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## Road commission, employees settle on new contract

The Clinton County Road Commission and negotiators for local 794 of council 55, American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL-CIO met last Thursday and approved a new contract for the coming year.

Negotiating meetings had been held beginning in November, but no progress was noticeable. The last Road Commission offer, prior to last Wednesday, was made on Dec. 13 with the road commission employees turning down the offer with a vote Dec. 19.

SINCE THE VOTE, by Road Commission employees Dec. 19, negotiations have been at a standstill until last Wednesday when the commission and negotiating teams resumed contract talks.

Wednesday evening, the Road Commission met with the union negotiator and union representatives at which time a new offer was presented by the Road Commission to take to the employees for a vote.

LOCAL 794 OF the Clinton County Road Commission met Thursday afternoon for the purpose of voting on the offer from the Road Commission. On the initial ballot, the proposal was unanimously rejected and was reported immediately, by the negotiating committee, to the Road Commission which was in session.

The reason given for rejection was two-fold; economic differences and misunderstanding of the reason for the arrival of State Highway Department crews to take over maintenance of state highways within the county.

THE ROAD COMMISSION explained, to the negotiating committee, that for reasons of public safety, it was imperative that continued maintenance of these highways be insured and that the Clinton County Road Commission had no real choice in the matter.

The Commission then caucused on the economic differences and another offer was presented which was taken to the membership by the negotiating committee. This proposal was voted on and was accepted by the membership.

UNDER THE NEW agreement approved by the Road Commission employees, hourly rated commission employees will work an eight and one-half hour day instead of the nine hour day in the past. Forty two and one-half hours will now constitute a normal work week for commission employees.

A pay increase of 11 percent, plus one cent per hour over last years rates, was also negotiated. This breaks down to an hourly increase ranging from 27 cents for the lowest paid bracket to 32 cents on the highest regular rate.

Certain seasonal employees will receive 34 cents an hour increase.

CONCERNING THE Blue Cross hospitalization, the Road Commission employees, received a change in coverage. This included a change from ward service to semi-private services. Also included was an additional accumulation of 13 days of sick leave.

The annual picnic day was eliminated by mutual consent and the Friday preceding Labor Day was substituted as a paid holiday. In addition, a skilled laborer category was added to the job classifications.

ANOTHER CHANGE in the sick leave category was that the death of a grandparent would be allowed as a death in the immediate family and a one day absence caused by such a death would be chargeable to an employees' sick leave.

The local and its representatives have agreed to continue its cooperation with the Road Commission management in finding ways and means of increasing the efficiency of the road commission operation even to the point of reducing the work force if it should be deemed necessary.

## Area notaries are announced

These are the notaries public as issued by the Secretary of State for the quarter ending Dec. 31, 1967 for the Clinton area. In St. Johns they are Harry Bradley of 800 N. Clinton, Dorris M. Hicks of 504 S. Mead, Joan C. Kemper of 506 E. Walker, William J. Morriss of 208 W. State Street, Judith Lenora Reese of 202 Floral Avenue, Betty F. Sillm of R-4, J.M. Steffens of 1210 S. US-27, Marguerite Swagart of 503 W. Park Avenue and Victor Gerald Wilcox of 405 S. Traver.

For DeWitt Nancy C. Hunter of 2151 W. Cutler Road, Mabel M. Joy of R-2, Loomis Road, Martin Kendreagan of 13100 Shady Brook Lane, Audrey M. Pierce of R-3, DeWitt, and Maxine P. Swift of 11516 W. River Drive, DeWitt.

Others in the Clinton area include Carol G. Berry of 720 E. Coleman Road Lot 248 Lansing, Earl W. Canfield of 223 Fitch Street Ovid, Gary L. Clark of 9474 Cutler Road R-4, Eagle, Blanche Many of Route #1 Bath, Gaylord T. Morrill of 15377 Lake Drive Bath, and Ruth A. Phelps of R-1 Howe Road, Eagle.

Plan to attend the antique show, "Geraniums in January," at Smith Hall, January 20 from 11:00 a.m. to 9:00, p.m. Tickets - \$1.00 38-1 adv.



FIRST BABY OF 1968 AT CLINTON MEMORIAL

Clinton Memorial Hospital didn't have a New Year's baby until Jan. 5 at 10:33 a.m. Seven pound 12 ounce Paul Anthony is the son of Mr and Mrs Richard Wood of 303 W. Lincoln Street, St. Johns. He has two sisters Rebecca 5 and Patricia 2 and one brother, David 3. His father is employed by Cains Inc., Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Mylon Wood of Lansing and Narciso Quiros of Puerto Rico. Mrs Wood is the former Alma Quiros.

## Action emphasizes county desire to stay out of ambulance business

Action by the board of supervisors last week seemed to emphasize the board's determination not to get the county into the ambulance business.

They voted to reimburse the Vincent-Rummell Funeral Home at DeWitt \$175 for six auto accident ambulance calls during 1966 which the funeral home has been unable to collect on.

The board also approved future payment of such "uncollectable" bills received from funeral homes, with the county then to take its own legal steps to collect the money.

"We're lucky to have these people who are willing to handle the ambulance needs," Supervisor George Austin of Ovid Township remarked. And commented Supervisor Reginald Nelson of DeWitt Township: "I certainly don't want to see the county go into ambulance service in competition with private business."

BACK IN MID-1966 the board was notified that several funeral homes in the county were considering giving up ambulance service because of the difficulty in getting help to provide 24-hour service, increasing government regulations, and the interference of ambulance runs with regular funeral home service.

The problem is not unique in Clinton County. Many mid-Michigan counties face similar problems, and several counties are setting up their own ambulance service operations. Clinton County has been trying to avoid such an operation because of the expense it would be and because several funeral homes in the county have expressed definite interest in continuing ambulance service.

Ambulances are presently operating in Elsie, Ovid, DeWitt and St. Johns, and Bath utilizes an ambulance service out of Lansing.

The county board's action last Wednesday at their January meeting was apparently a sign that their thinking is still along these lines and that they are trying to do their share in keeping private business ambulance service operating.

THE BILL FOR \$175 from the Vincent-Rummell Funeral Home was accompanied by a letter from funeral director Lee Rummell in which he pointed out that several attempts had been made to collect the ambulance charges from the people the ambulances had taken to the hospital. Most charges were paid, he said, but the six being billed to the county could not be collected. They were all on 1966 accident cases, Rummell emphasized.

There was no objection from any of the supervisors about paying the billing, since, they said, they were all the result of telephone calls from the sheriff's department or the state police.

## Lions to hold show auditions

Auditions for the annual St. Johns Lions Club show will be held at 2:30 p.m. at the Central school in St. Johns on Sunday, Jan. 21 and 28 according to show co-chairmen Robert Ebert and Terry Larner. The annual Lions Club show will be presented at the St. Johns High School auditorium on Friday and Saturday, Jan. 23 - 24. The variety show will feature a professional act, plus the acts selected from the auditions.

Except for the release of the "news release" on increased city operational costs by the commission, their meeting last Tuesday night was rather on the dull side, compared to previous meetings.

AND COMMISSIONERS—with tongue in cheek—commented that they were starting the new year out right. Their meeting lasted only 53 1/2 minutes.

Their biggest bit of miscellaneous news was the acceptance of a bid from Standard Oil Co. for supplying the city's needs for ethyl gas, No. 1 and No. 2 fuel oil and No. 2 diesel fuel.

STANDARD OIL received the contract for all the fuel needs on the basis of their low bid on ethyl gas, which was 14.9 cents per gallon. St. Johns Oil Co. put in a bid for 15.9 cents per gallon and Sinclair Oil Co. for 15.25 cents per gallon.

No. 1 fuel oil will be bought for 13.5 cents per gallon, No. 2 fuel oil for 12.50 cents per gallon and No. 2 diesel fuel for 12.50 cents per gallon.

THE CITY AWARDS its contracts on a package basis, with

## County begins '68 with 2 traffic deaths

Two traffic fatalities in the first week of the new year moved the Clinton County total to double that in 1967.

Harry Herbruck, 69, founder and owner of Herbruck's Cheese Counter, St. Johns, was killed in an auto crash early Wednesday morning, Jan. 3. Clinton County sheriff's officers reported Herbruck was killed when his car struck a tree near the corner of M-21 and Shepardville Road.

OFFICERS SAID that Herbruck was driving a car which was pulling a trailer and that the vehicle went out of control as Herbruck attempted to pass a vehicle driven by Gus Patrick Jr., 36, of 2516 Wellington Road, Lansing. Officers stated the Herbruck trailer whipped on the pavement and struck the Patrick vehicle before the Herbruck car went out of control and off the road.

Herbruck was dead on arrival at Clinton Memorial Hospital, St. Johns. Patrick was not injured.

FRIDAY EVENING, Jan. 5, Mrs Alice Betz, 2363 N. Cedar, Holt, Mich. was killed as she walked along US-27 south of

CLINTON COUNTY  
traffic deaths  
Since January 1, 1968  
**2**  
THIS TIME LAST  
YEAR: 1



HARRY HERBRUCK

Round Lake Road in Clinton County. Coroner VanHoag of St. Johns reported that Mrs Betz suffered multiple injuries and was dead at the scene.

State Police reported that Mrs Betz was struck by a car driven by Richard L. Kirkpatrick, 25, St. Johns. He was not held.

HERBRUCK HAD been a resident and businessman in St. Johns for the past 15 years. He opened the Herbruck Cheese Counter in 1949. Prior to coming to St. Johns Herbruck was a resident of Flint. In 1922, he founded the Wholesale Butter and Egg business in Flint under the name of Harry Herbruck and Son. (For a complete obituary for Herbruck see page 7-A)

## School bus hit

A St. Johns school bus, driven by Rose Francis Wilson, was involved in a minor accident Tuesday. Slight damage was caused to the side of the bus while it was stopped on the shoulder of the road, one-half mile west of Krepps Road on east M-21, by a auto driven by Mrs Olivea Regina Carroll of 207 S. Clinton Avenue, St. Johns. No injuries were reported.

## County village slates ready

March election slates for six Clinton County villages were completed with the deadline for filing petitions past. Elsie, Westphalia, Ovid, Maple Rapids and Eagle will offer competition to some degree.

"MAPLE RAPIDS - President, George Abbott Sr and Wendell Blomaster; clerk, Mrs Helen Howe and Mrs Lillian Chick; treasurer, Mrs Marjorie Rumsey; assessor, Clayton Wright. Councilmen seeking election will be: Incumbents, Larry Floate, Ronald Dean and Nelson Rumsey. Other candidates are: George Abbott Jr, Robert Schmidt, James Stewart, Dean Moon and Dean Ball.

OPPOSITION FOR village posts will be held in Ovid for the office of treasurer. Mrs Audrey Bancroft, incumbent, will be opposed by Mrs Norma Rivest. For the Ovid council, three terms expire with incumbents, Marshall Monroe and Larry Martin seeking reelection. Joseph Michutka will not seek reelection. Others seeking election to the council are: Clifford Casler Jr, Waldo Richards, Larry Burns and John Bashore.

At Eagle, incumbent president John Cooper will be opposed for the office by Robert Feldpausch. For the two trustee seats, both incumbents, Mrs Elaine VanDriessen and Duane Murphy will seek reelection. Newcomers seeking these seats will be William Molinee, Richard Leonard and Richard Feldpausch.

IN MAPLE RAPIDS, the office of president and clerk will have two candidates to choose from. Elston Hicks, council president for the past five years is not seeking reelection, but two present council members will vie for the post. George Abbott Sr and Wendell Blomaster have filed petitions for the president. Mrs Helen Howe, incumbent clerk will be opposed by Mrs Lillian Chick. Blomaster's term on the council is expiring, while Abbott still has another year to go on his term.

Westphalia will be having a new clerk. Mrs Harold Rademacher will not seek reelection and Eugene Droste has filed for this position.

VILLAGE ELECTION lineups are as follows: \*ELSIE - Incumbents running for reelection are: president, Durwood Conklin; clerk, Mrs Alice Blunt; treasurer, Mrs Ortha Clement; assessor, Stanley

Loznak. All are one year terms. Trustees seeking election are: incumbents, Joe Bartek and Pat Foran with Donald Little seeking the seat of Woodrow Bashore who is not running.

\*EAGLE - President, John Cooper and Robert Feldpausch; clerk, Mrs Katherine Brokob; treasurer, Mrs Kathryn Molinee; assessor, Mrs Sue Phelps. For trustees: Incumbents, Mrs Elaine VanDriessen and Duane Murphy. Others running are: William Molinee, Richard Leonard and Richard Feldpausch.

\*FOWLER - President, Martin Edinger; clerk, Mark Fox; treasurer, John Rademacher; assessor, Earl Frechen. Trustees are: Dr W.W. Jordan, John Klein and Robert Pett, all incumbents. Others seeking these seats are Carl J. Wohlert and Richard French.

\*OVID - Harvey Darling; Clerk, Mrs Clara Tubbs; treasurer, Mrs Audrey Bancroft, incumbent and Mrs Norma Rivest; assessor, Duane Chamberlain. Councilmen; Marshall Monroe and Larry Martin, incumbents, and Clifford Casler Jr, Waldo Richards, Larry Burns and John Bashore.

\*WESTPHALIA - President, Elvan Poh; Clerk, Eugene Droste; treasurer, Harold Wieber. Trustees, Dennis Fandel, Robert Hengesbach and William Hanses Jr.

The Annual Meeting of the policyholders of the Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Clinton County will be held at the home office building at 201 East State Street, City of St. Johns, Michigan on Tuesday, January 16, 1968 at 2:00 o'clock P.M. 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 38-1

## Sold car on first call . . .

Mr Raymond Thayer on DeWitt Road sold the car listed in this Clinton County News Want Ad on the first call after the ad ran. It sold too quickly, he stated, as they were offered more on later calls.

1964 CHEVROLET, 4-door automatic, small V-8 motor, new tires, plus snow tires, all new muffler system, must sell because left for service. 3 miles north of DeWitt, 1st house north of Locher Road, Phone 669-9861. 36-1pd

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City manager reviews past year

'Changes' again key word in city's progress

By KEN GREER
St. Johns City Manager

The administrative services of the City of St. Johns for a number of years have prepared a review of the governmental operations of the city. In any review like this the changes that have taken place in the past year are generally pointed out and the word "change" then becomes the key word; therefore, the challenge.

Challenge is local government in our world of today. During and throughout change our citizens become more aware of the problems of the community and have a tendency to voice their concern with the legislation and administrative services of the city in the form of complaints.

Complaints, when expressed because of interest in the general community, are always a welcome means of communication between the citizens and those who work for the city.

Complaints, when they are expressed because a particular citizen did not receive a particular service that he was entitled to, due to the fact that all other citizens were entitled to this same service, are also a welcome tool by which to measure the effectiveness of the departments of the city government.

Complaints, voiced strictly on the behalf of a particular individual or a pressure group for special considerations, cause more problems but must be effectively discounted by the legislative and administrative personnel of the city.

To review the calendar year of 1967 we administratively have taken the liberty to show some of the major areas of complaints as have been received by the administrative personnel of the city, and a brief explanation of how we have attempted to solve these problems.

Construction Complaints

This past year we have not had many complaints of this type, in that no great amount of public work was being done on the streets of St. Johns. Our paving program, carried on this fall, produced very little citi-

zen agitation. About the only complaints in construction areas involved only private projects that caused damage to the public streets.

Most construction complaints occur because of public improvements, semi-public improvements such as schools and hospitals and each area of construction generally causes a certain amount of inconvenience to the area in which the construction generally causes a certain amount of inconvenience to the area in which the construction is taking place. It appears that this is one of the necessary evils, that progress and change dictates and at some time or other all of our citizens will be involved to some degree.

Special Assessments

This is an area where our complaints will show a pattern that is closely related to street construction, new water mains and sanitary sewers. For the past few years we have seen an increase in the proportionate share of the project cost that the benefiting property owners have been required to pay toward the special assessments and, therefore, have had an increasing number of complaints.

The costs that have been spread by the city commission have brought special assessments closer to a position wherein the property that is benefited by the installation of said improvement now pays a major share of the project. Special assessments as such will always bring in complaints as there are many people who wish the improvement that is being assessed to their property, but being very normal they will always wish that someone else pay for it.

Water Bills

Complaints in this area are considerably less than they have been for a number of years. This is primarily due to the controls that have been instituted regarding meter readings and water billing. There are approximately 2,400 water meter accounts, and these are billed four times each year. This past year there were approximately 12 complaints each quarter which

required some sort of financial adjustment.

Considering the total number of billings that are sent out we feel that the necessity of making only 12 adjustments appears to be very reasonable. All complaints registered regarding water billing are handled as graciously as possible and a complete report is prepared on each complaint as it is answered.

Rusty Water

This area of complaint has practically disappeared which, of course, is due to the fact that our new water plant is in operation and is gradually eliminating the problem. During the years of 1964, 1965 and 1966, rusty water complaints ran as high as 20 and 25 each day. Along with the improvements brought about by our new water plant is the fact that we also no longer have had any occasion wherein we had any appreciable lack of water, pressure, or failures to any of our wells or pumps. This particular problem was posing some very serious safety hazards at our local industrial plants, and these have practically disappeared.

Administrative Changes

The year 1967 saw the completion of many administrative changes that were initiated many years ago. Most of these changes in procedure were long overdue. Employee moral and our total governmental images has improved considerably; we no longer have any undue delay in processing our payroll and our accounts payable. We have filled all key positions with personnel who are capable and able to carry on the business of a government in an efficient, modern manner. We utilize more up-to-date modern techniques than most cities four to five times our size.

Zoning Administration

The areas of complaints relative to zoning laws are not unique for our city, but zoning administration generally produces more complaints than any other portion of government. Zoning laws do not spell out what individuals, corporations or bus-

iness may do but what they can't do. Complaints are generally received when one of these laws happen to interfere with what a private citizen might wish to do; therefore, legislative and administrative services of the government immediately become the opponent. Our new zoning ordinance was approved and passed for the benefit of the entire community and its administration must be approached in a business-like manner devoid of any personalities or favoritism.

Overall Rubbish and Garbage Service

This area of complaint has considerably improved, with the largest number of complaints coming from people and persons who do not use approved containers. Our ordinance stipulates that rubbish and garbage must be placed in durable containers being not less than 10 gallons in size and not more than 50 pounds when fully loaded. Complaints relative to this particular problem are considerably less than they have been in the past, and administratively we feel the service is much better.

Street Trees

Complaints regarding so called hazardous trees, located between the sidewalk and the curb, pose a particular problem as there is a safety hazard involved and one which is not easily solved. Overall we have received less complaints since our tree removal program last spring. Administratively we highly recommend that another tree removal program be undertaken early this year. This will help eliminate many of the calls relative to this problem.

Additional Park Services

Most complaints relative to our park and recreational program fall in the category of misunderstanding. None of our policies, relative to these services, have ever been seriously questioned, and overall there has been very few complaints of a serious nature. The recreational needs of a growing community must always be watched ever on the alert to

expand (within reasonable limits) as our population increases and as our leisure time grows.

Sidewalks

Our major complaints relative to sidewalks fall in the category of their condition or the complete lack of sidewalks in many areas. A reasonable sidewalk program should be initiated by the city wherein walks are mandatory in those areas that have curb and gutter and proper sidewalk grades.

There are many individual areas within the city which need attention and are more serious than other areas, but from a standpoint of equity it is hardly practical to make mandatory repairs of a sidewalk on one side of the street wherein on the opposite side of the street the property owners have not even been required to install a sidewalk. We believe this to be our most serious sidewalk question. There is little justification for this type of situation on most streets.

IN PREPARING a report of this type, the administrative services of the city hopes the information enables our citizens as well as the city commission to look at the overall problems

Highway litter expensive item for taxpayers

The State Highway Commission spent \$1,987 a day in 1967 to pick up tons of roadside garbage, much of it discarded by thoughtless litterbugs.

"The nearly \$718,000 spent to clean up along 9,200 miles of state highway is about three times the amount spent six years ago," said Henrik E. Stafseth, acting state highway director.

"When we consider the additional cost to local highway departments on county, township and city roads, the total cost of picking up highway debris in Michigan could easily run 10 times the amount we spend.

"THIS IS A tremendous incentive to all of us to do more to help keep our state clean, not only for our own enjoyment, but for the millions of tourist who spend more than a billion dollars in Michigan annually."

The Highway Commission's biggest clean-up job is in the spring when melting snow uncovers tons of bottles, cans and other roadside debris.

The State Highway Commission estimates that the costs of collecting six widely scattered bottles and the paper container they came in is three times the value of a full six-pack.

Stafseth urged motorists to aid state and local organizations in making people aware of the need to keep Michigan beautiful by "stowing" trash, not throwing it.

Michigan travel events

Here are some of the upcoming events for Michigan as issued by the Michigan Tourist Council for this week.

Sports Cars in Review, Henry Ford Museum at Dearborn continuing Friday through February 4; Snow-Sled Safari at Atlanta Saturday; Third Annual Moose Jaw Snowmobile Safari at Harbor Springs Saturday; Traverse City Holiday Invitational Cross-Country Ski Tournament at Traverse City Saturday; Wyandotte Ice Skating Gold Cup at Wyandotte Saturday; Junior Alpine Region III Races, Boyne Highlands at Harbor Springs Saturday through Sunday; Michigan Gun Collectors Exhibit, Light Guard Armory in Detroit Saturday through Sunday; Michigan Snowmobile Championship Derby at Ishpeming Saturday through Sunday; and the Chemical City Ice Skating Championships at Midland Sunday.

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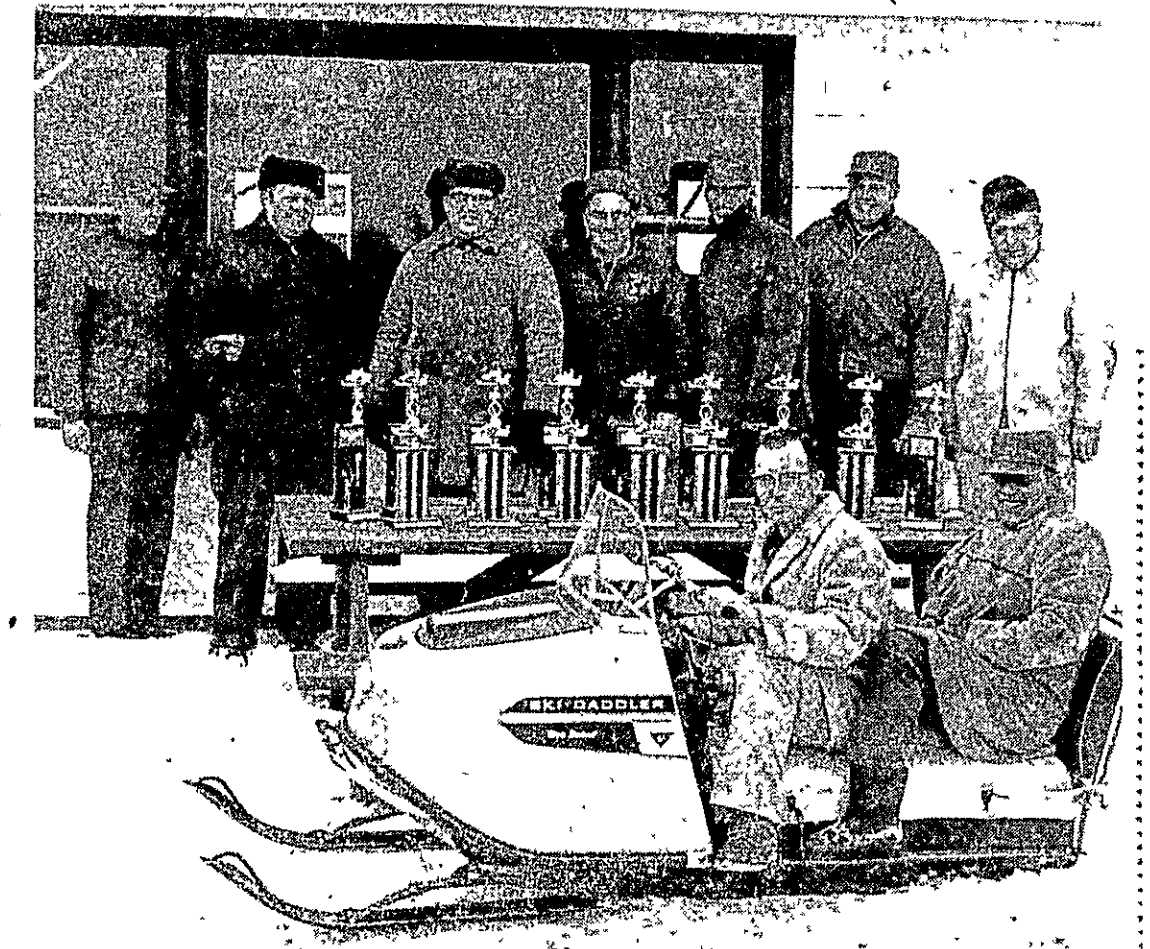
of progress, construction, and city government. Many times a particular problem will arise and complaints will be received by administrative officers of the city in which there may be no governmental solution. Many times there is an answer for a particular problem or complaint but it is not entirely satisfactory to those making the complaint.

The legislators and the administrative personnel of municipal government are constantly under surveillance by local citizens. They are readily available to the citizens of the community; therefore, they receive the brunt of

many, many areas of dissatisfaction which are caused by federal, state and county governments and not by the local city government.

Looking ahead and into the future with our crystal ball, we predict that most of these same problems will be with us next year, the year following and many years thereafter. Each year sees some progress towards the goals of the community and elimination of certain areas of dissatisfaction; yet as fast as these are obtained, there will be other equally important and objective problems requiring study, progress and change.

With the continued support of our citizens within the community, local government can be our most productive and satisfying attainment. We must learn to cope with change if we hope to improve the productivity, efficiency and service of government. Our ability to meet the challenge of change will depend on our human resources and our ability to overcome the normal resistance of the average individual to change. Keeping our citizens informed is our most important means of motivating and instituting programs and projects requiring change. We must meet this challenge!



SNOWMOBILE RALLY PLANS IN FINAL STAGES

Members of the Sleepy Hollow Conservation Club are ready for the 2nd annual snowmobile rally to be held on the club grounds Sunday, Jan. 21. Members posing with the trophies to be awarded at the rally are: Standing (L-R), R.G. Hyde, Dan Beck, Ben Beck, Bob Kissane, Leon Thelen, Francis Motz and Cecil LaBar. Sleepy Hollow Club president John Schlarf is in the drivers seat on the snowmobile while Gary Biddinger relaxes behind him.

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Statement of Condition

As of December 31, 1967

RESOURCES

Table with 2 columns: Resource Name and Amount. Includes Cash and Due from Banks, U.S. Government Securities, Municipal Bonds, etc.

LIABILITIES

Table with 2 columns: Liability Name and Amount. Includes Capital Stock, Surplus, Undivided Profits, etc.

TOTAL RESOURCES ..\$9,999,533.90

A total of \$66,261.64 is on reserve for possible loss on loans.



CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK

Downtown St. Johns Southgate Plaza Ovid MEMBER F.D.I.C. Pewamo

Ovid MMPA hold yearly meeting

Ovid Local of the Michigan Milk Producers Association held their annual meeting Monday, Jan. 8, at Smith Hall in the St. Johns City Park. Pilgrim Evangelical United Brethren WSWs served dinner to the 220 members and guests. Dinner music was provided by Herbert DePeal at the organ. The invocation was given by Father Labiak of the St. Joseph Catholic Church.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Leonard Koenigsnecht. Vice-chairman Jim Becker read the call letter. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and approved. VELMAR GREEN and Frank Rivest, market committeemen, gave a report on the price of milk.

Glenn Lake, president of Michigan Milk Producers Association, was guest speaker. He talked on the necessities of maintaining stand-by plants. He also explained the value of advertising.

George Austin, director, introduced Don Carleton, a representative of the American Dairy Association. Carleton talked about mandatory advertising dues. A vote of the members was taken to see what the feeling was toward this.

The election of delegates was held with the following being elected: Leonard Koenigsnecht, James Becker, William Parker, Neil Harte, Lee Ormston, Ronald Spitzley, Francis Dershem, Oscar Simon, Francis Motz, Marvin Thelen, Kenneth Thelen, Charles Bracey, William Mayers and Russell Ormsby. Alternates are Raymond Mayers and Albert Scheaffer.

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- GIRLS' COATS
SNOW SUITS
BOYS' and GIRLS' JACKETS
LADIES' COATS

# Supervisors vote to accept federal funds

The Clinton County Board of Supervisors will now officially accept federal participating funds for paying for the civil defense emergency operating center in the east wing of the courthouse.

The board passed a resolution to that effect last Wednesday, but it was not a unanimous vote. It resolves that the county will accept federal government participating funds which have already been set aside for it.

Supervisors Walter Nobis of Lebanon Township and Claude Underhill of Victor Township cast nay votes, but the resolution passed by a 15-2 count. Supervisors Harold Reed and Charles Coletta of St. Johns, Derrill Shlabery of Greenbush and Ray Price and Elden Smith of the City of DeWitt were absent from the meeting.

THE RESOLUTION last week followed by a month the board defeat of a resolution refusing to accept the money.

The board heard a report from its combined old-and-new equalization committee in which that group recommended the board ask for the resignation of Equalization Director Jerome B. Vincent and provide 90 days severance pay. After some discussion, the matter was referred back to the joint committee, headed by Supervisor Gerald Shepard of Bath, with authority to take action as they see fit "to correct the situation as now exists in the equalization department."

BOARD MEMBERS WERE generally agreed Vincent was doing adequately the job, of a "number two man" in the department but not the job they expect of him as department head. Vincent has been equalization director since Jan. 1, 1967, and is functioning as a one-man department. Part of the equalization committee's recommendation was that a two-

man equalization department be approved because of the amount of work involved.

Vincent appeared before the board early in last Wednesday's morning-afternoon to briefly report on his first year as director and to go over with supervisors items they should be reporting to him. He scheduled a meeting with supervisors next week to go over the requirements in more detail.

THE SUPERVISORS received a letter of resignation from Bernard Zeeb of Bath as a member of the Clinton County Road Commission. Zeeb cited ill health as the big factor in his decision. Several possible replacements for Zeeb were suggested, but at Board Chairman Ernest Carter's urging, action on naming a replacement for Zeeb was deferred until the next meeting of the board, Feb. 5.

Zeeb's term on the road commission runs through 1970.

EUGENE HAVENS WAS REAP-

pointed to a term on the Clinton County Zoning Appeal Board, it expired Dec. 31; his new term will run for three years.

In other miscellaneous business last Wednesday: \*THE BOARD adopted a resolution backing the formation of a tri-county law enforcement committee that would seek to improve inter-county cooperation on matters of law enforcement. William Roman, director of the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission, told the board there is presently no planning for law enforcement. He said there are modest funds available from the federal government for long-range efforts in such projects and training and recruitment of law officers and perhaps even for such projects as special training for first-time offenders.

\*The board authorized the zoning committee and department to annually review and adjust as necessary tables and charts used to arrive at building costs, upon which building permit fees are based. Walter Nobis, chairman of the zoning committee, said the committee is considering elements for the new zoning ordinance that would abolish temporary housing in the future, put a one-year limit on building permits. No definite recommendations have yet been worked out, he said.

\*THE BOARD approved rules set up by the county road commission and the drain commissioner pertaining to the new state Subdivision Act. The rules would be effective Jan. 3. The board authorized the publishing of the rules in loose-leaf booklet form.

\*The board accepted a recommendation from its agriculture committee that the county dog wardens be paid 30 cents per dog, in lieu of fees, for taking dog census in Bath, DeWitt, Bingham, Watertown, Ovid and Greenbush townships and the City of DeWitt.

\*SUPERVISORS took no action on a pair of resolutions from Lenawee County opposing open housing laws at the state level and opposing any change in the present lower court set-up in Michigan. Coupled with the second resolution was a recommendation to amend the state constitution which now makes the court change mandatory.

\*Supervisor Gerald Shepard of Bath reported on a recent meeting with mental health committees of the Ingham and Eaton county board concerning possible joint efforts for a mental health board to serve all three counties. He said the group toured present mental health facilities at St. Lawrence and Ingham Medical hospitals and that the next meeting will delve into such items as pros and cons, costs, and possible programs of a mental health tri-county board.

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TROOPER ESCH

## State police graduate

Trooper Philip A. Esch is one of the 42 Michigan State Police officer candidates graduated as probationary troopers in ceremonies for the 68 recruit class held Friday afternoon in the National Guard auditorium in Lansing.

Principal speaker was Warren P. Cleary of Battle Creek, regional director for the federal office of civil defense, who addressed the new officers, their attending relatives and friends.

Lt. Col. Melvin G. Kaufman, State Police deputy director for field services, administered the oath of office to the members of the class and presented their badges. He also spoke to the group.

POST ASSIGNMENTS for the new officers were announced by Major Paul A. Bagoury, commander of the uniform division. The troopers report to their stations Monday, Jan. 15.

Trooper Esch, his wife Diane and their two children have been residing at 3319 Jewel Street, Lansing. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilford V. Esch of R-1, St. Johns.

He will be stationed at the Manistee post.

The graduation brought the department's enlisted strength to 1,536, highest it has ever been and 228 under the newly authorized complement of 1,764.

The 69th recruit school will begin Monday, Jan. 8, at East Lansing headquarters with 80 candidates notified to report.



ANDRE LEWIS

## Andre Lewis named DAR good citizen

Andre Lewis has been selected for the 1967-68 Good Citizen's award from outstanding senior girls by the River Wabways Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution. This award is made on the basis of dependability, service, leadership and patriotism.

Miss Lewis, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William (Mac)Lewis of 520 E. Cass Street, has been an outstanding scholar and is a member of the National Honor Society. She has also shown leadership qualities, serving on many committees and class offices. She was chosen to attend Girl's State during her junior year.

She is also an accomplished musician and has been a member of the Lansing Junior Symphony Orchestra since her sophomore year. She has won an orchestra scholarship.

Through this award Miss Lewis will be eligible to compete with girls selected from other schools for State and National Awards.

## CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF BATH TOWNSHIP BOARD REPORT

January 2, 1968

Regular meeting of the township board was held at the township hall with all board members present except trustee Bragdon. Meeting called to order at 8 p.m.

Minutes of the last regular and the special meeting Dec. 27, 1967 were read and approved.

Planning commission minutes were read and placed on file. Township board approved the appointment of the following as officers of the fire department: ass't chief, Wayne Loomis; lieutenant, Robert Meyers; captain, James Bell; secretary, Robert Reblin.

Sanitary Sewer system costs were reviewed with Ken Fishbeck engineer after several alternate financing plans were presented to the board. The board picked two plans that looked the best and ask the engineer to work up lot cost figures for the two plans and return them to the board for approval.

Board approved the transfer of \$12,899.24 balance shown in the several account to the general fund for reallocation to the 1968 budget.

It was suggested that the board prepare propositions to be presented to the voters for their approval at the August primary. Such as; Monies for road construction, Monies for new fire truck, extra monies for fire and police department operation.

Next regular meeting to be Feb. 5, 1968.

LEE D. REASONER Township clerk

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The WRC held a regular meeting and thimble party Tuesday, Jan. 2, at the home of Millie Abbott and Flossie Woodhams. Officers installed for 1968 are president, Ruth Ely; senior vice-president, Flossie Woodhams; junior vice-president, Nora Beebe; secretary-treasurer, Katie M. Woodruff; chaplain, Minnie Wright; conductor, Elleen F. Little; guard, Hazel Beebe; patriotic instructor, Marie Shipperly; press correspondent, Elleen F. Little; musician, Eileen F. Little; color bearer no. 1, Millie Abbott; no. 2, Addie McHenry; no. 3, Flossie Woodhams and no. 4, Hazel Beebe.

Delegate for the 1968 convention is Katie M. Woodruff and the alternate will be Flossie Woodhams. All business disposed of cards were in play, high honors went to Millie Abbott and low to Minnie Wright. The next regular meeting and thimble party will be at the home of Ruth Ely of 601 Church Street, Jan. 16.

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### Troop 510 boys earn polar bear award on outing

MAPLE RAPIDS—Fourteen Boy Scouts from Maple Rapids Troop 510, accompanied by four adults, spent 24 hours Dec. 27 and 28 on a polar bear outing at the old 4-H campgrounds along the Maple River.

