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Lankford Plan thrown out

Committee must start new reapportionment program

ST. JOHNS—With final details to be ironed out, the new Clinton County reapportionment plan seemed to be nearing completion well ahead of schedule.

Suddenly, last week, the state court of appeals ruled that the county commissioners may no longer reapportion themselves and must be done by an independent body set up by law.

The plan, formulated by Commissioner Gerald Lankford of DeWitt, would have maintained the 11-man board but would have taken away one seat from the rural northern county and added one to the growing area of DeWitt Township.

The problem of setting up a new plan will fall to a special committee including Ernest Carter, county clerk,

Velma Beaufore, county treasurer, Jon Newman, county prosecutor, James Palmeter, county GOP chairman and Mary Kurka, county Democratic chairman.

The first meeting of the group will be called soon by the county clerk and reapportionment must be completed 60 days after Jan. 4, according to the court of appeals in Lansing.

Newman said Friday that he did not know when the first meeting would be called, but that time is running out to make the reapportionment deadline. He said he didn't know exactly how they will get started, but added that most of the work done by Lankford will be examined as a basis for a new plan.

The Lankford Plan would require changing all of the districts except Eagle-Watertown, currently represented by Robert Montgomery. Several commissioners will find themselves living in the same district which could result in some new faces on the board after the general election in November.

Under the new plan, Bath Township would continue to be one district; DeWitt Township would be divided into three districts, with one (the City of DeWitt) joining Olive Township to form a district; Eagle-Watertown would be one district; Westphalia-Riley-Bengal townships would join into one district; Victor and Ovid townships would be a district; Bingham Township and the third precinct of St. Johns would be a district, while the other three precincts in St. Johns would comprise another district; Dallas-Lebanon-Essex would form one district; and Greenbush and Duplain townships would become one district.

Lankford noted that the proposed plan only alters two precincts of about 27 in the county. Other plans he studied would cause a great deal of confusion causing many changes in existing precinct lines.

The way the districts are divided in the proposed plan, each district commissioner would represent ap-

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St. Johns family finds Lincoln letter

BY ANNETTE WHITE
Associate Editor

Helping their son find research material for a report in school has somewhat changed the lives of a St. Johns couple.

The couple, Mr. and Mrs. William Bellant of 407 South Baker, may have an "original" copy of a letter written by Abraham Lincoln to Gov. Michael Hahn of Louisiana which bears a date of March 13, 1864, and is written on an "Executive Mansion" letterhead.

The letter dropped from an old law book, which the Bellants purchased among others at an antique sale three years ago while Mrs. Bellant was helping her son with a school project. The letter went almost unnoticed until several months later when some friends mentioned a person who found some authentic old documents in a book and Mrs. Bellant was reminded of the letter that she had found while helping her son.

The Bellants decided to find out about the letter and started research on their own, using books from the Bement Public Library and also material available from Rodney B. Wilson School.

Unsuccessful in their efforts, they turned to Sen. William S. Ballenger, who in turn put them in contact with government officials, historians and private collectors. He also advised them to house the letter in a bank for safe keeping which they did immediately.

At the present, Dr. Roy Bassler, chief of the manuscript division of the Library of Congress is searching records, attempting to learn if the Hahn letter had ever been located or if the Bellants have the original copy. Dr. Bassler thought that the letter was in a private collection in Illinois.

Dr. Roy Pecken, director of the Clement Library at the University of Michigan worked with the Bellants and determined that the handwriting on the letter compares with other Lincoln documents and is the same

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Thieves busy

ST. JOHNS—Clinton County deputies reported Monday that two county homes were burglarized Sunday, but the thieves didn't fare too well.

The residence of George McCrumb, Grange Road, Eagle was broken into some time Sunday and thieves netted only three blankets. Deputies indicated that nothing else was touched and that three windows were broken to gain entry.

Late Sunday evening, thieves broke into the George Holbrook residence, E. Oak Street, Elsie and made off with \$115. Deputies recovered the money a short time later, indicating that two juveniles and one adult were responsible although no arrests were made immediately.

School officials agree

Goodbye to property tax

What's in store for Clinton County taxpayers in the near future if Gov. William Milliken's property tax relief program is approved by voters? Who will pay for education if the present tax system is outlawed? Will local districts give up even more controls to the state?

These and other questions surrounding the current crisis in education came up when Clinton County News editor Tim Younkman interviewed the six school district superintendents in Clinton County.

This is what they had to say in the first of a two part series.

By TIM YOUNKMAN

The crisis in education in recent years had had at least one glaring result—

Plans begin for Soap Box Derby

ST. JOHNS—Plans for the 10th annual Clinton County Soap Box Derby got underway at a derby committee meeting held at Bee's Chevrolet and Olds on Jan. 17.

Photo Courtesy Lansing State Journal

The Soap Box Derby, which is open to all boys between the ages of 11 and 15, offers a boy the chance to work on a rewarding project with his dad or another adult.

It teaches him skills which he will be able to use now and later in life, and it offers him the thrill of competing against other boys.

This year's derby will be held in St. Johns on Sunday, May 21. If rain occurs, the race will be held on Memorial Day. The race will be preceded by a parade and followed by an awards ceremony where all the contestants will receive recognition

for the time and effort that they have put into their cars.

The boys will be competing for a winner's trophy, a \$500 savings bond and a trip to the All-American Soap Box Derby in Akron, Ohio, where he will compete against some 280 boys from cities all over the central states and from foreign countries.

Rule books, registration forms and wheel and axle sets are now available at Bee's Chevrolet and Olds, located on south U.S. 27, for boys who are interested in racing this year.

