. Stolz will be at the courthouse in St Johns Monday Jan 8 from 1 pm to 3 pm. Cederberg reminds those who might have a problem with a federal agency to bring along any documents that might help to identify his case to Stolz.

## Fulton School Menu

MONDAY  
Chili and Crackers  
Cinnamon Rolls  
Applesauce  
Milk  
TUESDAY  
Creamed Chicken  
Biscuits  
Choice of Vegetable  
Peas or Carrots  
Plums  
Bread and Butter  
Milk  
WEDNESDAY  
Goulash  
String Beans  
Peas  
Bread and Butter  
Milk  
THURSDAY  
Bean Soup  
Meat Sandwiches  
Apple Crisp  
Celery and Carrot Sticks  
Milk  
FRIDAY  
NO SCHOOL  
End of 1st Semester  
Marking Period

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## LANSING -- Sled dog races, snowmobile races, speedskating races -- you name it and Michigan has it in January, according to the Michigan Tourist Council.

The sled dogs will be off and running in Traverse City Jan 6-7 and Jan 13-14 in Hart. Later in the month the dogs will be competing in Allendale, Jan 20-21. January racing winds up with the International Sled Dog Race at Kalkaska the 27th and 28th.

For snowmobile enthusiasts, three major races are on tap. First is the Thunder Bay 250 at Alpena Jan 13, followed by the Traverse City 250 Jan 27. Drivers compete for a grueling 250 miles to take top honors in these events. Past winners have shared as much as \$15,000 in purses. The 3d major race is the Grand Prix Snowmobile Races at Houghton Lake Jan 27-28. Run on a five-eighths-mile oval track, the competition features Class "A" men's machines and powder puff, kitty-cat and junior races.

During the month snowmobile races will also be held in Manchester on Jan 7, in Hart, Jan 13-14 and in Buchanan, Jan 14 and 28.

SILVER BLADES will be flashing as speedskaters vie for the Central Michigan Championships Jan 6-7 in Bay City and the Chemical City Championships at Midland Jan 13-14. On Jan 20-21 the skaters will compete in the Parks and Recreation Championships in Detroit and again on Jan 27-28 for the Silver Cup Classic at Belle Isle in Detroit.

For those who are not racing buffs, there are winter festivals and carnivals. Tip-Up Town USA is scheduled Jan 20-21 at Houghton Lake. This winter carnival centered around ice fishing also features a queen contest, parades and a variety of other activities. A Winter Festival is set for Jan 26-28 in Lake City and Winter Carnivals are scheduled at Lewiston and Wyoming on Jan 27 and in

## Port Austin Jan 29-Feb 4. Mall in Kalamazoo, Jan 29-Feb 4.

If you would rather remain indoors, there is the Christmas Family Theater Production at the Henry Ford Museum in Dearborn, Jan 6-27; a Photo Show at the Light Guard Armory in Detroit, Jan 18-21 and a New Car Show at the Westmain

# SCHOOL LUNCH MENU!!

## High School

Tuesday, Jan 16  
Salisbury Steak  
Mashed Potatoes  
Peas & Carrots  
Bread  
Margarine  
Milk  
Candy Treat

## Tuesday, Jan 17

Hot Dog  
Tater Tots  
Mixed Vegetables  
Hot Dog Bun  
Margarine  
Milk  
Candy Treat

## Thursday, Jan 18

Hamburger  
French Fries  
Buttered Corn  
Hamburger Bun  
Margarine  
Milk  
Cookie

## Friday, Jan 19

Beef Stew  
Fishburger  
Golden Potatoes  
Buttered Carrots  
Hamburger Bun  
Margarine  
Milk  
Cookie

## Elementary

Monday, Jan 15  
John's Original Pizza  
Tater Tots  
Mixed Vegetables  
Margarine  
Milk  
Cookie

## Elsie

Kenneth Munson had the misfortune to lose 2 fingers in a recent corn husker accident. He was taken to the Owosso Memorial Hospital. Mrs Carolyn Godreau has been transferred to Pleasant View Nursing Home in Corunna following serious illness the past weeks at the Owosso Memorial Hospital.