The boys all qualified for their polar bear award, which will be presented at the next court of honor scheduled for Feb. 15. They spent 24 hours in the out-of-doors, making improvised shelters, doing their own cooking, sleeping out, and hiking 10

miles in all to and from their campsite.

Temperatures ranged from 9 to 22 degrees during their out-of-doors stay.

Boys taking the trip were Chris Cook, Randy Craig, Mark Allen, David Stewart, David Croad, Jeff Eastlick, Greg Betz, Rodney Brock, Martin Stewart, Gary Floate, Fred Rexius, Dennis McDonald, Dwight Craig and Albert Floate. The boys were accompanied by adults Doug Cook, Pete Fox, Rev William Tait and Rev Robert Myers.

Members of Troop 510 will participate in the district's Klondike Derby Feb. 3.

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## Personals

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CMA-3 Michael Fleischer talked to his parents, Mr and Mrs Fred Fleischer, and sisters Jean and Mrs Sandra Cleveland by way of short-wave radio-telephone from Viet Nam. Mike is stationed outside Da Nang with the Sea-Bees and works in a rock quarry from which crushed rock is supplied for road beds and airstrips.

Mr and Mrs Herb E. Baker of 209 W. Cass Street entertained 26 persons for Christmas eve. The following people were present: Mr and Mrs Max Haviland, Janice, Denise and Todd of Bancroft, Wis.; Mrs Leonard Haviland of Drummond Island; Mr and Mrs Fred E. Baker, Herby, Julie and Martha and Robert Mitchell of Lansing; Mr and Mrs George McCurry, Jack McCurry and Miss Betty Motz, Miss Cathy McCurry and John Redman, and Vicky McCurry; Mr and Mrs Paul Martis, Paulette, David and Melissa of St. Johns. The Haviland family returned home on Friday.

John and Roberta Albers were guests at a Christmas dinner and party Friday night at the home of Mr and Mrs Charles Pasch of Lansing.

Mrs Mary Albers and family were Christmas Day dinner guests of John and Roberta Albers.

Gary and Mae Quigley of 204 E. Sturgis entertained friends at a New Year's eve party Sunday evening. Bob and Anne Yager were co-hosts.

Mr and Mrs Raymond Wellamater and daughters of Sun Prairie, Wis., spent the weekend with relatives and attended the golden anniversary dinner for their parents, Mr and Mrs Lynn Rhyndar.

Miss Birdaline Smith left last week Wednesday to spend several months in California.

Mr and Mrs Howard Middlewood Jr (she's the former Betsy Olin) and daughters Cherie, Marie and Susan of Falls Church, Va., were holiday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Larry Nemeck and family.

Mr and Mrs Herbert Bleis arrived in Palm Desert, Calif., Saturday afternoon to spend the winter with their daughter and family, Mr and Mrs Russell Carlson and son.

### Open house for CMU graduate



MISS DIANNE WALTZ  
Miss Dianne Waltz, daughter of Mr and Mrs Clarence Waltz, will be honored at a graduation open house Sunday, Jan. 21, from 2 until 5 p.m. at the home of her parents at 3620 W. Centerline Road, St. Johns.

Miss Waltz will be graduated from Central Michigan University of Mount Pleasant Jan. 27 with a bachelor of arts degree. She has accepted a position with the Lansing School System and is to begin teaching Jan. 29.



### Births

Clinton's Citizens of Tomorrow

DAHER—A girl, Julie Ann, was born to Mr and Mrs John Daher of Lansing Dec. 29 at Lansing General Hospital. She weighed 6 pounds 15 ounces. The baby has one brother, Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Harold Bauer of St. Johns and Mr and Mrs Habeeb Daher of Lansing. The mother is the former Diane Bauer.

HAGER—A boy, Andrew Jay, was born to Mr and Mrs Garner Hager of Wacoosta Jan. 1, at Sparrow Hospital. He weighed 6 pounds 10 ounces. The baby has one brother.

KLEIN—A boy, Daniel Joseph, was born to Mr and Mrs Patrick Klein of Pewamo Jan. 3 at Carson City Hospital. He weighed 6 pounds. The baby has one brother and three sisters. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Lewis Herald and Mrs Josetta Klein. The mother is the former Kay Herald.

SCHAFFER—A boy, Steven Joseph, was born to Mr and Mrs Jerome Schaffer of R-1, Fowler, Dec. 21 at Ionia Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds 6 ounces. The mother is the former Connie Bauer.

SCHUELLER—A girl, Melinda Ann, was born to Mr and Mrs Larry Schueller of Lansing Dec. 31 at St. Lawrence Hospital. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Edwin Schueller of Westphalia and Mr and Mrs Don Manning of Portland. The mother is the former Nancy Manning.

PIGGOTT—A boy, Robert Paul, was born to Mr and Mrs Donald Piggott of Pontiac Dec. 30. He weighed 6 pounds 15 ounces. The baby has three sisters. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Robert Pettit and Mr and Mrs Ronald Piggott, all of Fowler. The mother is the former Elizabeth Pettit.

OYLER—A girl, Kris Louise, was born to Mr and Mrs Larry L. Oyler of R-1, Mt. Hope Road, Carson City, Jan. 8, at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds 14 1/2 ounces. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Rufus Walker of Springport and Mr and Mrs Maynard Oyler of Carson City, Mich. The mother is the former Phyllis Louise Walker.

BASHORE—A girl, Tammy Lynn, was born to Mr and Mrs William Bashore of 11885 Barry Road, Bannister, Jan. 7 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 6 pounds 6 1/2 ounces. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs William Evans of Bannister and Mr and Mrs Galen Bashore of Bannister. The mother is the former Alyce Evans.

ORWELLER—A boy, Mark Alan, was born to Mr and Mrs Gary Orweller of DeWitt Jan. 8 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds 1 ounce. The baby has three brothers. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Maynard Martens and Mrs Alice Orweller. The mother is the former Emilie Martens.



MISS CAROL ANN SHARICK

Mr and Mrs Milton Sharick of St. Johns announce the engagement of their daughter, Carol Ann, to Lorne Rideout, son of Mr and Mrs Augustus Rideout of Lancaster, Penn.

The bride-elect is employed as a secretary at Goshen College, Goshen, Ind. Her fiancé is a senior at Goshen and plans to teach after graduation.

A summer wedding is being planned.



MISS KAREN K. CLARK

Mr and Mrs Robert J. Clark of 2032 Worden Street, Lansing, announce the engagement of their daughter, Karen Kay, to Paul Ed Hallead, son of Mr and Mrs Ralph Hallead of R-5, W. Price Road, St. Johns.

The bride-to-be and her fiancé are both graduates of Lansing's Eastern High School. She is employed at St. Lawrence Hospital of Lansing and he is employed by England Cook Chevrolet.

A June wedding is planned.



MISS JUDITH L. STERLING

Mr and Mrs Riggold L. Sterling of Crisfield, Md., announce the engagement of their daughter, Judith Lynn, to Ens. Roger L. Weseman, son of Mr and Mrs Allen J. Weseman of St. Johns.

Miss Sterling is presently a senior at Michigan State University and expects to graduate in June.

Ensign Weseman is a 1967 graduate of Michigan State University and is presently serving a tour of duty with the U.S. Navy.

A wedding date has not been set.

East Hubbardston

Mrs Julia Cunningham visited her brother Richard Kane at Traverse City recently and reports him to be in good spirits.

Miss Christine Burns has spent the past two weeks with her sister and husband, Gunners Mate 1/C Jerry Lee Gallagher and wife at Zion, Illinois.

Mr and Mrs Donald Walker and family of Portland visited Mrs Julia Cunningham Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Mike Curtiss and family moved to the Waldron Apartment north of Carson City.

WOOD—A boy, Paul Anthony, was born to Mr and Mrs Richard Lee Wood of 303 W. Lincoln Street, Jan. 5, at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds 12 ounces. The baby has one brother and two sisters. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Mylon Wood of Lansing. The mother is the former Alma Nivea Quiros.

### Pair wed Dec. 23

SNOVER—Snover Evangelical United Brethren Church was the scene of the 2:30 p.m. double ring ceremony which united in marriage the former Miss Linda Wiswell of Dearborn and Drew Allen Reeves of rural St. Johns.

Mr and Mrs Donald Wiswell of Snover and Mr and Mrs Charles Reeves of 15765 Grove Road, St. Johns, are the parents of the couple.

REV ALLEN Lewis performed the Dec. 23 ceremony.

The bride was graduated from Weaver School of Aviation of Kansas and her husband attended Spring Arbor and Lansing Community colleges and is presently enrolled as an industrial arts major at Wayne State University.

For her wedding, the new Mrs Reeves wore an empire-a-line gown of Alencon lace fashioned with a chapel train. She carried seven long stemmed Forever Yours roses.

MISS BONNIE Wiswell of Snover was the maid of honor and bridesmaids were Mrs Doug Mattevson of Marlette and Miss Donna Waun of Snover.

They wore red velvet empire gowns and carried white poinsettias and holly.

Dawn Adams of Snover was the flower girl and Eugene Taylor of Marlette carried the rings.

MRS WISWELL was attired in a gold velvet dress with moss green accessories. The mother of the bridegroom selected a moss green dress with gold with gold accessories. Their corsages were of white roses.

Steve Kline of Lansing acted as best man and groomsmen were Daryl Stansway of Lansing and Eldon Whitford of Maple Rapids. David Hunt of Sheboygan and Paul Wiswell of Snover were the ushers. The junior ushers were Richard Wiswell of Snover and Randy Taylor of Marlette.

A reception held in the church basement followed the ceremony. Assisting were Mrs Rex Taylor of Marlette and Mrs Olin Whitford and Mrs Gene Whitford of Ashley.

SPECIAL GUESTS present included Mr and Mrs Richard Whitford of Ashley and Mrs Regina Reeves of Lansing, grandparents of the bridegroom.

The newlyweds are presently making their home in Dearborn.

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MR AND MRS NORMAN POWELSON

**Silver anniversary**

Mr and Mrs Norman Powelson of 9271 East Mead Road, Elsie will celebrate their 25th Wedding Anniversary on Jan. 10. They have 2 children, Bruce attending MSU and Donella a Sophomore in high school. Mr Powelson has been associated with the Green Meadow Farms for the past 22 years. Mrs Powelson works for the Ovid-Elsie school system. They will be entertained at a family dinner on January 14 at the North Star Hall.

**County Line News**

By Mrs Doris Fisher

Salem EUB New Year's Eve party was held in the parsonage basement. Games and program were in charge of Mrs Maynard Beck. Refreshments were potluck. At the midnight hour devotions were held around the fireplace by Dennis Phillips.

Salem EUB WSWS will meet with Mrs Gladys Hankey in Eureka Thursday for a 12:30 luncheon. A business meeting and program will follow.

Salem EUB family night will be held Saturday evening, Jan. 20, with a potluck supper at 6:30. Rev Sheen assistant pastor of Bingham Bengal Church will show slides he took in Africa.

Mrs Harmon Earegood of St. Louis spent Thursday with her son and family, the Gil Bakers.

Mr and Mrs James Fisher and family were in Detroit Saturday and attended the wedding of Jerry Joley and Jean Kanary at St. Gerard Church.

Mr and Mrs Gordon Patterson of rural Ashley were Thursday evening callers of their parents, Mr and Mrs Harry Patterson.

Mr and Mrs William Burnham and family of Pompeii spent New Year's Eve with Mr and Mrs Gilbert Baker and family.

Mr and Mrs James Fisher and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Richard Vincent in Owosso. Afternoon callers were Mr and Mrs Mike Barrett and Mr and Mrs Clifford Vincent and Curt.



MR AND MRS BILL C. WIRTH

**Holy Trinity was wedding scene**

FOWLER--The former Miss Betty L. Feldpausch of Fowler and Bill C. Wirth of rural Portland were married Nov. 25 at Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church of Fowler.

The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Sylvester Feldpausch of 720 Hinman Road, Fowler and her husband is the son of Mr and Mrs William J. Wirth of R-2, Portland.

THE NEW MRS Wirth is a graduate of Fowler High School. He was graduated from Pewamo-Westphalia High School. They are both employed by Oldsmobile of Lansing.

For the 10 a.m. double ring ceremony, the bride chose an empire styled floor length gown fashioned with a chapel length train. Her shoulder length veil fell from a cabbage rose headpiece and she carried a cascade arrangement of yellow roses and white chrysanthemums.

She chose Miss Helen Feldpausch of Fowler as her maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Miss Irene Feldpausch and Miss Mary Ann Simon of Fowler and Miss Audrey Fabus of DeWitt. Patty Wirth of Westphalia was the flowergirl.

THE ATTENDANTS were attired in empire gowns of moss green velvet with matching headpieces and shoes. They carried cascade bouquets of yellow, gold and bronze chrysanthemums.

The mother of the bride chose a burgundy dress with pale pink accessories for her daughter's wedding. Mrs Wirth wore a green silk dress with matching accessories.

DAVID WIRTH of Westphalia served as best man and groomsmen were Jerry Wirth and Steve

**City Brevities**

Mrs Mary Miller Buehler of 1101 S. Swegles Street, St. Johns, entertained for Christmas dinner her children, Mr and Mrs Robert Miller and family and Mr and Mrs David Miller and family of Maple Rapids; Mr and Mrs Mike Miller and children, Mr and Mrs William Miller and children and Mr and Mrs Edward Miller and family of Ionia; Mr and Mrs Wesley Edgell and children of Westphalia and Mr and Mrs James Swenny and family and Mr and Mrs Burton Kramer and family of St. Johns.

Mrs Frank Andros of New Lothrop and Mrs Rosalyn Keck of Monroe spent last Friday with her sister, Mrs Mary Buehler and family of St. Johns.

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**Bedaine-Rhoades vows said Dec. 31**

Mrs Katie Shurtz Rhoades, 72, of 2020 Forest, Lansing, was married Saturday, Dec. 30, to a former sweetheart of 1912, Frank Bedaine, 78, of Francis Road, near Wacousta. The wedding was performed by Rev Karl Krauss at 3:30 p.m. in the Emanuel Lutheran Church in Lansing.

Attending the couple were Mr and Mrs Maurice Forward of Wacousta, brother-in-law and sister of the groom.

The wedding dinner was hosted by the bride's son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Dolph Rhoades of Lansing, at the Lansing Cafe following the ceremony. There were 15 guests including the wedding party and Mr Bedaine's son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Maurice Bedaine and son, Allen.

THIS COURTSHIP was renewed last July when both at-

tended the 52nd wedding anniversary party for Mr and Mrs Maurice Forward.

The new Mr and Mrs Bedaine will reside on the farm near here that has been in the Bedaine family for 75 years. Mr Bedaine is a retired farmer.

**TOPS has 2 weekly queens**

The St. Johns TOPS Club had their first meeting of the year Thursday, Jan. 4. The weight recorder reported there was a tie for queen of the week between Mrs Janet Becker and Mrs Georgene Hecht.

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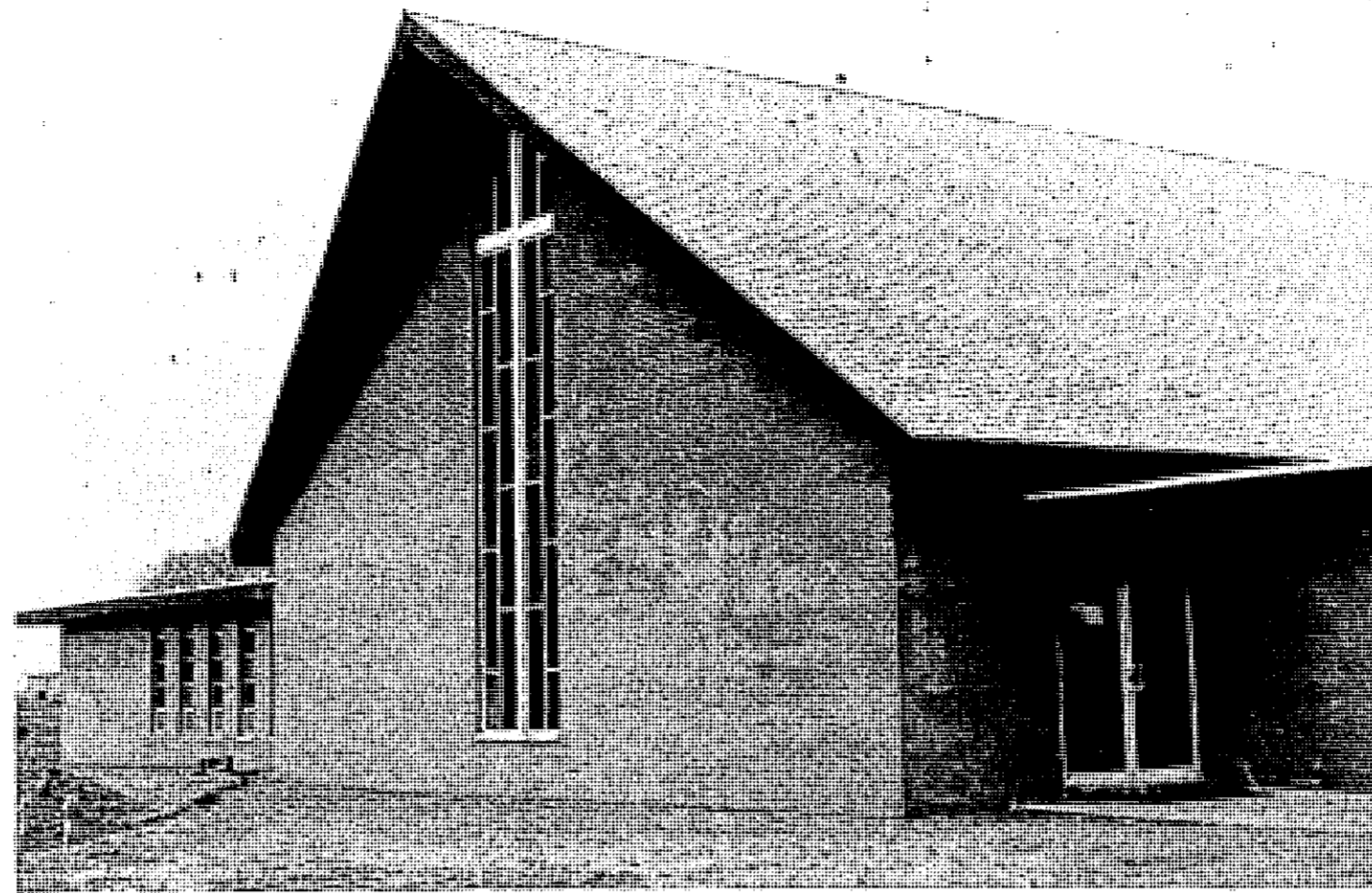
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The new Duplain Church of Christ which will be dedicated this Sunday, Jan. 14 with a special service during the worship hour. Morning, afternoon and evening services are planned with pastor Justin Shepard, former pastor Ralph Woodard and John B. Hasty, President of the Great Lakes Bible College of Lansing officiating.

## Duplain Church of Christ to dedicate new church

**Dedication  
 services  
 Sunday**

DUPLAIN - Members of the Duplain Church of Christ will dedicate their new house of worship this Sunday, Jan. 14 with a special service during the morning worship hour.

Justin Shepard, minister of the church will bring the message at the morning service. At the afternoon service, John B. Hasty, President of the Great Lakes Bible College of Lansing will deliver the dedication message, and the evening service will have former minister, Ralph B. Woodard, bringing the message.

THE NEW CHURCH, located on the north side of Colony Road at Rochester Colony, was first occupied on Sunday, Dec. 17, with about 150 people in attendance.

The Duplain Church of Christ had its beginning in the Rowell School house in 1868 or 1869. In 1870 the small congregation began the construction of the frame building which had been the Duplain Church of Christ until mid-December.

In 1903, 32 years after the old church was occupied, the building was raised and a basement constructed. This served the Duplain church members well until a few years ago when the attendance began to overburden the capacity of the building.

The new church is the culmination of several years of planning and study. When the attendance at the old church began to tax the old building, two possibilities were studied by various committees - adding to the old building or constructing a new church. In appraising the old

church it was found that timbers in the north end of the old building were rotted and that repairs would cost nearly as much as a new building.

IN MAY, 1966 members approved the building of a new church to be located on a three-acre site which the church had purchased in 1964. The new site was across the road from the old building on the north side of Colony Road.

Ground was broken in August of 1966 but construction did not get underway until May of 1967.



JUSTIN SHEPARD

**Pastor of  
 new church**

Pastor at the new Duplain Church of Christ is Justin Shepard who began his new duties on Nov. 5, 1967. The Duplain Church is the first pastorate for Shepard.

Pastor Shepard is 22 years old and is presently a senior at Great Lakes Bible School in Lansing. He graduated from Mason High School in 1964.

Shepard and his wife Nancy reside in the parsonage, a short distance east of the new church. Shepard succeeded Ralph Woodard, as minister at the Duplain Church of Christ.

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THE NEW BUILDING is considerably larger than the previous church, which was completed in 1871. The new church is a modern, one-story building which contains a 43 x 77 foot auditorium, 16 x 43 foot foyer with balcony above, minister's study, 10 classroom units and a total space for 14 classes, a fellowship hall and a kitchen.


The auditorium provides seating for approximately 240 persons; double the capacity of the old church. The new church cost more than \$115,000.

Sunday, Jan. 14, will be a big day at the Duplain Church of Christ on Colony Road. Dedication of the new house of worship has been set for that day with special services during the worship hour. Justin Shepard, minister of the Church, will bring the message with special numbers in song by the Junior Girls choir under the direction of Mrs. Jack Schwark and girls quartet composed of Kathy and Robin Reynolds, Bonnie Kimball and Connie Burnham.

The afternoon service will begin with a piano and organ concert with a piano and organ concert.

See DEDICATION page 8-A

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# Donald Kraemer, Jr., Sandra L. Wisner wed

Donald Eugene Kraemer Jr. of St. Johns claimed as the bride the former Miss Sandra Leigh Wisner of St. Johns in a double ring ceremony Dec. 16 at the First Methodist Church of St. Johns.

Rev Howard Jenkins of Lansing officiated at the 2 p.m. service.

Parents of the newlyweds are Mr and Mrs Lewis C. Wisner of 609 N. Morton, Lot 20, St. Johns and Mr and Mrs Donald E. Kraemer Sr of 609 N. Morton, Lot 35, St. Johns.

THE NEWLYWEDS are both graduates of Rodney B. Wilson High School of St. Johns.

The satin and lace gown styled with long sleeves and a chapel length train worn by the bride for the nuptials was made by Mrs Robert Dutcher, cousin of the bride. Her French illusion veil was secured by a crown of pearls. She carried a white orchid attached to a white Bible, which was a gift to the bride from her maternal grandmother.

Debra Franklin of 6054 Daft Street, Lansing, was the honor attendant for her cousin. Other attendants were Nancy Proctor of 3015 Midwood, Lansing and Sherry Kraemer of St. Johns.

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## Announcements

Friday, Jan. 12, the Service Wives Club will have their first potluck supper and meeting of the new year at 5:30 p.m. at the Mid-Michigan Chapter of the American Red Cross, 1800 E. Grand River, Lansing. S/Sgt. Frederick Berry, 5th U.S. Army Advisor Group, of Lansing has just returned from Viet Nam and will talk about his experiences and answer questions. Bring a dish to pass and your own table service. There will be free baby-sitter service at the Red Cross.

A public Euchre party, sponsored by the DeWitt Grange, is scheduled for Friday evening, Jan. 12, at the DeWitt Memorial Building. Progressive play is to begin at 8:30. There will be a lunch and prizes.

The New January class for Red Cross Volunteers will be held at the Mid-Michigan Blood Center in Lansing on January 18 - 19 at 1 p.m. with a lecture training session. For more information, contact Mrs Edward Prowant, 3330 N. US-27, St. Johns after 4 p.m.

Sunday, Jan. 14, will be Robert Shumaker Day at the First Baptist Church of St. Johns. The Robert Shumakers will be going to Japan this spring and will report to the church on their final plans. The church is giving them a missionary shower. Shumaker is from Pennsylvania and Mrs Shumaker is from Mount Pleasant where her father is pastor of the First Baptist Church. They will be speaking at each of the four services of the day.

St. Johns Quiz team will be competing with the Lyons Baptist Church Sunday at 9 p.m. in First Baptist of St. Johns. Questions will be asked over 1 Cor. 5-6. Teams from Ionia and Lansingburg will also compete.

Saturday the teenagers from First Baptist Church will be going to Bethany Baptist of Grand Blanc for a swimming activity with their youth.

Olive Grange No. 358 will hold its next meeting Friday, Jan. 12 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Almond Cressman. Potluck supper will be at 7 p.m. and all attending are asked to bring their own dishes and a dish to pass. Members are asked to come prepared to answer roll call with "My New Year's Resolution". Mrs Eva Simon has charge of the program. Junior members are urged to attend.

Mary Smith Union WCTU will meet Monday evening, Jan. 15, at 7:30 with Mrs Claude Holcomb.

Bingham Grange will meet at the hall Friday evening, Jan. 12, at 8 p.m. A light lunch will be served after the meeting.

The Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary Board will meet Wednesday, Jan. 17, at 7:30 p.m. in the hospital sewing room.

Adults and young farmers in the Pewamo-Westphalia area are invited to attend a meeting on dairy nutrition and feeding at the high school Monday, Jan. 15, at 8:30 p.m. Feed company representatives will be present and will attempt to prepare area dairy farmers in useful feed management techniques. A film actually taken inside the digestive track of a dairy cow will highlight the meeting, according to Jim Gibson, Vo-Ag instructor.

The Future Farmers of America of the Pewamo-Westphalia area, are holding their local eliminations for the FFA leadership contests Thursday, Jan. 11. Seven public speakers, ten demonstration teams, two parliamentary procedure teams and two farm forum teams, a total of 50 boys, are competing for the honor of representing the chapter in the FFA District Leadership Contest to be held in Ionia county, Feb. 8. This is the first step in a progression of eliminations leading to the state finals held during the state convention in March.

A general meeting for all members of the Friends of Bement Public Library will be held at 8 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 18, at the library.

## THE NEWS IN BRIEF

Wednesday, Jan. 10, 6 Clinton County women attended the National Cancer Crusade meeting in Cleveland, Ohio. Clinton women attending were Mrs Albert Fruchtl, Mrs James Postlewaite, Miss Carmen Tranchell, Mrs Dewey Berryhill, Miss Donna Patrick, Mrs Robert Nourse, Mrs Edmund Simmon, Mrs Fred Black, Mrs Arthur Starkey, Mrs Raymond Thornton, Miss Garcia Sexton, Mrs Lester Lake, Mrs Dale Finch, Mrs Robert Reese Sr, Mrs Howard Beagle and Mrs Robert Hazen. The Cancer Society will hold a district crusade meeting for Clinton, Eaton, Ingham, Livingston and Shiawassee county societies at the Holiday Inn in Lansing Jan. 25 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

# Clinton Area Deaths



Basil A. Deibert

Basil A. Deibert, purchasing agent for Federal Mogul Corporation of St. Johns, died Jan. 3 at 12:05 a.m. while on the way to Clinton Memorial Hospital. He was 57. Funeral services were held at the First Congregational Church of St. Johns Friday, Jan. 5, at 1:30 p.m. with Rev Gerald Churchhill officiating. Burial was in Mt. Rest Cemetery.

OSGOOD FUNERAL HOME of St. Johns had charge of the arrangements.

Mr Deibert was born Dec. 10, 1910, at Pellston, the son of Artie and Toybel Snook Deibert. He attended Kalkaska public schools and was graduated from Michigan State University in 1932. He moved to St. Johns following WWII.

The former Frances Doyen and he were married June 20, 1932, at Watkins Glen, N.Y.

MR DEIBERT was a member of the First Congregational Church of St. Johns, past president of the St. Johns Board of Education and the Clinton County Country Club, president of Bement Public Library Board, First Congregational Church treasurer and a member of Central Michigan Purchasing Agents Association. He served as an officer in the Navy during WWII.

Survivors include his wife, Frances; two daughters, Mrs J. D. McCallum of Anaheim, Calif. and Miss Barbara Deibert at home; one son, Dr Max Deibert of Needham Heights, Mass.; a sister, Mrs D.D. Gillette of Lansing and nine grandchildren.

## Phil J. Waigle

PEWAMO—Phil James Waigle of Bluewater Highway, Pewamo, died Jan. 6 at 2 p.m. at Stony Creek of a heart attack. He was the owner of Waigle Sport Shop of Pewamo. Mr Waigle was 54.

Funeral services were held at Boynton Funeral Home of Ionia Tuesday, Jan. 9, at 2 p.m. with Rev Stephen Beach officiating. Burial was in East Plains Cemetery of Clinton county.

MR WAIGLE was born Jan. 3, 1914, in Pewamo, the son of James and Reva Irish Waigle. He attended Pewamo schools, was graduated from Pewamo High School and attended Olivet College.

He was a lifelong resident of the Pewamo area and a well known hunter in central Michigan.

IN 1948, HE STARTED a fruit and vegetable stand which was later expanded to Waigle Sport Shop.

He and the former Cleo Bissell were married March 5, 1937, in Lansing.

HE WAS A MEMBER of the Ionia County Hunting and Fishing Club. He holds the record for the largest mountain lion shot with a bow and arrow in Utah. He had films of his hunting trips which he showed to many organizations.

Survivors include his wife, Cleo; two daughters, Mrs Duane (Ellen) Hamburger of Grand Ledge and Mrs William (Joanne) Gerullis of Detroit; one grandson; his father, James Waigle of Bay City; a brother, George of Blissfield; and two sisters, Mrs Fay Williams of Kawkawlin, Mich. and Mrs Russell Anderson of Pigeon, Mich.

## Clive G. Ellis

WACOUSTA—Clive G. Ellis, 68, a resident of Wacousta for 30 years, died Tuesday, Jan. 2, at 6 a.m. at St. Lawrence Hospital of Lansing. He had been in poor health for several years.

Funeral services were held Friday, Jan. 5, at 1 p.m. at Estes-Leady Funeral Home of Lansing. Rev G.J. Farnham of East DeWitt Bible Church of-

ficiated. Burial was in Wacousta Cemetery.

MR ELLIS was born in Detroit in 1899. He lived in the Detroit area until 1927 and in Lansing for 10 years prior to moving to Wacousta.

He was a plumber and steam fitter for 40 years and was a member of Plumber Steam Fitters Local No. 388.

Survivors include his wife, Myrtle; four sons, Howard of Lansing, Richard of DeWitt, Dwaine of St. Johns and Merwyn of Maple Rapids; two daughters, Mrs Clarabell Wood of Wyandotte and Mrs Sharon McNaughton of Lansing; 20 grandchildren; one sister, Mrs Aileen Adams of Detroit; one half sister, Mrs Leona Bond of Detroit and one brother, Howard G. Ellis of Corpus Christi, Texas.

## Mrs Helen Martin

Mrs Helen Martin, 86, a former resident of Bengal township, R-4, St. Johns, died Tuesday, Jan. 2, at 5 a.m. at Dietz Nursing Home of Ovid following a long illness.

Funeral services were held at Osgood Funeral Home of St. Johns Thursday, Jan. 4, at 1:30 p.m. Rev Eldon F. Bickel of Our Savior Lutheran Church of Lansing officiated. Burial was in Mt. Rest Cemetery.

SHE WAS BORN June 28, 1881, in Riley township of Clinton county, the daughter of Mathew and Lena Speerbrecker Nuffer. She was a resident of Riley and Bengal townships most of her life and attended country schools.

Fred Martin and she were married Nov. 5, 1901, at Riley Lutheran Church.

MRS MARTIN was a member of Our Savior Lutheran Church of Lansing and a long time member of the Ladies Aid Society.

Survivors include her husband Fred Martin; one son, John of Grand Rapids; a foster daughter, Mrs Veronica Boettger of R-4, St. Johns and a brother, Anthony Nuffer of Lansing.

## Nicholas Wirtz

PEWAMO—Nicholas Wirtz, 84, died Sunday afternoon, Jan. 7, at his home.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Jan. 10, at 11 a.m. at St. Joseph Church of Pewamo with Msgr. Thomas J. Bolger officiating. Burial was in St. John the Baptist Cemetery of Hubbardston.

GELLER Funeral Home of Westphalia had charge of the arrangements.

He was the son of Catherine and Philip Wirtz and was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church of Pewamo.

Survivors include two sisters, Mrs Clara Coston of Pewamo and Mrs Helen Smith of Lyons and a brother, Otto Wirtz of Detroit.

## Henry Bergan

WACOUSTA—Henry Bergan, a former Wacousta resident, of 208 W. Holmes Road, Lansing, died Friday, Dec. 29, at 3 p.m. at his home.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. Jan. 3 at Gorsline-Runciman Funeral Home of Lansing. Rev Eno Woldt officiated. Burial was in Wacousta Cemetery.

He was born March 21, 1883, in Walla, USSR.

He resided in Lansing for 25 years and was a former member of the Liederkranz.

MR BERGAN was married to the late Louise Bohm Bergan.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs Margaret Bahl of Lansing, Mrs Eva Lietzke of DeWitt and Mrs Elizabeth Sisley of Milwaukee, Wis.; one son, Henry of Wacousta; 16 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren and one sister, Mrs Theresa Vetter of West Berlin, Germany.

## Inez A. Phillips

DEWITT—Mrs Inez A. Phillips, 66, of 110 W. Webb Road, DeWitt, died Monday evening, Jan. 8, at a Lansing hospital.

Prayer services are to be held Thursday (today) at 9:30 a.m. at Vincent-Rummell Funeral Home of DeWitt with Rev Glen J. Farnham of East DeWitt Bible Church officiating. Burial is to be in Popal Hill Cemetery of Allegan county.

MRS PHILLIPS was born July 2, 1901, in Allegan county, the daughter of L.C. and Orpha Bishop.

She had resided in the DeWitt area for the past 12 years and prior to that in Lansing.

were married in Lansing in April of 1940.

Mrs Phillips was a practical nurse. Survivors include her husband, Lyman; a daughter, Mrs Joseph Marlo of Oisego; two brothers, Charles Bishop of Bloomingdale and Percy Bishop of Allegan and two grandchildren.

## Harry Schultz

SOUTH WATERTOWN—Harry W. Schultz, 88, of 8130 Eaton Highway died Tuesday, Jan. 2, at St. Lawrence Hospital after a long illness.

Funeral services were held at Peters and Murray Funeral Home Friday, Jan. 5, at 2:30 p.m. Burial was in Wacousta Cemetery. Rev Donald Thompson officiated.

MR SCHULTZ was born Dec. 11, 1879, in Corey, Michigan.

He was a member of Delta Mills Methodist Church, MSU Varsity Club and a Farm Bureau member. He was graduated from Michigan State in 1903.

Mr Schultz was a farmer and a breeder of rare birds.

Survivors include one son, Maynard of 8260 Eaton Highway; one sister, Mrs Mable Payne of Alma and two brothers, Herbert of St. Petersburg, Fla. and Gardner of Detroit.

## G. McDonough

WACOUSTA—Gladys C. McDonough, 79, of Wacousta died at 6 a.m. Sunday, Dec. 31, at her home. She had been in poor health for a long time.

Funeral services were held Jan. 2 at 1:30 p.m. at Holihan Funeral Home with Rev Dale Spoor officiating. Burial was in Wacousta Cemetery.

SHE WAS born Jan. 24, 1888, in Greenville, the daughter of Levi and Dora Kingsbury. She attended Greenville schools.

H. Judd McDonough and she were married in April of 1911 at Greenville.

Mrs McDonough was a life member of Wacousta OES No. 133.

Survivors include her husband, Judd; three sons, Howard and Melvin of Wacousta and Lloyd of Big Rapids; a daughter, Mrs Dora Morse of Holt; 15 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

## Mrs Bertha Hintz

VALLEY FARMS—Mrs Bertha Hintz, 88, of 456 Northcrest, Lansing, died at a Charlotte hospital Dec. 30.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, Jan. 2, at 2:30 p.m. at the Estes-Leady Colonial Chapel of Lansing with Rev Karl Krauss and Rev Leonard J. Koening of Emanuel First Lutheran Church officiating. Burial was in Pleasant Hill Cemetery.

MRS HINTZ, a resident of the Lansing and Bath areas most of her life, was a member of Emanuel First Lutheran Church.