"It's plain that in the last five years or so, the property tax program is not working," commented Earl Lancaster, St. Johns school superintendent. He said that while there may be some aspects of Gov. Milliken's plan that educators might not like, he was "100 per cent in favor" of it.

He noted that seven or eight years ago, the plan would not have been approved. There would be a certain loss in local control and there were some inadequacies, he said. "It has become a great controversy, but it does equalize education."

Lancaster said areas such as Clinton County districts would benefit from the plan, but others, like Birmingham's district, which contains a great amount of industry, would fight against it. By removing the property tax, the rich districts must give up some money to the poorer areas.

Lancaster said there would be local opposition to a plan whereby most of the funding comes from the state, taking purse-string control from local voters. "Many people don't realize that the change is coming."

DEWITT SUPT. JAMES RITCHIE noted the inequities in funding a school system by taxing property.

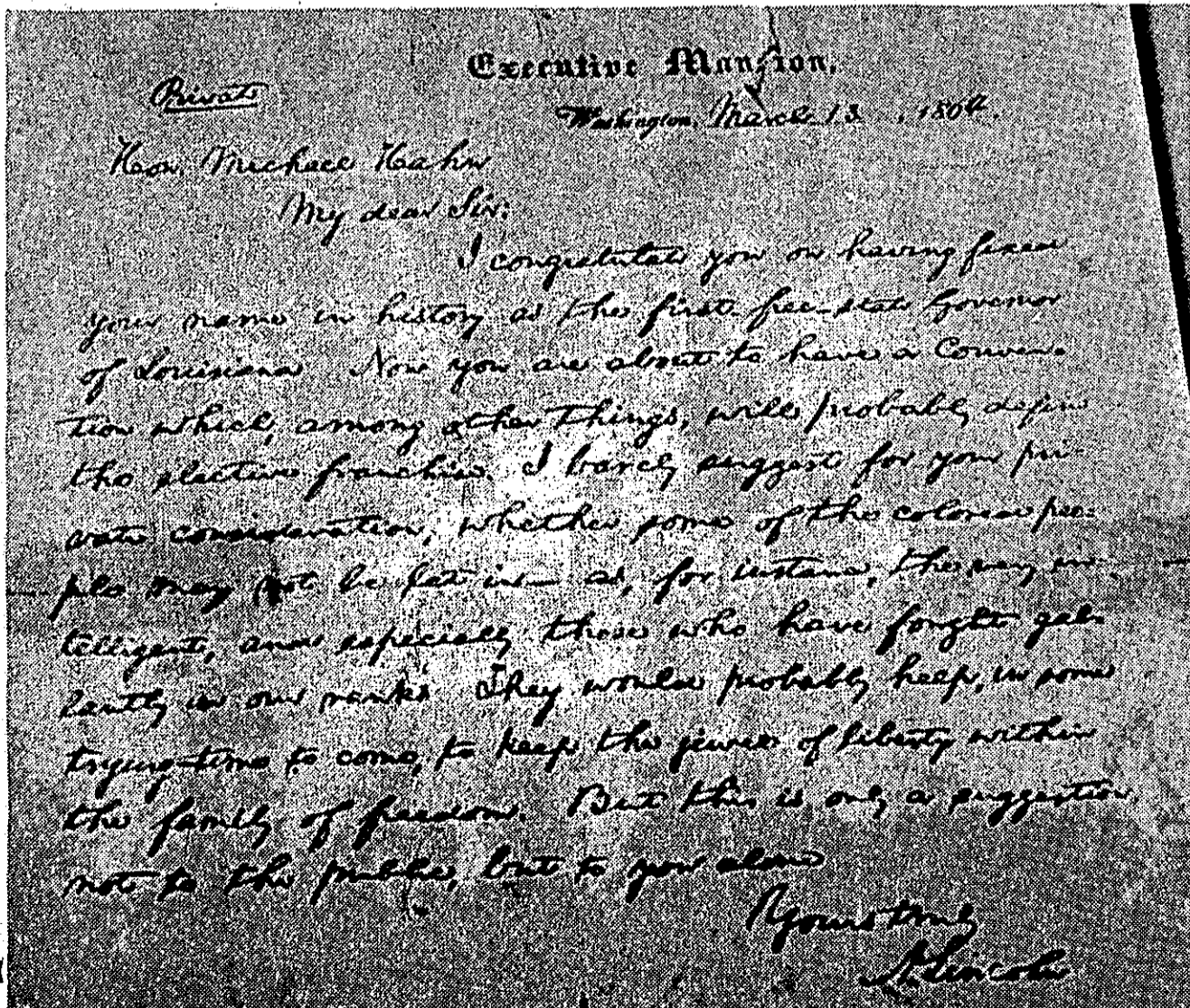
DeWitt, for example, is taxing at the rate of 21 mills overall, which produces \$311.11 per child in local revenue. The state provides \$471.39 per child and the federal funds provide an additional \$9.42 per child—the total amounts to \$791.92 per student. In contrast, the richest district in Michigan, River Rouge, provides more than \$1,200 in local taxes alone, per student. The new plan, Ritchie said, would spread out that wealth to the poorer districts.

As far as local control is concerned, local districts are losing it anyway, he contends. "In the last

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Members of the agriculture department course on animal science at Ovid-Elsie High School put the finishing touches to the outside of a special poultry building they constructed as part of their vocational educational program in agricultural mechanics. See page 15A.



ST. JOHNS—Two Lansing men face breaking and entering charges in Clinton County courts following preliminary exams last week here.