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# Next Sunday In Clinton County Churches

All Churches in Clinton County are invited to send their weekly announcements to The Clinton County News. They must reach us by 10 a.m. Monday to insure publication in the current week's issue.

**UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Francis C. Johannides, Minister  
9:30 am Church School  
10:30 am Fellowship  
11:00 Morning Worship  
7:00 pm Senior High Youth Fellowship  
Wednesday  
4:00 Carol Choir rehearsal  
6:30 Chapel Choir rehearsal  
7:30 Chancel Choir rehearsal  
Friday  
2:30 pm Women's Prayer Group in lounge.

**FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**  
Averill M. Carson, Minister  
Thursday, Jan 11  
7:30 Pastoral Board  
8:30 Council Meeting  
Sunday, Jan 14  
9:45 Church School  
11:00 Morning Worship coffee hour to follow  
Monday, Jan 15  
6:30 Annual Meeting, dinner and speaker  
Tuesday, Jan 16  
1:00 Priscilla Aiden  
8:00 Pearl Caldwell Vesper  
Wednesday, Jan 17  
6:45 Boy Scout Troop No 81  
8:00 Chancel Choir rehearsal

**CHURCH OF CHRIST OF ST. JOHNS**  
400 E. State  
Mike Hargrave, Minister  
9:30 am Sunday School  
10:30 am Morning Worship  
5:30 pm Youth Fellowship  
6:30 pm Evening Service  
Wed, 7:00 pm Prayer Meeting  
Call 224-4293 for more information

**ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Rev. William G. Harker, Pastor  
Rev. Raymond Goehring, Associate Pastor  
Rectory—109 Linden St.—Ph. 224-3313  
Convent—110 S. Oakland—Ph. 224-3789  
School—201 E. Cass—Ph. 224-2421  
Mass Schedule  
Saturday Evening—7 p.m. Sunday—7:30, 9, 10:30 and 12.  
Holy Days—See bulletin.  
Weekdays—7:30 and 8:30 a.m. and 7:15 p.m.  
Sacrament of Penance—Saturdays, 3:30 to 5 p.m.; after 7 p.m. Mass until 9 p.m. Weekly evenings—a few minutes before evening Mass.  
First Fridays—Sacrament of Penance, Thursdays from 4 to 5 p.m. and after the evening Mass until all are heard. Mass and Prayers of Adoration at 7:15 p.m. Holy Communion on Friday at 8 and 7:15 a.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, 8:30 p.m. on Thursday through 7 p.m. on First Friday.  
Devotions—Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena—after 7:15 p.m. Mass each Tuesday.  
Religious Instruction Classes—Adult Inquiry Class, Tuesday at 8 p.m. High School CCD, Wednesday at 8 p.m. Public Grade School CCD, Tuesdays from 4 until 5 p.m.  
Baptisms—Each Sunday at 1:30 by appointment. Other arrangements by appointment.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
South US-27  
Paul A. Travis, Pastor  
9:45 a.m. Bible School  
10:55 a.m. Worship Service  
11 a.m. Children's Churches  
6 p.m. IN-TIME and HI-TIME  
7 p.m. Evening Worship  
Each Wed., 7 p.m. The Hour of Power for the whole family. 8 p.m. Choir practice.  
First Sunday—Communion Service  
First Tuesday—Deacon's Meeting  
Second Tuesday—Ladies' Missionary Circle.  
Last Tuesday—Trustees' Meeting Mon., Fri., "Moments of Meditation," Radio WRBJ.

**ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Corner of E. Walker and Mead Sts.  
Rev. Hugh E. Banning, Pastor  
Rectory 224-2600 Office 224-2885  
Summer Schedule  
Every Sunday, 7 a.m. Holy Communion, 2nd & 4th Sunday 9 a.m. Holy Communion and Sermon. Other Sundays, 9 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon. 9 a.m. Church School and Nursery.  
Every Monday evening, 7 p.m. Healing Service, 1st & 3rd Mondays, 7 p.m. Senior Citizens.  
2nd & 4th Tuesdays, noon, Senior Citizens.  
Every Tuesday morning and evening, Weight Watchers.  
Starting June 22, every Thursday morning, Bible School at 9:30 a.m.