Survivors include her husband, William; four sons, Henry of Webberville, Gustave of Grand Ledge, William of Clare and Michael of Bath; two daughters, Mrs Clifford Sutton of Providence, R.I. and Mrs Wilford Horton of Lansing; 13 grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren.

## Harry Herbruck

Harry W. Herbruck, 69, owner and manager of Herbruck Cheese Counter of St. Johns, of Bingham township; rural St. Johns, died of injuries received as a result of an auto accident on M-21 near Shepardsville Road. The accident occurred Wednesday morning, Jan. 3.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Jan. 6, at 2 p.m. at the Church of the Nazarene of St. Johns with Rev Eldon Raymond of St. Johns and Rev Thornhill of Flint officiating.

OSGOOD FUNERAL HOME of St. Johns had charge of the arrangements.

Mr Herbruck was born May 13, 1898 in Akron, Ohio, the son of John and Hilda Bowers Herbruck. He attended Akron public schools. He resided in St. Johns for the past 15 years and prior to that in Flint.

THE FORMER Margery Allaman and he were married Feb. 14, 1920, in Akron, Ohio.

He was a member of the Christian Missionary Alliance of Flint.

In 1922, he founded a wholesale butter and egg business in Flint known as Harry Herbruck and Son. He opened Herbruck Cheese Counter in 1949.

Survivors include his wife, Margery; one daughter, Mrs Maynard Bailey of Flint; three sons, Carl of St. Johns, Harry Jr. of Saranac and James of Flint; two brothers, John and Edward of Akron, Ohio; a sister, Mrs William Prange of Akron, Ohio; 13 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

## Marie Zischke

WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP—Mrs Marie Zischke, 86, of Stoll Road, R-4, Lansing, died Jan. 8 at a Traverse City hospital.

Funeral services are to be held Thursday (today) at 1 p.m. at Holihan Funeral Home of Grand Ledge with Rev Allen Cobb of the Nazarene Church of Grand Ledge officiating. Burial is to be in Wacousta Cemetery.

SHE HAS BEEN a resident of the area for 56 years coming from Germany.

Mrs Zischke was born Oct. 2, 1881, in Germany, the daughter of Mr and Mrs Wilhelm Nagel. She was married to the late Albert Zischke.

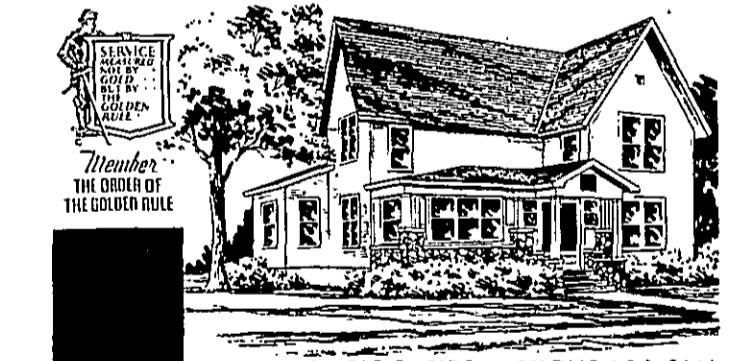
MRS ZISCHKE was a member of the Nazarene Church of Grand Ledge.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs Melva Torrence of Lansing; a son, Lyndon of R-4, Lansing; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

## L. Rhynards wed 50 years

Mr and Mrs Lynn Rhynard of 704 E. Baldwin Street, St. Johns, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Jan. 1.

Honoring the couple at a dinner party held at the Village Inn of Elsie were their children and grandchildren, Mr and Mrs Raymond Dellamater and family of Sun Prairie, Wis. and Mr and Mrs Mervin Rhynard and family and Mr and Mrs Wilbur Thurston and family of St. Johns.



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# BOWLING NEWS

Notes from Clinton area leagues

**FOWLER CLASSIC LEAGUE** (Jan. 2)—High team scores: Becker Dry Goods 934 and 2672. High individual game and series: Charles Halfmann 248 and 629. Other 200 games: John Schafer 226, Keith Tiedt 213, Jerry Herbert 213, Roger Hall 210, Don Thelen 203, 203 and 208 (and 614 series), and Carl Wohlfert 206. Becker Dry Goods leads the league.

**FOWLER COMMERCIAL LEAGUE** (Jan. 3)—High team scores: Simon's Restaurant 890 and Schmitz Standard 2540. High individual game and series: Don Thelen 216 and 571. Roman Thelen had a 206 game and Carl Wohlfert rolled a 205. Becker's Lost 5 leads the league.

**FOWLER CITY LEAGUE** (Jan. 3)—High team game and series:

**SHIRTS & SKIRTS LEAGUE**—High team scores: Penny Paints 710, 2029. High individual game and series: Joe Greer 202, 581. Women's high game and series: Jo Pardee 210, 555. Other 200 games: Joe Greer 202, Penny Paints leads the league with a record of 6-2.

**CAPITOL LEAGUE** (Jan. 8)—High team scores: Moorman Feeds 954, 2722. High individual game and series: Earl King 226, 611. Other 200 games: Lynn Smith 204, Leo Brunner 205 and 224, Jim Ernst 201, Dan Smith 203, Harold Pease 211, Joe Treffl 210, Don Clark 200, Dick Cornwell 211, Earl King 220 and 220, Clarence Trumbull 201. Moorman Feeds leads the league with a record of 48 and 24.

**CITY CLASSIC LEAGUE** (Jan. 4)—High team scores: Hub Tire Center 2771, high single game Cowan Mercury 1007. High individual game and series: Merlin Durbin 228, Jim Lance 609. Other 200 games: Jim Lance 203 and 223, Charlie Lyman 200, Ken Penix 209, Earl King 226, Charlie Watson 202, Linden Lade 209, Dick Urban 202, Keith Penix 204, Ernie Lance 223, Charlie Weber 219, Nick Hatta 202 and 215, Steve Michalek 214, Harold Pease 202, Ted Silvestri 203, John Thruw 270, Stan Wassa 203. Hub Tire leads the league with a record of 32-19.

**SHIRTS & SKIRTS** (Dec. 29)—High team scores: Richards Dairy 706, 2053. High individual game and series: Rollin Dunkel 213, Ernie Pardee 520. High women's individual game and series: Norring Penix 199 and 585. Other 200 games: Ernie Pardee 201, Richards Dairy leads the league with a record of 4 and 0.

**TWIN CITY LEAGUE** (Dec. 20)—High team scores: Zeeb Fertiltizer 920, 2585. High individual game and series: Tom Knight 223, Bob Nurenberg 565. Other 200 games: Joe Barrett 205, Dick Cornwell 206, Milo Rowell 213, Dan Witt 203, Willard Studer 204 and 200, Paul Pung 210. Strouse Oil leads the league with a record of 45 1/2 to 18 1/2.

**KINGS & QUEENS LEAGUE** (Jan. 7)—High team scores: Poor Souls 701, Night Hawks 1967. High individual games and series: Leona Devers 212, Chris Shinabery 475, Max Shinabery 210, Rudy Masarik III 553. Other 200 games: Orth Tatroe 205, Ernie Lance 201. Poor Souls lead the league with a record of 47 1/2 to 20 1/2.

**FIRST NIGHTERS LEAGUE** (Jan. 8)—High team scores: Independents 859, Quality Discount 2507. High individual game and series: Rose Ritter 225, 549. Other 200 games: Marge Hurst 201, Ruth Harter 200, Sally Martin 201. Independents lead the league with a record of 4-0.

**RAINBOW LAKE LEAGUE** (Jan. 7)—High team scores: Sailfish 681, 1805. High individual game and series: Bob Kamp 224, Clare Floate 555. Other 200 games: Oak Underwood 217, Milo Podolak 214, Clare Floate 204, Bob Upton 202. The Bass lead the league with a score of 38-26.

**INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE** (Jan. 5)—High team scores: Wildcats 732, Fire Balls 2090. High individual game and series: Pat Bashore 192, Clyde Pearson 224, Pat Bashore 493, Frank Masarik 612. Other 200 games: Frank Masarik 208, 203, 201, Bernie Wawczyk 216, John Petro 211, Ken Rinke 206. The P.S. team leads the league with a record of 49-23.

**NIGHT HAWKS** (Jan. 2)—High team scores: Zeeb's 902, 2556.

High individual game and series: Lester Lake 212, 578. Other 200 games: Lester Lake 202, H. Schmid 210, E. Barker 204, T. Knight 202, L. Smith 202 and George Smith 201. The American Legion leads the league with a record of 48-24.

**FOWLER SATURDAY NIGHT MIXERS** (Dec. 30)—High team game and series: Hipple's 672 and 1908. High individual game: Vern Pung 203. The Hipple's lead the league.

**FOWLER CLASSIC LEAGUE** (Dec. 26)—High team game and series: Mobil Gas 939 and 2751. High individual game and series: Don Graf 224 and 611. Other 200 games: Charles Halfmann 222, Keith Tiedt 221, Jerry Herbert 218, Roger Hall 213, Al Thelen 204 and Les Dean 202. Other series over 575: Keith Tiedt 586, Roger Hall 585, Al Thelen 582 and Jerry Herbert 577. Becker Dry Goods leads the league.

**FOWLER COMMERCIAL LEAGUE** (Dec. 27)—High team game and series: Simon's 902 and Fowler Bowl 2604. High individual game and series: Ron Schneider 222 and Don Thelen 584. Other 200 games: Roger Hall Jr. 212, Ken Koenigsnecht 209 and Don Thelen 206 and 203. The Fowler Bowl whiz kids swept three points from Simon's Restaurant to win the first round of the schedule.

**FOWLER CITY LEAGUE** (Dec. 27)—High team game and series: Farmer's Co-Op 932 and 2476. High individual game and series: Stu Sillman 217 and Ery Martens 542. Fowler Hotel Bar leads the league.

**INDUSTRIAL MIXED LEAGUE** (Dec. 29)—High team scores: Rog-Alls 717 and 2000. High individual games and series: for the women, Jo Rogers 503 and Pat Bashore 211 and Jo Rogers 503; for the men, Jerry Bashore 213 and 586. Other 200 games: Jerry Bashore 203, Clyde Pearson 210, E. Wawczyk 202, Adam Bailey 204 and Ken Rinke 210. PS leads the league by five games over WPA.

**WESTPHALIA WOMEN'S LEAGUE** (Dec. 26)—High team game and series: Simon Flower Shop 867 and 2522. High individual game and series: Diane Luna 221 and Rita Witgen 521. Simon Flower Shop broke the three-way tie and now holds a one-game lead over second-place Carling's.

**NITE OWLS LEAGUE** (Dec. 28)—High team game and series: McKenzie Insurance 866 and 2431. High individual scores: Rosie Nuser 245 and 617. Doris Hicks had a 200 game and 531 series. Wheel Inn had three team games of 794. McKenzie Insurance leads the league.

**COMMERCIAL LEAGUE** (Dec. 19)—High team scores: Everett's Bar 971 and 2719. High individual game and series: Paul Lade 243 and Larry Kuhns 624. Other 200 games: K. Penix 203, B. Boettger 200, D. Boling 200, M. Markman 203, E. Martis 212. J. Nuser

212 and 203, M. Durbin 201, R. Barrett 211, L. Kuhns 200 and 236, George Chick 210, R. Lowe 203 and 201, B. Warren 223 and F.D. Warren 203. Roadhouse has increased its lead to six games over second-place Everett's Bar.

**TEATIME LEAGUE** (Dec. 26)—High team game and series: Carol Ann Shop 897 and 2502. High individual game and series: Ann Wawczyk 216 and Kay Penix 528. Florence Masarik had a 205 game and a 513 series, while Nancy Lewis compiled a 516 series, Rosie Nuser 514 and Jo Pardee 503. Elly Cowan and Doris Swatman converted 6-7-10 splits. Carol Ann Shop, Five Panthers and Bee's Chev & Olds started out the second half of the year on a winning note and all have 4-0 records.

**TWIN CITY LEAGUE** (Dec. 27)—High team game and series: Strouse Oil 918 and 2671. High individual game and series: Lloyd Hopp and Tom Knight 236 and Lloyd Hopp 629. Other 200 games: Bob Sperry 217, Tom Peacock 229, Milo Rowell 220, Lloyd Hopp 206 and Virgil Zeeb 205. Strouse Oil leads Zeeb's Plant Food by eight games.

**COFFEE CUP LEAGUE** (Dec. 28)—High team game and series: Cookies Cuties 726 and 1965. High individual game and series: Bea Isbell 182 and Margaret Cook 507. The Sneakers lead the league with a 43-25 record, two games better than the Jems.

**NIGHT HAWK LEAGUE** (Dec. 26)—High team game and series: Zeeb's 899 and 2616. High individual game and series: S. Bunce 242 and 642. Other 200 games: S. Bunce 211, L. Huguelet 227, S. Cornwell 212, B. Cole 206, E. Rademacher 204, T. White 201 and G. Powers 201 and 200. American Legion leads the league by two games over Beck's Farm Market.

**COMMERCIAL LEAGUE** (Dec. 26)—High team game and series: Roadhouse and Everett's Bar 985 and Everett's Bar 2855. High individual game and series: B. Boettger 246 and J. Jakovac 612. Other 200 games: P. Lade 209, L. Floate 206, S. Hicks 215, C. Floate 201 and 225, E. King 201, M. Durbin 222, S. Thelen 216, R. Myers 203, R. Mudge 236, C. Watson 205, D. Urban 203, P. Bishop 216, R. Campbell 214, E. Kaminski 200, L. Kuhns 202 and 224, J. Lance 225, J. Jakovac 216 and 222, D. Lance 212. Roadhouse leads the league with a 47-21 mark.

**OWID NITE-OUTS LEAGUE** (Dec. 28)—High team game and series: Owsosso Savings Bank 817 and Marlene's Beauty Salon 2185. High individual game and series: M. Wolge 213 and 475. At the end of the first half Owsosso Savings Bank is in first place with a 41-19 record. Cracker's Construction places second with a record of 40 1/2-19 1/2.

**FOWLER WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE** (Dec. 29)—High team series: Fowler Bowl 2145. High individual series: Kay Hurnagel 512, Necchi Elna currently leads the league.

**TEATIME LEAGUE** (Jan. 2)—High team game and series: Bee's Chevrolet and Olds 903 and Redwing Lanes 2575. High individual game and series: Doris King 223 and 579. Other 200 games: Iola Adair 214 and Joyce Woodhams 205. Bee's Chevrolet and Olds and Redwing Lanes are both currently in first place at 7-1.

## Charlotte edges Redwings

The St. Johns Redwings felt their first loss of the season last Friday night at Charlotte losing by only one point 61-60. Failing to complete two free throws in the final seconds of the game, plus missing two chances at tipping the ball cost the Wings the game with only four seconds left to play.

The Redwings lead the Orioles at the end of the first half by 10 points but failed to keep the edge as Charlotte caught the Wings and then began a series of exchanging baskets.

JOHN SALEMI paced St. Johns with 17 points while Don Palmer completed six field goals and

## Dedication

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cert at 2:30 p.m. At 3 p.m., the formal dedication program will start with John P. Hasty, president of Great Lakes Bible College of Lansing, bringing the dedication message. Special message in song will be brought by the Women's choir of the local congregation and the Journeyman's Trio of Great Lakes Bible College.

A fellowship hour will follow the dedication service. Evening services at 7:30 p.m. will be a hymn singing and prayer hour, with Ralph R. Woodard, former minister, bringing the message.

The new church building was started the first part of May and the first services were held in it Dec. 10, 1967. Friends and interested persons in the community may attend the dedication services.

## Industrial basketball Schedule

(Games at St. Johns High gym)  
GAMES JAN. 10—  
Clinton Tractor vs Fowler at 8:15 p.m.  
DeWitt Merchants vs Federal-Mogul at 9:30 p.m.  
GAMES JAN. 17—  
Fowler vs Federal-Mogul at 8:15 p.m.  
Clinton Tractor vs DeWitt Merchants at 9:30 p.m.

## Last Week's Scores

GAMES OF JAN. 3—  
Clinton Tractor 58, Federal-Mogul 44. Werbish was the high scorer for the winners with 15 points, while Bakita had 12 points and Stump 11. Egres led Federal-Mogul with 10 points.  
DeWitt Merchants 59, Fowler 53. Isenhart with 16 points, Dalman with 15 and Willison with 13 led DeWitt in scoring, while Spicer scored 13 points as a high scorer for Fowler.

## Potterville bows to Fowler 75-46

The Fowler Eagles held on to their winning ways in the conference by defeating Potterville 75-46 last Friday night. The Eagles, now a 4-1 overall, were led by Joe Koenigsnecht and Gary Schueller each hitting 16 points while high scorer for Potterville, now 1-5 overall, was Dick Djana.

## Bath Bees down Portland

The Bath Bees held on to a three-way tie for the Central Michigan Athletic Conference by downing Portland St. Patrick 62-51 Friday night. Key defensive play by Merlin Truman and Randy Tucker led the Bees to their fifth victory in six starts and kept their perfect record of four wins in the conference intact.  
Merlin Truman and Randy Tucker, while scoring 13 points each, limited St. Patrick aces, Art Baker and Dennis Ham, to a combined 13 tallies.  
Terry Barnard lead the Bees scoring with 17 points, while Russ Lemmen was high man for St. Patrick with 15 points. An outstanding performance was turned in by Bill Harris, the Bees 6-4 center, with a total of 27 rebounds while scoring 14 points for the victors.

## COFFEE CUP LEAGUE

(Jan. 4)—High individual game and series: Judy Payne 223 and 510. High team game and series: Black Balls 695 and Jems 1921. The Sneakers lead the league with a 47-25 record, two games ahead of the Jems.

## TWIN CITY LEAGUE

(Jan. 3)—High team game and series: Strouse Oil 880 and 2517. High individual game and series: Bob Crosby 209 and Dick Johnson 567. Other 200 games: Gary Myers 205, Bob Nurenberg 202, Dick Johnson 202, Lloyd Hopp 202 and Dick Mead 200. Strouse Oil leads the league by a healthy 11 games over Zeeb's Plant Food.

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## Ashley falls to Morrice 80-57

The Morrice High basketballers smashed the Ashley Bears Friday night by the score of 80-57 behind the scoring of Paul Pavlica and John Carr, who each dropped in 16 points. Ron Burk lead the Bears with 18 tallies.

## Montabella beats Fulton-Middleton

Middleton-Fulton (2-5) lost Friday night to previously winless Montabella, now 1-4 on the season, by 71-69. Dean Jensen scored 31 points in leading the victors while Jeff Gray connected for 16 points for the losers.

## North Bengal

By Mrs Wm. Ernst  
Wednesday evening the Bengal 4-H Club held their Christmas party at the Book Community Building.

Mr and Mrs Edmund Falk spent Sunday afternoon, Dec. 31 with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr and Mrs Allen Weseman of St. Johns.

Mrs Fred W. Pasch was an overnight guest Thursday of Mr and Mrs Fred Schke and Julianne of Fowler.

Mrs Edna Wataamaker returned home Saturday from the Carson City Hospital where she was a medical patient for a week.

Mr and Mrs Louis Schmitt entertained his brothers and their wives and his sisters and their husbands at a post Christmas party at their home Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Fred Hecht and son, Jim, were New Year's Eve guests of Mr and Mrs Louis Moritz and family.

Mrs Edmund Falk visited her sister, Mrs Arthur Martens and her niece, Mrs Melvin Argersinger and family of St. Johns Friday.

Mrs Fred W. Pasch and Miss Maxine Ernst were Sunday afternoon callers of Fred W. Pasch at the Ingham Medical Hospital at Lansing.

## Laingsburg drops DeWitt 67-45

Laingsburg downed DeWitt 67-45 to grab their first Central Michigan Conference win against three defeats. High scorers for Laingsburg (2-3 overall) were Gene Smith and Gary VanVelsor with 15 points each. DeWitt now stands 0-4 in the conference and 2-5 overall.

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## Ovid-Elsie surges past Ithaca 87-74

OVID-ELSIE—The Ovid-Elsie Marauders fought off an Ithaca surge early in the fourth quarter and went on to start the 1968 portion of the current season on a winning note, 87-74.

The Marauders used an explosion of their own at the start of the second half to move comfortably out in front by as much as 22 points during the third quarter. L.D. Jones led that O-E rally with 10 points in the quarter and went on to take high point honors for the night with 24 points.

Jerry Guysky was close behind with 23 points, including a 70-foot one-hand toss into the hoop to end the first half.

Coach Jerry Meredith's Marauders weren't really slow in starting, but it took them half of the first quarter to get a lead of 10-8. They went on to hold a 21-16 margin at the first stop, and Guysky's long-tom at the halftime buzzer gave Ovid-Elsie a 40-30 half-time lead.

Jerry Gazda, who didn't score for Ovid-Elsie in the first half, pitched in 5 points in the third quarter and 8 in the final stanza to lead the Marauders in their hold-on effort. They led 65-50 at the end of three quarters, but in less than a minute Ithaca had the margin down to 10 points at 65-55.

Then began a series of basket trading until Ovid-Elsie scored three of them in a row and pulled away to 81-63. Ithaca pulled back into the game with three straight baskets and a free throw, but they never got closer than 11 points the rest of the way.

In addition to the pace-setting efforts of 24 points by Jones and 23 by Guysky, Don Young scored 18 points and Gazda 13 to provide a well-rounded scoring attack by Ovid-Elsie. Ovid-Elsie is now 3-3 for the season and 2-2 in Mid-Michigan B League competition.

The Marauders displayed a good shooting game, canning 35

of 90 attempts for a 38.8 percentage. Ithaca scored on 35 percent of their shots, making 28 of 80 tries.

Ithaca also had four men in double figures in scoring. Ed Woitrol had 20 points to lead the way, while Don Shaw had 11 and Mike Vernon and Mike Smith 10 each.

Here's a quarter-by-quarter scoring summary for Ovid-Elsie, with the figures in the columns representing field goals-free throws. Each player's total points are at the right.

Ovid-Elsie Summary				
Weir	1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0
Jones	2-1	3-1	5-0	1-0
Young	2-1	1-2	1-0	3-1
Guysky	4-1	2-0	2-2	2-0
Melvin	0-0	1-0	0-2	0-0
Garcia	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-1
Gazda	0-0	0-0	2-1	3-2

Ovid-Elsie totals: 35-17-87.  
Personal fouls: 20  
Ithaca totals: 28-18-74. Personal fouls: 19

The Ovid-Elsie junior varsity beat Ithaca 65-35, with Cal Woodard scoring 21 points to lead the Jr. Marauders.

**CLINTON AREA BASKETBALL SCORES & SCHEDULES**

### This Week's Games

FRIDAY, JAN. 12—  
St. Johns at Lakewood (West Central)  
Michigan School for the Deaf at Ashley (Motor Valley)  
Bath at Webberville (CMAC)  
Pewamo-Westphalia at DeWitt (CMAC)  
Fowler at Portland St. Pat's (CMAC)  
Fulton at Central Montcalm (Tri-Central)  
Pottersville at Laingsburg (CMAC)  
Ovid-Elsie at Corunna (Mid-Mich. B)

TUESDAY, JAN. 16—  
Beal City at Ashley  
Bath at Laingsburg (CMAC)  
Pottersville at DeWitt (CMAC)  
Fowler at Webberville (CMAC)  
Perry at Ovid-Elsie (Mid-Mich. B)  
Portland St. Pat's at Pewamo-Westphalia (CMAC)

### Last Week's Scores

FRIDAY, JAN. 5—  
Charlotte 61, St. Johns 60  
Ovid-Elsie 87, Ithaca 74

China has more irrigated land than any other country in the world, followed by India, the United States, the U.S.S.R. and Pakistan.



"Yes, I mean you," the referee points out to Ovid-Elsie's Don Young who came down with a rebound and fouled an Ithaca player, Don Shaw (43), during the first half of last Friday night's basketball game. No 33 for Ithaca is Jim Simcox.

## Explain wrestling fundamentals to fans

By MICHAEL GALVACH  
Some spectators or readers might happen to be having a hard time understanding the elements and factors that make up the sport of wrestling. Being one of winter's most exciting indoor sports a casual spectator should have some knowledge of the fundamentals so that they might be able to enjoy the sport more.

Here are then some tips on wrestling. Not the wrestling you're used to witnessing on television but good clean, highly competitive wrestling. This type of wrestling is done at the high school level.

Most spectators are familiar with certain basics of high school wrestling such as the fact that they are divided up into separate weight classes. To be exact there are 12 different weight divisions and each boy wrestles in his own weight class.

To continue, each match in each separate weight division is six minutes long. The match is divided into three periods each the length of two minutes. At the start of the first period both wrestlers are in a standing position facing each other. At the beginning of the second period of two minutes the referee, who is always a fair minded individual, flips a coin. The winner of the toss now had a choice of either starting out in the kneeling position on his hands and knees or if he wants he could have his opponent start out in the same position. If that is the case then the winner of the toss would definitely have an advantage over his opponent as he would have the better leverage.

The third period is just the opposite of the second.

The third period starts out with the grapplers in just the opposite position with the advantage reversed.

Now comes a part in wrestling which is the hardest thing for a spectator to understand. The point system which is used. At a time during the match a wrestler may bring his opponent down to the mat. The term used to describe this is a takedown. It is worth two points to the first grappler to take his man to the mat. Now, after the wrestlers are both down on the mat struggling, one may see a chance to break loose from the man who in the beginning was on the offensive. If he breaks free of this man, one point is awarded for an escape. If this same grappler breaks completely free and also takes on the offensive, two points are awarded him for a reversal.

Now comes the hard part where only the referee can tell which wrestler may gain or be awarded certain points. Each decision or call he makes is the law and the last word.

A predicament or a position that is close to a pin, that is when one wrestler almost forces the other to have both shoulders pressed to the mat, is worth

two points. Another move called a near fall which is closely akin to the above is worth three points to the aggressor. If both shoulders of a wrestler are secured to the mat by another, then it is a pin and worth five points to the victorious team. A Decision, which is left up to the referee, is worth three points and in case of a tie each team

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## Ladies' singles tourney

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An estimated first prize of \$100 and a trophy will be awarded, as well as squad prizes. There were over 200 entries in the

tournament last year, and one out of four received some amount of prize money.

The tournament will be run on Saturdays, Feb. 3, 10 and 17, and Sundays, Feb. 4 and 11. Saturday bowling time will be at 7 p.m. and Sunday times at 1, 3 and 5 p.m.

four rolled across eight lanes will be used in determining tournament scores. Averages used in determining handicaps will be based on May 31, 1967. The tournament is sanctioned by the WIBC.

Entry blanks may be obtained at Redwing Lanes in St. Johns, the site of the tournament and

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should be mailed to Elsie Dickinson at 510 S. Mead Street or left at the bowling alley by Jan. 20.

## Greenville frosh edge St. Johns

The opening game of the St. Johns High School freshman basketball team was held last Thursday night. Though the team played an excellent game right down to the wire, the Greenville Yellowjackets edged St. Johns 53-47.

During the first half the lead exchanged hands several times ending at halftime in a 20-20 tie. A rejuvenated St. Johns team then bounced back after the half to take an eight point lead. The Yellowjackets managed to catch up in the fourth quarter though and squeeze by.

Leading scorers for St. Johns included Gary Burke 3, John Smit 12, Randy Atkinson 8, Steve Mead 11, Gene Peterson 4, Bill French 2, Greg Lounds 3, and Brian Carpenter with 3 points.

## Grapplers drop two

The St. Johns Redwing Wrestling teams were both handed a defeat by Hastings last Thursday night losing the varsity and junior varsity matches 30-14 and 21-12.

Only four grapplers won their matches on the varsity squad. Roger Ordway in the 95 pound division pinned his man. Vic Holcomb at 112, Dick Holcomb at 127, and heavyweight Fred Moore all won on a decision.

For the junior varsity, Dave Paksi was the only man to obtain a pin. The final score was 21-12.

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# Eureka

By MRS. GORDON WAGGONER, Correspondent

## JOHN FURRY TO SPEAK AT MOTHERS' CLUB

Don't forget the Mothers' Club meeting Jan. 15 at 7:30 at the Eureka Public School, John Furry of the St. Johns Schools, director of the special services guidance, will talk on "Testing and Guidance Services."

## TRACY IS 3

Tracy Lynn Shutes, daughter of Mr and Mrs Roger Shutes, was three years old Sunday, Jan. 7.

Pastor and Mrs Jack Barlow, Jack and Kimberly were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Bruce Amos and family.

Mr and Mrs Derrill Shinabery spent two weeks, over the Christmas and New Year's holidays at Ocoia, Fla. with their daughter Mrs Gwen Truax and granddaughter Kathy. They also called on Mr and Mrs Albert Laursen of Duniden and Mr and Mrs Lyman Case of Lakeland.

Sunday dinner guest of Mr and Mrs Derrill Shinabery were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs James Case and family of Okemos.

## EUREKA CHURCH NEWS:

Communion Sunday will be this Sunday with the Rev Jack Barlow at the Eureka Congregational Christian Church. A fellowship dinner will be held in the Church dining room following the worship hour.

Last Sunday was Youth Sunday with Shirley Pettigrew acting as Sunday School Superintendent, Marlene Snyder reading the Scripture and Debbie Wickwire giving the prayer. Ushers and secretaries were Jay Larsen and Marlene Snyder.

Women's Fellowship of the Eureka Congregational Christian Church met last Wednesday evening in the Parsonage basement with 14 present. Mrs Otto Gower had charge of the candlelight installation of new officers. Each in turn lighted their candle from Mrs Gower's. New officers are president, Mrs Ross (Dorothy) Henry; vice president, Mrs Robert (Doreen) Kridner and secretary-treasurer, Mrs Jay (Janet) Wierman. Mrs Henry then held the business meeting. The rest of the evening was spent cleaning the parsonage. Special thanks to Ross Henry, Guy Snyder and Bill Blank for their help

also. The Barlows, who have moved to Huntington, Ind., stayed Saturday night in the parsonage, as he still returns to fill the pulpit until there is a replacement for him. Refreshments were served by Mrs Guy Snyder and Mrs J.D. Robinson.

The Youth Pilgrim Fellowship will meet Sunday at 6:30 at the parsonage.

Pastor and Mrs Jack Barlow, Jack and Kimberly were Sunday, Dec. 31, dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Robert Lewis and family.

Mr and Mrs Roger Shutes, Scott and Tracy of Cadillac were last Saturday lunch and supper guests of Mr and Mrs Gordon Waggoner, Gloria and Linda.

Mr and Mrs Ivan Clark went to Houghton Lake last Wednesday where they stayed at the cottage with Mr and Mrs Milford Clark. Both families returned to their homes Sunday afternoon.

## East Victor

By Mrs Ray Ketchum

Mr and Mrs Robert Scott and family of Seattle, Wash., have been spending several days with his parents, Mr and Mrs Ray Scott.

Mr and Mrs Ray Ketchum entertained their Pedro Club Saturday evening. High prizes went to Eda White and Lloyd

Beckwith and low to Vesta Sleight and Edward Sleight.

The Victor Civic Club will hold their family night with Mr and Mrs Oscar Hall with a potluck supper Jan. 18 at 7.

Aaron Bishop who is in the Navy spent the holidays with his parents Mr and Mrs Herbert Bishop and is now stationed at Port Hueneme, Calif.

Mrs Eda White spent Sunday in Lansing with her daughter, Mrs Helen Weston and family.

## Riley and Olive

By Mrs Goldie Moore

The Olive's 4-H Projects Club had an ice skating party Saturday afternoon. Over 40 members and their families attended. They are sponsoring a roller skating party at the St. Johns Roller Rink Wednesday, Jan. 24, from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m.

Timothy Charles Blizard left the hospital and has joined his parents, Mr and Mrs Dale Blizard and Brian.

Mr and Mrs Fred Sehke and Julianne of Fowler were New Year's dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Ray Moore. Mr and Mrs Lewis Slim of Riley were evening visitors.

Mr and Mrs Robert Fedewa and Bernard returned home this week after vacationing in Florida for three weeks.

## DeWitt

By Virginia Ackerman

Mr and Mrs Russell Sibley entertained Mr and Mrs Allen Stampfly, Mr and Mrs Alger Sibley, and Miss Margaret Zimmerman of Alma for dinner New Year's Day.

Mr and Mrs Henry Hefner left DeWitt Monday for a six week vacation in Florida.

Mr and Mrs Richard Comer and Mr and Mrs Harold Tiedt of Detroit; Mr and Mrs Herman Hopp, Mr John Hopp, and Mrs Elvora Flegler spent New Year's Day with Mr and Mrs Andrew Flegler.

Miss Linda White, daughter of Mr and Mrs Allen (Jim) White was installed as honored queen of DeWitt Bethel No. 46 Saturday evening, Jan. 6, at the Masonic Temple.

SR Philip J. Bartsh U.S.N. 353-38-83, son of Mr and Mrs Thomas Bartsh of RodiDon subdivision, left Dec. 19, for Great Lakes Naval Training Station. His address is: Company 653-23rd Battalion Recruit Training Command Great Lakes, Illinois, 60088. Mr and Mrs Judd Spayde of Saginaw spent the weekend with the Burton Flynns.

Mrs Judy Peterson and family, left Tuesday for Bradenton, Fla.

## notes from

# the bookshelf

By HILA BROSS Librarian

Bement Public Library



The board and staff of Bement Public Library, with the rest of the community, were saddened by the sudden passing of Mr Basil Delbert. Mr Delbert was a former member of the Library Board and its immediate past president. He was also a former member of the Board of Central Michigan Library System, to which the local library is a member.

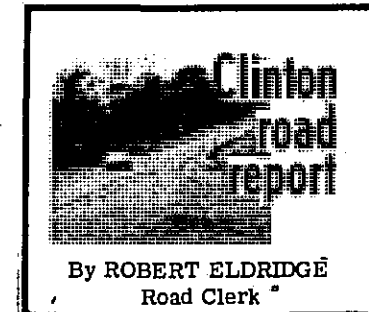
At its regular meeting on Thursday night, the Board of Bement Library voted to close the library during the time of Mr Delbert's funeral services on Friday. They also voted to place two books in the library as memorials to him. One is, AN ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF THE OLYMPICS by Richard Sheap. The other is, THE AMERICAN HERITAGE HISTORY OF THE GREAT WEST.

ANOTHER BOOK has been given to the library in memory of Mr Delbert by the former librarian, Mrs Harold Millman, and three former Board members with whom he served, Mrs Lee DeWitt, Mrs Robert Merrill, and Mrs Beulah Ballantine.

The book they chose, recently published by Eerdman's in Grand Rapids, is A PICTORIAL HISTORY OF MICHIGAN by George S. May. The author is Associate Professor of History at Eastern Michigan University in Ypsilanti, and the book is a publication of the John M. Munson Michigan History Fund. It was sponsored by the Michigan Historical Commission of the Department of State.

The PICTORIAL HISTORY OF MICHIGAN covers the early years of our state's development, spanning the period from the earliest French explorations to the urban expansion of the late nineteenth century. It is hoped that Author May will pick up the thread where he has dropped it and bring us up to date sometime in the near future.

This book contains a great deal of excellent photography. The cover is especially unusual, having as its focal point a close-up of a Petoskey stone on a background of Lake Michigan beach sand.



By ROBERT ELDRIDGE Road Clerk

Although we have not had to contend with any great amount of snow removal this winter, ice removal has been a larger problem than normal. So far this season, we have already purchased 272 tons of salt.

As this column is being written, every available salt spreading truck is out applying salt to all the hard surfaced roads in the county. Scrapers are preceding the salt trucks to remove the light snow before it becomes packed hard. More salt is on the way, we have ordered another two loads to keep our supply constant.

LAST WEDNESDAY, 3 Jan., the first regular meeting of the new year was held by the Road Commission. The first item of business was the reading of a letter of resignation, from the Board, by Mr Bernard Zeeb. Mr Zeeb expressed deep appreciation for the many years he was privileged to serve on the Commission and for the memories he will retain of the associations this membership brought. Our only comment is, that the Commission was privileged in having Mr Zeeb's services these past nine years.

Paul Nobis was elected chairman of the Board for the coming year as the next order of business.

AT THE REQUEST of Mr Spaulding of Industrial Phosphating Corp., permission was granted to move, occasionally, 50 ton gross loads over the first two miles of Price Road east of US-27. This would allow access for these loads to the Company's plant on South Krepps Road. Approval was also given to Mr Kronk's plans for a B-1 trailer park subdivision, just south off Ann Drive, near Park Lake. When completed, this will be the first area in the county, laid out like a regular subdivision, on which large one and two section house trailers will be allowed to locate permanently.