Joe Franklin, 52, of Lansing is scheduled to appear before District Court Judge Roland Duguay Feb. 23 after petitioning the court Friday to appoint an attorney. He and William Douglas, 30,

of Lansing face charges of breaking and entering two homes, one at 6536 Bunker Hill Drive, Lansing and the other at 6548 Bunker Hill Drive.

Franklin's exam is set for 10:30 a.m. Douglas was bound over to circuit court Thursday on the same charges and will appear before Judge Leo Corkin Feb. 14 at 1:30 p.m.

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WEST ELSIE NEWS

William Knight has been confined to Sparrow Hospital since the first part of January.

Mr. and Mrs. David Peabody, Mrs. Gladys Dush, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Betzel, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mead and Laurie and Mrs. Raela Cebielski were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hawes of Elsie.

David Fogarty returned to his home this past week following back surgery in December.

PEWAMO NEWS

Sunday callers of Mrs. Grace Bissell were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bissell and family of Maple Rapids.

NORTH STAR BUS SCHEDULE

TO LANSING	
LEAVE ST. JOHNS	10:45 a.m. 3:30 p.m. 6:00 p.m.
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ARRIVE ST. JOHNS	9:45 a.m. 3:00 p.m. 10:15 p.m.

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Committee

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proximately 4,000 people. The smallest district would be Greenbush-Duplain with a 3,847 population, while the largest would be Bath with 4,832 residents.

Lankford said he had worked with a county population figure of 48,942 to arrive at his reapportionment proposal. DeWitt Township (and city) was the largest governmental unit with a population of 11,738, St. Johns totaled 6,672 and the smallest was Lebanon Township with 673.

Lankford told commissioners that the plan was developed through the Clinton County Planning Commission with the basic format set in June, 1971. The proposal was nearly completed after a meeting between county personnel and officials from Bath, DeWitt and St. Johns on Jan. 4.

After Lankford's presentation, the commissioners voted to approve the idea of an 11-member board and would hear final proposals at the Feb. 1 meeting. Lankford added that he "would review and study anybody's proposal for reapportionment" before the next meeting.

There was some speculation that part of Bath Township might join with the Ovid-Victor district, while part of Ovid Township would be shifted to the Greenbush-Duplain district to anticipate population growth before the next census in 1980. Lankford said the precinct lines would be altered considerably if that part of the plan is added to the reapportionment program, a thought that brought groans and protests from township officials.



Ed Cox, Kurt's Appliance Center TV service manager explains features of RCA's cut-away model showing RCA's new XL-100 solid state chassis to Mrs. Ralph Wycoff of St. Johns. All tubes are eliminated in this newly developed set at RCA. All circuits are plug-in which permits most repairs to be made in the customer's home. RCA's confidence in this new set is shown by their offer to give the customer one year free labor service on any set featuring this new system.