**PRICE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Darold D. Boyd  
9:45 a.m.—Church School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
Women's Society meets the last Wednesday of each month, Dinner at 12:30, Meeting at 1:30.  
Youth Fellowship meets the first and third Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.  
Council of Church Ministries and Administrative Board meets the first Sunday of each month following a pot-luck dinner at noon.  
Youth choir meets each Wednesday at 7 p.m.  
Senior choir meets each Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

**ST. JOHNS LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
The Church of the Lutheran Hour  
U.S.—27 at Surgis  
Robert D. Koepfer, Pastor  
9:00 a.m. Sunday School and Bible Discussions.  
10:15 a.m. Divine Worship  
8:00 a.m. 3rd Sunday of Each Month—Matins Service.  
10:15 a.m. Holy Communion 1st and 3rd Sundays each month.  
7:30 p.m. 1st Tuesday of each month—Ladies Guild and L.W.M.L.  
8:00 p.m. 3rd Tuesday of each month—Book Discussion Club.  
3:15 to 6:15 Weekly on Wednesdays—Weekly Day School September through May.  
Confirmation instruction Wed. after 3:15 p.m.  
7:30 p.m. Wednesdays—Adult Information Classes, beginning each September and February—Call 224-3544 or 224-7400 for specific information.  
Church Office, Hours—9:00—12:00 a.m., Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

**THE WAYSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Jerry Thomas, Pastor  
About 12 miles north.  
The Corner of N US-27 and Roosevelt Rds.  
Sunday School and Church - 10:50 am to 12:30 pm, Sunday evenings service - 7:30 pm to 8:30 pm.  
Wednesday evening service - 7:30 - 8:30 pm.  
Everyone welcome to these services.

**WEST PILGRIM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Corner of Parks and Grove Rd.  
Rev. Brian K. Sheen, Minister  
9:30 a.m. - Worship Service  
10:45 a.m. - Church School  
**ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
S. US-27 & E. Baldwin  
Joseph F. Eger, Jr., Pastor  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m.—Youth Service  
7:30 p.m.—Sunday Evening  
7 p.m.—Wednesday, second and fourth, WMC  
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday evening service

**SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS**  
608 North Lansing Street  
Elder, E. F. Herzel, Pastor  
Services held on Saturday  
9:15 a.m.—Church Service  
10:30 a.m.—Sabbath School Service

**JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES**  
Kingdom Hall  
1993 North Lansing St.  
Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.—Congregation Book Studies, Text studies: "The Nations Shall Know That I Am Jehovah"—How?  
Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Theocratic Ministry School—Texts Used: "Bible" and "Aid to Bible Understanding" 8:30 p.m. Service Meeting.  
Sunday, 9:30 a.m.—Public Lecture—Given by Qualified Representative of the Watchtower, Bible and Tract Society, 10:30 a.m.—Watchtower Study—Current issue of the "watchtower" magazine studied.  
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**FIRST CHURCH OF GOD**  
Rev. Jeff Webb  
312 N US-27  
Home Phone 224-2448  
9:45 am Church School, 11:00 am Worship Service, 7:00 pm Evening Worship, 8:00 pm Youth Fellowship 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month.  
Wednesday: 7:45 pm Family Bible Study.

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
515 North Lansing Street  
\*Rev. Wesley Manker  
Phone 224-7350  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
6:15 p.m.—Young People's Service  
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship  
Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.—Caravan  
7:45 p.m.—Bible Study and prayer hour.

**FREE METHODIST CHURCH**  
305 Church Street  
Phone 224-3349  
Robert Bentley, Minister  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
6:00 p.m.—Evening Worship  
Prayer service as announced.  
**SALEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Parsonage and Office: US-27 and County Line Road  
Pastor—Charles VanLente  
Phone 224-6166  
Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m. Church School.  
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. Choir practice  
7:30 p.m. Mid-week Service.  
Thursday: 7:30 p.m. WSCS Third Thursday.