## Krepps District

By Mrs Lucille Heibek

Mr and Mrs Joseph Smith attended the open house in honor of Mr and Mrs Lyle Fenner Sunday afternoon. Later they called on Mrs Elizabeth Fedewa of Westphalia.

Mr and Mrs Jerome Smith and family of Westphalia, Mr and Mrs Joe Houska and family of rural Elsie, Mr and Mrs John Kusnier and family of Elsie and Mr and Mrs Julius C. Thelen of St. Johns surprised Mr and Mrs Carl Thelen at their home with a basket dinner in observance of their 28th wedding anniversary Sunday.

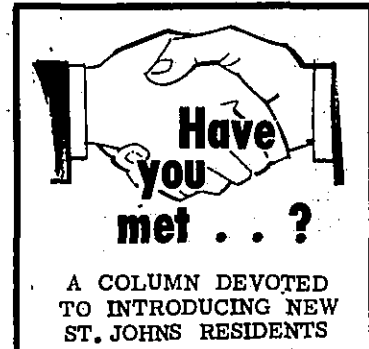
Mr and Mrs Paul Duski were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Joe Cermak of Owosso. In the evening they called on Mr and Mrs Fred Gunnell of the same city.

Mr and Mrs Richard Cräper spent the weekend near Atlanta rabbit hunting. Mr and Mrs Floyd Betzer of rural Elsie called on Mr and Mrs Edwin Heibek Sunday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Clarence Coleman of Chesaning were recent callers at the Edwin Heibek home.

Mrs Virgil Mc Ginns and family of Ionia spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Kenneth Heibek.

Mr and Mrs Jack Cornell and family attended the 30th wedding anniversary open house in honor of Mr and Mrs Lyle Fenner Sunday afternoon.



A COLUMN DEVOTED TO INTRODUCING NEW ST. JOHNS RESIDENTS

OLIA FRASURE and his wife Amy and their children David 11, Larry 9 and Tami 3 are new residents at 509 S. Traver, St. Johns. Frasure is a salesman for the Boyertown Casket Company having transferred from Edmore.

JOHN H. WILLIAMSTON and his wife Sharon and their children Jeff 5 1/2 and Mark 3 1/2 reside at 300 N. Kibbee. Williamston is employed as the manager of the St. Johns Co-operative Company. Previous residence was Leslie where he was the manager of the co-operative located there.

RUSSELL J. BENDER and his wife Leatrice and their children David 11, Robin 6, Cathy 1, Jolee Ann 9 and Cheryl 3 are new residents at 104 S. Swegles. Bender is employed with Oldsmobile in Lansing. They are former residents of Chapin. Mrs Bender is employed at the Chrysler Trim Plant of Lyons.

## Price District

By Mrs Harold Crowley

# 11 at Price WSCS meeting

The WSCS of the Price Methodist Church recently met at the church for a dinner meeting with the Ashleys as hostesses. The program and devotionals were given by Miss Mildred Ashley with the theme of the program being "Christmas".

The business meeting was conducted by Mrs Russell Ormsby. There were 11 members present with 12 calls made and 11 cards reported as sent. Several acknowledgments of thanks were read and given from men and women in the service to whom the WSCS sent boxes of cookies at Christmas time.

It was decided to clean the church Jan. 3 beginning at 9 a.m.

The next regular meeting will be Wednesday, Jan. 31, with Mrs Ralph Shumaker and Mrs Richard Curtis as hostesses. Mrs Helen Hunt will conduct the program and devotionals. The study of "The Response of the Church in Changing Japan" will also be started at this meeting.

## Church women recall

# 1967's accomplishments

The Church Women United have completed a successful year.

World Day of Prayer, in February of 1967, was held at the Congregational Church in St. Johns. Only about 50 were present due to blocked roads caused by a snow storm. Greenbush, Lowe and Maple Rapids churches were in charge of the program. Rev Keith Bovee was the speaker.

The May Fellowship at the Greenbush Methodist Church was attended by 85 representing 13 churches in Clinton county and \$96 was allocated for migrant work. Congregational and Bingham EUB churches were in charge of the program. A panel comprised of Mrs Earl Canfield,

county nurse, Mrs Churchill and Dan Nable of Lansing and Mrs Richard Amstutz acting as moderator discussed "Race Relations and our Responsibilities as Christians."

IN NOVEMBER, World Community Day was held at the DeWitt Community Church and was attended by about 50. The Price and Bengal EUB churches were in charge of the program titled "Who Shall Separate Us." The speaker, Mrs Hartz, wife CROP secretary, made us realize the great need of the CROP Program in the less fortunate countries. Layettes and children's outfits along with 200 dollars was sent to disaster countries for blankets and material for sewing. Eleven churches were represented.

The annual meeting is to be held at the St. Johns Episcopal Church Jan. 19. The business meeting will be at 10:30 with the election and installation of officers for 1968. A potluck luncheon will be at 12:30, followed by guest speaker Andrew Hewitt, a young college graduate working with Church Women United as program coordinator. He will show color slides and tell about Migrant Ministry Work of Michigan.

## City Brevities

Army Pvt. Theodore K. Halitsky returned to Alabama after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr and Mrs Nick Halitsky of 422 Meadowview Drive.

Pvt Halitsky is taking a five week course in helicopter maintenance at the Army Aviation School in Fort Rucker.

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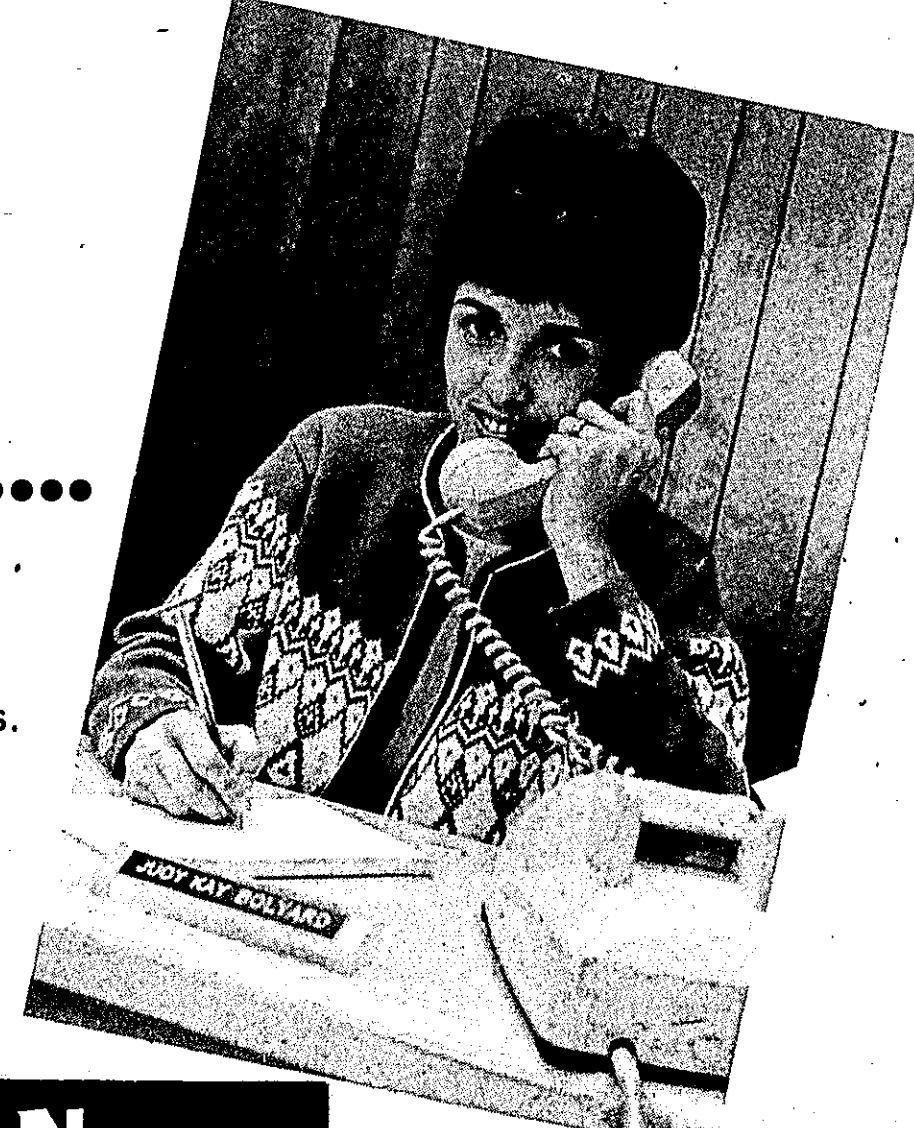
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# Shepardsville

By LUCILLE SPENCER, Correspondent

## Ovid's history reviewed

Thirty-three members and guests enjoyed a potluck dinner at the Shepardsville Church Friday, Jan. 5, when the Ovid-Duplain Library Club had as their guests the ladies of the Elsie Literary Club and different ladies of the community. The committee for this meeting was Mrs Harold Smith, Mrs Chauncey Green, and Miss Loretta Lang.

The guest speaker for the day was Mrs James Whittemore, who gave a review of her new book on the early history of the village of Ovid. The people of Ovid were of much help to her. To have a picture of Ovid's first industry, the manufacture of carriages, she copied the picture from an older picture. It was well-reproduced in the book. There is a lot of work in making just a small book. She explained in detail how the book was put together. It cost \$4,000 to get the book published. Mrs Whittemore stated that she received nothing for her work. Part of the proceeds will be used toward the building of a new park where the village dump now is. The book was published in Marceline, Mo. She said that it was a challenge but would do it again. A year and a half was spent in getting the material together. It covers the years from 1843 through 1967.

The closing song was "God Bless America." There was a short recess while the guests excused themselves and went home. Mrs Charles Walker presided over the business meeting. She read a memorial poem in memory of Mrs Chandler Gleason, who passed away Dec. 12. There were usual reports. The Pledge of Allegiance and the Collect were repeated.

Roll call was answered by recalling early memories of Ovid. Some things were brought out that were not mentioned in Mrs Whittemore's book. Mrs Chauncey Green was asked by the president to take Mrs Gleason's place as religious chairman. CARDS OF thanks were read from the Gleason Family and from the Traverse City Hospital.

The next meeting is to be Feb. 2 at the home of Mrs Harold Frisbie. It will be a dessert luncheon, with Mrs Clarence Mead and Mrs Robert Hebel Sr. as co-hostesses. The time is 1 p.m. There is to be a Valentine exchange. The program will be in charge of Mrs John Spencer and Mrs Ralph Baker. The title is "God Provides Through Nature." It is hoped that the committee chairman will be able to make some of their reports.

Mr and Mrs Forest Sloat and daughter and Glen Wisner were among the guests who attended the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr and Mrs Clem Basher of Owosso a short while ago.

Mrs Douglas Leonard and son of Kalamazoo were recent guests of their mother and grandmother, Mrs Charles Olson Sr. Donald Fox spent the holidays with his parents, wife and grandmother, Mr and Mrs Ronald Fox and Mrs Albert Pellow. Fox is returning to San Diego with his wife and infant son. He will be stationed there for sometime. He was aboard the USS Fox and this was his first furlough home for quite sometime.

Mrs Lucile Pellow, along with Rev and Mrs Glen Frye of Lansing and Mrs Theda Pallas of Capac called on Mr and Mrs Leo Hines of Houghton Lake recently. While Donald Fox was home on furlough, they called on his wife's parents in Toronto, Ontario. Sp-4 Leslie Sloat is spending a 30-day furlough at the home of his parents, Mr and Mrs Forest Sloat. He expects to leave soon for overseas duty.

Max Miller, who resides on Kinley Road, is confined to the Owosso Memorial Hospital for treatment and observation. His room number is 164 in the intensive care unit. He would appreciate hearing from his friends.

Joseph Coleman, son of Mr and Mrs Robert Coleman, is home from the hospital. His leg is in a cast and he will be confined for eight weeks. Joe Coleman, his grandfather, is confined to Clinton Memorial Hospital for treatment and observation. His room number is 202 and he would appreciate hearing from his friends.

Jan 15 the men of the church will honor the ladies with their Annual Ladies Night meeting. The potluck supper will start at 7:30.

Monday morning the thermometer recorded -28 degrees at Paradise, Mich. and -8 degrees at Hell, Mich. For once, at least, it was a lot warmer in Hell than in Paradise. It was later reported that it was so cold in Hell that all the mail went to Florida.

Mr and Mrs Steve Komives had as Saturday guests, Mr and Mrs Bill Muller and family of Detroit.

Jan. 11 at 8 p.m. the WSCS will meet at the church for the General Meeting. The program will be in charge of the Berean Circle. It will be a Memorial Service, honoring the late president, Mrs Chandler Gleason. Jan 14 and 28 the MYF will meet at the church from 6 to 7:30 p.m.

Jan. 20 The Methodist Men of the Price Church have asked the Methodist Men from Shepardsville and their families to be their guests.

Jan. 20 The Junior Choir practice is at 1 p.m. Mrs Don Dietrich opened her home for a baby shower for Mrs Susan Leonard. The hostesses for the evening were Miss Marie Dietrich and Miss Diana Parker. There were 16 guests present from Owosso, Perry, Dewitt, Price, Ovid and St. Johns. It was mostly a family affair. An appropriately decorated cake was served with jello, punch and coffee. The table was centered with a pink and blue baby buggy.

Mrs William Keck is now at her home. Her sister, Mrs Grace Baker, is staying with her.

Mrs Jesse Ferrall of Crystal spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs Oral Elliott. Mrs Ferrall and Mrs Elliott and Rosemary spent New Years with Mrs Elliott's daughter, Mr and Mrs Harold Cramer.

Mrs Lulu Emery had as callers Saturday, her niece, Katherine Rockafella of Lennon and her two sisters, one from Durand and one from Owosso. Marvin Stump of Kalamazoo was a recent caller of his sister, Mrs Oral Elliott.

Mr and Mrs Max Walasek had as guests over the recent holidays Mr and Mrs George Stahl and family of East Gary, Ind.

Mr and Mrs Kenneth McDermid of Garden City were Sunday callers of Mrs Joe Orweller, Staff Sgt. Craig D. Gibbons, his wife and two sons spent the Christmas holidays with Mrs Gibbons' parents, Mr and Mrs George Parmenter. They live in Long Island, N.Y. He is stationed at Floyd Bennett Field.

## Wacousta

Mrs Edward Kraft—627-2039

Spring Creek Circle will meet today for 12:30 luncheon with Mrs Gerald Starling on Forrest Hill Rd.

The WSCS Executive Board will meet Monday afternoon at 1:30 in the Church Lounge.

The WSCS Annual Mens Night potluck will be held Wednesday, Jan. 17 at 7 in the Church dining room. David Hempfling of Wesley Park Methodist Church of Wyoming will present the program. For 16 years he sang professionally under the stage name of David Hamilton. He was an Arthur Godfrey "Talent Scout" winner. WSCS members and their husbands from Trinity, Delta and Grand Ledge have been invited for the program at 8.

A public fish supper will be served Friday night from 4:30 to 8 p.m. at the Wacousta Masonic Temple.

The Neighborhood Society will meet next Thursday with Mrs Hazen Crandall on Howe Road for 12:30 potluck.

Mrs Charles Rose and Mrs Earl Beagle attended the funeral of a cousin, Helen Martin in St. Johns, Thursday.

Mrs Ivan Bancroft has returned home after spending nearly four weeks with her daughter, Mrs Donald Koepfen and family of near Maple Rapids.

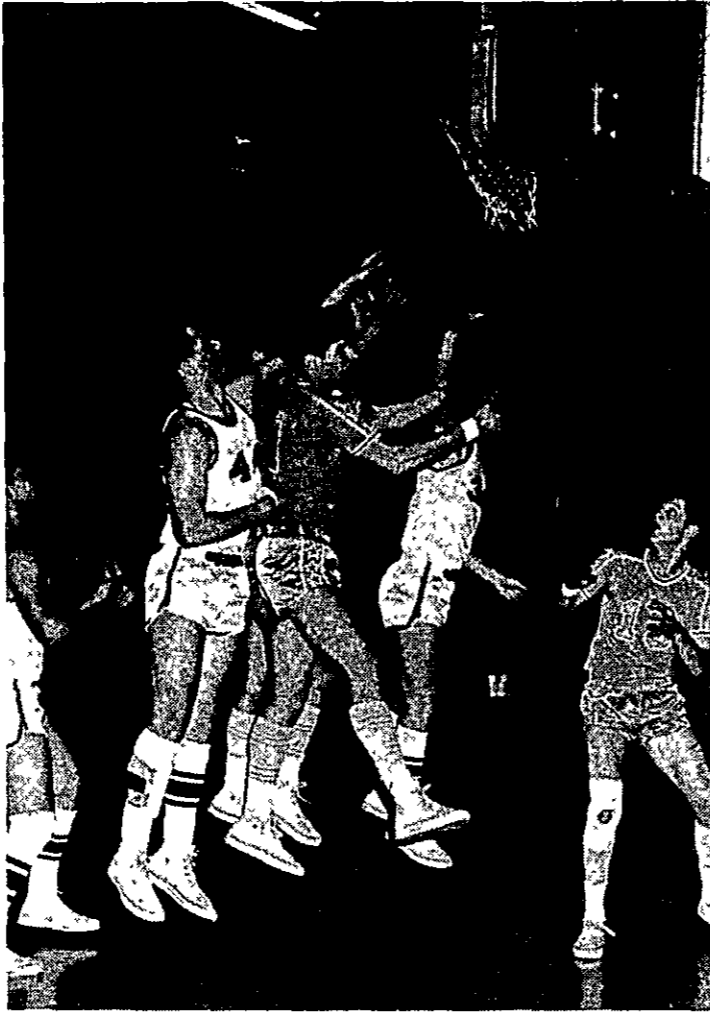
Mr and Mrs Allan Trommter have returned from their schooling in Oxford, England. They arrived at the home of their parents, Mr and Mrs Glen Trommter New Year's Day.

Mr and Mrs Edward Kraft attended the golden wedding anniversary open house Sunday, honoring Mr and Mrs A. J. Luxan at Hinton township hall.

Mrs Ona Watson was brought home for the New Year's weekend by ambulance and returned by same to a convalescent home in Lansing.

Douglas Candler was pike fishing at Fletchers Pond last week. He returned with a nice catch.

Mrs Jay Friday entertained her Bridge Club Tuesday evening.



EVERYBODY WANTS THE BALL

There was lots of action under the boards in Friday night's Ovid-Elsie vs Ithaca game, and by-and-large O-E got the better end of it. . . even here. Bob Orlovski of Ithaca (41) appears to have this rebound, but it was hooked away by Ovid-Elsie's L. D. Jones (30). Jerry Weir (44) of Ovid-Elsie got in on the action, while Cesarario Garcia (left) of O-E and Vic Beard (13) of Ithaca get ready to help.

## Pewamo

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

### ADOPTION

Mr and Mrs Richard Klein announce the adoption of a son Friday, Dec. 29. He has been named Bruce. Bruce was born Monday, Dec. 1 and weighed 8 pounds and 3 ounces. Bruce has one sister Shirley and one brother Kevin.

Brian Alan, son of Mr and Mrs Philip C. Smith, was baptized Sunday, Dec. 31. Monsignor Bolger officiated. The godparents are Alan Thelen and Julie Ann Thelen. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Julius C. Thelen and Mrs Dora Smith. Brian was born Dec. 23.

Mr and Mrs James Cotter Sr were New Year's Day dinner guests of Mrs Clara Caston and Tim Wirtz.

Rev Fr Cook of Dowagiac and his two sisters, Marie and Aurelia Cook of Pewamo, were visitors of Mr and Mrs Marvin Thelen and family of Fowler and Mr and Mrs Leon Thelen and family of rural St. Johns Wednesday, Dec. 27.

Julie Ann, daughter of Mr and Mrs Gilbert Droste of Grand Ledge, was born at St. Lawrence hospital Dec. 29 and weighed 8 pounds and 10 ounces. Ed Droste of Pewamo is the grandfather. Julie Ann is his 15th grandchild.

Brother Filbert of Notre Dame spent a few days with John B. Simon and Josephine Simon during the holidays.

Mrs Altha Mitchell and her daughter, Betty O. Handusky of Comstock Park, Grand Rapids, were visitors of Frank and Arnold Hattis Christmas Day. It was Mrs Mitchell's first trip since last June when she was seriously injured in an automobile accident.

Mrs Vera Cook and Mrs Joan Daniels spent New Year's Day with Mr and Mrs Leon Thelen and family of rural St. Johns.

Mrs Clara Caston and Tim Wirtz were Christmas Day dinner guests of Dr and Mrs Leslie Coston of Hastings.

Mrs Mildred Fox returned home Tuesday after spending Christmas and New Year's Day with Mr and Mrs Arthur Bussa and family and Marjorie Fox of Detroit.

Mr and Mrs Ed Parsey and two daughters and Mrs Lottie O'Conner of Ionia and daughter Hanora, of Rochester were recent visitors of Mrs Pauline Hauck.

Mr and Mrs Carl Ohren and son, Peter, of Grand Rapids and Sister Phyllis of Chesaning were callers of Mrs Pauline Hauck last Sunday.

Mrs Hilda Schafer had Christmas dinner for her family, Mr and Mrs Bernard Schafer, Mr and Mrs Henry J. Schafer, Mr and Mrs Roy Howorth and Mr and Mrs Francis Feldpausch and their families; Sister Marie Diane of Grand Rapids and Kenneth Schafer Sunday, Dec. 31.

Last Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs David Baxter and Viola Smith of Hastings were Mrs Clara Caston and Tim Wirtz.

Mr and Mrs Joseph L. Fox and their family had a Christmas potluck and gift exchange at the 21 Club. Present were Mr and Mrs William S. Fox of Vermontville, Mr and Mrs Stanley Fox of rural Fowler, Mr and Mrs Carl Fox of Pewamo, Mr and Mrs Herm Schneider of Westphalia, Mr and Mrs Don Mallow of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Richard Fox, Mr and Mrs Ambrose Fox and their families and, Mark Fox, who is in the service at Viet Nam.

Mrs Wilma Cook spent Christmas weekend with her daughter and her husband, Mr and Mrs Al Fuja and family of Durand.

Mrs Ethel Gee spent the Holidays with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Clifton Gee of Hamilton.

Holiday guests of Mr and Mrs Joseph Bower were Mr and Mrs John Kapral Sr. and Mr and Mrs John Kapral Jr. of Deerfield, Wis.

Jan. 15 the Band Booster will hold a meeting at the P.W. High school at 8 p.m.

Callers of Mr and Mrs Floyd Bissell Saturday evening were Mr and Mrs Rickard Bissell.

Miss Marian E. Sablin of Evesham, England, 85, passed away Jan. 2. She is survived by one sister, Mrs Rose Cornford of Corunna; one brother, George Sablin of Pewamo and several nieces and nephews. Funeral services were held Jan. 6.

Mr and Mrs Louis Thelen, Mr and Mrs Tony Thelen and Mr and Mrs William Thelen were visitors of their son and brother, Fr James Thelen at St. Francis DeSales parish at Muskegon. They also visited Sister Donna Jean at St. Mary's parish, Muskegon Sunday, Jan. 7.

Monday, Jan. 8, Mrs Louis Thelen and Mrs Ernest Fox were visitors of Mrs Olga Meyers and Mr and Mrs Oscar Fox at Portland.

## Northeast Eagle

Mrs Andrew Kempf Phone 627-6710

The Neighborhood Society is to meet Jan. 18 with Burtrice Crandall. Co-hostesses are Helen Kempf and Rosie Kempf and roll call by Barbara Rose. Dinner is to be at 12:30.

Mr and Mrs Tom Crandall and family, Mr and Mrs Robert Nourse and daughter, Mrs Stanley Herring and sons and Mrs Hazen Crandall were New Year's dinner guests of Mr and Mrs David Rood and family of Saranac.

Mr and Mrs Maynard Kempf, Mrs Ben Smith and Cindy Marie were Friday supper guests of Mr and Mrs Andrew Kempf. Mrs Hazen Crandall and Mrs Stanley Herring and son called on relatives in Charlotte Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Stuart Sleight and family were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Fred Biergens.

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# Duplain-Rochester Colony

By MRS. JAMES BURNHAM, Correspondent Phone 224-4045

## Washburns see space assembly facility in South

Mr and Mrs Jay Dee Washburn and children Kam, Dan and Rita of the Colony and John Craig of W. Hibbard Road have returned from Slidell, La., after spending the Christmas holidays with Washburn's sister and family, the George Huntingtons.

Before their return, the group toured the Michoud Assembly Facility in New Orleans, La., a division of the George G. Marshall Space Flight Center, National Aeronautics and Space Administration. The 900 acre plant is located on a triangular tract, 15 miles east of New Orleans off U.S. Route 90. Until 1961 the 20 year old plant had seen little use. Then after an intensive nation-wide survey, N.A.S.A. announced the use of the facility for the fabrication of large first stage space vehicles. Originally conceived as a shipyard during World War II, the plant was later used for building tank engines during the Korean conflict. Factors influencing the selection of Michoud were a 43 acre manufacturing building included with other existing buildings, the water accessibility so necessary for large rocket stage transportation and available, sparsely populated, nearby land for a static testing site. Water transportation is the only practical means of moving the mammoth Saturn launch vehicles. They are simply too large for conventional road, rail or air transport.

The party viewed the largest unit, the Saturn V's first stage which was 138 feet wide and its empty weight about 300,000 pounds. After this is assembled it is sent on a 5 to 7 day barge trip to Huntsville, Ala. for static firing tests. The barge travels up the Mississippi, Ohio and Tennessee Rivers about 1,100 miles. After testing, the booster is returned to Michoud for refurbishing and is then carried on a 5-day, 930 mile barge trip to Kennedy Space Center, Florida.

The Washburns and guest also toured the French Quarter in New Orleans but all reportedly agreed that the productive site of the Saturn boosters that will enable

man to explore the moon's surface and beyond was the highlight of the trip. To them it was a living example of how the National Aeronautics and Space Administration and American industry work together. The most complex engineering and scientific project ever undertaken by the United States -- the exploration of space.

### CHURCH HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

Annual congregational meeting was held Saturday evening at the Duplain Church of Christ. Final plans for dedication services Sunday, Jan. 14, were completed and the following new officers elected for the coming year. Luman Hall, Jack Hawes, Roy Thornton, elder; Lyle Acre, Joe Bancroft, Raymond Buck, Duane Bunce, James Burnham, Lyle Fleigel, Oren Goodrich, Elwood Holt, Lonnie McCullough, Emery Moore, Robert Risley, Roy Risley, Dale Schultheiss and Jack Schwark, deacons; Mrs Lyle Acre, Mrs Sydney Acre, Mrs Herman Baese, Mrs Joe Bancroft, Mrs Harry Beery, Mrs Raymond Buck, Mrs Duane Bunce, Mrs Lyle Fleigel, Mrs Luman Hall, Mrs Wayne Holden, Mrs Elwood Holt, Mrs Keith Kimball, Mrs Charles Mathews, Mrs Robert Risley, Mrs Dale Schultheiss and Mrs Glen Walker, deaconesses; Mrs Jack Hawes, Mrs Nida Dunham, Mrs Jack Schwark and Justin Shepard, music committee; Mrs Nida Dunham, organist with Mrs Jack Schwark, assistant; Miss Patricia Burnham, clerk; Mrs James Burnham, financial secretary; Mrs Oren Goodrich, treasurer; Mrs Lonnie McCullough, missionary treasurer and Robert Risley, trustee for a 3 year term replacing Dale Schultheiss whose term expired.

### FELLOWSHIP MEETS

Women's Fellowship of the Church of Christ met Tuesday evening with Mrs Joe Bancroft with 18 members present. After a short business meeting, the lesson for the evening, Blueprints for a New Year, was presented by Mrs James Burnham. With Mrs Keith Kimball reading the scripture. Refreshments were served with Mrs Robert Risley assisting. The February meeting will be at the home of Mrs Roy Thornton Feb. 6.

Mrs Ray A. Hamer of N. Watson Road was a guest of Mrs Al Rademacher, Friday, Jan. 5, at the Ovid-Duplain Women's Library Club in the Shepardsville Methodist Church educational rooms. Following a 12:30 p.m. luncheon, Mrs Edna Whittemore, author of the book, "The History of Ovid," spoke on the composition, material, time and effort involved, as well as the challenge of the book presented before final publication. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs Elsie Frisbie for a 12:30 p.m. dessert luncheon Friday, Feb. 2.

Mrs Walter Kaufman Sr returned to her home on E. Colony Road Friday, Jan. 5 after being a patient at Clinton Memorial Hospital for nearly 10 weeks. S.R. Gordon Shipley returned to Great Lakes Naval Training Center Jan. 1 after spending Christmas with his parents, Mr and Mrs Harold Shipley of Walker Road.

Rochester Colony Community Club will meet at Community Hall Saturday, Jan. 20, at 8 p.m.

Sunday, Jan. 7, Harold Pease, Kirk Burl, Rod Andrus, Jeff Burl, Clarence Temple and Mike and Pat Pohl formed an ice-fishing party and went spearing on Maple River near the Temple residence. John and Michael Burnham of rural St. Johns returned to their studies at Michigan State University this past week after spending the holidays with their parents.

Mr and Mrs Luman Hall called Wednesday on Mr and Mrs Ralph Woodard at Rock Lake.

Mr and Mrs Nell Hall and family returned Sunday from spending two weeks vacationing in Florida and Mississippi.

## Alward-Plowman District

By Bernice L. Wohlfert

New Year's Eve, Mr and Mrs Al Wickerham entertained the neighborhood card party. Kurt Blizzard of Lansing spent a couple days during vacation with Roger Wickerham.

Lewis Phillips was a guest of Mr and Mrs Ronn Phillips for Christmas.

Mr and Mrs Fred Strouse were guests of Mr and Mrs Jack Wohlfert New Year's Day. Sunday Mr and Mrs Robert Secord Sr., Larry and Kathy and Mr and Mrs Dennis Rathbun visited Mr and Mrs Duane Foster and family at Wheeler.

New Year's Day guests of the Secords were Mr and Mrs Robert Secord Jr. and baby.

Mrs Jack Wohlfert was a Thursday supper guest of Miss Betty Wohlfert and roommates at Lansing.

Mrs Robert Secord Sr. called on Mrs J.B. Maxwell of near Ithaca Wednesday.

Mr and Mrs Lyle Smith arrived home Thursday evening after spending the Holidays with their son and his wife, M. Sgt. Glenn Smith and family at Holloman Air Force Base at Alamogordo, N.M. Mr and Mrs Roger Smith and family from Canoga Park, N.M., were also guests of the Glenn Smiths. When the Smiths arrived home from their vacation their sons and their wives, Mr and Mrs Jerry Smith and family and Mr and Mrs Rolland Smith and girls had dinner waiting at their home. They also visited Clarence Hickerson at St. Lawrence Hospital Thursday evening.

Callers recently of Mrs Lottie Martzke were Mr and Mrs Thomas Rae of Grand Ledge, Allen Rae of Ononadaga, Mr and Mrs Leo Martzke and Celon Martzke from Lansing.

Roger Wickerham and Kurt Blizzard were New Year's Eve guests of Daryell Peck.

New Year's Day Mr and Mrs Eric Sames and Mr and Mrs John Sames and daughter from Southfield were guests of Mr and Mrs Walt March. The Eric Sames spent the night with the Marches.

Tuesday the Marches visited Mrs Lucy Slocum at Hubbardston.

Friday morning Mrs Jerry Prias and Todd called on the Marches. Mr and Mrs Raymond Barnes were Friday supper guests. Mrs Barnes and Mrs March visited Mrs Maude Ballinger at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Mr and Mrs John Kurnez were also Friday evening callers. Miss Marsha Schavey was an overnight guest Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Bud Wohlfert were Saturday evening callers of Mr and Mrs Jack Wohlfert. Sunday the Wohlferts called on Mrs George Wohlfert and Mr and Mrs Clarence Sprayman at Lansing.

Mr and Mrs Robert Volsinet visited Mr and Mrs Roy Cowell at Morris Saturday evening. Debbie and Paul Cowles spent the weekend at Owosso with Mr and Mrs Leo Cowles and Patti.

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4-BEDROOM, 2-story Colonial, 3 baths, family room with fireplace, formal dining room, U shaped kitchen with built-in dishwasher, disposal, GE stove and oven. Partial brick front, large 2-car garage. Located in Prince Estates. Will consider trade.

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FOR SALE or trade—2 bedroom cottage on Little Field Lake; furnished, with boat and motor included. Would like to sell or trade on a 2 or 3 bedroom home in St. Johns. Phone 224-7407. 38-3p

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2-Story Colonial

4 bedrooms, fireplace, family room, lovely kitchen. 109 Oak Street.

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FOR INFORMATION:

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3 pc. bath; 4 pc. bath down. Paneled kitchen, garbage disposal, lots of cupboards. Large living room and dining room with hardwood floors; gas heat and new gas water heater. Aluminum siding, aluminum combination windows and doors. Large corner lot. Near Swegles School; phone 224-7092. 37-3p

Real Estate

S. Lansing St.—New 7-room ranch type house with 4 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, nice kitchen, lots of cupboards, garbage disposal, oak floors, dining area. Large living room, full basement, gas furnace. Garage with workshop. Immediate possession. Terms.

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5-bedroom home in Maple Rapids with wall-to-wall plush carpet throughout. 1 1/2 baths and new gas furnace. Immaculate like new condition. Owner leaving state is the reason for selling. Appraised higher than the asking price.

S. Oakland — 6-room brick on approximately 2-acre lot, 3 bedrooms, large living room, dining room, full basement. Gas furnace. New roof.

Marion House Trailer in park. Washer and dryer, 3 bedrooms, large carpeted living room, refrigerator and gas stove in kitchen. Real nice at a reduced price.

Lot on S. Clinton, 68x165, \$2,000.

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WANTED — A full time salesman.

Jessie M. Conley Broker

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★ FOR SALE REAL ESTATE

2 BEDROOM, small home for sale; garage, partial basement, located in Ovid at 223 W. Pearl. Inquire at 141 E. Front Street. 36-3p

80 ACRES of level high productive soil; modern cattle and hog feeding set up; two 35 x 70 barns with Harvestor Silo; Also 40 acres with Modern Home and 40 acres with no buildings. For information call Roy Court, 824-3412; 1 mile east, 1 mile south and 1/4 mile east of Pewamo. 37-3p

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COUNTRY HOME for rent, new furnace, insulation; 2 1/2 miles north of DeWitt on DeWitt Road. References; call 669-9972 after 5:30 p.m. weekdays, anytime weekends. 38-2p

FOR RENT at the new Country-side Manor; two bedroom apartments, semi-furnished, have to be seen to be appreciated; no pets. For further details or appointment call 834-5229 Ovid before 8 a.m. or after 5 p.m. Roy & Ila Thornton, proprietor. 38-2

CABIN FOR RENT, furnished with housekeeping. Adults only; Idlewild Court, Phone 224-2724. 38-1p

SERVICE STATION for rent by Major Oil Company. Excellent location, good potential. Paid training program. Financial assistance to right party. For information call 224-3784. 29-1f

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Real Estate

Just outside of Ovid on M-21, a beautiful 2-year-old, 3-bedroom tri-level home on large lot. Has gas, hot water heat and a large recreation room with fireplace. Many kitchen built-ins are included along with carpeting in most rooms. Also has a large 2-car heated garage.

Two 4-bedroom homes, inside of Village of Ovid. Close to downtown area. Look these over if you need living space. Nice location in Ovid. 2-bedroom house with garage and a breezeway. Excellent condition and very nicely landscaped.

Lake front cottage near Stanton, Michigan. 2 bedrooms, furnished, with 100 feet of lake front. If you are looking for a spot less than one hour away, this could be it.