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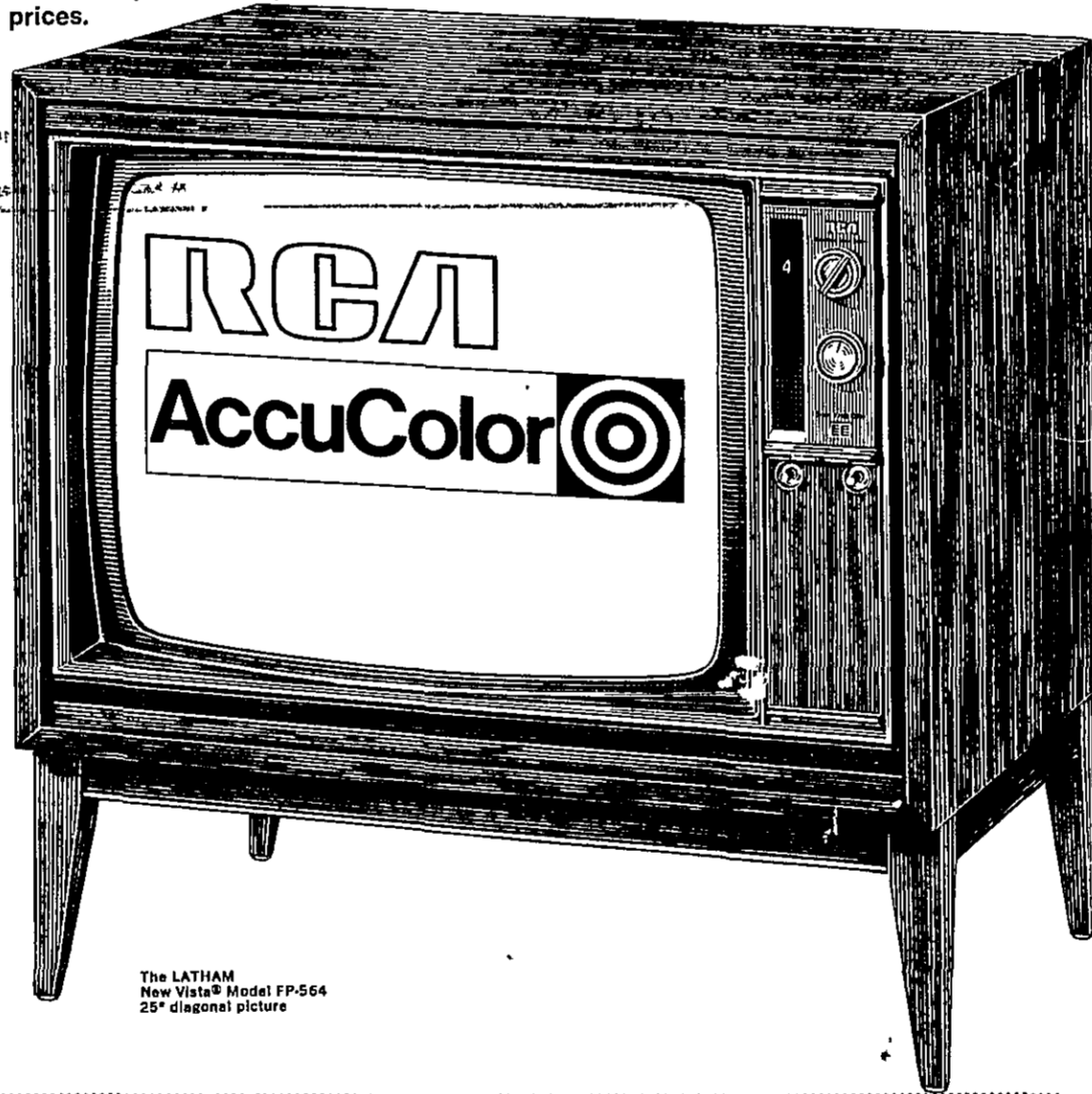
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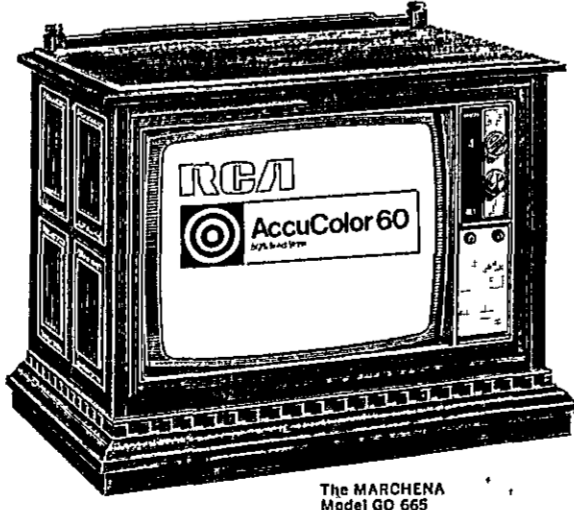
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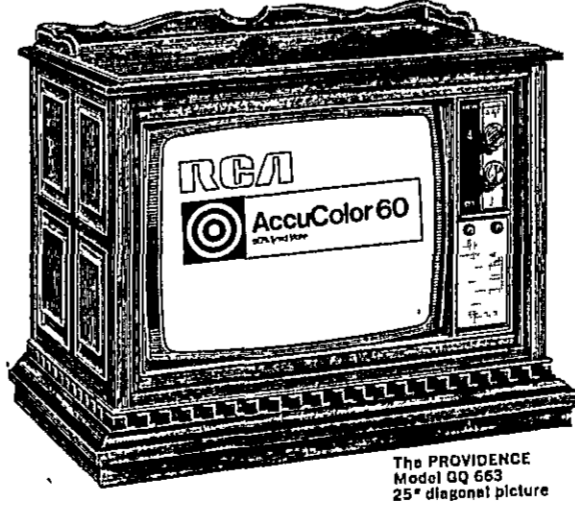
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Woman faces marijuana gun charges

ST. JOHNS—A 30-year-old Holland (Mich.) woman will face examination March 8 at 9:30 a.m. in District Court on charges of marijuana possession and carrying a concealed weapon.

Mrs. Jane L. Parker was free on \$1,000 bond following a preliminary exam before District Court Judge Roland Duguay Friday.

Mrs. Parker was arrested by Michigan State Police troopers on I-96 Thursday when they saw her car on the shoulder of the expressway. She told the troopers she had stopped to change drivers. Her husband, Dr. Phillip Parker, 33, was asleep in the back seat.

When troopers asked her for identification, they discovered a gun in her purse. Reports indicate the marijuana was also concealed in the purse when they searched it.

Police reports indicate the gun was registered to Mrs. Parker.

Students win CMU honors

MT. PLEASANT — Approximately 3,100 students have been named to the academic honors list at Central Michigan University for the 1971 Fall semester. In addition, 501 students have been honored for achieving straight "A" averages for the semester.

To be eligible for the academic honors list, a student must have a cumulative grade average of "B" or better for his entire college career.

Receiving a straight "A" average for the fall term was Lyman D. Jones, of Elsie, a senior.

Clinton County students named to the honors list were—

Tamara Kaye Cowdry, Mary Jean Shepard, Bath; Linda L. Holstein, Dorothy M. Luse, Susan Marie Luse, Thomas R. Whittier, DeWitt; Ellen L. Graham, Cynthia A. Rademacher, Eagle; Ruth Ann Baker, Lyman D. Jones, Kathryn E. Ladslski, Elsie; June W. Wright, Maple Rapids; Deborah S. Morgan, Douglas E. Parmenter, Nancy Ann Shinabery, Ovid; Honey Jane Karber, Van R. Patterson, Diane Lynn Kadiechik, David H. Oatley, Janet E. Pung, Lexa Kay Swatman, Judith M. Whitlock, Janeen A. Woodbury, St. Johns.

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two years the state has taken over much of the responsibility. We must conform to directives. That's the law, the board is the legal body that governs education. They say we can determine our own policy, but we must conform to their guidelines."

According to recent figures, the amount of local funding in each of Clinton's six districts is below 50 per cent. Bath has the lowest per cent of local funds with 30 per cent, while Fowler is 42, Ovid-Elsie 43, and Pewamo-Westphalia and St. Johns both at 45 per cent.

In other words, the majority of funding comes from outside the local control and the purse-string power no longer resides at home, Ritchie indicated.