**DeWitt Area**  
**WAYSIDE CHAPEL**  
A BIBLE CHURCH  
14337 Turner Road, DeWitt  
Rev. Douglas Beach, Pastor  
Phone 489-9251  
10 a.m. Sunday School  
11 a.m. Worship Service  
6 p.m. Young People  
7 p.m. Evening Service  
7:15 p.m. Wednesday - Bible Study and Prayer.  
A friendly church with a message for today.  
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**DeWITT COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
(Inter-denominational)  
Muri J. Eastman, Pastor  
Amy Mulford, Sunday School Supt.  
Marilyn Krol, Co-Supt.  
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School  
11 a.m.—Church School  
7 p.m.—Youth Fellowship

**REDEEMER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
105 N. Bridge St.  
H. Forest Crum, Minister  
9:30 a.m.—Worship, (nursery provided), 10:30 - 11:00 a.m., Coffee Fellowship, 11 a.m. Church School.

**ST. ANNE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Corner US-27 and Webb Road  
Rev. Glenn V. Cathey, Jr. Vicar  
Residence 699-3907 Church 699-0308  
Sunday morning prayer and sermon 9:00 a.m.

**COMMUNITY OF ST. JUDE**  
Catholic Church  
Father Jerome Schmitt, Pastor  
409 Wilson, DeWitt  
Daily Mass: Mon. and Thurs. - 7:30 p.m. Tues., Wed. and Fri. 7:00 a.m.  
Sunday Mass: 9:00 and 11:15 a.m.  
Services at Middle School, DeWitt.

**EAST DEWITT BIBLE CHURCH**  
(Non Denominational)  
Round Lake Road 1/2 mile East of US-27  
Glen J. Farnham, Pastor  
Sunday—10 a.m.—Sunday School. Classes for all ages.  
11 a.m.—Morning Worship  
8:45 p.m.—Youth Fellowship, Senior, 14 and up; Jet Cadets, 10-13.  
Wednesday—Evening Service  
7:30 p.m.—Bible Study and prayer. Supervised nursery for babies and small children in all services. "An open door to an open book." A Bible preaching church with a message for you.

**ST. THERESE CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Fathers Francis Murray, Joseph Droste and Lawrence Delaney  
Rectory: 102 W. Randolph, Lansing  
Phone 489-9051  
Mass Schedule—Saturday: 7 p.m. Sunday: 8, 10, 12; DeWitt, 9 a.m. Holiday: 7, 8, 10 a.m.; 5:30, 7:30 p.m.  
Weekday Masses: 8 a.m., 7:30 p.m.  
Confessions—Saturday: 3:30 to 5 and 7:30 to 9; Eves of Holidays, 8 to 9.  
Baptism: Sunday at 1 p.m. Please call in advance.

**HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
380 W Herbison Rd, DeWitt  
Telephone: 669-3930  
David B Franzmeier, Pastor  
Telephone: 669-9600  
Sunday School - 9:40 am  
Sunday Worship - 10:30 am  
Tuesday - Directions at Dawn 7:00 am.

**VALLEY FARMS BAPTIST CHURCH**  
21 E. State Road  
Rev. LaVern Bretz, Pastor  
9:45-10:45 a.m.—Church School  
There is a class for everyone from the youngest to the oldest. The Bible is our textbook.  
11 a.m.—12 Noon—Morning Worship, Junior Church for children through 6th grade  
5:30 p.m.—BYF for both Juniors and Seniors  
7:00 p.m.—Evangelistic Service  
8:00 p.m.—Morning Choir practices  
Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.—Mid-week Prayer Service; 8:00 p.m.—Morning Choir practice  
Saturday 10:00 a.m.—Jr. Choir practice  
1st Thursday 7:30 p.m.—Woman's Mission Society  
2nd Saturday 2:00 p.m.—Ann Judson Guild for Jr. High School  
3rd Tuesday 6:30 p.m.—Men's Fellowship