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WAITRESS WANTED—Apply in person at Daley's Fine Food, St. Johns, Michigan. 38-1f

WANTED—someone to pick eight acres of corn. Corner of Airport Road and Pratt Road, Jack Wohlert, 7746 Airport Road. 38-2dh

MINNESOTA WOOLEN Fashion Wagon has openings for ladies part time to show beautiful fashions. No experience necessary. If you can work 3 evenings a week, have car and drive, and want a high income and free \$300 wardrobe, call 224-2685 area code 517 (call collect) or write Mrs Shirley Mygrants, R-5, St. Johns, Michigan, 38-3

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Male and Female Classifications

WELDERS TACKERS WELDER TRAINEES Apply at Ashley Corporation ASHLEY, MICH. Office Hours Monday thru Friday 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. 38-2

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CUSTOM CORN Shelling with Gleaner A. Narrow rows or wide rows. Call 842-3749 or 224-7485. 38-3p

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RIDE NEEDED! St. Johns to Mt. Pleasant — CMU, Spring Term. Call Collect after 6 p.m.; Grand Ledge 627-7847. 37-3p

WELL FINANCED hardwood sawmill wishes to make connection with reliable log producer. We're willing to buy all species as produced on a year around basis. Write Box V, Clinton County News, St. Johns, Michigan. 38-2p

WANTED—All kinds of hay and straw—phone 669-3268, DeWitt. Please call evenings. 29-1f

★ HELP WANTED

MEN OR WOMEN: Full or part time help, year round work on community type program, insurrounding area. Good pay and bonus to anyone who wants to work; must have own transportation. Reply to Box H giving name and phone number to Clinton County News. 35-4

Registered Pharmacist

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Call Personnel Department LANSING GENERAL HOSPITAL Monday through Friday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. 372-8220, Extension 202-203 34-6

★ HELP WANTED

WE NEED more people who are tired of making installment payments at entirely too many places. We can consolidate all accounts up to \$1,000 and give you a re-payment schedule that will leave you with more "spendable" money each payday. LOCAL LOAN, 108 E. Higham, St. Johns, Phone 224-3926. 36-1f

JOB OPPORTUNITY

in artificial insemination of cattle. An ideal source of extra income for father and son farm operation, or to supplement your present job, etc. Local, established business assures immediate income. For details write

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SILVER certificates and silver dollars wanted. Pay 20% over face value. Phone 224-2724. 38-1p

USED FURNITURE wanted of all kinds. Phone 834-2287, Parker's Furniture, Ovid. 15-1f

WANTED

BALED HAY OF ALL KINDS Can also use off-grade hay.

E. L. Adams and Son Phone 437-7524, Hillsdale 38-2p

WANTED TO RENT—garage for storage; phone 224-3170. 38-1p

HAVE YOU EVER wondered why your neighbors have more money to spend for the things they want than you do? It's possible that they have consolidated all their monthly payment accounts into a one-payment program at our office. List your accounts and come in, today. LOCAL LOAN, 108 E. Higham, St. Johns, Phone 224-3926. 36-1f

★ LOST AND FOUND

\$100 REWARD for lost Weimaraner dog; gray, short hair male pointer. Phone Joel Miller, 641-6677, Bath. 38-1f

LOST: Farmer Influence is lost without strong organization. Join the organization that keeps its head in a crisis—FARM BUREAU. 38-3

★ NOTICES

LEARN TO Square Dance! New class starts Monday, January 22, from 8 to 10 p.m., at the DeWitt Junior High School. Russ Farr is the caller. Phone 669-9824 or 669-9310 for information. 38-3p

NEED MONEY? State and local governments need money too and will get it. Will more and more of it come from your property tax? Bring about property tax reform—JOIN FARM BUREAU 38-3

RILEY TWP. Board will hold a regular meeting at the Twp. Hall, Monday, January 15, 1968 at 8 p.m. Elmer W. Marten, Clerk. 38-1p

HAVE OPENING for one at Marion's Rest Home in Eureka. Marion Sohn owner. Phone 224-7083. 37-1f

ON AND AFTER this date, I will not be responsible for debts other than those contracted by myself. Terry F. Sillman. 37-3p

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of the STATE JOURNAL North of M-21, call Mrs Devereaux—224-2657 and South of M-21, call Mrs Romig—224-3591 36-3

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NOTICE:

Our office will be closed until further notice. For Real Estate Service call: Wheeler Wilson—224-7404 William Holley—224-7580 or Gladys Hankey—224-2198

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6371 North US-27 35-1f

I WILL NOT BE responsible for any debts contracted in my name other than myself after this date, Dec. 28, 1967, Frederick O. Matice. 36-3p

NOTICE—Persons observed stealing the coin boxes or otherwise damaging newsstands belonging to the Clinton County News will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. 34-1f

Use Clinton County News classified ads for best results. 38-1p

★ CARDS OF THANKS

From my heart, Many "Thanks" goes to all the wonderful people who were so kind to vote for me in Parr's Rexall contest. I appreciated it very much. God Bless You All,—Peggy Jo Merignac. 38-1p

The family of Mrs Mabel Acker wish to thank the friends, neighbors and relatives for the cards, food and beautiful floral arrangements. A special thanks to the Osgood Funeral Home, Rev Roger Harrison, the bearers, the staff at the White Ledge Nursing Home, Clara Woodring, and the ladies who served the delicious meal after the funeral. Your thoughtfulness was greatly appreciated.—The family of Mrs Mabel Acker. 38-1p

My sincere thanks to Dr Henthorn, nurses, and nurses' aides for their wonderful care of me during my stay at the hospital. Many thanks also to Rev Friesen and Rev Sheen for their calls and to relatives, friends, and neighbors for cards, gifts, flowers and other acts of kindness shown to me.—Isabelle Barbour. Many thanks to my fine neighbors for the lovely plant given to me in the remembrance of my late brother William Smith. It was certainly a lovely gesture.—Mrs George VanDusser. 38-1p

We wish to thank all our relatives, neighbors and friends for the Mass offerings, money, flowers and food. Also Fr Harker and Fr Labiak, Osgood Funeral Home, and anyone who contributed to our comfort in any way. Also the ladies who prepared the dinner; all was deeply appreciated.—The family of Herman Schmitt. 38-1p

I wish to thank Dr Terpstra and Dr Mercer, nurses and nurses' aides, and the entire staff of Lansing General Hospital (2 north) for the wonderful care during my seven week stay in the hospital. Also relatives, neighbors, friends—for flowers, cards, gifts and visits. They were all greatly appreciated.—Leona Robinson. 38-1p

I wish to express thanks to Dr Dix, the hospital, Doctors, nurses and nurses' aides of Carson City Hospital for care given me while a patient there. I also want to thank WSCS of Maple Rapids Church, OES No. 76, Blue Star Mothers, relatives and friends for plants, flowers, other remembrances; and for the many cards of good wishes and Christmas Greetings sent me. May you all have a Happy New Year!—Maude Crook, Maple Rapids. 38-1p

We wish to express our thanks for the flowers and the many acts of kindness extended to us in our bereavement.—Harry Hattis, Sr., Mr and Mrs Harry Hattis, Jr., and Mr and Mrs Reese Hattis. 38-1p

Many thanks to Drs Russell and Grosz, nurses and nurses' aides; my family, relatives, neighbors and friends for wonderful care and many acts of kindness, during my stay at the hospital and since I have been home.—Maude Ballinger. 38-1p

We wish to thank, The Calvary Baptist Church, the Victor Missionary Society, Ovid Community Club, George and Emma Parker, Ivah and Charles Palen, Julia and Vern Binger for the nice Boxes of Fruit and canned goods and other packages brought us. Also all who sent us such nice cards for Christmas.—Mrs Sarah Young and Mrs Nancy Baker. 38-1p

I wish to express my sincere thanks to Drs Harris, Kozak, and Landick nurses and nurses' aides for the excellent care I received when I had my surgery at Sparrow Hospital. Many thanks to Rev Friesen for his visits, Bingham WSWs, Final Insp. Dept. at Federal Mogul; also to my relatives, friends and neighbors for the flowers, gifts, cards and calls during my stay at the hospital and since my return home.—Mrs Maxine Smit. 38-1p

The family of Paul Wakefield wishes to thank Drs Russell and Grosz, the Osgoods and the staff at Clinton Memorial Hospital for their kindness and care. Also we wish to thank Rev Gerald Churchill for his comforting words, our friends and neighbors and the Esther Circle of the First Methodist Church for the many gifts of food, flowers and expressions of sympathy shown us at the time of the loss of our husband and father—Mrs Paul Wakefield, Mr and Mrs Dean Wakefield, and Mr and Mrs David Wakefield. 38-1p

★ CARDS OF THANKS

I wish to thank all the help at Clinton Memorial Hospital for so pleasant a stay there; the nurses and nurses' aides for the care they gave me and for the kindness of the help there; for all the cards and visits received; and Dr Russell who brought me through with so little discomfort. Thanks to All,—Alice Kaufman. 38-1p

We, the family of Wesley Hathaway, wish to express our sincerest thanks to Dr Russell, our friends, relatives and neighbors for their many acts of kindness, the women of the First Methodist Church for the lovely dinner, Bee's Chevy-Olds employees and all others for their contributions. And a very special thanks to Bob Sirrine, Art Bond, and Dick Werner for their kind deed.—Mrs Wesley Hathaway, Pat Hathaway and Ken, Mr and Mrs Dale Wineland and family and Mr and Mrs Nick Blotti and family. 38-1p

I wish to thank the clergy, doctors and nurses, K of C, relatives and friends for the kindness shown me while I was at Carson City Hospital.—Ray Feldpausch. 38-1p

★ CARDS OF THANKS

We wish to thank everyone for the lovely cards, flowers, gifts and phone calls that we received for our 60th wedding anniversary.—Mr and Mrs Clifford Halsted. 38-1p

We would like to thank Rev Gerald Churchill for his comforting words, the Women's Fellowship and Vesper division of the Congregational Church and Radiant Chap. No. 79, OES for the delicious lunch. Also many thanks to the many friends and neighbors who contributed food and the many beautiful floral offerings and comforting cards. All these and the many acts of kindness have meant more than words say, at the time of the loss of our dear husband and father, John F. Dexter.—Mrs John Dexter, Mr and Mrs George Dexter, Mr and Mrs Wayne Duncel, and Mr and Mrs Van W. Hoag. 38-1p

I wish to thank my friends and relatives for cards, gifts and flowers at Christmas time and during my stay in the hospital. Also Drs Russell and Grosz, and nurses for my good care.—Claudia Hefty. 38-1p

My sincere thanks to all the friends, neighbors, relatives and the WFCS, the WSCS for the many gifts and cards sent me at Christmas time.—Mrs Fannie Frisbie. 38-1p

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# Ovid

By MRS. APHRA FIXLEY, Correspondent

Mrs. Leon Woodworth and co-chairman Mrs. Lawrence Woodworth entertained the Town and Country Extension Club Dec. 27th with a pot luck dinner at 12:30 with 10 members in attendance.

The president Mrs. Ray Jones held a brief business meeting previous to distribution of Christmas gifts and revealing of secret pals. The club cleverly presented miniature suitcases to Mrs. C.A. Sherwin and Mrs. A.H. Phelps who are leaving for Florida. The secretary Mrs. Lawrence Woodworth read a message from Mrs. Austin Woodward, a current member, touring in Calif. this winter. A message was read from Mrs. Reva Flaughter of Bellaire a former member.

Secret pals were drawn for the ensuing year. Recreation chairman conducted games and the club adjourned until January 24th when they will meet with Mrs. Irene Reed.

Mr and Mrs. Fred Dennis and family returned home Saturday after spending 2 weeks with her parents Arnold Martens at Punta Gorda, Fla.

Mrs. Hugh Dibble entered Lansing General Hospital on Thursday for treatment.

Jim Coe, son of Mr and Mrs William Coe, who has been home on a 10-day holiday leave, left Tuesday for Los Angeles and will leave from there Jan. 27 for the Gulf of Tonkin on board the Bon Homme Richard.

Mr and Mrs Clifford Saxton were weekend guests of Mr and Mrs Earl Duffey at Kingsley. Mrs. C.A. Sherwin, Mrs. A.H. Phelps and Mrs. Martha Parks of rural St. Johns left Thursday to spend three months at Lakeland, Fla.

Dee Johnson spent the weekend with friends in Kalamazoo.

Mrs. Laura Townsley is spending some time with her daughter and grandson in Dallas, Tex.

Mrs. Henry Polhamus underwent surgery in Owosso Memorial hospital Monday.

Mr and Mrs Malcolm Angell and son Ray and Mrs. Archie Buck were in Webberville last Saturday, and attended the wedding of Carl Beach and Miss Dorothy Kay Brzak at the Methodist Church.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Curtis and daughter and Mr and Mrs George Fowler and Pamela spent the weekend at Higgins Lake.

Mrs. Merle Green is a patient in Clinton Memorial hospital.



BEVERLY MEAD

## Miss Mead is honored queen

The Ovid Bethel of The International Order of Job's Daughters had a new honored queen Beverly Mead, daughter of Mr and Mrs Harold Mead of 220 W. Front Street, Ovid, who was installed Friday evening in a ceremony at the Masonic Temple.

The impressive ceremony was witnessed by 180 relatives and friends from Elsie, Owosso, Lansing, Bannister and Saginaw. The memory guest book was attended by Irene Groom, friend of the Honored Queen. Patricia Kridner, past honored queen, served as installing soloist with Mrs. Richard Allen, past honored queen, reading the 23rd Psalm. Lisa Marie Conklin, daughter of Mr and Mrs Gary Conklin of Ovid and Wade Scott Kioski, son of Mr and Mrs Russell Kioski of Ovid, served as cupids.

Past Honored Queen Gwen Baker served as installing officer and was assisted by Linda Hallead as guide; Karen Hallead, past honored queen, as marshal; Gloria Richardson, retiring honored queen, as recorder; Sheryl Watson, past honored queen, as chaplain; Pat Dunay, past honored

queen as senior custodian; Pamela Fowler as junior custodian, and Juva Lea Wilkins.

THE OTHER NEW officers installed were Senior Princess Sue Besko; Junior Princess Nancy Cross, Guide Debbie Morgan, Marshall Ruth Baker, First Messenger Sue Austin, Second Messenger Debbie Watson, Third Messenger Donna Goodrich, Fourth Messenger Cathy Rummel, Fifth Messenger Elizabeth Baker, Chaplain Peggy Rummell, Treasurer Debbie Forrester, Musician Linda Morgan, Librarian Susan Richardson, Recorder Sue Gilbert, Junior Custodian Scarlett Mitchell, Senior Custodian Sue Chamberlain, Inner Guard Lorrie Binger, Outer Guard Debbie Goodrich and Choir Dana Mallitz.

The flag was escorted into the Bethel room by the marshal who was assisted by DeMolay boys from Owosso.

The Honored Queen's aunt presented her with a bouquet of pink and white carnations on behalf of her brother who is serving in the U.S. forces in Viet Nam. Then she was escorted to the east by her father.

Special guest of the evening was Frank Haroldson, Grand Bethel Associate Guardian of Michigan.

HONORED QUEEN Beverly was presented with her traveling charm bracelet, and pins were exchanged by the five top officers.

Mrs. Harold Mead presented her daughter with a doll dressed in miniature queen's clothes and a gavel was presented by the retiring Honored Queen's family.

Karen Hallead placed a crown of flowers on Gloria Richardson as she was accepted into the group "the has beens".

MR AND MRS RICHARD Richardson served as host and hostess at the reception that was held in the dining room. The guests were seated at tables with styrofoam squares centered with a white dove and pink candles and her flower pink carnations. Her motto was "The small deed done is better than the greater deed planned".

The three tiered cake was cut and served by the queen's aunt, Louisa Whitehead assisted by Mrs. Irvin Everts, Mrs. Arza Parker and Mrs. Duane Chamberlain.

Let There Be Peace on Earth was expressed by the Honored Queen as her wish for 1968.

Sunday, Dec. 31, was Student Recognition Sunday at the United Church in Ovid. College students led the worship service. Bruce Foerch, a student at Western Michigan University, gave the morning meditation, "Church and Today's Youth." Other youth who assisted in the service were Ron Darling, Dan Kusenda, and Margaret Price. All attend Michigan State University. Serving as greeters were Miss Janet Saxton of Lansing Business University, Jane Maron of Lansing



Mr and Mrs Clifford Halsted celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary Dec. 25 with all of their nine children present. They are Carl Halsted of Twining, Valgene Halsted of Perrinton, Vernon Halsted of Long Beach, Calif., Alice Aldrich of Maple Rapids, Virgil Halsted of St. Johns, Beth Dean of Maple Rapids, Coryll Henry of Maple Rapids, Oretta Bissell of Maple Rapids and Frank Halsted of Lansing.

## Bannister

By MRS. ROBERT VALENTINE — Phone 862-4342

Community College, Patricia Wilson and Linda Huss. A special time of refreshments and fellowship honoring all post-high youth was held following the service. Mrs. Gilbert Bovan was in charge of the arrangements.

Ovid United Church Women's Fellowship executive board will meet at 1 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 10, at the Main Street Church, followed by the regular general meeting at 2 p.m. This will be an interesting meeting on Japan with Mrs. Austin Reiger of Carson City as guest speaker. This meeting is open to the public.

Mr and Mrs Eugene Ferrall, Mr and Mrs Ray Ferrall and Mrs. Irene Hill of St. Johns attended the funeral of O. A. Baughman in Ransom last Wednesday.

Mr and Mrs Donald Merlich of Belleaire, Md., were Friday visitors of Mr and Mrs Frank Leydorf.

Mr and Mrs Elmer Hofferbert of Columbus Grove, Ohio, were last Saturday visitors of Mr and Mrs Frank Leydorf.

Emmett Carstensen and son, Roger, of Marion Springs were last Saturday visitors of Mr and Mrs Arthur Krueger.

Mr and Mrs Herman Megerle of Saginaw were New Year's Eve and day guests of Mr and Mrs Arthur Krueger.

Mr and Mrs Robert Saylor were Christmas Eve guests of Mr and Mrs Parley Gardner of rural Pompell.

Mr and Mrs Vincent Wilson and daughter of rural Lansing were Christmas Day guests of Mr and Mrs Robert Saylor.

Mr and Mrs Robert Saylor were New Year's Eve guests of Mr and Mrs Ronald Forubsky. Mr and Mrs Robert Saylor spent New Year's Day with Mr and Mrs Ed Wilson and family of rural St. Johns.

Mrs. Ruth Wiseman of Ithaca spent last Sunday with Mr and Mrs Eugene Ferrall.

Mrs. Irene Crowell and Dale and Mrs. Robert Valentine and Vicki visited Mrs. Russell Pope last Monday evening at the Car-

son City Hospital. The Papes became the parents of a baby boy Sunday morning.

Mr and Mrs Ray Canfield were hosts for a New Year's Eve party. Those attending were Mr and Mrs David Green, Marcella and Maureen Peck, Sharon Stewart, Franlie and Pauline Vaneek, Dan Carlson and Mr and Mrs Robert Valentine.

Last Sunday morning was Student Recognition Sunday at the Bannister Methodist Church. Students taking part in the service were Patricia Dunay and Franlie Vaneek, students at Central Michigan; Maureen Peck, a student at Michigan State University and Sharon Stewart, a student at Bronson School of Nursing in Kalamazoo. The Junior Choir sang the anthem and Mrs. Elmer Leydorf and Mrs. Clifford Casler played a piano-organ duet. Vicki Valentine and Brenda Miller served as acolytes.

## C. Halsteds wed 60 years

MAPLE RAPIDS—Mr and Mrs Clifford Halsted celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary Dec. 25. This was the first time in 10 years the whole family has been together at one time.

There were 56 at the home of their son, Valgene, Dec. 24 to help them celebrate. Out of town guests came from California, Twining, Houghton, Kalamazoo; Lansing, St. Johns and Lyons.

During the day they received calls from nieces Laurel Hoover and Mary Phillips wishing them a happy anniversary.

If you need to economize, it helps to ask yourself, "Is this outrageous extravagance necessary?"

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## Village of Westphalia ORDINANCE #113

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE UNIFORM TRAFFIC CODE ADOPTED BY REFERENCE BY ORDINANCE NUMBER 101, OF THE ORDINANCES OF THE VILLAGE OF WESTPHALIA, CLINTON COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

THE VILLAGE OF WESTPHALIA, ORDAINS:

SECTION 1.—CHANGES IN UNIFORM TRAFFIC CODE. The following sections and sub-sections of the Uniform Traffic Code for cities, townships, and villages are hereby amended or deleted, as set forth and additional sections and sub-sections are added as indicated. Sub-section numbers used in this ordinance shall refer to the like numbered sections of the Uniform Traffic Code. Section 5.15—Driving While Under The Influence Of Intoxicating Liquor or Narcotic Drugs, is amended to read:

Section 5.15 (1), Driving While Under the Influence of Intoxicating Liquor or Narcotic Drugs. It shall be unlawful for any person whether licensed or not, who is an habitual user of narcotic drugs, barbitol, or any derivative of barbitol, or any person who is under the influence of intoxicating liquor or narcotic drugs, barbitol or any derivative of barbitol, to drive any vehicle upon any street or any other place open to the general public, including any area designated for the parking of motor vehicles.

Section 5/15 (2) Driving With Impaired Ability; Finding of Guilty; Penalty.

(a.) It is unlawful and punishable as provided in this section for any person to operate a vehicle upon any highway or any other place open to the general public, including any area designated for the parking of motor vehicles, within the Village of Westphalia, when due to consumption of intoxicating liquor, narcotic drugs, barbitol, or any derivative of barbitol, he has visibly impaired his ability to operate the vehicle. Where a person is charged with violating Section 5.15 (1), a finding of guilty shall be permissible under this section. (b.) Any person convicted of a violation of this Section (5.15 (2)), may be imprisoned in the county jail for not more than 90 days or fined not more than \$100.00 or both, together with costs of the prosecution. The Division of Driver and Vehicle Services within ten days after the receipt of a properly prepared abstract shall record 4 points for each conviction under this section.

SECTION 2.—NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF AMENDMENT TO THE UNIFORM TRAFFIC CODE. Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of Act 62 of the Public Acts of 1956, State of Michigan, amendments to the Uniform Traffic Code for cities, townships, villages, were adopted by the council of the Village of Westphalia, on the 4th day of January, 1968. The purpose of such code is to regulate the operation of vehicles, to provide for the regulation and use of the streets, highways, and alleys, and other public and semi-public places within the Village of Westphalia, and to provide penalties for violation of said code.

SECTION 3.—EFFECTIVE DATE. The amendments to the Uniform Traffic Code as set forth herein, shall become effective 20 days after the passage of this ordinance.

PASSED, ORDAINED, AND ORDERED PUBLISHED THIS 4TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1968, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF WESTPHALIA, AT A REGULAR MEETING ON THE ABOVE DATE.

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# Clinton's Civic Calendar

Officers of these organizations are advised to notify The Clinton County News at least one week in advance of the date of publication of the issue in which any change in the regular schedule should appear.

- St. Johns**
  - American Legion—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 8:30 p.m., Legion Hall
  - American Legion Auxiliary—3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Legion Hall
  - Banner Rebekah Lodge—1st and 3rd Mondays, 8 p.m., IOOF Hall
  - Blue Star Mothers—2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 8 p.m., Senior Citizens Drop-in Center
  - Child Study Club—3rd Wednesday 8 p.m., in homes of members
  - Clinton County Farm Bureau—Committee women meet the 1st Tuesday of each month, 10:30 a.m., at Farm Bureau office room
  - Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary—Board meets the 3rd Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., in the hospital sewing room
  - Cornhuskers Square Dance Club—2nd and 4th Sundays, 7:30 to 10:30 p.m., at the Municipal building
  - IOOF—2nd Tuesday, in homes of members
  - Disabled American Veterans—1st Friday, 8:30 p.m., Legion Hall
  - 8 at 40—4th Thursday, in homes of members
  - Exchange Club—2nd and 4th Thursdays, noon, Walker's Cafe
  - Grisson WRC—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 2 p.m., in homes of members
  - 40 at 8—1st Monday, 8:30 p.m., St. Johns and Breckinridge Legion Halls, alternate months
  - IOOF—Every Wednesday, 8 p.m., IOOF Hall
  - Jaycees—2nd Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., L & L Restaurant
  - Jaycee Auxiliary—4th Thursday, 8 p.m., in members' homes
  - Knights of Columbus—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 8 p.m.—K of C hall
  - Knights Templar—1st Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
  - Lions Club—2nd and 4th Wednesday 8:30 p.m., IOOF Hall
  - Masonic Lodge—1st Monday, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
  - Morris Musicians—2nd and 4th Thursdays 9:45 a.m., in homes of members
  - Order of Eastern Star—1st Wednesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
  - Ratley Club—Every Tuesday, noon Walker's Cafe
  - Royal Arch Masons—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
  - Royal Neighbors of America—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 8 p.m., in homes of members
  - Senior Citizens—2nd and 4th Tuesdays, every month, Drop-in Center, E. Railroad St.
  - St. Johns Woman's Club—1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 1:30 p.m., in homes of members
  - St. Johns Honor Guard—2nd and 4th Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., VFW hall
  - Tops Club—Every Thursday, 7:45 p.m., Senior Citizens Drop-in Center
  - VFW Auxiliary—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 8 p.m., VFW Hall
  - VFW—2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 8 p.m., VFW Hall
  - WCTU Mary Smith Union—Third Monday of the month at 7:30 p.m., in homes of members
- Bath**
  - American Legion—2nd and 4th Thursdays, Memorial Hall
  - American Legion Auxiliary—2nd Tuesday and 4th Thursday, Memorial Hall
  - Bath Shootin' Stars Square Dance Club—Club dances the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of the month from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m., during regular dancing season at the James Couzens Gym
  - Cub Scout Committee—1st Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., at James Couzens Building
  - Cub Scout Pack—4th Thursday, 6:30 p.m., school
  - Firemen's Auxiliary—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., home of members
  - Park Lake Improvement League—4th Wednesday, 8 p.m., Improvement League Hall
  - Past Grand Club—4th Thursday, homes of members
  - PTA—2nd Thursday, 8 p.m., Junior High gym
  - PTA Executive Board—Monday before Thursday PTA meeting, 8 to 9 p.m., at school
  - Sunbeam Rebekah Lodge—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 8:30 p.m., community hall
  - Volunteer Firemen—2nd Monday, 8 p.m., fire hall
  - WSSC—General meeting 4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Methodist church
- DeWitt**
  - Blue Star Mothers—2nd Thursday afternoon, Memorial building and homes of members
  - Boy Scouts—Every Monday, 7 p.m., Memorial building
  - Brownies—Every Wednesday, 3:30 p.m., Memorial building
  - Brown Bee Study Group—3rd Tuesday evening in homes of members
  - Child Study Club—4th Monday evening, homes of members
  - Cub Scouts—3rd Thursday, 5 p.m., Memorial building
  - DeWitt Grange—2nd and 4th Fridays
  - Girl Scouts—Every Thursday 3:30 p.m., Memorial building
  - Dewitters Tans Club—1st three Thursdays at DeWitt high school, 4th and 5th at Memorial Building at 8 p.m.
  - Job's Daughters—1st and 3rd Monday evenings, Masonic Temple
  - Lions Club—3rd Tuesday evening, Memorial building
  - Masonic Lodge—1st Wednesday evening, Masonic Temple
  - Merry-Mixers Square Dance—2nd and 4th Saturdays, 8:30 to 11 p.m., at DeWitt Junior High
  - Order of Eastern Star—1st Friday evening, Masonic Temple
  - PTA—3rd Wednesday, at high school, 8 p.m.
  - Royal Neighbors—1st and 3rd Fridays, 1 p.m., Memorial building
  - St. Francis Club—1st Monday, 8:30 p.m., Memorial building
  - Thursday Afternoon Club—Last Thursday in homes of members
  - Veteran's Club—2nd Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Memorial building
  - Volunteer Firemen—2nd Tuesday evening, fire hall
  - Woman's Society of Christian Service—1st Wednesday, 8 p.m.
  - Priscilla Circle—2nd Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
  - My Martha Circle—3rd Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
  - Ruth Circle—3rd Thursday, 1:30 p.m.
  - Goodwill Circle—1st Tuesday, 1:30 p.m., in homes of members
- Maple Rapids**
  - Amica Club—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., homes of members
  - Band Parents—2nd Wednesday, 8 p.m., students Commons
  - Baseball Boosters—3rd Wednesday 8 p.m., at the school
  - Blue Star Mothers—1st and 3rd Wednesday, 2 p.m., homes of members
  - Duo Deum Club—1st Saturday, 8 p.m., homes of members
  - High School PTA—1st Monday, 8 p.m., students-common room
  - IOOF—Every Thursday 8 p.m., IOOF hall
  - Maple Rapids Improvement Association—4th Monday, 8 p.m., in Municipal building
  - Maple Rapids Twirlers—Meet the 2nd and 4th Friday night of each month at the Maple Rapids School gym with a potluck lunch. Caller is Wendell Law.
  - Masonic Lodge—2nd Monday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
  - Order of Eastern Star—3rd Monday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
  - PTA—3rd Tuesday, school gym
  - Rebekah Lodge—Every Saturday, 8 p.m., at IOOF hall
  - Sorosis Club—4th Tuesday, 1:30 p.m., homes of members
  - St. Martin DePorre Altar Society—1st Thursday, 8 p.m., homes of members
  - WSSC—Tuesday, 1:30 p.m., homes of members
  - Women's Fellowship—Last Friday of month, 1:30 p.m., church dining room
  - Council Meeting—1st and 3rd Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
- Westphalia**
  - Catholic Order of Foresters—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., St. Mary's parish hall
  - Daughters of Isabella—3rd Thursday, 8 p.m., St. Mary's parish hall
  - Knights of Columbus—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., K of C rooms
  - Young Ladies Sodality—3rd Sunday afternoon, every 2 months, St. Mary's parish hall
  - Lions Club—3rd Tuesday, elementary school
  - Masonic Lodge—3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Masonic hall
  - Order of Eastern Star—1st Wednesday 8 p.m., Masonic hall
  - 21 Club—3rd Thursday, 7:30 p.m., at club house
  - WSSC—2nd Thursday, 2 p.m., home of members
- Wacousta**
  - Breakfast Club—Last Thursday, 9 a.m., in homes of members
  - Child Study Club—2nd Tuesday, evening, in homes of members
  - Masonic Order No. 33—Regular meetings first Thursday of the month at 8:00 p.m., at Temple
  - Methodist Men's Club—First Wednesday of each month, potluck at 8:30 p.m., Wacousta Methodist church
  - Neighborhood Society—3rd Thursday, in homes of members
  - Order of Eastern Star—1st Tuesday evening, Masonic Temple
- Ovid**
  - Aene Society—3rd Thursday, 8 p.m., in homes of members
  - American Legion—3rd Wednesday, 8:30 p.m., Memorial building
  - Businessmen's Association—2nd Tuesday, time and place varies
  - Crescent Club—1st and 3rd Mondays, 8 p.m., in homes of members
  - Disabled American Veterans—3rd Friday, 8:30 p.m., Memorial building
  - Home-makers—2nd and 4th Thursdays, 2 p.m., in homes of members
  - IOOF—Every Tuesday, 8 p.m., IOOF hall
  - Job's Daughters—2nd and 4th Mondays, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
  - Lions Club—2nd and 4th Mondays, 8:30 p.m., Main Street church of United Church
  - La-Fa-Lot Club—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 2 p.m., in homes of members
  - Lonecor-Dennis WCTU—2nd Tuesday in homes of members
  - Masonic Lodge—1st Monday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
  - Order of Eastern Star—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
  - Ovid-Duplain Library Club—1st Friday, 12:30 p.m., in homes of members
  - Past Grand Club—4th Tuesday, in homes of members
  - Rebekah Lodge—1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 8 p.m., IOOF hall
  - Royal Arch Masons—1st Wednesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
  - Roman Football Boosters—Meet every Tuesday at 8 p.m., at the high school Social Evening—Veterans Memorial Building, 8 p.m., every Wednesday, sponsored by Ovid veterans group
  - Town and Country Extension—4th Wednesday, in homes of members
  - VFW—2nd and 4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Memorial building
  - VFW Auxiliary—1st Monday, 8 p.m., in Memorial building
  - Volunteer Firemen—First Thursday, 7:30 at Fire hall
  - World War I Veterans—1st Thursday 8 p.m., Memorial building
- Eagle**
  - Helping Hand Club—4th Tuesday evening, in homes of members
  - Niles Cemetery Society—2nd Thursday, in homes of members
  - North Eagle Cemetery Society—Last Thursday, 3 p.m., Town hall
  - WSSC—1st Wednesday, Methodist Church basement
- Elsie**
  - American Legion—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 8 p.m., Legion hall
  - American Legion Auxiliary—2nd and 4th Thursdays, 8 p.m., Legion hall
  - Band Boosters—1st Monday, 7:30 p.m., alternate months, Band room
  - D.W.C.S.—2nd Tuesday, 3:30 p.m., in homes of members
  - Lions Club—1st and 3rd Mondays, 7:00 p.m., Legion hall
  - Masonic Lodge—2nd Tuesday, 8:00 p.m., Masonic hall
  - WSSC—1st Wednesday 8:00 p.m., homes of members
  - Order of Eastern Star—1st Thursday, 8:00 p.m., Masonic hall
  - PTA—2nd Monday, 7:30 p.m., school gym
  - Woman's Literary Club—Alternate Tuesdays, 8 p.m., homes of members
- Fowler**
  - Boy Scouts—Every Wednesday, 7 p.m., Holy Trinity gym
  - Catholic Order of Foresters—3rd Tuesday, 8:30 p.m., Holy Trinity Hall
  - Confraternity of Christian Mothers—4th Tuesday 8 p.m., Most Holy Trinity church
  - Daughters of Isabella—2nd Wednesday, 8 p.m., Most Holy Trinity church
  - Fowler Conservation Club—1st Monday, 8 p.m., Conservation Park
  - Jaycees—3rd Thursday, 8 p.m., Fire hall
  - Knights of Columbus—Monday after the 2nd Sunday, 8 p.m., K of C hall
  - Lions Club—3rd Monday, 6:30 p.m., Fowler Hotel
  - VFW—4th Thursday, 8 p.m., VFW hall
- Pewamo**
  - Altar Society—4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Parish hall
  - Band Boosters—3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m., high school
  - Blue Star Mothers—3rd Wednesday, 8 p.m., elementary school

## March 23 tentative date for millage election

March 23 has been scheduled as the tentative date for the St. Johns Public Schools' spring election on school operating millage.

The school board was expected to take official action on setting the date at their Jan. 10 regular meeting.

No specific amount of millage to ask for has been decided on yet, and the school board will make that decision with guidance from a special citizens committee that is being formulated. The committee is tentatively scheduled to meet Jan. 25, Feb. 22 and March 14.

A 1/2 mill operational tax levy that has been running for the past five years expires this year, and school officials have been quick to point out that it will have to be renewed and even enlarged if the school district is to continue its programs and operations.

THE BOARD LIKELY will make a decision on the amount of millage to ask for sometime after the first citizens committee meeting.

At a special meeting last week, the school board announced it is taking steps to educate students and interested parents on the harmful effects of drugs. The use of drugs is becoming more widespread throughout many communities, they point out.

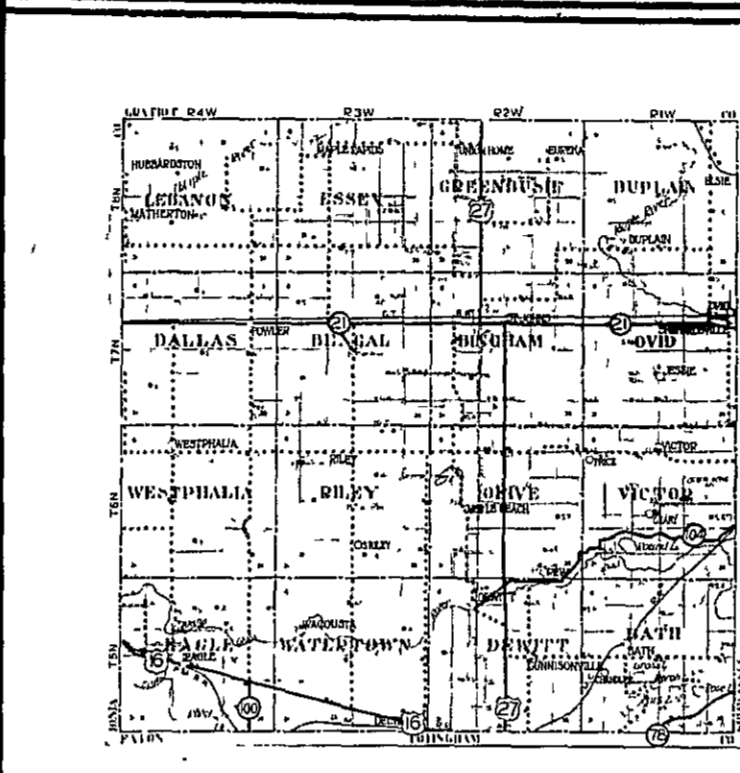
The first scheduled program on the drugs situation is scheduled for this morning (Thursday) at assembly programs at the high school auditorium at 9:35 and 10:30 a.m. The balcony of the auditorium will be reserved for interested parents.