OVID-ELSIE'S DONALD Kenney endorses the plan since it would tend

to get the school administrators out of the political firefight. "I hope they come up with some system so we don't go out and get funds ourselves. Instead of educational leaders, we almost resort to being a con artist."

He agreed that there would be a possibility that a loss of local control could result. "But you don't have to look very far to find out that we have a good product." The money, even at the state level, "is spent wisely with few exceptions. It is not the money we need to solve the problems," he added.

"Things are so traditionally bound that to be innovative, to sharpen our practices, is difficult at best," he said.

The problems will not all be solved. Increased state activity in education means more bureaucracy, he said. "It is getting too cumbersome and there will definitely be more bureaucracy. We have to play this thing day to day. Sometimes you get so worried about problems you can't function."

"I HOPE BOTH the Governor and the Democrats receive enough signatures on their petitions so the people can express their views," commented Fowler Supt. Don Smith.

"If it passes, I think we would gain, since we have a low amount per child here. In fact, all Clinton County schools would gain."

Local controls would fall off, Smith admitted, "but as proposed, we wouldn't lose any more than we've already lost. It is dwindling rapidly."

"Very honestly, to pursue these paths, we each give up a little autonomy and it may be a necessity."

PEWAMO-WESTPHALIA Supt. Roy Thelen declined to comment on the proposed tax relief plan until he could study it more thoroughly. He did indicate that the local district "will lose local control," but it would mean more money to the local district.

BATH SUPT. Roger Carlson noted that "even if we keep with the property

tax, we have no control anyway." He said he was in favor of the plan. "If it means a substantial increase in state aid, then I'm for it. I can't afford not to be."

Generally, the superintendents agreed, a few years ago, school administrators would not have taken such a stand in favor of dumping the property tax to back a centralized state funding system. Now they are unanimously behind the concept. But, they said, the maze of educational crisis and challenges is just unfolding.

NEXT WEEK: The rush to change—a look at plans to revamp the intermediate boards of education.

Lincoln

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size stationery Lincoln often used. He detected immediately the letter appeared to be over 100 years old.

The Bellants learned from Dr. Pecken that Lincoln often wrote three identical letters during the war and sent them with three different men on horseback to insure that at least one letter would reach its destination.

The Bellants are also in contact with officials from Lincoln Life Insurance Company in Indiana, which has a Lincoln collection, and are helping in the research.

Most recently they have been in contact with Dr. Amos E. Stimpson, professor of history at the University of Southwestern Louisiana who is scheduled to present a paper on Michael Hahn in March. Through his recent study of Hahn he told the Bellants that he has talked to a lady in New Orleans who claims to be a descendant of Michael Hahn and also has a copy of the same letter which could be one of the three written by Lincoln during that time.

The mystery continues at the Bellant home and Mrs. Bellant says, "It's getting to be a full-time hobby with all the correspondence involved."

How do their children feel about it all? Sons, Randy, 13 and Rickey, 12 feel "like celebrities" says Mrs. Bellant but three year old daughter, Billie Jo, isn't too excited by any of it.

Bees slam Hornets

BATH—A 29-point first quarter blast and a 31-point third quarter surge lifted the Bath Bees to their seventh win of the season here Friday night against Williamston to set the stage for a title runoff this week.

Bath is solidly seated in second place in the Ingham County League after dumping the Hornets 96-83. Stockbridge and Fowlerville lead the league with 6-2 records, while Bath sports a 5-3 mark.

The Bees will clash with Stockbridge Friday night and host Fowlerville at home Tuesday.

Both Paul Stoll and Randy Markham of Bath netted 22 points each and the bench helped out as Royal Dobson and Joe Mitchell combined for 26 points to spark the Bee's attack.

Stoll netted eight buckets and six of seven free throws, while Markham connected on nine field goals and four of four free throw tries.

Bath stormed out in front with a 29-17 first quarter lead and led 48-38 by half-time. The Bees roared back in the third quarter outscoring the Hornets 31-20 and coasted in for the victory when Stoll and Markham were given a rest in the last quarter.

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St. Johns

MRS. HILA BROSS



The executive committee of West Central Women's Association, of the Michigan Congregational Christian Conference, met Friday morning at the First Congregational Church. Members were present from Greenville, Saginaw, Merrill, Lansing and St. Johns.

Mrs. Lawrence Ulrey of Vicksburg, spent Friday with Mrs. F. E. Countryman.

The Clinton County News recently received a letter from an old St. Johns resident, Walter J. King, who was formerly manager of the meat department of Anderson's I.G.A. Store, Mr. King, now 84, lives at 1403 Pasolt St., Saginaw. In writing to renew his subscription to the paper, he said of the late Dor Anderson, "He was the nicest man I ever worked for."

Mrs. H. M. Bross returned Tuesday night from Wisconsin, where she attended the mid-winter meetings of boards and committees of the

National Association of Congregational Christian Churches, held at Siena Center near Racine. She also visited her sister, Mrs. Winifred Frazier, in Milwaukee.

The Board of Bement Public Library has received a check for \$333.60, which covers State Aid to the Library, at five cents per capita. It is based on the 1970 census for St. Johns, which is 6,672. The money goes to help pay dues of the Library to the Central Michigan Library System.

Valley Farms DeWitt

MRS. JULIA RICHARDS
Mr. and Mrs. Archie Moore and Lowell Alwin were called to Minneapolis, Minn., to attend the funeral of Mrs. Moore's and Mr. Alwin's brother.

DeWitt Past. Matrons' Club will meet with Mrs. Ron Phillips, Friday, Feb. 11.