**SOUTH DEWITT CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Temporarily Meeting at the DeWitt High School  
Evangelistic Service  
Telephone: 669-3385  
8 p.m.—"Revival Fires," Channel 5 TV, "Revival Fires," 1110 radio.  
9:45 a.m.—Bible School  
10:30 a.m.—Morning Worship. Sermon: "The Mind of Christ."  
Weekly Communion.  
6:30 p.m.—Youth groups for grades 1 through freshman in college.  
8:30 p.m.—Evening Worship. Sermon: "What the Church of Christ Stands For."  
Wednesday, 7 p.m.—Hour of Power, 8 classes.  
Thursday, 7 p.m.—Fishermen's Club

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF DEWITT, SEC.**  
Rev. Jerry Cole, Pastor  
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Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m.  
5:00 pm Evening Worship.  
Meeting in home.  
Mid-week prayer service Wed. - 7:30 p.m.  
Youth prayer service Thur. - 7:30 p.m.  
Join us in worship where "everybody is somebody and Christ is Lord."  
For more information call 669-9782 or write Box 309, DeWitt.

**VALLEY FARMS UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH**  
152 E. State Rd.  
Rev. Neil E. Barber, Pastor  
Phone 489-1705  
9:30 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.  
7:30 p.m.—Sunday evening Evangelistic.  
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.—Youth service.  
Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Bible Study.  
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**SALEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Parsonage and Office: US-27 and County Line Road  
Pastor - Everett M. Love  
Phone 224-6166  
Sunday: 9:00 a.m. Worship 10:00 a.m. Church School.  
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. Choir practice 7:30 p.m. Mid-week Service.  
Thursday: 7:30 p.m. WSCS Third Thursday.

**St. Peter Lutheran Church**  
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2 miles west on Church road  
Marvin L. Barz, Pastor  
10:30 a.m.—Worship  
9:15 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes.  
Holy Communion first Sunday of the month at 8 a.m., third Sunday of the month at 10:30 a.m.

**SOUTH RILEY BIBLE CHURCH**  
Willard Zarler, Pastor  
Located 1/2-mile east of Francis Road on Chadwick Road  
10 a.m.—Sunday School  
11 a.m.—Worship Service

**Gunnisonville Area**  
**GUNNISONVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Clark and Wood Roads  
Rev. Dan Miles, Minister  
9:30 a.m. Church Service  
10:45 a.m. Sunday School

**Maple Rapids Area**  
**THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
MAPLE RAPIDS  
Pastor - Rev. Abe S. Castor  
Parsonage - Middleton  
Phone - 236-7742  
Sunday - 9:30 a.m. Worship Service, 10:30 a.m. Sunday School.  
Tuesday - 1:30 p.m. WSCS first Tuesday, each month, 7:00 p.m. Senior Choir practice, 7:00 p.m. Scouts.  
**GREENBUSH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Scott and Marshall Roads  
Pastor - Everett M. Love  
Sunday: 9:45 a.m., Church School, 11:30 a.m. Worship  
Thursday: WSCS 4th Thursday at 8:00 p.m.  
**LOWE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Lowe and North Lowe Road  
Pastor - Everett M. Love  
Sunday: Church Service 10:15 a.m., Tuesday: Choral Acts 3-4:30, Wednesday: Bible Study 7:30-8:30, Senior Choir 7:30-8:30.

**MATHERTON COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
2:00 p.m.—Sunday School  
3:00 p.m.—Worship service

**Fulton Area**  
**FULTON FULL GOSPEL CHURCH**  
1/2 mile east of Perrinton on M-57,  
1 1/2 miles south  
Rev. Fred Wing, 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

**Eureka Area**  
**CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
2919 E. Maple Rapids Road  
Rev. Paul R. Jones, Pastor  
Phone 224-7109  
10 a.m.—Bible School for everyone:  
11 a.m.—Morning Worship  
7:30 p.m.—Adult Bible discussions, Nursery provided during services.  
8:30 p.m.—Youth Meetings  
8:30 p.m.—Wednesday, Jr. Choir; Chancel Choir, 7:30 p.m.