The speaker for the program will be Dr. James Feurig, director of the Health Service Center at Michigan State University. Dr. Feurig is considered one of the most knowledgeable doctors in the area of drugs and will be donating his time to the students and parents of the school district for the assembly programs.

Lancaster and members of the school board expect to attend a state meeting at Michigan State University Jan. 30 of school boards and superintendents.

GERTRUDE BEUHLER, school nurse, is presently working with State Health Department personnel, doctors, etc., in scheduling films concerning drugs for showing in the schools.

In other business last Wednesday night, the school board named its negotiating team for



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**Kincaid District**

Mrs Porter C. Parks

Mr and Mrs Charles Fisher of St. Johns visited Mr and Mrs Charles Fisher and Kevin Sunday, Mr and Mrs Jay Witt and family of DeWitt visited Clare Witt Sunday.

Clare Witt visited Mr and Mrs Kenneth Schmidtman Sunday. Mr and Mrs Eldon Dickinson and daughter of Delta Mills visited Mr and Mrs Otto Dickinson Sunday afternoon.

N.C. McElmurry of Dimondale visited Mr and Mrs Don Sullivan and family Sunday. Don Sullivan and Russ spent New Year's with Mr and Mrs A.W. Brackett of Traverse City.

Rex Weaver of Lansing spent Saturday night with the Glenn Weaver children. Jill and Valerie Hoerner spent Saturday evening with Mr and Mrs Harold Hoerner. Clyde Chamberlain of Wacousta visited Harold Hoerner Sunday afternoon.

CLINTON COUNTY NEWS PAGE

**for Women**

... AND MEN, TOO

**Buy bananas green? Yes, they ripen at home**

BY Helen B. Meach  
Extension Home Economist

Should you buy bananas when they're green? How about green oranges? What are the best kinds of apples for pies? How can you tell if a grapefruit will be juicy?

There are only a few of the questions brought daily to Michigan State University's Home Economists and, as the examples indicate, many are concerned with the selection of fresh fruits. Shoppers who do an excellent job choosing meats, dairy foods, breads and cereals and general groceries for their families often find themselves searching for answers to questions of quality in the produce department.



WITH LARGE supplies of green tinged bananas gracing produce counters in January, the question about green bananas is certainly timely. Actually, bananas have a wonderful ability to ripen after they are picked. If they are protected from temperatures below 55 degrees, they will ripen very satisfactorily even when they show pronounced streaks of green at the time of purchase. The selection of partially green bananas allows the homemaker a choice as to the degree of ripeness at which she will serve the fruit. . . and when the bananas reach the stage best liked by the family, then they may be placed in the refrigerator for longer storage. Because cold temperatures stop the ripening mechanism, it

is important that bananas not be chilled until the desired state of ripeness has been achieved.

Now, how about those green oranges? Unlike bananas, oranges do not always lose their green color on ripening. Whether it's a matter of variety or a lack of cool night temperatures to bring up the orange blush, many oranges reach maturity and can pass the sugar content test without changing color. Sometimes the fruit is dyed and then stamped "color added" to increase their eye appeal. . . sometimes it's just sent on its way to market in a natural two-tone coat of green and orange. In either case, strict marketing controls assure the consumer that oranges offered for sale in northern markets are fully mature with an interior sugar content that is up to standard.

CLUES TO GRAPEFRUIT quality lie in the skin and in the shape. Again, color is not very important. Generally, thin-skinned grapefruit are usually more juicy than coarse-skinned fruit. . . and if the fruit is pointed at the stem end, this usually means a thick skin. The customer should avoid grapefruit with soft, discolored areas or water soaked areas on the skin. However, such skin defects as scars, scratches or simple discoloration do not affect eating quality.

The USDA's Plentiful Foods List suggests that January menus built around such plentiful as broilers, potatoes, dried split peas and eggs should result in a food budget that will last clear to the end of the month.

**Maple Rapids**

By MRS. WILBUR BANCROFT, Correspondent—Ph. 682-3553

**INSTALLATION**

The Blue Star Mothers held their regular meeting of officers at their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Nina Freed Wednesday night. Mrs. Grace Shipley was the installing officer and Mrs. Rose Wilke, the installing chaplain. They with Mrs. Chloe Bartholomew and Mrs. Eloise Pease of the St. Johns Chapter of Blue Star Mothers were guests of the evening.

Officers installed for the new year are as follows: president, Mrs. Velma Upham; first vice-president, Mrs. Belle Schmidt; second vice-president, Mrs. Nellie Wilson; secretary, Mrs. Wilma Sowles; treasurer, Mrs. Dorothy Martin; patriotic instructor, Mrs. Nina Freed; historian, Mrs. Wilma Sowles; chaplain, Mrs. Grace Upton and conductress, Opal Tait. After the installing ceremonies, gifts were presented to the installing officers from the Maple Rapids Chapter. Dorothy Martin invited the members to her house for the next meeting which will be in the afternoon. Two letters from Joe James Jr. and one from Jimmy Baxter were read. These boys are both in the service in Viet Nam. The members also gave a check to the M.R.I.A. Servicemen's Memorial Plaque fund.

Mr and Mrs Wilbur Bancroft spent New Year's weekend with Mr and Mrs Ed Moggo of Au Gres.

New Year's Day dinner guests of Mrs. Selma Bailey were Mr and Mrs Boyd Eldred of Alma, Mr and Mrs Ivan Clark of Elsie and Thad Kidder.



Young men literally "wore their hearts on their sleeves" during early celebrations of Valentine's Day. It was the custom for men to choose their valentines by drawing slips of paper with names from a vase. Each young man then wore the paper with his lady's name on his sleeve for several days.

**Would you believe no wash fabrics**

By LORRAINE SPRAGUE  
Extension Home Economist

What better time than now to take a peek at what the fashion-fabric world has to offer in the future? Not all of the expectations may materialize into usable fact, but it is exciting to know what textile chemists are dreaming about. And surely some of the predictions will develop—some fairly soon and others later.

Science tells us that we are not likely to see many absolutely new fibers for quite some time. But we shall see continued improvements and new properties developed in the fibers we now have available. Science also tells us that with the number of man-made fibers and natural fibers we presently have plus all the possible variations in the form of finishes, fiber size characteristics, texturing processes, different combinations, weaves and knit construction, etc., it is possible to produce literally millions of different fabrics. It is in this area of fabric production rather than in new fibers that textile science is currently concentrating.



AS AN EXAMPLE, in the comparatively new fiber class of polyesters there are some 25 to 30 variations. When we consider all the variations in denier, luster and other characteristics, one company claims more than 400 different types of this one fiber. No wonder then that today's consumer must be aware of the many choices she (or he) has in selecting household and clothing fabrics. Consumers have great responsibility in reading and following care instructions. Manufacturers and sales persons also have responsibilities in providing such information.

Some of the improvements we may look forward to in the fairly near future promise interesting results. Expanded techniques in texturing yarn should offer many different effects in both the appearance and "feel" of fabrics. Texturing also improves such properties as comfort, scroop (in the trade this means the sound when two fabric surfaces rub against each other) and air permeability. Texturing techniques promise a number of new and different "bubble" or "blistered" effects for both clothing and household fabrics. Watch for them.

THE INCORPORATION of inhibitors during the spinning process and other means of introducing flammability resistance will be a most welcome innovation for children's clothing and household fabrics. These will be adaptable to both natural and man-made fibers.

Continued improvements in anti-soiling features are expected. Though we have several such agents now, there are many problems which need conquering. Just imagine a fabric whose texture will adjust to temperatures. It's coming. Fibers that

are self-sterilizing are a strong possibility for the future. We've had a slight introduction to such a property in the anti-bacterial action produced in shoe manufacturing. Think what a tremendous effect such developments could have on our health.

MUCH IS promised in the field of dyeing. Colors resistant to heat, moisture, gases and light would result in a good many color dyes more uniform for all fibers and all kinds of care. We are constantly reminded of the seriousness of our world water supply and of our dependence on adequate pure water. Predictions are that "laundering" as we now know it, is on its way out. Closely tied to the anti-soil treatments is the search for an all-purpose solvent that would do both dry-cleaning and laundering. Ultrasonic methods of cleaning have been under study for a long time. We may see a breakthrough on this before too long, now.

Disposable non-woven fabrics are sure to become more and more popular as soon as manufacturers can find a way to improve on cost. Items such as sheets, pillow cases, draperies and bedspreads will become more and more acceptable for institutional use. The clothing industry looks to non-woven fabrics for interlinings, coated fabrics, dresses, blouses and jackets. There are many excellent non-

iron fabrics available today, but the future promises even more. Some predictions are that today's "electric irons" will be relegated to history by the year 2001.

FIBER AND YARN manufacturers are constantly working toward improvements in such basic properties as shrinkage, resistance, strength, pilling resistance and resistance to abrasions and sunlight deterioration. Other hard to believe predictions include the replacement of sewing machine techniques with adhesives and ultra-sonic seaming methods. "Help! I'm coming unglued" may be the cry of tomorrow instead of today's "Oh me! The stitches in my sleeve just ripped!"

**Ovid-Elsie hot lunch menu**

Jan. 11: Fried chicken, mashed potatoes, bread and butter, peaches and milk.

Jan. 12: Fish sticks, macaroni salad, plain jello and topping, orange juice and milk.

Jan. 13: Chili, crackers, celery, carrot sticks, fruit cobbler and milk.

Jan. 14: Meat stew, biscuits, cabbage salad, apple sauce, orange juice, and milk.

Jan. 15: Bar-B-Q hamburger on a bun, baked potato, butter, fruit jello with topping and milk.

Jan. 16: Chop suey on mashed potatoes, blueberry muffins, buttered carrots, pears and milk.

Jan. 17: Fish sticks, green beans or buttered beets, bread, butter, peanut butter, tapioca pudding, orange juice, and milk.



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### 4-H Club Chatter

By JOHN AYLSWORTH  
Extension 4-H Youth Agent

Clinton County 4-H Beef Club members have registered a record number of 46 steers for the 1968 County fair show and sale. The deadline for enrolling steers was January 1. 35 different boys and girls are enrolled with the steer project. Many of these members are taking beef for the first time. The 46 steers enrolled for this year is over twice the number enrolled in 1967. A rate-of-gain contest for the steers will be held. Any member wishing to enter his steer in the contest will need to have it weighed on an official scale by January 31 and the weight slip sent to the Extension Office by February 2.

To help members with their beef project a beef tour is being planned for February 10 for 4-H members, parents and leaders. We will visit several farms in the morning and hold a beef feeding meeting in the afternoon with specialists from MSU assisting.

Letters for the 1968 Annual 4-H Snow Camp at Traverse City on February 2 - 4 have been mailed to trip award winners, those who attended last year and leaders. Only the first 100 reservations will be accepted. Reservations plus the money of \$5.00 for award winners and \$9.50 for all others must be in by Thursday, January 25 to the Extension Office.

The 4-H Service Club ended the year by holding their annual dinner meeting and dance on December 28th. A delicious turkey dinner was served to 73 members by the Bingham Grange, followed by the meeting. The meeting concerned the explanation of several of the projects which the Club undertook during the past year and the landscaping of Smith Hall. The elections were also held, the results being: President - Ginger Simpson; Vice President - Judy Whitlock; Secretary - Treasurer - Kathy Schaefer; and Reporter - Kathy Nichols. A program was then presented by Ron Droscha, an IFYE who just recently returned from Mexico. Following the meeting everyone was given the opportunity to display their dancing ability by attending the dance.

The Happy Hustlers 4-H club members were able to view how a movie film was made by the photography members in the club. Also Sam Sherwood showed slides of his trip to London. Following the meeting the group enjoyed singing and exchange of gifts.

The Knit and Stitch 4-H members enjoyed their Christmas party and exchange. Recreation was led by Ruth Ann Brya. Mr. Poltbo Yargus from the Dominican Republic was a guest at the meeting. Mr. Yargus was staying at the Maurice Gove family of R-2, St. Johns for the

Christmas Adventure program. The Country Club Corners 4-H club has donated \$20.00 toward the Smith Hall beautification and landscape project sponsored by the County 4-H Service Club. Any other 4-H club or group who would like to contribute toward this project should send their contribution to the Extension Office. The Country Club Corners 4-H club is led by Mrs. Guy Snyder. The members are to be congratulated for their contribution to this worthy project.

The Jolly Knitters 4-H club members accepted an invitation from the Kountry Kousins Klub to go roller skating with them on Tuesday, January 9th at the Ranch Roller Rink at St. Johns. The members packed a Christmas box with cookies, made knitted headbands and games and presented these gifts to the Clinton County Children's Home following their December meeting. In January the members will discuss common knitting problems and they may be corrected.

The Westphalia 4-H club held their Christmas party and meeting. The girls presented their leader Mrs. Esther Pung with a gift for her leadership to the club.

The Maple River Craftsman 4-H club members are planning to collect and send new and used clothing to the Indian Reservation in New Mexico as a community service project. I'm sure they will appreciate any help they can receive with this project. The members held a Christmas party and exchanged gifts. The club is planning to hold an ice skating party whenever the Maple River freezes. The club has a committee watching the river to let them know when the river freezes enough for skating.

French's Corners held their Christmas Party and meeting at Smith Hall with 25 members and 29 guests in attendance. Demonstrations were given by Ann Graham on "How a Sewing Machine Makes Stitches"; Bill Butler on "Refinishing Wood"; David Motz on "Proper Use of Sandpaper"; Althea Shaw on "How to Put in a Zipper" and Debra Butler on "How To Make a Candle Stand." Music for dancing and games was provided by the Zodiacs.

The Lemm 4-H club members will learn about mouth to mouth resuscitation from a Red Cross representative at their February 7th meeting. At their last meeting the members saw films by Mrs. Margaret Witt of their vacation in Canada. The club received a letter from a serviceman in Viet Nam whom the club had written to before Christmas.

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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.

### St. Johns Area

**FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**  
Gerald Church, Minister  
St. Johns, Michigan  
Wednesday, January 10  
7:00—Boy Scout Troop No. 81  
7:30—Senior Choir rehearsal  
Thursday, January 11  
3:45—Youth Choir rehearsal  
Saturday, January 13  
1:00—Children's Choir rehearsal  
Sunday, January 14  
9:45—Church school  
11:00—Morning Worship  
7:00—Youth Fellowship  
Monday, January 15  
7:30—Annual Church meeting  
Tuesday, January 16  
1:00—Priscilla Alden Division pot-luck luncheon in Wilcox Hall  
1:30—Elizabeth Division with Mrs. Wm. B. McWilliams, 701 S. Swigles  
8:00—Pearl Caldwell Division with Mrs. Carl Pierson, 1228 Wildcat Rd.

### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

St. Johns, Michigan  
9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship  
9:30 a.m.—Church School  
10:30 a.m.—Coffee Hour  
11 a.m.—Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m.—Junior High MYF  
6:30 p.m.—Senior High MYF

### SHEPARDVILLE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. John C. Huhtala  
9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship  
11 a.m.—Church School  
10 a.m.—Church School  
11 a.m.—Morning Worship  
11 a.m.—Morning Worship  
Price Methodist Men's Club—3rd Saturday of each month, 7:30 p.m.  
Price Woman's Society—4th Wednesday of each month  
Price MYF—1st and 3rd Sunday of each month

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Roger Harrison, Pastor  
512 S. Whittemore St. (South US-27)  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School, Arthur Romig Supt.  
11 a.m.—The Morning Worship Service, including the Lord's Supper.  
11:00 a.m.—Children's Church  
7:00 p.m.—The Evening Worship Service  
Nursery for babies; activity for toddlers during Sunday School, morning and evening worship services.  
8:00 p.m.—Junior High Youth Fellowship  
9 p.m.—Junior Youth Fellowship  
6:00 p.m.—Senior Youth Fellowship  
7:00 p.m.—Family Night Service (Wednesdays)  
The Second Monday—Monthly Deacons Meeting  
The First Tuesday—Ladies' Missionary Society  
The Singing Church with the Salvation Message.

### ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. William G. Bricker, Pastor  
Rev. Joseph Labiak, Associate Pastor  
Rectory—109 Linden St.—Ph. 224-3313  
Convent—110 S. Oakland—Ph. 244-3789  
School—201 E. Cass—Ph. 224-2121  
Mass Schedule  
Sundays—7:30, 9:00, 10:30, 12 noon and 7 p.m.  
Holy Days—6:00, 8:30 and 9:30 a.m.; 5:30 and 7:30 p.m.  
Weekly Masses—7:30 on non-school days, 8:15 on school days.  
Holy Communion at 7:15.  
Weekday Evenings: 7:15 p.m.  
Sacrament of Penance—Saturdays: 8:30 to 9:00 p.m.; 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday; 7:00 p.m. after Novena on Tuesdays.  
First Fridays—Sacrament of Penance—Thursday from 8:30 to 9:00 p.m.; 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. during Friday Masses.  
Mass and Holy Hour on Thursday at 7:15 p.m.  
Holy Communion on Friday at 6:00 and 7:15 a.m.  
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: 8:30 p.m. on Thursday thru 7:15 p.m. on Friday.  
Devotions—Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena: after 7:15 p.m. Mass on Tuesday.  
Religion Instruction Classes—Adult instruction and Inquiry Class: Monday at 8:00 p.m., High School students: Wednesday at 8:00 p.m., Public Grade School children: Saturday at 10:00 a.m.  
Baptisms—Each Sunday at 1:30 p.m. by appointment.

### ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Corner of East Walker and Mead Sts.  
Rev. Hugh E. Banning, Pastor  
Rectory 224-2939  
1st Sunday of Month—8 a.m. Holy Communion and Service  
Other Sundays—8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10:30 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon  
Fall Schedule  
10:30 a.m.—Nursery School  
11 a.m.—Church School, Kindergarten to 8th grade  
CHURCH OF GOD  
Rev. Dean Stork, Pastor  
Whittemore and Railroad on US-27  
10:00 a.m.—Church School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship  
7:30 p.m.—Adult Prayer group  
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service  
Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer meeting; choir practice, 7 p.m.

### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

515 North Lansing Street  
Rev. Eldon Raymer, Minister  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
6:15 p.m.—Young People's Service  
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship  
Wednesday, 7 p.m.—Prayer meeting

### ST. JOHN'S BAPTIST TEMPLE

400 E. State Street  
Rev. Floyd Martin, Pastor  
Mr. Thomas Coe, Director of Music  
Sunday School at 10 a.m., with classes for all ages. Teaching from the Book of Luke.  
Morning worship at 11 a.m.  
Sunday, 8 p.m., study hour, with adult group, young people's group and Jet Cadets group.  
Sunday, 7 p.m., evangelistic message.  
Wednesday at 7, prayer meeting and study hour.

### ASSEMBLY OF GOD

S. US-27 & E. Baldwin  
Joseph E. Baldwin, Pastor  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship  
7:30 p.m.—Sunday Evening  
7 p.m.—Wednesday, second and fourth, WMC  
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday evening service

### ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Fowler, Michigan  
Rev. Herman Ross, Pastor  
9:30 a.m.—Worship Service  
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class

### Riley Township

**ST. PETER LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
4 1/2 miles west of St. Johns on M-21  
5 1/2 miles south on Francis road  
2 miles west on Church road  
David Voorhees, Vacancy Pastor  
9:15 a.m.—Sunday School  
10:30 a.m.—Worship Service

### SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS

683 North Lansing Street  
Elder, B. K. Mills, Pastor  
Services held Saturday  
9:15 a.m.—Church Service  
10:30 a.m.—Sabbath School Service

### ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

US-27 at Sturgis Street  
Rev. Theodore C. Moeller, Jr.  
First Tuesday of the month, 8 p.m., Ladies' Guild.  
9 a.m.—Sunday School and Adult Bible Class, H.S. Bible Class at parsonage  
10:15 a.m.—Divine Worship, Holy Communion first Sunday of the month, Church nursery  
Third Wednesday of the month, 7:30 p.m., Lutheran Women's Missionary League.  
Adult Information courses held at the convenience of interested parties. Phone 224-7400 for specific information. Church office hours: Tuesday through Friday, 9-12. Telephone 224-3544.

### FREE METHODIST CHURCH

315 Church Street  
E. E. Cozzari, Minister  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
7:45 p.m.—Evening Worship  
7:45 p.m.—Prayer service  
8:00 p.m. (2nd and 4th Thursdays)  
Free Methodist Youth meeting

### EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN CHURCHES

Bingham—Benedict  
Eugene Friesen, Pastor  
Bingham Church  
10 a.m.—Sunday School  
11 a.m.—Worship Service  
Bengal Church  
9:30 a.m.—Worship Service  
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School

### JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

Kingdom Hall  
1893 Lincoln Street  
Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Theocratic Ministry school. Written review, 8:30 p.m.—Service meeting, "Preaching and Enduring with Everlasting Life in View."  
Sunday, 9:00 a.m.—Public talk, 10:00 a.m.—Watchtower study, Dec. 19th issue "In All the Nations the assistance in your worship."  
Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.—Book study at Schroder home in Ovid. Text—"Life Everlasting in Freedom of the Sons of God."  
Public invited. No collection taken.

### DeWitt Area

### DEWITT COMMUNITY CHURCH

(Inter-denominational)  
Rev. Danie, Keim, Pastor  
Bonnie Wetherham, Supt.  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
10:45 a.m.—Sunday School  
11 a.m.—Church School

### DEWITT METHODIST CHURCH

11 a.m.—Sunday School  
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School  
11 a.m.—Morning Service. Nursery available for all pre-school children during the worship service.  
Sunday School and Youth Fellowship (all sections)  
EMMANUEL METHODIST CHURCH  
Rev. Clark and Schaefer, Pastors  
Bertram W. Vermeulen, Pastor  
9:30 a.m.—Worship Service  
11 a.m.—Sunday School, adults and children.  
Newcomers and old friends are always welcome.

### ST. ANNE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Corner US-27 and Webb Road  
Rev. Hugh E. Banning, Pastor  
Rectory 224-2600 Office 224-2685  
2nd and 4th Sundays—9 a.m., Holy Communion and sermon.  
Other Sundays—9 a.m., morning prayer and sermon.  
Church school every Sunday, 9:30 a.m.

### EAST DEWITT BIBLE CHURCH

(Non Denominational)  
Round Lake Road 1/4 mile East of US-27  
Glen J. Farnham, Pastor  
Sunday—10 a.m.—Sunday School. Classes for all ages.  
11 a.m.—Morning Worship  
10:30 a.m.—Youth Fellowship, Senior, 14 and up; Jet Cadets, 10-13.  
7 p.m.—Evening Service  
Wednesday—7:30 p.m.—Bible Study and prayer.  
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### ST. THERESE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Fr. Wm. Randolph, Pastor  
Fr. James Murray and Fr. Max Fisher, Assistant Pastors  
Rectory: 102 W. Randolph  
Phone IV 9-2515  
Mass Schedule—Sundays: 6:30, 8:00, 9:00, 10:30, 12 noon and 7 p.m.  
Weekdays: 6:30, 8 and 7:30 p.m.  
Confessions—Saturdays: 8:30-9 and 7:45-9 p.m. Eves of Holy Days and First Friday: 3:30-5 and 7:30-9 p.m.  
Holy Day Masses—7, 8 and 10 a.m., 5:30 and 7:30 p.m.  
First Friday Masses—8:30, 8 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

### Valley Farms Area

### VALLEY FARMS BAPTIST CHURCH

241 E. State Road  
Rev. LeVern Brundley, Pastor  
9:45-10:45 a.m.—Church School  
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11 a.m.—12 Noon—Morning Worship, Junior Church for children through 6th grade.  
6:30 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.—Jr. Choir practice  
1st Thursday 7:30 p.m.—Woman's Missionary Society  
2nd Saturday 2:00 p.m.—Ann Judson Guild for Jr. H. girls

### 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 a.m. and 8:15 a.m.  
Holy Days—5:30, 7:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.  
Sorrowful Mother Novena—Friday, 7:30 p.m.  
Saturdays—7:30 a.m.

### ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Fowler, Michigan  
Rev. Herman Ross, Pastor  
9:30 a.m.—Worship Service  
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class

### Gunnisonville Area

### GUNNISONVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH

Clark and Wood Roads  
Rev. Marcel B. Elliott, Pastor  
9 a.m.—Sunday School  
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
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### Maple Rapids Area

### GREENBUSH-METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. William Tate  
10:30 a.m.—Church School  
11:30 a.m.—Morning Worship

### MAPLE RAPIDS METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. William Tate, Minister  
9:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
10 a.m.—Sunday School

### LOWE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. William Tate  
9:00 a.m.—Church School  
10:15 a.m.—Morning Worship

### CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Maple Rapids, Michigan  
Rev. Robert E. Myers, Pastor  
10:00 a.m.—Worship Service  
11:15 a.m.—Sunday School  
7:45 p.m.—Evening Service on alternate Sundays  
6:45 p.m.—Thursday, Cherub and Junior choir  
8 p.m.—Thursday, Chapel choir.  
1:30 p.m.—Third Friday, Women's Fellowship, church bus meet on alternate Sundays  
8:30 p.m.—Service meeting

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### Mathertown Area

### UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH

Mathertown, Michigan  
Rev. Jessie Powell, Pastor  
9:45 a.m.—Worship Service  
10:45 a.m.—Sunday School  
8:00 p.m.—Wednesday, Midweek Prayer meeting  
We welcome you to the fellowship of our services. Our desire is that you may find the warmth of welcome and the assistance in your worship.  
First and third Sundays Mathertown Church, second and fourth Fenwick Church

### MATHERTOWN 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, 1/2 mile south  
Rev. Fred Wambert, Pastor  
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
7:30 p.m.—Youth Service  
7:45 p.m.—Evening Service  
7:45 p.m.—Thursday, Prayer and praise service

### SALLEE EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH

11 a.m.—Sunday School  
11 a.m.—Morning Worship  
7:30 p.m.—Midweek Services

### ST. MARTIN DEPORRE MISSION

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Father Charles L. Ganley, Pastor  
Sunday Mass—9:15 a.m.  
No Weekday mass

### Eureka Area

### CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Eureka, Michigan  
Rev. Jack Barlow  
10 a.m.—Sunday School  
11 a.m.—Morning Worship

### Bath Area

### BATH METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Ronald Benson, Pastor  
Telephone 941-9387  
10 a.m.—Worship  
11 a.m.—Church School

### BATH BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. James L. Buntleigh, Pastor  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
9:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship  
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service  
Midweek service on Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

### ROSE LAKE CHURCH

Reorganized L.D.S.  
Elder Jack Hodge, Pastor  
Corner of Union and St. Johns Roads  
10:00 a.m.—Church School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship  
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, evening service

### Elsie Area

### ELSIE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Gordon Showers, Minister  
9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship  
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School, Supt. Lyle Dunham

### DUPLAIN METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Gordon Showers, Minister  
10 a.m.—Sunday School, Supt. Kenneth Kiger  
11 a.m.—Worship service

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Norris Beck, Pastor  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School, Paul Brown, Supt.  
9 p.m.—Junior and Senior BYF  
9 p.m.—Evening Service  
3:30 p.m.—Wednesday—Junior and Senior Choir practice.  
7:00 p.m.—Wednesday—Prayer and Bible Study.

### ELSIE BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH

115 E. Main St.  
Rev. F. LaDuke, Pastor  
10 a.m.—Sunday School  
11 a.m.—Morning Worship  
7 p.m.—Evening Service  
7 p.m.—Wednesday Bible Study

### DUPLAIN CHURCH OF CHRIST

3 miles west Ovid-Elsie High School  
494 E. Colony Road  
Justin Sheppard, Pastor  
Jack Schwark, S.S. Supt.  
Mrs. Earl Dunham  
10 a.m.—Sunday School  
11 a.m.—Church Service  
7 p.m.—Junior and Youth Fellowship  
7:30 p.m.—Church Service  
7:30 p.m., Thursday—Choir practice.

### ST. CYRIL CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. F. D. Smolinski, Pastor  
Rectory: Bannister, Phone 862-5270  
Sunday Masses—8:10 a.m.  
Daily Mass—7:30 a.m., First Fridays 8 p.m.  
Holy Days, Mass—7 a.m. and 8 p.m.  
Confessions—4 to 5 and 7:30 to 8 every Saturday except First Fridays before Mass.

### Eagle Area

### EAGLE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Alfred Tripp, Pastor  
1425 Michigan Avenue  
Telephone 627-5333  
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
11:10 a.m.—Church School  
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service  
7:30 p.m.—Senior Prayer Sunday  
7:00 p.m.—Junior MYF Wednesday

### EAGLE SQUARE CHURCH

Rev. and Mrs. Royal Burnett, Pastor  
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:15 a.m.—Morning Worship  
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday Prayer meeting

### Ovid Area

### OVID FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Main at Oak Street  
Rev. Earl Collins, Pastor  
Myron Woodruff, Church School Supt.  
Dee Johnson, Organist  
9:45 a.m.—Church School  
11 a.m.—Morning Worship  
Wednesday, 7 p.m., Senior Choir  
Wednesday, 8 p.m., Prayer and Praise

### CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Ovid, Michigan  
Corner M-21 and Elsie Road  
George Rogers, Pastor  
10 a.m.—Sunday School  
11 a.m.—Morning worship hour  
8:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship  
7 p.m.—Evening 8:30 hour  
Wednesday, 4 p.m.—Youth choir practice  
Wednesday, 7 p.m.—Bible study and prayer service

### CHURCH OF GOD

Ovid, Michigan  
Rev. R. Samms, Pastor  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
8:00 a.m.—Youth Fellowship  
7:00 p.m.—Evening Service  
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, Bible Study; 8:30 p.m.

### THE UNITED CHURCH

Ovid, Michigan  
Gordon E. Spaltenka, Minister  
Mrs. C. E. Tremblay, Church School Superintendent  
Sunday  
9:30 a.m.—Church School at the Front St. Building  
10 a.m.—Adult Bible Class at the church office  
8:30 a.m.—Morning Worship  
5 p.m.—Junior High Youth Fellowship  
8 p.m.—Senior High Youth Fellowship  
Each Wednesday—Immediately after church school, Children's Fellowship after school, Junior Choir.  
7:30 p.m.—Chancel Choir  
8:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship  
Second Tuesday each month—Official Board  
Second Wednesday each month—Women's Fellowship  
Third Monday each month—United Men's Club.

### OVID FREE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. William J. Williams, Pastor  
Telephone 634-3973  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
Church services—11:00 a.m. Evening services—7:30 p.m.  
Prayer meeting—Wed. at 7:30 p.m.

### HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH

Ovid, Michigan  
Rev. Fr. William J. Miller, Pastor  
10:30 a.m.—Sunday Mass  
7 p.m.—Evening Mass on Thursday.  
Confessions following evening Mass.

### Pewamo Area

### ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Pewamo, Michigan  
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.  
Sacrament of Confession—Saturday, 3:30 and 7:30 p.m.  
Family Holy Hour for Peace—Saturday, 7:15 p.m.

### Victor Township

### GROVE BIBLE CHURCH

Rev. Robert Prange, Pastor  
Price and Shepardsville roads  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school. Classes for all ages.  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m.—Young People  
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, prayer meeting  
Ladies Missionary circle meets 4th Thursday  
Couples Club meets 4th Saturday in month

### WACOSTA AREA

### WACOSTA COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Dale Spoor, Pastor  
Phone 227-2516  
10 a.m.—Morning Worship  
11 a.m.—Sunday School  
6:30 p.m.—Senior and Junior Youth Fellowship  
Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Senior Adult Choir  
Official Board meeting at 8 p.m. on 4th Monday of each month.  
Methodist Men's Club Meetings—Potluck at church at 8:30 p.m. on 1st Wednesdays of Sept., Dec., Feb. and Apr. Sunday morning breakfast on 1st Sunday morning of Oct., Nov., Jan., March and May at 8 a.m.

### Westphalia Area

### ST. MARY'S CHURCH

Rev. Fr. Alvin J. Miller, Pastor  
Rev. Walter L. Spillane, Assistant Pastor  
Sunday Masses—8 and 10 a.m.  
Weekdays—During school year 7:00, 7:45 and 11:15 a.m.  
Saturday 8:45 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.



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Sunday Psalms 31:11-20	Monday Ecclesiastes 3:1-15	Tuesday Isaiah 49:8-13	Wednesday Matthew 16:1-12	Thursday John 6:35-51	Friday Galatians 4:1-11	Saturday 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11
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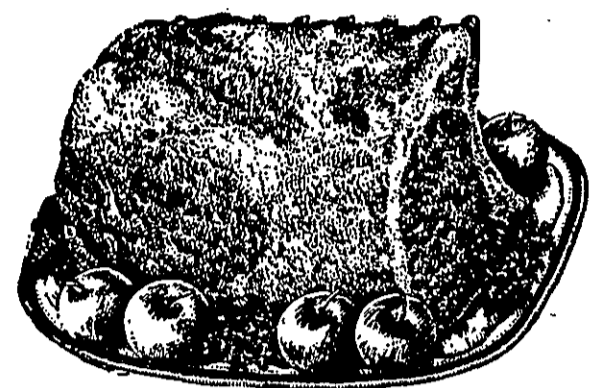
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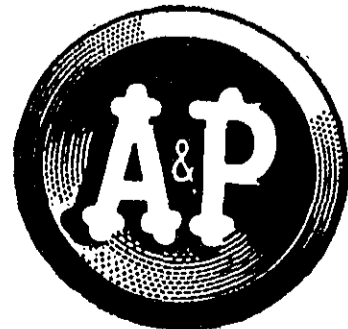
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## Westphalia

By MRS. JOSEPH FEDEWA, Correspondent  
Box 147, Westphalia—Phone 587-3682

### Jaycees to remodel village hall

The Westphalia Village Hall will be remodeled in a do-it-yourself community project involving Jaycees and village councilmen. Jaycees last month offered free labor and to pay for paint if the village would provide other materials needed.

Council members recently authorized purchase of wall paneling and they, too, would pitch in and help with the work. This remodeling job will include a new wall paneling in the one-room hall used for varied community meetings, repainted floor and ceilings and lighting improvements.

The work is to begin later this month and is scheduled to be finished during the winter months. In other action the council hired the Lyle D. Hepfer Lansing accounting firm to complete the year-end audit of village finances at an estimated cost of \$350.

Officials were told by the State Highway Department in a projection of revenues that Westphalia will likely receive \$9,500 from gas tax funds this year and \$11,600 for 1969.

The council asked for quotations covering possible repair of a half-mile of E. Main Street from the main four corners to the east village limits. It was hoped that the repair work would be completed early in the spring.

### IMPORTANT MEETING

All members of the Holy Name Society are urged to attend the annual meeting which will be held Sunday afternoon, Jan. 14. Election of officers will be held at this meeting which will start at 1:30 p.m. and will be held at the parish hall.

### ELECTION OF OFFICERS

A special meeting will be held for the Band Boosters Monday evening, Jan. 15, at 8 p.m. at the high school. Since there will be an election of officers, all members are urged to remember this date and attend the meeting.

The students at St. Mary's Grade school enjoyed a free day on Monday due to a plumbing problem at the school.

### LEAVE FOR SERVICE

Jan. 4, Bernard Simon, son of Mr and Mrs Leo Simon left to start his six months military obligation. Friday, Jan. 5, another son Bill left for the service also. Mike Pung, son of Mr and Mrs Cyril Pung, also left for the service during the past week. He left Jan. 3.

Mr and Mrs Edwin Schueller became the grandparents of a daughter Melinda Ann born Dec. 31 to Mr and Mrs Larry Schueller of Lansing.

Mr and Mrs Gerald Pung entertained several couples at their home Saturday evening.

Mr and Mrs James Huggett and family of Marshall, Wis., returned home during the past week after spending the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr and Mrs Ed Harr and family and Mr and Mrs Dow Huggett and family of St. Johns.