MR. AND MRS. DAVID L. REHM

Couple wed in afternoon service

ST. JOHNS—Barbara Avis Kurnez became the bride of David LeVere Rehm Saturday, Jan. 8 in a double ring ceremony performed in The First Congregational Church. Rev. Averill Carson officiated at the 2 p.m. service before an altar decorated with white mums and pink carnations.

Mrs. Frances Delbert, organist, accompanied soloist Rosanne Gerrish who rendered "One Hand, One Heart," "Wedding Prayer" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Kurnez of 2604 East Parks Road, St. Johns and the groom is the son of Mrs. Alberta Rehm of R-1, Fowler and the late Gerald L. Rehm.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and chose a gown of angel skin peau-de-sole featuring an empire-style waistline atop an A-line skirt, mandarin collar and long full Bishop sleeves. Chantilly lace was applied on the collar, bodice, sleeves, cuffs and down the skirt in two panels. A double bow of peau-de-sole secured her floor-length veil which was edged with Chantilly lace and she carried a bouquet of pink camellias, light lavender daisies and white strawberry vines.

Clara Kurnez, of St. Johns, was her sister's maid of honor and assisting as bridesmaids were Joyce McLaughlin of St. Johns, friend of the bride, Veronica Rosen, St. Johns, cousin of the bride, and Janet Andrews, St. Johns, friend of the bride. The attendants wore Juliet-style floor-length gowns featuring a fitted ivory bodice and pink gathered skirt. A lace cummerbund accented the waistline and a ruffle edged the hemline. They wore a bow headpiece and carried a bouquet of pink camellias, daisies and strawberry vines.

Duane Rehm, brother of the groom, was best man, and serving as groomsmen were Gary Rehm, brother of the groom, Dennis Williams and Dennis Scriba, both friends of the groom. Seating the guests were Gary Rehm and Dan Cook, cousin of the groom.

A reception was held for 200 guests in Wilcox Hall

immediately following the service.

Special guests at the wedding and reception were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Maler of Ohio and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Halderman also of Ohio.

For travel on their wedding trip to Indiana, Kentucky and Ohio the new Mrs. Rehm chose a winter white knit dress with a lace knitted bodice and sleeves. A corsage of pink sweetheart roses with white carnations completed her attire.

Upon return the couple will be at home at 3387 South Williams Road, St. Johns.

The bride is a 1971 graduate of St. Johns High School and the groom is a 1969 graduate of Fulton High School.

Births

SEIDEL—A boy, Stephen Paul, was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Seidel of Ovid on Jan. 22 at Lansing General Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cook of Bannister and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seidel of Ovid. The mother is the former Carol Cook.

SIRA — A girl, Michelle Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Sira of 700 N. Mead, St. Johns Jan. 23 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds, 13 ounces. The baby has one brother. Grandparents are Mrs. Albert Orday of Chesaning and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Becker of St. Johns. The mother is the former Jane Becker.

WAGAR — A girl, Karen Sue, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Dale Wagar of R-6, St. Johns Jan. 31 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 8 pounds, 15 ounces. The baby has one sister. Grandparents are Mrs. Dorothy Wagar of R-2, St. Johns and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Comp of Mechanicsburg, Pa. The mother is the former Dorothy Comp.

Calendar Coming Events

Feb. 2 — St. Johns Woman's Club will meet at Colonial Restaurant. Members should call in reservations to Mrs. Edward Sulka. Mrs. John Hospodar will present the program entitled "Views of Czechoslovakia."

Feb. 4 — "Making a Joyful Noise," a concert by the St. Olaf Choir, will be presented at the Fountain Street Church in Grand Rapids at 8 p.m. The youthful a cappella choir has been acclaimed for its concerts of sacred music throughout the United States and Europe. Tickets may be obtained by calling 682-4109 after 5 p.m.

Feb. 8 — YWCA of Shawansee County Coffee and Issues will be held at 9:30 p.m. with Mrs. William Brown of Cornum as guest speaker. Topic will be "The Changing Roll of Women in the Seventies." Babysitting available by calling a day in advance.

Feb. 9 — Beef and noodle supper, sponsored by the Elsie UMYF from 5 to 7 p.m. Adults, \$1.25, children through the sixth grade, 75 cents and preschoolers free. The public is invited to attend.

Feb. 10 — St. Johns Morning Musicals will meet in the home of Mrs. Edna Selm. Theme for the day is "Lincoln's Birthday."

The St. Johns Episcopal Church will hold a pancake supper, Tuesday, Feb. 15 at Smith Hall in St. Johns. Serving will be from 5 to 7:30 p.m. Call 224-2600 for reservations.

Feb. 20 — Roller skating party will be held from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Fenmore Rink. Public is invited to attend the event which is being sponsored by the Elsie UMYF.

Feb. 25 — The Men's Club of the Price United Methodist will sponsor a fish supper starting at 5 p.m. and continuing until all are served. A bake sale will be held, sponsored by the choir of the church.

CLINTON COUNTY NEWS PAGE for Women

Marriage Licenses

Michael Edwin Chapko, 19, Maple River Rd., Elsie to Phyllis Elaine Whitmyer, 17, 3892 Leland Rd., Laingsburg Theodore L. Powell, 39, 2201 E. State Rd., Lansing to Joyce Jackson, 46, 818 W. Main St., DeWitt.

William N. Riggan Jr., 21, Mac Dill Air Force Base, Tampa, Fla. to Vicki M. Cerny, 20, 236 E. Oak St., Elsie.