**Bath Area**  
**BATH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Clarence Keith  
9:45 am Church School  
11:00 am Worship  
7:00 pm Bible Study  
**BATH BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Richard Cole, Pastor  
10:00 a.m. Sunday School  
6:30 p.m. Youth Fellowship  
7:30 p.m. Evening Service  
Midweek service on Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

**REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS**  
Corner Upton Rd. & Stoll Rd.  
Elder - Earl Premoe  
Sunday School—10 a.m. Preaching Service—11 a.m.  
Choir Practice—Wed. 8:30 p.m.  
Mid-Week Prayer Service—Wed. 7:30 p.m.  
Everyone welcome.

**Elsie Area**  
**ELSIE METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. David Litchfield, Minister  
9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship  
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School, Supt. Merle Raese.  
**DUPLAIN METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. David Litchfield, Minister  
10 a.m.—Sunday School, Supt. Kenneth Kiger  
11 a.m.—Worship service.  
**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Charles Cowley  
10:00 a.m.—Worship service  
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School, Paul Brown, Supt.  
6 p.m.—Junior and Senior BYF  
7 p.m.—Evening Service  
3:30 p.m.—Wednesday—Junior and Senior Choir practice.  
7 p.m.—Wednesday—Prayer and Bible Study.

**DUPLAIN CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
3 miles west Ovid-Elsie High School  
5565 E. Colony Road  
Justin Sheppard, Minister  
Jack Schwartz, S.S. Supt.  
10 a.m.—Sunday School  
11 a.m.—Church  
7 p.m.—Junior and Youth Fellowship  
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service  
7 p.m., Wednesday—Prayer Meeting

**ST. CYRIL CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Rev. Thomas M. Kowalczyk, Pastor  
P.O. Box 97 517 E. Main St.  
Bannister, 48807 Phone: 862-5270  
Sunday Liturgies: Saturday-7:00 p.m. Sunday—(May 1 to Dec. 1) 8:00 and 10:00 a.m. (Dec. 1 to May 1) 8:30 and 10:30 a.m.  
Holy Day Liturgies: 7:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.  
Confessions: One half hour before all Sunday Liturgies.  
**EAGLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Ray McBratnie, Pastor  
Telephone 627-6533 or 489-3807  
9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship  
10:30 a.m.—Church School  
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, Bible Study and prayer meeting.

**EAGLE FOURSQUARE CHURCH**  
Rev. and Mrs. Royal Burnett, Pastor  
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:15 a.m.—Morning Worship  
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday Prayer meeting  
**Fowler Area**  
**MOST HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**  
Rev. Fr. Albert J. Schmitt, Pastor  
Sunday Masses—8:30, 9:30 and 10:30 a.m.  
Weekdays—During school year, 7:30 and 8:30 a.m.  
Holy Days—6:00, 7:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. eve before.  
Sorrowful Mother Novena—Friday, 7:30 p.m.  
Saturdays—7:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

**ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
FOWLER  
H. E. Rossov, Pastor  
9:30 am Worship, 10:30 am Sunday School & Bible Class.  
**Ovid Area**  
**CHURCH OF GOD**  
Ovid, Michigan  
Rev. L. Sanders, Pastor  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:10 a.m.—Morning Worship  
6:00 p.m.—Youth Fellowship  
7:00 p.m.—Evening Service  
8:45 p.m.—Bible Study  
8:45 p.m.—Choir practice.  
**WESLEYAN HOLINESS CHURCH**  
127 W. William St., Ovid  
Rev. Richard D. Purchase  
10 a.m. Sunday School and Morning Worship, Sunday Evenings 7:30 p.m., 7:30 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meetings.