### ENGAGEMENT TOLD

The engagement of Miss Carolyn Marie Dietz to Edward Thomas Weber, son of Mr and Mrs Henry Weber of this community, is announced by her parents Mrs Betty Dietz of 3714 Richmond and Fred C. Dietz of 417 Richard, Lansing. She is a graduate of Sexton High School of Lansing and attended Lansing Community College. She is employed by Auto-Owners Insurance Co. as a claims processor. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Westphalia High School and is employed by Laraway Construction Co. as a mosaic brick and tile layer. They plan a Feb. 17 wedding.

### ELAINE RADEMACHERTOWED

Mr and Mrs Wilfrid Rademacher announce the engagement of their daughter, Elaine, to Spec. 4, Jerry L. Miller, son of Mrs Arthur Fernholz of 748 W. Grand River, Portland, and the late Wilmer Miller.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Pewamo-Westphalia High School and is employed by the Michigan Department of Conservation. Her fiance, a graduate of Portland St. Patrick High School, is stationed in Germany with the U.S. Army. The couple is planning a Nov. 30 wedding.

Recently Mrs Dora Pohl, Mrs Easten Beachnau, Mrs Anthony H. Pohl, Mrs Carl Pohl and Herman Pohl accompanied Mrs Clarence Keusch of Lansing to Detroit where they attended funeral services for Mrs Marguerite Schultz, 81, of Detroit who passed away Dec. 24.

Calling on Mrs Florence Weber during the past week were Mr and Mrs Earl Gleason and son Scott of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Robert Spitzley of Pewamo, Paul Spohn of Portland and Louis Pung.

Mr and Mrs John VanAcker and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs Elizabeth Fedewa. Mr and Mrs Joseph Smith also called at the Fedewa home on Sunday. Friends gathered at the home of Mr and Mrs Louis Rademacher Tuesday evening for an evening of card playing.

Funeral services were held Friday morning at 10 a.m. at St. Michael's Church of Grand Ledge for Mrs Margaret Beachnau, 91, of Eagle who passed away Tuesday. She is survived by a son Easten of this community and a daughter Mrs Lilian Fink also of this community.

### Gunnisonville

By Mrs Loui E. Fritz

Holiday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Ernie Fritz Friday evening, Dec. 29, were their sons and their families, Mr and Mrs Billie Fritz and family of Denver, Colo., Rev and Mrs Arthur Fritz and family of Mount Pleasant and Miss Loui Lea Fritz of DeWitt. Bill and his family left Lansing for Denver Saturday afternoon. They called back Sunday afternoon and reported a safe trip home.

New Year's Day dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Alva Hartman were their parents, Mr and Mrs Ernie Fritz. Callers were Mr and Mrs Bill Barnes and daughters, Darla and Dawn.

Communist: One who has given up all hope of becoming a capitalist.

### Fowler

Mrs Donald Fedewa  
Phone 582-2531

Mr and Mrs Marvin Feldpausch entertained the Feldpausch annual Christmas party Sunday, Dec. 31, for a potluck dinner and New Year's Eve supper. Family includes Mr and Mrs Fred Feldpausch, Mr and Mrs Elmer Feldpausch and family, Mr and Mrs Bernard Simon and family, Mr and Mrs Jerome Feldpausch and family, Mr and Mrs Francis Feldpausch and family and Mr and Mrs Hilary Feldpausch.

Mr and Mrs Louis Schmitt spent New Year's Day with their daughter, Mr and Mrs Marvin Feldpausch and family.

New Year's Day, the annual Christmas party of the Louts G. Thelen family was held at the K.C. Hall. Dinner was at noon with the afternoon spent in entertaining the grandchildren. The adults enjoyed cards and lunch during the evening.

Mr and Mrs Donald Piggott of Pontiac are the parents of a 6 pound 15 ounce son born Dec. 30. He has been given the name Robert Paul and is now at home with his 3 sisters. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Robert Pettit and Mr and Mrs Ronald Piggott of this area.

Mrs Maynard Nobach broke her ankle Dec. 31. She was discharged from the hospital last Friday.

Tim and Terry, sons of Mr and Mrs Allen Thelen, submitted to tonsillectomies Monday.

Mark Schafer was admitted to St. Lawrence Hospital Monday. Surgery is scheduled for Wednesday.

Mrs Lula Boak spent Christmas vacation at the home of her son Carl Boak of St. Johns visiting relatives and friends while there.

Mr and Mrs Keith Miller and family of Wisconsin visited relatives through the Christmas holidays.

Mr and Mrs Mark Fox accompanied her parents, Mr and Mrs Al Rhynard of St. Johns, to Arizona leaving by car New Year's Day.

Gladys Hufnagel, daughter of Mrs Bernata Hufnagel; Roseanne Koenigskecht, daughter of Mr and Mrs Leo Koenigskecht and

Joyce Kramer, daughter of Mr and Mrs Matt Kramer; returned to Western Michigan College in Kalamazoo Sunday. They have been home for a three week holiday vacation.

Mrs Lula Boak spent Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mr and Mrs Vernon Benjamin and family.

Alaska has 5,580 miles of seacoast.

### Leona Peck Fading Roses queen

TOPS Fading Roses met at the home of the leader Alice Hicks with eight members present. Frances Dehm was queen of the week and Leona Peck, queen for December.

A 14 pound gain and one pound loss was recorded. Alice Hicks is to make reservations for the annual dinner to

honor the queen of the year. Time and place will be announced later. A new contest which will run until April 3 was begun.

Lucille Phelps furnished the inspiration of the week. A contribution was taken for a gift for former leader Doris Wille's new baby.

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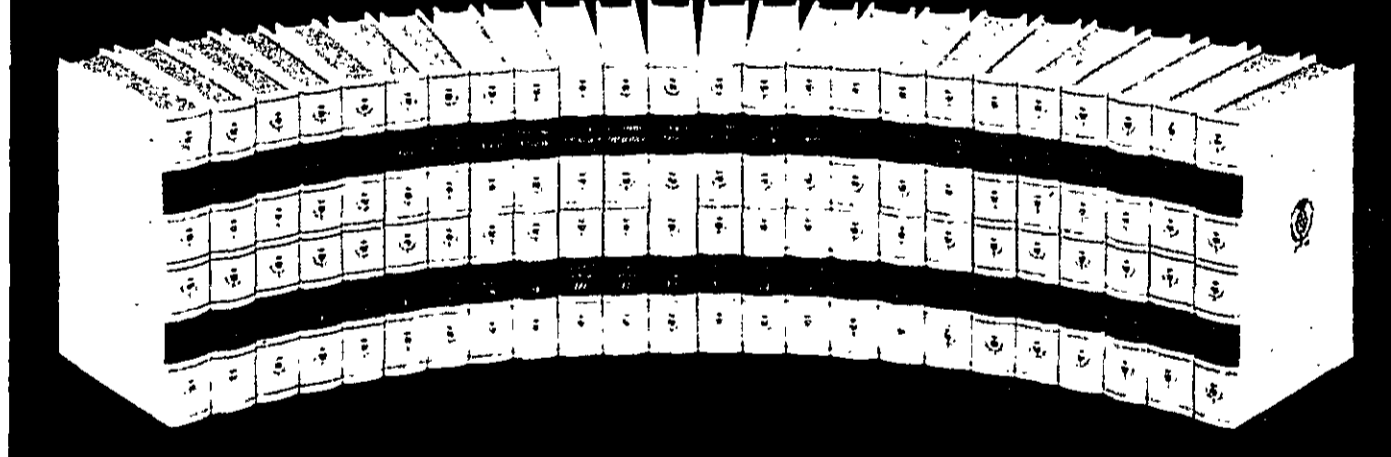
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 The Instrument, by John O'Hara  
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 Edge of Glass, by Catherine Gaskin  
 Janus Island, by Sloan Wilson  
 Postscript to Nightmare, by Dolores Hitchens  
 A Second-Hand Life, by Charles Jackson  
 The Recreation Hall, by Richard Jessup  
 The Savages, by Ronald Hardy  
 Sons of The Wolf, by Barbara Michaels  
 Christy, by Catherine Marshall  
 I, Lucifer, by O'Donnell  
 The Chosen, by Potok  
 The President's Plane is Missing, by Rod Serling  
 The Gabriel Hounds, by Mary Stewart  
 Topaz, by Leon Uris  
 I, Roberta, by Elizabeth Gray Vining  
 No Laughing Matter, by Angus Wilson  
 The Confessions of Nat Turner, by William Styron  
 An Operational Necessity, by Gwyn Griffin  
 The Whirling Shapes, by Joan North  
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**GENERAL ADULT BOOKS**  
 Walk in Space, by Gene Gurney  
 Small Business Management, by Donald Grunewald  
 English Surnames, by C.M. Matthews  
 Measure, Cut, and Sew, by Jonetta Starks  
 Good Writing, by Alan H. Vrooman  
 The World of Budget Decorating  
 Pictorial Guide to the Stars  
 Swift Sword (Historical Record of Israel's Victory, June 1967), by Gen. S.L.A. Marshall  
 An Illustrated History of the Olympics, by Richard Schaap  
 Incredible Victory, by Walter Lord  
 All About Horses, by Marguerite Henry  
 The Stories of the Greeks, by Rex Warner  
 The Story of Civilization, Vol. X, Rousseau and Revolution, by Will and Ariel Durant  
 Pictorial History of Michigan, The Early Years, by George S. May  
 Origami, the Oriental Art of Paper Folding, by Harry C. Halfman

**BIOGRAPHY**  
 The Great Conductors, by Harold C. Schonberg  
 Tolstoy, by Henri Troyat

**RELIGIOUS**  
 Prayers to Pray Without Really Trying, by Jeannette Struchen  
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**YOUNG ADULT BOOKS**  
 Seventeen Guide to Knowing Yourself, by Sugarman  
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 A Time of Growing, a collection of 18 stories by distinguished writers

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 Aircraft at Work, by Mary Eiting  
 Your Changing Earth, by Hy Ruchlis  
 Ask Me a Question About the Heavens, by Sam Rosenfeld  
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 The First People in the World by Gerald Ames

**EASY BOOKS**  
 Snipp, Snapp, Snurr And The Reindeer, by Maj Lindman  
 Snipp, Snapp, Snurr And The Seven Dogs  
 Snipp, Snapp, Snurr And The Gingerbread  
 Snipp, Snapp, Snurr And The Magic Horse  
 Filka, Rieka, Dicka And The Big Red Hen, by Maj Lindman  
 Rudy Biplane, The Golden Eagle, by James Kruss  
 Bru-The Brown Bear, by Inga Borg  
 Barbie Goes To a Party, by Jean Bethell  
 Fly-Away at the Air Show, by Leone Adelson  
 Marina, by Ludwig Bemelmans  
 August Explains, by Phil Ressenner  
 Martha, the Movie Mouse, by Arnold Lobel  
 Big Sister and Little Sister, by Charlotte Zoloto  
 Flat Stanley, by Jeff Brown  
 Emilio's Summer Day, by Miriam Anne Bourne  
 Sparrow Socks, by George Selden  
 Jennie's Hat, by Ezra Jack Keats  
 The Moon in my Room, by Uri Shulevitz  
 The Groober, by Betsy Byars  
 Parouche Plants a Seed, by Ben Shecter  
 Every Day a Dragon, by Joan M. Lexau  
 Lazy Tommy Pumpkinhead, by William Pene Du Bois  
 Come and See Me, by Mary Kennedy  
 It's Not Your Birthday, by

**Berthe Amoss**  
 The Dancing School, by Eleanor Schlek  
 Mouse at Home, by Mary De Ball Kwitiz  
 Nothing To Do, by Russell Hoban  
 The Three Bears and Goldlocks, edited by Nova Nestruck

### Wacousta

Mrs Edward Kraft—627-2039

(Omitted last week)

Miss Myrtle Salisbury of St. Johns spent Saturday night with Mrs Charles Phillips and family. Mr and Mrs Ira Bollinger, Mr and Mrs Don Locke and family and Jack Willie were Tuesday evening guests of Mr and Mrs Raymond Bennett in East Lansing.

Mrs Charles Phillips and family and Van Phillips spent Christmas eve with Mrs Dorothea Phillips in Mason.

Sue Chamberlin spent Christmas vacation in Iowa with relatives.

Sally, Tom and James Lowell were all home from College with their parents Mr and Mrs Donald Lowell and family.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Dale Shattuck whose mother, Grace Shattuck, 82, passed away Sunday while visiting her daughter in Shepherd. Funeral services were held in Shepherd on Wednesday.

Mr and Mrs James Evens and daughter of Detroit were Christmas weekend guests of Mr and Mrs Arthur Harrington. Mr and Mrs Evens and daughter and Mr and Mrs Harrington spent Christmas eve at the Lyle Peake home in Grand Ledge.

Mr and Mrs William Pearson and family of Lansing, Mr and Mrs John Stevens and family and Mrs Helen Hoffman and daughters of Lansing were Christmas day guests of Mr and Mrs Cecil Stevens.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Harrington spent Christmas Day with Mr and Mrs Ted Pitchford in Grand Ledge.

Mr and Mrs Edward Kraft spent Thursday evening with Joan and Nancy Kraft in Grand Rapids.

Mr and Mrs Carl Miller left Friday for Arizona.

Joe Schafer, 85, former Wacousta Area resident and brother of William Schafer passed away last Wednesday morning in a Lansing hospital.

Robert Colter was a medical patient in St. Lawrence Hospital several days last week.

People who travel in circles seldom make both ends meet.

Division in the family circle will always be a very unsatisfactory kind of arithmetic.

### East Hubbardston

Mrs Mamie O'Connell Telephone 981-2374

Rev James Cusack of Grand Rapids spent New Year's Day with his mother, Mrs Edward Cusack. Last Tuesday, Father Cusack accompanied his mother to Flint to visit Mr and Mrs Harold Lipe and family. Mrs Cusack left by plane last Wednesday to spend a few weeks in Florida.

Irwin Roach spent last weekend in Detroit visiting his brother and family, Mr and Mrs William Roach.

Lyle Cunningham spent the past week with Mr and Mrs Harold Cunningham.

Mr and Mrs Libby Thompson and Alex of Detroit were last weekend guests of her brother, Mr and Mrs Joseph Fohey. Mrs Thompson was taken ill Sunday evening and is a patient at the Carson City Hospital.

Mrs Clifford O'Grady and children visited Mr and Mrs John Dwyer last Wednesday evening. Maureen and John left last Thursday morning to spend a couple months in Florida.

Mr and Mrs Lee Moore and Mike spent several days last week ice fishing at Houghton Lake.

Dinner guests New Year's Day of Mr and Mrs James Boomer were Mr and Mrs Harold Cunningham, Mr and Mrs Manuel Cusack, Mr and Mrs Cecil Estep, Mr and Mrs Victor Dalley and Mr and Mrs Cecil Tait.

Visitors of Mrs Julia Stoddard New Year's Day were Mr and Mrs Donald Stoddard and family, Mr and Mrs Clarence Stoddard and family and Mr and Mrs Steve Kimball and family.

### Middlebury

By Mrs Don Warren Phone 834-5020

Mr and Mrs Wilbur Glerman, Eric and Janet; Mrs Mae Glerman of Portland and Miss Sheryl Glerman of Grand Haven were last Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs George Warren and Jon. Mrs Nina Ryan spent last week visiting at the home of her son and family, Mr and Mrs Clare Ryan at Bay City.

Mr and Mrs George Warren, Julie and Jon were recent visitors of Mr and Mrs Richard Barber and daughter, Vicki, at Jackson.

### South Watertown

By Mrs Bruce Hodges

Mrs James Root of Delta Mills, Miss Hazel Moe of Millet, Mrs Viola Kelsey of Delta Center and Miss Helen Lowell were Saturday luncheon guests of Miss Marian Pearson.

Mr and Mrs William Fenby and family are visiting relatives in California.

The Hobby Club met at Woodhaven Center Tuesday evening. The ladies made bird cages from Readers Digests under the leadership of Mrs Richard Stevens.

Mr and Mrs John Crane were Monday supper guests of Mr and Mrs Herbert Hardtke.

Mr and Mrs Vernon Otto and Mrs Robert Herner of Lansing and Mrs Frank Buckmaster of DeWitt spent New Year's Day with Mr and Mrs John Buckmaster.

The Starr Aid Society will meet with Mr and Mrs Herbert Hardtke Thursday, Jan. 18, for a 12:30 p.m. dinner.

Mr and Mrs Lee Wiser of Lansing and Mr and Mrs Ted Pearson were Sunday dinner guests of Miss Marian Pearson.

Mr and Mrs David Hodges entertained 27 guests at a post holiday family dinner Sunday. Present were Mr and Mrs Jon Bogle and daughter of East Lansing, Miss Trudy Bogle, Mike Wesley and Miss Carrie Hoover of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Gerald Phillips and family of Elmwood Road, Mr and Mrs Don Cobb, Mrs Vaughan Montgomery and family, Mr and Mrs Bruce Hodges and Mr and Mrs Burl Hodges.

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**BUTTER BEANS 15-OZ. SPARTAN WVT. CANS 7 for \$1**

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# Business and Professional Announcements, Legal News



### Marriage Licenses

Jose Ruben Calva, 36, of Rochester, Minn. and Susan Kay Pocus, 24, of 904 W. Baldwin Street, St. Johns.

Walter D. Haupt, 26, of R-3, DeWitt and Janet L. Moloney, 18, of R-3, DeWitt.

### Probate Court

**HON. TIMOTHY M. GREEN**  
Judge of Probate  
**HELENA M. BURK**  
Register of Probate

Wednesday, Jan. 17, 1968  
Charles W. Fowler, claims.  
Jay W. Kaltrider, final account.  
Clarence Shoup, final account.  
Lena M. Carter, appointment of administrator.  
Nellie Holbrook, claims.  
Ella B. Steinhower, final account.  
Etta Irene Hudson, final account.  
Emma Moyer, final account.

### County Building Permits

Dec. 18: Rademacher Construction, 803 E. Walker Street single family dwelling.  
Dec. 18: Andrew Kuhnmuensch, 1103 Wight Street, single family dwelling.  
Dec. 27: Mrs Pearl Bailey, 105 S. Emmons Street, single family dwelling.

### County Building Permits

Jan. 3: Westphalia Builder's and Supply Company, Airport Road, Watertown twp., dwelling and garage.  
Jan. 3: Keusch Brother's Builders, Tucker Drive, DeWitt twp., dwelling and garage (3).  
Dec. 28: Richard D. Albertson, 13500 Turner Road, DeWitt twp., finish dwelling and new garage.

### DeWitt

By Virginia Ackerman

### Driving Licenses Revoked in County

(As reported by Secretary of State)

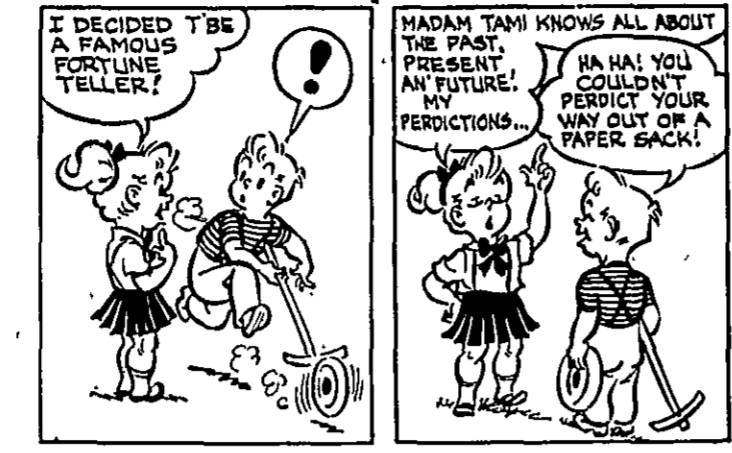
Robert Anthony Every of 105 Floral Avenue, St. Johns, for driving while license suspended, effective to Jan. 9; Edward Ervin Sherman of 5349 Ballentine Road, Bath, for driving under the influence of liquor, financial responsibility in effect.

### Real Estate Transfers

(From records in office of Register of Deeds)

William E. and Frances Duerr to Central Michigan Development, property in Ovid twp.  
Lester M. and Clara Jamison to Claude and Madie Crooks, property in the Village of Ovid.  
Fred Flostiz and Willis Rockwood to Joseph and Beverly Schultz, property in DeWitt twp.  
Roy and Alma C. Uchigashima to Carl F. Stanley et al, property in Bath twp.  
Ely M. and Doris Janes to Larry D. and Judy Lockwood, property in Ovid twp.  
Ena May Hughes to H. Donald Bruce, property in DeWitt twp.  
Ferdinand J. and Antonette Platte to John P. and Leona Thels, property in the Village of Westphalia.

### Life With The Rimples



### Gunnisonville

By MRS. LOUI FRITZ, Correspondent

### Choir presents Yule cantata

Mr and Mrs Larry Stid and family of Jackson were Sunday and Christmas Eve guests of his parents, Mr and Mrs George Foster of Clark Road, Christmas Day they all enjoyed dinner at the Sigmund Wojtylak home of Holt; they are the parents of Mrs Stid.

Choir Director was Mrs Allen (Elaide A) Cable, Reader Rev Marcel B. Elliot, and pianist Mrs Evelyn Jones. Members of the choir included: Sopranos, Mrs Alva (Florence) Hartman, Mrs Ralph (Janet) Green, Mrs Barbara Homer, Mrs John (Laurel) Headley, and Mrs Marvin (Phyllis) Rhynard; altos, Mrs Merl (Miriam) Trowbridge, Mrs John (Beulah) Betts, and Miss Nancy Hartman; tenors, Bruce Cook and John Hagy Jr.; bass, Marvin Rhynard, John Betts, and Walter Baumer.

A capacity congregation attended the candlelight service at the church Christmas eve at 7:30. Rev Elliott and layman Marvin Rhynard officiated.

### North Bengal

By Mrs Wm. Ernst

### Dolls highlight Christmas party

GUNNISONVILLE—(c)—S a t u r d a y evening, Dec. 23 was Christmas for the children and grandchildren of Mr and Mrs Ernest Fritz of Boichot Road as they gathered at their parents' and grandparents' home for their Christmas eve supper and gifts from the Christmas tree.

Seven granddaughters each, received one of grandma Fritz "Dolls of Yesterday" that she has been making this past year. The dolls are made from a body pattern of their great grandmother, Mrs Charles (Ethel McKusison) Sandford and made and dressed by their grandma Fritz.

The granddaughters receiving dolls were Jean Ann and Karl Sue Fritz, Nancy Hartman, Kathy Babula, Kristine and Tracie Fritz and Gail and Wendy Fritz.

"The grandsons won't be forgotten" promised grandma Fritz, "because, next year each mother will get a doll to keep until her son grows up and has a baby girl; then she is to give it his doll." Lou Lea Fritz received her doll for graduation.

Guests present included Mr and Mrs William (Billy) Fritz and family from Denver, Colo., Mr and Mrs John Babula and Kathy of Grand Rapids, Mr and Mrs Alva Hartman, Barry and Nancy and Mr and Mrs Charles E. Fritz and family of DeWitt. Rev and Mrs Arthur Fritz and family of Mt. Pleasant were unable to be present.

### Christmas Day dinner guests at the Charles Fritz home in DeWitt

Christmas Day dinner guests at the Charles Fritz home in DeWitt were Mr and Mrs Ernest Fritz and Todd Daniewicz. Afternoon callers were Mr and Mrs Ray Shrey and family of Bath.

Mr and Mrs Alva Hartman Barry and Nancy spent Christmas with their daughter and sister and family, the Ron Parkinson's of Manistiquie. They left Gunnisonville Sunday and returned Tuesday.

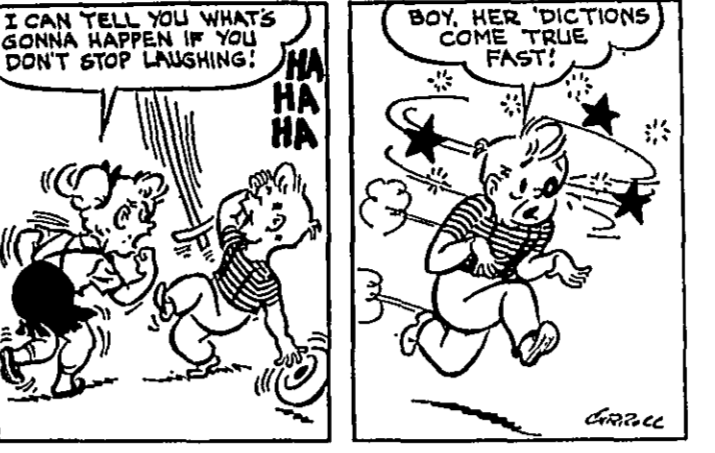
Christmas Day dinner guests of the John Hagy family of Clark Road were his parents, Mr and Mrs Hagy of DeWitt.

Mr and Mrs George Lindquist and daughters of Ann Arbor and Mr and Mrs Aldan Stampfy of Watervliet were Christmas weekend guests of their mother, Mrs Margaret Stampfy of Wood Road.

Julia Baumer of Lansing spent Christmas weekend with her parents, Mr and Mrs Walter Baumer of Boichot road.

Dec. 17 weekend guests at the George Foster home were Mr and Mrs Larry Stid and children of Jackson. On Sunday a birthday party was held at the Sigmund Wojtylak home at Holt for Jeffy Stid, who was 2 years old on Dec. 20.

### By Les Carroll



### Final Account

Shoup—Jan. 17  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.  
Estate of  
CLARENCE SHOUP, Deceased

It is Ordered that on January 17, 1968, at 9:30 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of CLARENCE SHOUP, Deceased, for allowance of its final account.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN,  
Judge of Probate.

Dated: December 18, 1967.

### Final Account

Shoup—Jan. 17  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.  
Estate of  
WILLIAM IRVING BEARCE, Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, January 31st, 1968, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in the Court House in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of David L. Houghton for probate of a purported will of William Irving Bearce, deceased, and for the appointment of an administrator 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 28, 1967.

### Final Account

Shoup—Jan. 17  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.  
Estate of  
GLEN M. PARKS, Deceased

It is Ordered that on Thursday, January 18, 1968, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Dean H. Parks for appointment of an administrator, 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 18, 1967.

### Final Account

Shoup—Jan. 17  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.  
Estate of  
RACHEL ARNTZ, Deceased

It is Ordered that on February 7, 1968, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of James A. Moore for appointment of an administrator and determination of heirs.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN,  
Judge of Probate.

Dated: January 3, 1968.

### Final Account

Shoup—Jan. 17  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.  
Estate of  
CHARLES DENNIS CASSIDY, Deceased

It is Ordered that on January 31, 1968, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Stanley Charles Cassidy, praying that he or some suitable person be made executor administrator of the above estate.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN,  
Judge of Probate.

Dated: December 27, 1967.

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TIMOTHY M. GREEN,  
Judge of Probate.

Dated: December 27, 1967.

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CLARENCE SHOUP, Deceased

It is Ordered that on January 17, 1968, at 9:30 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of CLARENCE SHOUP, Deceased, for allowance of its final account.

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TIMOTHY M. GREEN,  
Judge of Probate.

Dated: December 18, 1967.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.  
Estate of  
WILLIAM IRVING BEARCE, Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, January 31st, 1968, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in the Court House in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of David L. Houghton for probate of a purported will of William Irving Bearce, deceased, and for the appointment of an administrator and for a determination of heirs.

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TIMOTHY M. GREEN  
Judge of Probate

Dated: December 28, 1967.

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Estate of  
GLEN M. PARKS, Deceased

It is Ordered that on Thursday, January 18, 1968, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Dean H. Parks for appointment of an administrator, and for a determination of heirs.

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RACHEL ARNTZ, Deceased

It is Ordered that on February 7, 1968, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of James A. Moore for appointment of an administrator and determination of heirs.

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TIMOTHY M. GREEN,  
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Dated: January 3, 1968.

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**ASC PROGRAM**

**1968 wheat program sign-up slated to start Feb. 5**



**W. M. SMITH**  
County ASC Manager

The year is rapidly drawing to a close, and the 1967 wheat program will soon be history. Participation in the program was good, with some 40,000 wheat producers participating. The certificate payments earned by Michigan wheat growers, while not known at this time, should exceed payments earned in 1966 which were in excess of \$14 million.

The basic objective of the 1967 wheat program was to maintain wheat production at a level that would satisfy current needs and provide adequate reserves. Without a doubt, the program has met these objectives and at the same time has helped to boost the wheat income for each farmer who participated.

LOOKING AHEAD to next year—the 1968 national wheat allotment of 59.3 million acres—down 13 per cent from 1967

—is expected to produce about 1.5 billion bushels of wheat, provided, of course, the growing season is average. This is the amount of wheat estimated to be needed during the 1968-69 marketing year. Michigan's share of the 1968 national allotment is 1,241,575 acres and compares with the 1967 allotment of 1,428,370 acres.

The 1968 wheat program will be about the same as it was for 1967. Wheat producers who sign in the program and meet all program requirements will be eligible for price support loans of \$1.25 per bushel national average on their entire wheat production and wheat certificates on 40 per cent of the projected production of the farm's allotment for 1968. The certificates will be valued at the difference between the \$1.25 loan rate and parity as of July 1, 1968.

The 1967 certificates were valued at \$1.36 per bushel and covered wheat grown on 35 per cent of the allotment. The program also provides for substitution between wheat and feed grain—same as last year.

**SEE FOR YOURSELF**  
**Purina Dairy 44%**  
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Take a look at the chart. You'll see why Purina Dairy Concentrate 44%, new from Purina Research, fits the feeding demands of many dairymen.

	COTTONSEED OIL MEAL	SOYBEAN OIL MEAL	LINSEED OIL MEAL	PURINA DAIRY CONC. 44%
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Phosphorus	Medium	Low	Low	High
Potassium	Medium	High	Medium	High
Magnesium	Medium	Low	Medium	High
Iron	Low	Low	Medium	High
Manganese	Very Low	Low	Medium	High
Copper	Low	Very Low	Low	High
Vitamin A	None	Very Low	None	High
Vitamin D	None	None	None	High
Cobalt	Low	Low	Medium	High
Digestible Nutrients	Medium	High	High	High
Protein	41%	44%	32%	44%
Digestibility	High	High	High	Very High

Feeding a quality ration and following a complete dairy program goes a long way toward helping increase production. And more milk per cow is usually the best way to cut costs and improve income—especially when milk prices are improved.

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I WOULD LIKE to point out that the certificate payments add substantially to the income that farmers receive from marketing their wheat. For example: Divide your certificate payment by your total production to get an average per-bushel payment. By adding this to the price per bushel you receive in the market you can determine the total return per bushel received for your wheat. The certificate payment averages about 47 cents per bushel on total production.

Sign up for the 1968 wheat and feed grain programs will begin Feb. 5 and close March 15.

I urge all of you to contact our office between the dates of Feb. 5 and March 15 and have the program explained if you have planted within your wheat allotment. To those of you who are planning on spending the winter in a sunnier climate, please contact our office and make known your intentions before you leave.

**Hear of southern mission project**

The Women's Fellowship of the Congregational Church met in the church narthex Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 2, with Vice President Mrs. Donna Carter presiding. Mrs. Bert Walling gave the devotions.

The program subject was "Way Down the South in Dixie." Rev. Church explained the mission project of the National Association. He also showed slides of Mulberry Gap, Tenn., and Piedmont College, Piedmont, Ga.

The meeting ended with tea being furnished by the Elizabeth Winslow division.

**Minutes of the City Commission Meeting**

Municipal Building Commission Room  
ST. JOHNS, MICHIGAN

December 19, 1967

The regular meeting of the city commission was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Mayor Coletta. Commissioners present: Furry, Irner, Rand, Sirtine, Coletta. Commissioners absent: None. Staff present: City Manager Greer, City Atty. Reed, City Clerk Clark.

Motion by Commissioner Sirtine, supported by Commissioner Rand, to approve the city commission meeting minutes for Dec. 5, 1967, as read by the city clerk. YEA: Commissioners Furry, Irner, Rand, Sirtine, Coletta. NAY: none. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Furry, supported by Commissioner Sirtine, the city clerk be authorized to draw checks in payment of general fund voucher numbers 1171-1233 inclusive, library fund voucher numbers 071-083 inclusive, water receiving fund Number 112, water operation and maintenance voucher numbers 195-206 inclusive. YEA: Commissioners Furry, Irner, Rand, Sirtine, Coletta. NAY: none. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Rand, supported by Commissioner Irner, to approve the agenda with additions. YEA: Commissioners Furry, Irner, Rand, Sirtine, Coletta. NAY: none. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Furry, supported by Commissioner Rand, to refer the request for a street light from the property owner at 703 S. Kibbee Street to the city manager to obtain a recommendation from Consumers Power Co. YEA: Commissioners Furry, Irner, Rand, Sirtine, Coletta. NAY: none. Motion carried.

MR. RAYMOND Kentfield, representing the St. Johns Fire Department, appeared before the city commission requesting consideration be given to general repairs for the fire hall building. The estimated expenses for material would be approximately \$1,000. Members of the fire department offered to do the labor for this project. Material quotation costs to be secured by the fire department for these repairs and to be submitted for commission approval.

Mr. Joe Karber appeared before the city commission requesting further information on his previous complaint of excessive noise from the generator motors at the Eberhard store. Mayor Coletta again referred this matter to the city attorney for investigation and report if this would constitute an ordinance violation.

Mayor Coletta then allowed other persons to be heard from the floor. There were persons present that requested information and stated opinions on the financial condition of the city and the special election scheduled for Feb. 20, 1968.

THE FOLLOWING preamble and resolution was offered by Commissioner Rand and moved for adoption, which was supported by Commissioner Furry.

**RESOLUTION**  
WHEREAS, Section 1 under the heading of general taxation on Page 17 of the city charter reads as follows:

Section 1. The subjects of taxation for municipal purposes shall be the same as for state, county and school purposes under the general law, and the amount annually raised shall not exceed the limit fixed by the State law, and

WHEREAS, Act 279 of the Public Acts of 1909, as amended, limits taxation for municipal purposes to two percentum of the assessed valuation, and provides that unless and until the charter provides for a specific limitation the limitation shall be one percentum, and WHEREAS, the limitation of taxation cannot be clearly determined from the city charter, and it is impossible for the city government to operate efficiently and effectively for the general welfare of the city without knowing the limitation within which it must operate.

BE IT RESOLVED, that Section 1 in the division of general taxation on Page 17 of the city charter which reads as set forth above be amended and as amended shall read as follows:

Section 1. The subjects of taxation for municipal purposes shall be the same as for state, county and school purposes under the general law and the amount annually raised shall not exceed 1.5 percentum of the assessed valuation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the proposed amendment to the city charter shall be submitted to the electors of the city at a special city election to be held on Feb. 20, 1968, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the city clerk is directed to submit a certified copy of this resolution to the governor of the State of Michigan for his approval of said charter provision, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution and proposed amendment shall be published in full in the Clinton County News, either as a part of the minutes of this meeting or as a separate publication, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the city clerk shall do and perform all acts required of him by the city charter and the statutes of the State of Michigan in regard to the registration of electors for said election, the giving of notice of such election, the preparation and furnishing of necessary ballots and for the conduct of such election, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the proposition and purpose thereof shall be stated on the ballot in the following form: Shall Section 1 under General Taxation in the City Charter be amended as read:

Section 1. The subjects of taxation for municipal purposes shall be the same as for state, county and school purposes under the General Law, and the amount annually raised shall not exceed 1.5 percentum of the assessed valuation.

Yes—For Amendment  
No—Against Amendment  
and that this proposition may be designated as Proposition II. YEA: Commissioners Furry, Rand, Coletta. NAY: Commissioners Irner, Sirtine. Resolution declared adopted this 19th day of December, 1967.

THE CITY commission agreed with the suggestion from the audience that additional information should be presented to the general public on the financial needs of the city.

The city commission discussed the proposed tax anticipation notes. City Manager Greer read aloud the official resolution and notice of sale to the city commission.

Commissioner Irner offered the following preamble and resolution and moved the adoption, which was supported by Commissioner Sirtine. (Official

resolution authorizing \$90,000.00 tax anticipation notes to be inserted here in the city commission minutes book.) YEA: Commissioners Furry, Irner, Rand, Sirtine, Coletta. NAY: none. Resolution declared adopted.