Arnold F. Spaeth, 56, 14711 DeWitt Rd., Lansing to Wilma I. Litchfield, 51, 545 Isbell St., Lansing.

Ray J. Perry, 43, R-1, Ovid to Joanne M. Kellerman, 36, R-1, Elsie.

North Bengal

On Saturday evening, Jan. 22 Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Tiedt entertained their card party group at dinner and an evening of cards.

Congratulations are extended to the new grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. H. E. Rossow. Their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rossow of Flint are the parents of a son, Justin Paul, born on Thursday, Jan. 20. Mrs. Herman Rossow is the great-grandmother of the baby.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bancroft and son, Jay of S.W. Dallas spent Thursday evening, Jan. 20 with Mr. and Mrs. William Ernst and Maxine.

Mrs. Edmund Falk was a Friday, Jan. 21 dinner guest of her sister, Mrs. Arthur Martens and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Argersinger and family. Mrs. Martens returned home that week from Oregon and California where she visited her two sons and their families for a month.



MR. AND MRS. RANDY R. SHEA

Deborah Maron weds Randy Shea

ELSIE—Duplain Church of Christ was the setting for the Saturday, Jan. 8 wedding ceremony uniting in marriage Deborah Maron and Randy R. Shea. Rev. Justin Shepard officiated at the 8 p.m. double ring service.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Maron of 308 North Main Street, Ovid and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Shea of French Road, Elsie.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and approached the altar wearing a floor-length gown of ivory slipper satin featuring a chapel-length train, a Venice lace rolled collar topping the sheer yoke of a lace covered bodice. Matching lace capped the tightly fitted lace cuffs and a narrow runner of lace accented the A-line skirt which was tipped with tiny satin bows. A three-tiered veil was secured to her Ivory lace Camelot-style headpiece

trimmed with tiny seed pearls and she carried a cascade bouquet of white mums with pink sweetheart roses and purple strawflowers.

Cathy Rummell, of Ovid, was maid of honor and serving as bridesmaid was Kathy Maron of Ovid. The attendants wore empire-style gowns of pink and purple print styled with a high ruffle neckline and long sheer sleeves with a fitted cuff. A bow headpiece secured their net veils and they carried a bouquet of carnations with streamers.

Mike Prikasky was best man and assisting as groomsmen was Jeff Shea. Seating the guests were ushers Mike Loznak and Ron Davis.

Following the ceremony a reception was held for 150 guests at the United Church of Ovid.

The couple are both 1971 graduates of Ovid-Elsie High School and will make their home in St. Johns.

Clinton County Area CHURCH NEWS

The newly organized Elizabeth Circle of the United Methodist Church held its first meeting at the home of Mrs. Edward Sulka on Jan. 25 with 12 members present.

New officers for the current year are: Mrs. Edward Sulka, chairman; Mrs. George Osgood and Mrs. J. E. Bartholomew, co-chairmen; Mrs. Harold Shipley, secretary; Mrs. Everett French, treasurer; Mrs. Lloyd Harris, spiritual growth and Evelyn Putnam, executive board representative.

Mrs. Henry Wood presented the program and worship on "Prayer and Self-Denial." Guest Night Dinner, Feb. 8 and the Salad Luncheon on April 13, 20 and 27 were announced.

The next meeting will be Feb. 22 at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Munger.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. George Osgood and Mrs. Irene Post.

Book Lovers of the St. Johns Lutheran Church met at the church parsonage to discuss the very hard to get book "Bury My Heart at Wounded Knee" by Dee Brown.

The group were the guests of Pastor and Mrs. Koeppen and despite the slippery and icy road conditions there were 13 members of the church present as well as two members of the Lansing Indian Council who answered questions and joined in the discussion of the book which left all the people present with the thought that a great injustice had been done to that particular minority group as presented by Mr. Brown.

Refreshments were served during the discussion and good friendship and fellowship was enjoyed by all.

The book discussion group will meet again Feb. 22 to discuss the book "I Never Promised You A Rose Garden" by Hannah Green, concerning mental health.

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DEBRA SUE WATSON

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Fedewa of 201 North Morton Street, St. Johns announce the engagement of their daughter, Carol Ann to Lynn James VanBuren, son of Mr. and Mrs. James VanBuren of Sunfield.

The bride-elect attended St. Johns and Ovid-Elsie High Schools and is presently employed at Harr's Jewelry Store in St. Johns.

The prospective groom attended Lakewood Schools and is employed at Hanna's of Sunfield.

An October wedding is being planned by the couple.

Pewamo

By Mrs. Irene Fox

Enjoying a stay in Florida are Frank Heckman, Carl Schafer and Tom Kramer all of Pewamo. They left Monday Jan. 17. Also vacationing in Florida are Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Heckman of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph J. Conine of 708 S. Washington St., Owosso announce the engagement of their daughter, Cheryl Marie to James Allen Witt, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Stewart Watt of 603 S. Traver St., St. Johns.

Miss Conine is employed by Conine's Floral Boutique in Owosso and her fiance is employed as a designer by Sunnyside Florist.

The couple is planning a July wedding.

Eagle

Mrs. Charles Higbee
Phone 626-6531

A small privately owned plane came down last Friday on the Juncker farm in Eagle. The plane lost a part of its propeller and the vibration which followed caused the motor mounts to loosen. The pilot was fortunate enough to make a forced-landing before he lost his motor. He was not injured.

Blue Star Mothers

The Blue Star Mothers Chapter 88 held its regular meeting on Jan. 25 with DeWitt Chapter 99 as guests. At the short business session it was voted to omit the Blue Daisy Sale this year. The Historian Myrtle Tolles read the chapter report for 1972, and Jean Primm read the publicity report. President, Edna Eldred gave her yearly report.