**THE UNITED CHURCH OF OVID**  
West Front St., Ovid  
Rev. Claude B. Ridley, Jr., Pastor  
9:30 am Morning Worship (Nursery) 10:45 am Church School Classes Board Meeting - 2nd Tuesday  
Women's Fellowship - 2nd Wednesday  
Children's Choir - Wednesday, 4 pm  
Junior Choir - Wednesday, 4 pm  
Chancel Choir - Wednesday, 7 pm



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Phone 626-0623  
Morning Worship: 10:00 a.m.  
Church School Classes: 11:15 a.m.  
Jr. and Sr. Hi Y.F.: 6:00 p.m.  
Chorus and Youth Choir Wednesday, 3:00 p.m.  
W.C.S.C. Noon meetings every 3rd Wednesday.  
W.X.Y.Z. Noon meeting every 1st Wednesday.  
Council on Ministries every 3rd Monday at 7:30.  
Administrative Board, 4th Monday of every 3rd month.

**Victor Township**  
**GROVE BIBLE CHURCH**  
Rev. Robert Frange, Pastor  
Price and Shepardville roads  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school. Classes for all ages.  
11:30 a.m.—Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m.—Evening Service  
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, prayer meeting.  
Ladies Missionary circle meets 4th Thursday at Club meets 4th Saturday in month.

**Westphalia**  
**ST. MARY'S CHURCH**  
Rev. Fr. Aloysius H. Miller, Pastor  
Fr. Martin Miller, Assistant Pastor  
Sunday Masses—8 and 10 a.m.  
Weekdays—During school year 7:00, 7:45 and 11:15 a.m.  
Saturdays—6:45 a.m. and 7:30 a.m.  
Holy Days—5:30, 7:30, 9 a.m. and 8 p.m.  
Evening Mass—Friday, 8:00 p.m.

**PEWAMO AREA**  
**UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Pewamo, Michigan  
Dr. Lloyd Walker  
1036 Horizon Drive, Ionia  
Sunday: 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship  
7:00 p.m. United Methodist Youth Fellowship.  
WSCS meets third Thursday of the month at 2 p.m.  
**ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Pewamo, Michigan  
Rt. Rev. Msgr. Thomas J. Bolger, M.A., Pastor  
Sunday Masses—8 a.m., 8 a.m. and 10 a.m.  
Daily Mass—7:30 a.m.  
Holy Baptism—Sunday, 1 p.m.  
Sacred Confession—Saturday, 3:30 and 7:30 p.m.  
Family Holy Hour for Peace—Saturday, 7:15 p.m.

**SHEPARDVILLE**  
**UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Dr. Darold Boyd, Pastor  
445 Division Street  
East Lansing, 48821  
9:30 a.m. Worship Service, 10:45 a.m. Church School.  
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. Choir practice, 8:00 p.m. Prayer service.  
Administrative Board first Monday, in the month.  
General meeting of WSCS third Thursday in January, April, and September.  
Afternoon Circle meets second Thursday at the homes of members.  
Berean Circle meets third Thursday evening in each month at the homes of members.

**OWID FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Main at Oak Street  
Rev. Earl C. Copelin, Pastor  
Linda Green, Church School Supt.  
Mrs. Ida Beardslee, Organist  
9:45 am Church School, 11:00 am Morning Worship, 7 pm Evening Fellowship.  
Wednesday 10:30 am Bible Study  
7 pm Prayer and Bible Study, 8 pm Senior Choir.  
**OWID FREE METHODIST CHURCH**  
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1100 N. Main St., Ovid  
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Church Phone 834-5950  
Parsonage Phone 834-2473  
10:00 a.m. Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship  
6:00 p.m. Youth Fellowship  
6:00 p.m. Youth F.M.Y.  
7:30 p.m. Evening Worship  
9:00 a.m. Ladies Bible Study every Tuesday  
7:30 p.m. Wednesday evening Prayer Service  
6:00 p.m. Teen's Soft Ball every Friday  
**HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Ovid, Michigan  
Fr. Joseph Aoun  
10:30 a.m.—Mass on Sunday  
7 p.m.—Evening Mass on Wednesday.  
Confessions 10 to 10:30 on Sunday morning.

**Lansing**  
**KIMBERLY CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
1007 Kimberly Drive  
Lansing, Michigan  
11 a.m.—Morning Worship  
10 a.m.—Bible Study  
8 p.m.—Evening Worship  
Midweek service 7:30 p.m. Wednesday night.