Commissioner Rand offered the following preamble and resolution and moved the adoption, which was supported by Commissioner Irner. (Official notice of sale resolution to be inserted here in the city commission minutes book.) YEA: Commissioners Furry, Irner, Rand, Sirtine, Coletta. NAY: none. Resolution declared adopted.

The city attorney read proposed Ordinance No. 212 that would amend the zoning ordinance by changing the zoning classification on the south 150 feet of Outlot S from industrial to R-1 single family residential. Motion by Commissioner Rand, supported by Commissioner Sirtine, to schedule the public hearing on proposed Ordinance No. 212 for the regular city commission meeting Jan. 16, 1968, at 7:30 p.m. YEA: Commissioners Furry, Irner, Rand, Sirtine, Coletta. NAY: none. Motion carried.

THE CITY Commission discussed the employee personnel manual as presented, Mayor Coletta requested this item be present on the next city commission meeting agenda. The City Commission discussed the open storm drain on Morton Street from Vauconsant to Gibbs Street. Mayor Coletta appointed Commissioner Furry and City Manager Greer to investigate this matter.

There being no further business to be brought before the city commission, the motion to adjourn was supported and carried.

Mayor Coletta declared the meeting adjourned at 9:50 p.m.

CHARLES C. COLETTA, Mayor  
DONALD H. CLARK, City Clerk.

**Chapman District**  
By Mrs. Gerald Pope

Mr and Mrs Lyle Auten spent New Year's Eve as guests of Mr and Mrs Ernest Huss.

Mr and Mrs Warren Davison of Ovid were last Wednesday evening dinner guests in the Gerald Pope home.

Miss Shirley Ashenfelter is spending her vacation from college at her parents' home. When she returns she will be doing her practice teaching for four months at the Sonoma Elementary School of Harper Creek, which is a suburb of Battle Creek.

Last Sunday afternoon guests in the home of Mrs. Mary Strong were Mr and Mrs Jack Ridenour and family of Lansing.

Mrs. Mary Strong and Mrs. Lucille Gallagher visited Mrs. Florence Gohn in the Rivard Nursing Home recently. Mrs. Gohn is the widow of the late Dr. Gohn, so well remembered in this area.

**Bannister**

Mrs. Robert Valentine  
Phone 862-4342

The Bannister Methodist Official Board held their regular meeting Wednesday evening. Business included planning meetings Jan. 8 and 9 for church members to select new pews for the sanctuary. Representatives from the American Seating Company of Grand Rapids and the Kawawlin Seating Company will be present and show samples of their products.

Mr and Mrs Wayne Walters, formerly of Bannister, are now settled in Florida where Mr Walters is attending school.

Their address is 1020 Audrey Drive, Daytona Beach, Fla. 32017.

Mr and Mrs Bill Crowell and family of Lansing and Mrs. Irene Crowell and Dale were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr and Mrs Robert Valentine and family. Dale and Danny Crowell stayed to spend a few days with the Valentines.

Misses Linda and Lisa Peck spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr and Mrs Wayne Peck.

Miss Vickie Valentine spent the weekend with Mr and Mrs Russell Pope of St. Johns.

The Kozy Korner Hobby Club will meet Thursday evening, Jan. 11, at the home of Mrs. Marilyn Bearup.

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These items may be inspected between the hours of eight o'clock a.m. and four o'clock p.m., Monday through Friday.

Bids must be received at the offices of the Road Commission not later than 10:00 a.m., Thursday, January 18, 1968.

The Board of Clinton County Road Commissioners reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Board of Clinton County Road Commissioners  
ROBERT ELDRIDGE, Clerk

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EDITORIAL PAGE

Man . . . this government philosophy is confusing

We have watched with interest as Sweden built a full scale cradle-to-grave security program over two decades.

On the surface it would seem that they have everything to fill a utopian prescription. They have housing subsidies, rent rebates for low-income groups, free hospitalization, subsidies for doctors' bills and drug pills, free care in childbirth, cash allowances for maternity, free higher education, sick pay, unemployment insurance and old age and disability insurance.

Despite all this, the people are discontented and restive.

Crimes of violence have been rising at an alarming rate. Alcoholism and drug addiction have reached epidemic proportions among their young people.

Officials blame these unfavorable statistics on a deterioration in family life.

Housing subsidies is one of the elements to which they point with pride, yet private home-builders are becoming reluctant to step up building schedules because of government controls. The result is that Sweden has a worse housing crisis than that of 20 years ago, despite a low population growth.

The tax burden there is the highest in Europe and about one-third higher than in the United States.

It has worked around to the point that most of this tax load is now being paid by the people who draw the benefits—those in the lower and middle income brackets.

Despite the fact that the history of this welfare state spells out a pattern of weaknesses, the authorities in the U. S. are still proceeding to initiate programs which parallel those in Sweden.

We can't balance the budget, yet we try to tell the farmers how to run their production.

In one state we spend millions to turn arid land into productive soil, while in adjoining states we spend a bundle not to grow crops.

We can't solve segregation and integration problems in our own country yet we spend millions in foreign lands teaching them how to get along with their neighbors.

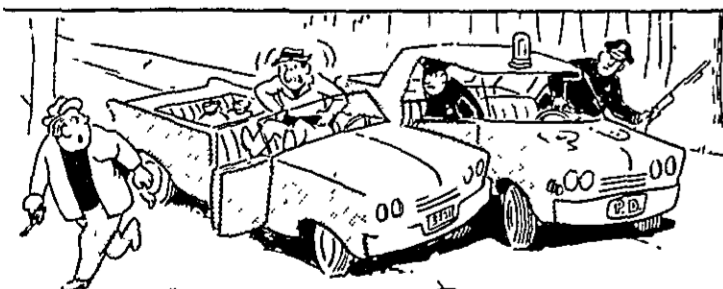
We are told that a man in this country must make a minimum of \$3,000 per year to stay a step above abject poverty, and establish a minimum wage to provide him with that income. Then we turn around and take approximately \$500 of it away from him in taxes to help meet the salaries of the world's fastest growing payroll—government employees.

On top of this we spend more millions in propaganda to try and convince the American public that this is the medicine we need to cure all of our ills.

We louse up so many things by trying to be our brother's keeper that now we are pouring billions into the program to get to the moon first so we can have a broader field of operations.

It sure is confusing!

—Oceana County Herald



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Back Thru the Years

Interesting Items from the Files of the Clinton County News

1 YEAR AGO From the Files of Jan. 12, 1967

William Barber, St. Johns businessman who owns the Julie K Shop, was appointed by the city commission last week to fill the vacancy on the St. Johns Planning Commission left by the recent resignation of Dorr M. Anderson.

St. Johns' proposed urban renewal project will have to be carried out in two phases of the city wants to avoid another year's delay in getting to the bid stages.

Former Clinton County Extension 4-H agent Don Walker has been assigned to the 4-H youth program in Isabella, Clare and Gladwin counties.

10 YEARS AGO From the Files of Jan. 9, 1958

Frank J. Demblanski of St. Johns, a member of the Governor's Study Commission on Michigan Indian Problems, will participate in a panel discussion on the state's Indian affairs sponsored by the Greater Lansing Historical Society at the Civic Center in Lansing Thursday, Jan. 23, at 8 p.m.

Sophomores led the way as the St. Johns varsity beat Charlotte Tuesday night, 52-44. Jim Spouta was high point man for the locals with 15. Rex Knight garnered 12 points.

Three persons were made homeless in a New Year's Day fire in Eureka, which destroyed the large two-story framed dwelling of Otis Brntrager.

25 YEARS AGO From the Files of Jan. 14, 1943

R.W. (Bill) Beecher of St. Johns was named chairman for the 1943 March of Dimes in Clinton County at a recent meeting of the executive committee of the county chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. The drive is Jan. 15 to 30.

St. Johns' newest food store, the super market of the Kroger Grocery and Baking Co. located in the large building on the west side of Clinton Avenue known as the Allison Opera House block, opened its doors to the public at nine o'clock this (Thursday) morning.

W. J. Martin, publisher of the Ovid Register-Union was named Friday by the Clinton county defense council as its chairman, replacing C.S. Clark Jr. of St. Johns who has entered the armed forces.

from the HOPPER

By STEVEN HOPKO

For many centuries, the superiority of the male of the species of man has been highly touted. Over the years our history books and fairy tales have proclaimed the superiority of the male over the female. For it was always the male who went out to hunt for food, built the homes, and protected the family against adversity. It was always the knight in shining armor who rescued the fair maiden in distress.

From these lessons of fact and fiction, the average male was instilled with the idea that he was superior over the female, that he must be the protector, the provider as he went his way through life. And I would assume that many females believed this also as they depended upon the male for many things.

THEN, A FEW generations ago, along came a female by the name of Susan B. Anthony who decided that the female of the species was equal to the male in all aspects of life. Through her campaigning, the Congress of the United States gave women equal rights. Since that time they have achieved all the rights of man and have actually surpassed the male in most cases, although many men of today still do not believe it, and the women are smart enough to let these men go on believing it isn't true.

But facts are facts, and where it might have been thought by many men that, maybe women were superior, there were no facts to back this theory. So the males went on their way believing they were the superior ones, but that will be short

How the mail went through

Maple Rapids forest terror of trip for young boys on horseback in 1850s

(Editor's Note: Coincidental with the increase in postal rates Sunday was the contribution of this item containing the story of mail distribution through Clinton County some 112 years ago. It is a clipping from an old issue of the Ovid Register-Union about a collection of the late Chester A. Jackson of Ovid, the father of Mrs. B. L. Bates.)

An interesting newspaper clipping was found recently in the effects of the late Chester E. Jackson of Ovid. Yellowed with age, it was headed "Owosso," and printed as a "Special to the Evening News." The description is given of a reunion held in the new National Hotel there at the turn of the century by three men who carried mail between Owosso and Lyons before the railroad went through in 1855.

The men were J. W. Smith and Ebenezer Gould of Owosso and H. W. Fuller of Fairfield.

Over the dinner table, the old men told their tales. In the 50's, W. S. Ament of Owosso, a distant cousin by the way, of Mr. Jackson, was the contractor who cared for the distribution of mail all over central Michigan. He sublet routes running in every direction from Owosso and mostly over "corduroy" roads.

MR FULLER WAS THE FIRST of the trio to carry mail across country by horseback. He stuck to his job for seven months. It was a government regulation that a contract be given to no one under 16, but volunteers were hard to find for this hazardous job that netted \$8 a month, so young Fuller was hired. He was 13 years of age.

On Monday mornings, with his saddle bags full of mail, he would start out for Lyons, 40 miles distant, taking the south route that lay through what is now DeWitt. By Wednesday night he had covered Bengal, Dallas, Lyons, returning over the same route. Thursday morning he would start again,

touching Middlebury, then Rochester Colony, Maple Rapids, Fish Creek, Lyons and return by Saturday night. In all, he covered 249 miles of travel.

Smith carried the mail for two months in 1855, he also a lad of 13. Gould, who, by the way, was the first white child born in Owosso, carried the mail over these routes for three years, starting in 1856. He failed only once to make the trip in this period and that because his brother refused to let him ride the old "sawhorse" the contractor had provided.

At the time the three boys were carrying mail the trails often led through dense forests. One stretch near Maple Rapids was eight miles across, and this place was the terror trip. The young couriers would lash their horses to cover this before darkness set in, for wolves and bears were aplenty.

The mail between post offices was carried in locked pouches, but individual packages were brought to patrons along the way, for which the carrier received the princely sum of four cents each.

RAMBLIN' with Rink

By LOWELL G. RINKER



Many kindnesses have been shown and spoken to me about this column in the 3 1/2 years that I've been in St. Johns, and I have sincerely appreciated them. Once in a while somebody expresses themselves a little differently.

Such was the case last week of Mrs. Joan Matter, who lives west of town and who, incidentally, works around the newspaper office a couple of days a week. She wrote that her family was writing poetry the other evening, and she decided to write a special for me.

The poem concerned my column of Dec. 28 about painting the bathroom. As I told her after getting it, her poetic abilities are somewhere this side of Shakespeare, but the effort and her sense of humor are in tune. May I share the poem with you?

TO PAINT OR NOT TO PAINT . . . THAT IS THE QUESTION A painter I ain't, but it does me no good 'Cause my wife says I should To type—that's my type and

line of devotion But wife has another contrary notion.

I've tried and I've tried to stand my ground,

But my points dwindle while her points mount Oh, what to do, what to do, cried me.

Just walls and ceilings, answered she! Knowing further talk was of no avail,

I get my brush with paint in pail; With my assignment complete and done, I realize it was quite fun.

It started out as quite a chore, Now I'm looking 'round for more; What else can we paint, I ask full of zest,

A cupboard? A chair? That antique old chest? Enough is enough, my wife now insists;

I look at my brush, it's hard to resist. So when my pleading leads to no avail,

Away goes the brush with paint in pail. Back to my typing, pen and ink

For a longer spell (I'd like to think).

THANKS, MRS. Matter. As a postscript to all this, the blue paint I applied to the walls and ceiling of the bathroom turned out to be too blue, so I, being true blue, volunteered to put white back on the ceiling.

One coat, of course, failed to cover And now I lag in giving it the other.

—Rink

Letters to the Editor . . .

'Farm farmer' is objective, Hanus contends

Editor:

After reading the letter from the Michigan State A.S.C.S. office last week thanking The Gratiot County paper for having done such an amazing job in 1967 in spreading their messages of good cheer to the poor sucker farmers and general public, I would like to take this opportunity to explain some of the basic and more important parts of this story that has not been told as it exists.

In the first place I see no reason in giving the paper credit for the "look ahead" in order that they, the farmers, might receive a reasonable income. It seems that this person doesn't know what a proper income is in agriculture.

Mr. Quirin also mentioned in his very gracious thank you note that he hopes the farmers will achieve that "pie in the sky," 90% parity of income, that our leadership has promised for so many years, but never fulfilled. It seems this gentleman is quite confused since our present parity of income has reached its lowest point since 1938, or 72%.

Our Secretary of Agriculture, Mr. Freeman, recently described our parity of income formula, that Mr. Quirin is still dreaming about, no longer realistic, obsolete, impractical, and ancient. This confusion in the U.S.D.A. department reminds me of the difficulties the poor souls had when they attempted to build the Babylon Tower. Is it any wonder we are going backward in the farm programming?

The best the U.S.D.A. can do anymore is to exhibit confusing and distorted propaganda which is hard to sell to us who understand the parity formula. Certainly after all these years of waiting we know this cannot be

come a reality as long as our government controls this possibility.

Our Representatives in Washington must have had a very bad night to have so poorly constructed the last Omnibus Farm Senate Bill number 1702, passed in 1965, using this admitted obsolete and unrealistic parity formula to construct this very important document, giving our politicians a legal right to barter our wheat on the common market for \$1.25 a Bu. What other segment of our economy stands still for this kind of treatment?

After three years of short changing the farmers, Mr. Freeman is still able to spread this propaganda, the latest being there is now a study being conducted to clarify the parity formula. This phony parity, by the way, is 2% below the prices we received in 1946-49. Today the farmers receive 5.4% of consumer earned income for his products, one-half of the share he received in 1947, after we have become efficient and our farm machinery prices have risen 24% and labor costs are up 35%.

Spending for farm originated foods has increased by 40 billion dollars since 1947, less than one fourth of this increase has gone to the farmer. The farmer now receives 39% of the dollar spent for food, 10% less than he received in 1947.

Our leadership has the pricing and production controls, therefore they have no excuse for the poor economy we now have in agriculture. We farmers have taken a 10% drop in income and are being warned of another drop for 68, part of this loss is because of the U.S.D.A. Department tactics of consistently lowering the food grain yields.

This old and worn out parity record being played by the Administration is a foregone conclusion and they better wake up before it's too late. There is a saying that if you want to make money in agriculture "farm the farmer," this seems to become more true every day.

JOE HANUS,

Former Gratiot County A.S.C.S. Chairman Ashley, Mich.

Thanks people for helping kids at Christmas

Editor:

We would like to take this means of thanking the many, many people in the Clinton County area for their marvelous cooperation in our recent "Operation Christmas for Kids" in which we provided kits containing clothing and toys for needy children, ages 3 to 5, in 13 Detroit day-care centers. As a part of our state "Involvement" program for 1967, so many people in your area donated either a complete kit or individual items for the kits that we found it impossible to thank each one individually.

We are sorry each of them could not have been present at the day-care centers on December 21 to see the eyes of the children as these gifts, perhaps the only ones some of them received during the holidays, were presented to them by our volunteer Santa Clauses. Third District Congressman Garry Brown was one of these Santas, and his contribution to the success of the day and the joy of the children was immeasurable. Because this project so beauti-

fully reflected the true spirit of Christmas, we are deeply grateful to Clinton County residents for assisting so greatly in its success.

Sincerely,

ELLY M. PETERSON Republican State Chairman

MRS MARILYN DAVIDSON State Involvement Chairman

Jaycettes offer thanks for help with Santa

Dear Editor:

The members of the St. Johns Jaycettes would like to express their gratitude to the people of our community for helping to make "Lunch With Santa" a success. We were very pleased at the enthusiastic response to our first attempt, approximately 700 lunches were served, and many pictures were taken.

The help of the members of Girl Scout Troop 522 and their leader Mrs. Donald Pease was invaluable. We wish to also extend a special thank you to Bob Yager our photographer, the Boy Scouts of Troop 81 for the Christmas tree, the Brownies of Scout Troop 577, the St. Johns Police Department and all others who helped.

Proceeds from the "Lunch With Santa" will be presented to the Jaycees for a playground to be constructed at the north end of town.

Sincerely, JAYCETTES

Complains about merchandise shortage here

Dear Editor:

Our store owners are always complaining that people go to the neighboring cities to do their shopping. During the holidays I was never so mad in all my life as I was in one of our stores when they took me for some dumb gal who didn't know what she wanted. They were positively rude to me.

Another instance—a jewelry store refused to adjust some jewelry because it wasn't purchased from them. Did you ever try to buy clothing for the very young or the very old here? I was even told the manufacturers didn't make clothes to please the old folks anymore. Indeed!

If our stores would concentrate on stock for their patrons and a little more courtesy instead of filling flower boxes out in front, the average homemaker like myself, might concentrate more on buying here in our city.

Respectfully, MRS AVERAGE HOMEMAKER St. Johns (Name withheld on request)

Misses '50 years ago'

Dear Editor:

I think you made a mistake when you removed the items of "50 Years Ago" from your paper. What happened "one year ago" is well remembered, but what happened 50 years ago is certainly an interesting reminder to your older readers and informative to those not so fa-

See LETTERS page 11-B



MICHIGAN MIRROR

Michigan fastest-growing state of 5 in regional area



BY ELMER E. WHITE Michigan Press Assn.

Latest figures released by the U.S. Census Bureau show Michigan as the fastest growing of the five states in the East North Central Region...

should have a favorable effect on the economy. It will also bring many problems to state and nation, notably in the areas of social services provided by government.

needy families with food, clothing and toys. Copies sold by Goodfellows are usually supplied by the newspaper at cost or less.

MAJOR MICHIGAN CITIES were included in the census figures. They showed Detroit, with a population of 4,06 million, ranked fifth in the nation.

GAS TAX REFUNDS submitted by farmers will no longer need to be notarized under a new ruling by the Motor Fuel Tax Division.

SOME NEWSPAPERS work "behind the scenes," stimulating civic action and supplying names of needy families to charitable organizations.

THIS POPULATION boom

The application had to be notarized before being submitted, and this cost many farmers time, trouble and notary fees.

These campaigns, like others, depend on reaction from people in the community. In Inkster, a suburb of Detroit, the Goodfellows sale was a flop.

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Dirt

W.E. DOBSON

To housewives it's a major chore Is dirt Takes up 'bout half her time or more Does dirt, From dirty dishes in the sink-- 'N floors strewn like a skating rink-- To clothes that drier 'n you think-- From dirt.

The scandal monger's stock in trade Is dirt, They dig it with a rusty spade This dirt No 'lasty morsel is too small-- The victims can be short or tall-- 'N gatherin' it can be a ball-- Plain dirt.

A major source of honest wealth Is dirt, A clue off' times to robust health This dirt, Herein lies all our mineral store-- Here herds n' harvests grow galore-- Wherever waters touch the shore-- Is dirt.

Since it can be both friend and foe This dirt, It stands us in good stead to know Of dirt, An item that can make or break-- 'This well precautions we should take-- Reminded there is much at stake-- In dirt.

A look into the past . . .



DOWNTOWN ST. JOHNS SOME YEARS AGO

There was no date to pinpoint when this picture of downtown St. Johns was taken, but it certainly was some years ago as indicated by the horse-drawn rigs and sleighs tied up at either curb.

Pewamo

By Mrs Irene Fox

Mr and Mrs Albert Pung and Rose Pung of Fowler, Mr and Mrs Leo Cook spent Christmas day with Mr and Mrs Virgil Pung and family of Inola.

Mr and Mrs Erwin P. Freund entertained their family at home Saturday evening with a Christmas supper.

Visitors of Mrs Mary Holm Saturday evening were Mrs Phillip Farhat and daughter Kim of Dayton, Ohio and Mrs Eva Leavett of Lansing.

Mrs Herman Werner was admitted as a medical patient at Clinton Memorial hospital at St. Johns Thursday, December 28. Mr and Mrs Joseph J. Fox accompanied Mr and Mrs Robert A. Fox to the home of Mr and Mrs Robert O. Fox and family at Lansing Thursday evening.

Mrs Vera Cook and Mrs Joan Daniels spent New Year's Day with Mr and Mrs Leon Thelen and family of rural St. Johns. Mr and Mrs Harold Hattis of Pontiac spent Christmas day with their mother Mrs John Hattis and Mrs Lumbert and family.

Paul Bissell who has been a medical patient at St. Lawrence hospital in Lansing since Christmas day is slowly improving.

Mrs Altha Mitchell and daughter Betty O'Handusky of Comstock Park, Grand Rapids spent Christmas day with Frank and Arnold Hattis.

Christmas eve dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Phil Walgle were Mr and Mrs Duane A. Hamburger of Grand Ledge, Mr and Mrs Wm. Gerulis and son Michael of Detroit and Mr and Mrs Floyd Bissell.

Mr and Mrs Erwin P. Freund left Sunday to spend Christmas with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Dale Freund and family at Jackson.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Continued from page 10-B millar with the 1917-18-19 etc. years. After all, those were the World War I times. Thank you.

IRVING FITZPATRICK 816 Lincoln Street Jackson, Mich 49202

(Editor's Note: Mr Fitzpatrick is not alone in his thinking, and an explanation is admittedly long overdue. Back issues of the Clinton County News are now in the process of being micro-filmed at Central Michigan University, and the people there now have all our issues prior to 1940.

(We did not have ample time between the time such arrangements were made and the time they picked up the bound volumes to compile our columns, so we have been without our research material.

(You can rest assured that as soon as we get the books back, the '50 years' ago! portion of our "Back Through the Years" column will be reinstated. We miss it, too.)

The "Low Down" From the Congressional Record By Joe Crump

What DeGaulle really said

Rep. Henry B. Gonzalez (Tex.) "... I am very perturbed by the callous disregard of facts, and the credence given to commentators who disregard the facts, in an apparent effort to harden and exaggerate the current differences between the American and the French people..."

"De Gaulle was the first to support us during the Cuban crisis in 1962..."

"How can the French, whose contribution to the international gold bank in London, was only 9.3 per cent possibly break Fort Knox...?"

"I wish my colleagues would compare (the) distortions with the actual statements of De Gaulle made on Israel (and with reference to his Montreal visit)..."

Question. General, war broke out in the Middle East six months ago. It ended soon afterwards as we know. What do you think of the evolution of the situation in that sector since last June?

Answer. France saw with satisfaction the establishment of the (Israel) State on the territory that had been recognized then by the powers, while hoping that they succeed, by using a little modesty, in finding a peaceful "modus vivendi" with their neighbors.

We maintained cordial relations with the Israel Government and even provided it, for its eventual defense, with the weapons it asked to purchase. On June 2nd, the French Government had officially declared that eventually it would lay the blame on whomever would first enter into combat and that is what it repeated very clearly to all the States involved; that is what I had personally said on May 24th to Mr Eban, Israel's Foreign Affairs Minister, whom I saw in Paris.

"If Israel is attacked, I told him, then in substance, we will not allow it to be destroyed. But if you attack, we will condemn your initiative."

We know that France's voice was not heard. Question. Mr President, last July from the balcony of the City Hall at Montreal you said four words which have gone around the world...

Answer. It was with great joy and great interest that the Government of the Republic welcomed in Paris the Government of Quebec, in the person of its successive heads, Mr Lesage and Mr Daniel Johnson and concluded with them the first agreements for common action. But it was obvious that this rediscovery of one another by France and French Canada had to be solemnly recognized and celebrated on the spot. That is why Mr Daniel Johnson asked me to go and visit Quebec, and that is why I went last July.

One could see, even in Quebec, that it was the Anglo-Saxons who supplied the capital, owners, management and engineers, who trained, in their way and for their enterprises, a large part of the active population, in short who disposed of the country's resources. This preponderance, together with the so-called "federal" but necessary partial action of the Canadian Government in Ottawa, placed the French in an increasingly inferior position and exposed their language, their substance and their character in increasing dangers.

I summed up everything by exclaiming "Long live free Quebec" which brought the flame of resolution to its height.

A GRASSROOTS COMMENT

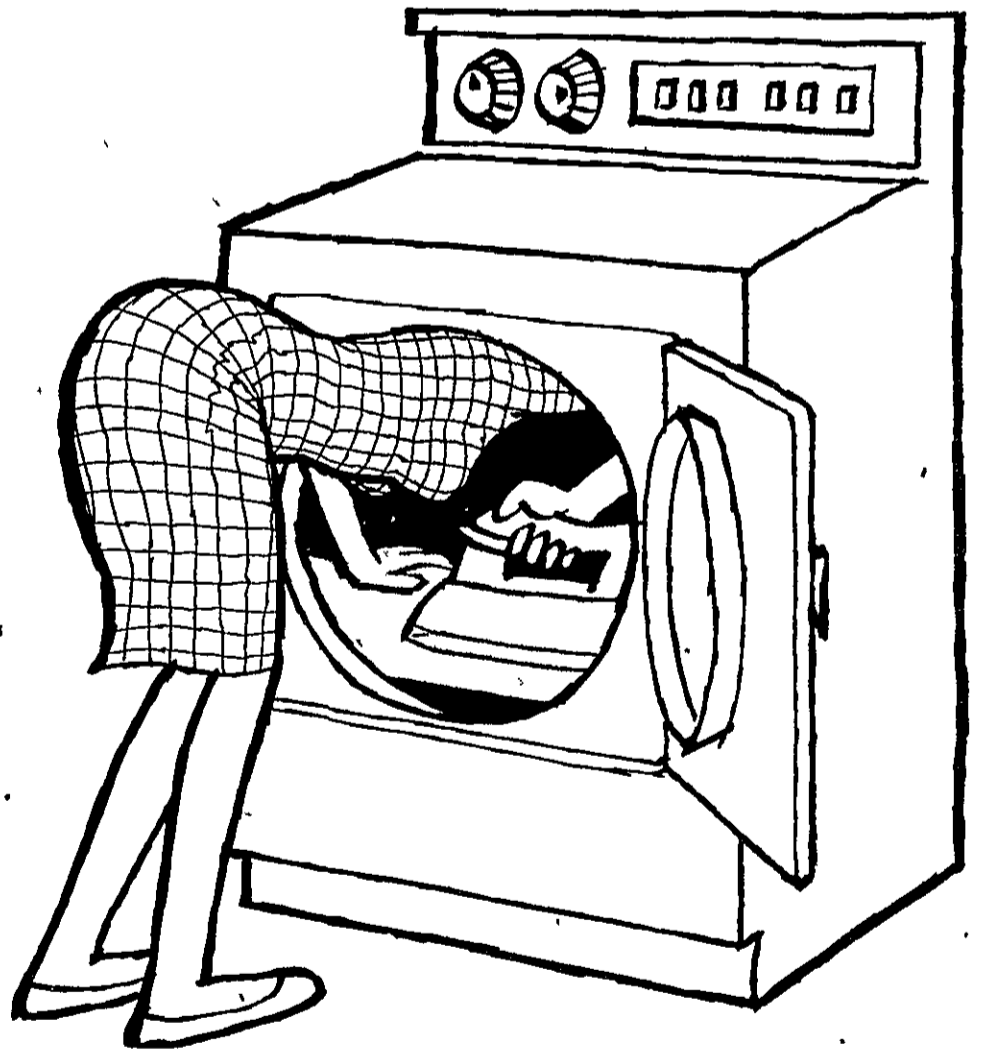
Rep. Gonzalez is of the opinion that the French are unlikely to break Fort Knox, with the small amount of gold at their disposal. Israel is looking to the United States for weapons. De Gaulle has cut off arms sales to Israel as he infers, that Israel was the aggressor.

President de Gaulle didn't go to Canada to see the Fair. He was invited to visit Quebec by representatives of the Quebec Government, who went to Paris for that purpose.—J.C.

Alimony is the high price of leaving.

WHAT! IRONING IN A GAS CLOTHES DRYER?

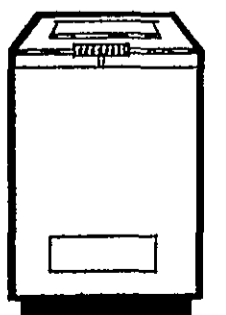
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# Shepardsville

By LUCILLE SPENCER, Correspondent

(Omitted last week)

**SHEPARDVILLE IN REVIEW**  
As usual, most of the activities of Shepardsville center around the church. The women of the church put on several smorgasbord suppers through the summer months, and the MYF had an ice cream social.

There were two weddings in the church and a Shepardsville girl was married in the United Church in Ovid.

The new educational unit was completed and used for vacation church school. This school was conducted the last two weeks in June under the very capable direction of Mrs Chandler Gleason.

The Shepardsville Church lost four through death; Mrs Clyde Morrill, Mrs Bertha Squiers, Mrs Mary Ella Gleason and Mrs Chandler Gleason. Mrs Chandler Gleason was very active in the Church. Besides being the caretaker, she was president of the

WSSC, sang in the church choir, and taught the youth Class in Church School.

Mr and Mrs Lawrence Harvey of Middlebury moved into the Shepardsville community in the spring. Mr and Mrs Cutler moved up north.

After closing the Nursing Home last spring, due to illness, Mrs Oral Elliott reopened the home for boarding patients.

The church lawn was reseeded on the west and south side of the building and the Advent Season was observed in the Church with a Candlelight Communion Service.

Mr and Mrs John Spencer spent Christmas week-end with Mr and Mrs Guy Cox and granddaughter, Mrs Richard Barker and family of Lansing.

Mrs Effie Wilson spent from Saturday until Tuesday with her daughter, Mrs Albert Warren.

Christmas Day guests of the Albert Warrens were Mr and Mrs Charles Wilson and sons, and Mr and Mrs Lawrence Walters, Jr.

Mr and Mrs John McCarthy and family of Farmington and Mr and Mrs James Miller and family of Lansing spent Saturday with their parents, Mr and Mrs Lyle Davis and Dennis. On Sunday Mr and Mrs Robert Davis and family of Elsie were guests.

Mr and Mrs Bob Gollsek and family of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Max Walasek, Jr., and family of Perry and Mr and Mrs Ed Komlski and family of St. Johns were Christmas Eve guests of Mr and Mrs Max Walasek. Mr and Mrs Sam Sherwood were also Christmas Eve guests.

Mr and Mrs Allen Hiller and Diane spent Christmas Day with Mr and Mrs Raymond Hughson and family in Mason. Mrs Elgie Hughson was also a guest of her son.

Guests of Mr and Mrs Karl Smith for Christmas were their children, Mr and Mrs Roger Smith and children of the Shepardsville Community and Mr and Mrs Menlo Bailey and sons of St. Johns.

Mr and Mrs Robert Orweller and family and Mr and Mrs Eugene Bellingar and family, of Elsie, Mrs Pat Greenfield and son Todd of Owosso, Mr and Mrs Joe Orweller, Jr and family of this area and Pam Canning of Owosso were Christmas Day guests of Mrs Joe Orweller.

Richard Harvey and daughter of Detroit, Mr and Mrs Thomas Cusek of Chicago, Illinois and Mr and Mrs Walter Newport and family of Owosso were guests of Mr and Mrs Lawrence Harvey on Christmas Day.

Mr and Mrs Robert Watson entertained members of the Sloat family for Christmas.

On Sunday, December 31, at the Morning Worship Service, Mr Richard Mead directed the choir for the last time. Mr Mead is moving to St. Johns in the very near future. The church is looking for a new choir director.

To everyone on my List, I wish a Happy and Healthful New Year. I would like to close the column with this thought, "What better time to resolve to do our best than at the beginning of a new year."

## North Victor

By Mrs Elzie Exelby

(Omitted last week)

The January meeting of the Victor Missionary Society has been postponed until February. All WSSC members are requested to meet at the Price Church on Wednesday morning Jan. 3 at 9 o'clock for a thorough cleaning of the church and Friendship hall.

The Price WSSC met at the church on Wednesday with a roast beef dinner. During the business meeting conducted by Mrs Russell Ormsby several letters were read expressing thanks for Christmas cookies sent to boys in the service, also several shut-ins who were remembered with plants and gifts. The program was led by Miss Mildred Ashley and Mrs Jean Ormsby gave the lesson on Christmas unity.

Mr and Mrs Thayne Milner spent Friday until Monday evening with relatives in Midland and Saginaw.

Mr and Mrs Barry Darling and children of Lansing and Mr and Mrs Robert Van Gilson and child-

ren of Ovid were Wednesday evening dinner guests of their grandparents Mr and Mrs Elzie Exelby.

Eugene Montague was a dinner guest of his sister Mrs Evora Suttin in Carland on Christmas.

The condition of Mrs Ruby Shumaker remains about the same.

Mr and Mrs Floyd Upton had as their guests on Christmas their children, Mr and Mrs Woodard Dunkle and Norman, Mr and Mrs Hugh Byrnes and family of Ovid. Mrs Grace Boltin was an evening caller.

Mr and Mrs Casimer Jenc, until recently residents here but now of Ovid, are the proud parents of a baby girl Tammie Helen born Christmas morning.

Mr and Mrs Keith Grossman of California and mother Mrs Leah Styles of Plymouth, Ind., spent Tuesday and Wednesday of last week with Mr and Mrs Henry Grossman. On Sunday Dec. 24 they all spent Christmas with Mrs Styles at her home in Plymouth. This was the first time in 17 years the family had been able to spend Christmas together.

Thanks to the Carolers who

visited several homes in the community on Friday evening. Mr and Mrs Bruce Parrott and children spent Christmas in Roscommon with her parents Mr and Mrs Fishell.

A Christmas eve service of music, entitled "A Night of Miracles" was given at the Grove Bible church with Charles Price of Durand as Director. Much credit is due Mr Price and the choir for this splendid program.

Mr and Mrs Henry Grossman spent Monday in Lansing with their daughter Mrs Mike Demitroff and family.

Little Miss Beth Walker of St. Johns spent Friday and Saturday with her grandparents Mr and Mrs Ralph Shumaker.

## Middlebury

By Mrs Don Warren  
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(Omitted last week)

MIDDLEBURY - Twenty-two members and guests of the Middlebury Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the Hibbard Road home of Mrs Edith

Schuknecht last Tuesday for a cooperative dinner. Assisting hostesses were Mrs Margaree Furry and Mrs James Burgess. Mrs Oren Semans presented the program, and Christmas poems were read by Mrs Nina Ryan, after which Mrs Semans gave the history of our Christmas carols, stating that "Silent Night" was composed in 1818 and in 1840 was published and translated into almost every language.

The carol, "O Come All Ye Faithful" has been translated into 76 languages and is known as the Portuguese hymn because it was sung in the Portuguese chapel in London about 1785.

"It Came Upon a Midnight Clear" was written in our country by Richard Willis, and the carol "O Little Town of Bethlehem" was also an American contribution by Phillip Brooks. Mrs Kaye Potter sang the carols, accompanied by Mrs Warren.

Hostesses for the Jan. 23 meeting are Mrs Earl Tubbs, Miss Grace Putnam and Mrs Kaye Potter. Devotions will be given by Mrs Blanche Potter and program by Mrs Lawrence Harvey.

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