A joint installation took place with Mable Malar acting as installing officer assisted by Rose Wilkie. Myrtle Tolles was conductress.

The DeWitt officers who were sworn into office were Vera Scott, president; Gren Howse, first-vice president; Doris Greenfield, secretary; Martha Blizzard, treasurer; Nora Clark, chaplain; Lawanna Johnson, recording secretary; Princess Parker, patriotic instructor.

The officers of St. Johns installed were Edna Eldred, president; Billy Pierson, first vice president; Rose Randolph, secretary; Grace Shipley, treasurer; Alma Boak, financial secretary; Jessie Finch, patriotic instructor; Eloise Pease, historian; Mable Malar, parliamentarian; Ruth DeBoer, guard, Dorothy Reeves, enaplain.

The committee was named Nora Helbeck, chairman assisted by Alice Helbeck and Francis Halitsky for the Feb. 22 meeting.

The mystery prize was won by Myrtle Tolles.

Refreshments were served by the past presidents with Eloise Pease as chairman. There were 35 present.

Social Events

Mrs. Gladys Hankey entertained at a family dinner Sunday, Jan. 23 to review an interesting account of and incidents on Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Hankey's recent visit to Jamaica. Their daughter, Retha, is an exchange student there for 4-H activities, a 14 month program.

Many mementoes of their trip were exhibited and enjoyed by all.

Families present beside Mr. and Mrs. Hankey and Randy were Mr. and Mrs. Gale Rose and Carrie Rose of Ovid, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Dunham of Elsie, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Slagell and family of rural St. Johns. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Gower.

Kincaid District

Mrs. Peter C. Parks

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Balmer went to Charlotte Sunday to bring Ted Balmer back with them.

Fowler

By Mrs. Cecilia Thelen
Phone 593-2613

Mrs. Lula Boak spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Benjamin and other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Feldpausch and Carol Benjamin of Lansing.

Mrs. Edna Watamaker is spending a couple of weeks with her daughter-in-law, Detroit.

Mrs. Ola Ryan visited Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Fox and family of St. Johns and also other friends.

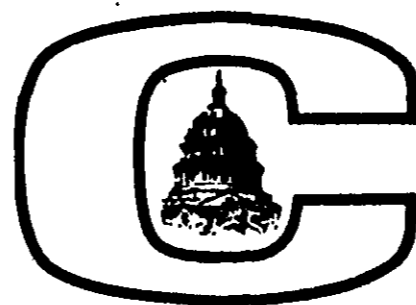
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Boak were Friday evening visitors of Mrs. Lula Boak.



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Clinton area obituaries

Theodore Miller

Theodore Miller, 62, of 885 Capital, Battle Creek died Wednesday, at the Lella Post Hospital following a long illness.

Funeral services were held in St. Mary's Catholic Church in Westphalia on Saturday, Jan. 29, with Rev. James Schmitt officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery. Rosary was said at the Geller Funeral Home on Friday evening.

He was born in Westphalia on Nov. 9, 1909, the son of John and Mary Welland Miller and had been a resident of Battle Creek since 1935. He was a member of St. Phillip Catholic Church in Battle Creek and was employed at a Battle Creek hospital.

Survivors include a brother, Isador Miller of Westphalia; three nephews and one niece.

Frieda VanOstran

Frieda Mary Van Ostran, 79, of 14278 Watson Road, Bath died Friday, Jan. 28 at the Prochazka Rest Home in St. Johns.

Funeral services were held at the Lee R. Rummell Funeral Home in DeWitt on Sunday, Jan. 30 with Rev. Gerald Salisbury officiating. Burial was in Pleasant Hill Cemetery.

She was born in Lansing on Nov. 30, 1892, the daughter of August and Catherine Gutzki and had resided most of her life in the Lansing and Bath areas. She married Otis E. VanOstran in Lansing on July 5, 1913 and was a life member of the DeWitt Chapter No. 30 of the Order of Eastern Star.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Loren of Holt; a sister, Mrs. Clara Anderson of East Lansing; a brother, Charles Gutzki

of Lansing; five grandchildren; five great-grandchildren.

William A. Wallje

ELSIE (c)—Funeral services for William A. Wallje, 70, of Grand Rapids were held Saturday at the Carter Funeral Home and burial was made in Ford Cemetery. He died Wednesday in Grand Rapids.

At one time Mr. Wallje was married to the former Elaine Heath, who died in 1966.

Surviving are his present wife, Neva Wallje; six daughters, Mrs. Delores Sikes and Mrs. Janis Payne, both of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Phyllis Purvis of DeWitt, Mrs. Evelyn Womble of Taylor, Mrs. Mildred Wright of Fowlerville, Mrs. Winona Whitely of Lincoln Park and one son, William Wallje of Tacoma, Wash.

Robert M. LeValley

ELSIE (c)—Funeral services for Robert M. LeValley, 49, of 105 E. Cedar St., Elsie were held Thursday at the Carter Funeral Home with Rev. Charles Cowley officiating. Burial was made in Fairfield Cemetery.

Mr. LeValley was found dead in his home Monday. Death was attributed to asphyxiation from a defective space heater.

He was born in Fairfield Township, Shiawassee County, Feb. 22, 1922, the son of Albert and Bernice LeValley and had resided all his life in the Elsie area. He was a graduate of Elsie High School. He was a member of the Elsie Baptist Church, the Elsie American Legion and had served four years in the U.S. Navy in World War II. He was employed at Atlas Drop Forge in Lansing.

Survivors include three brothers; LaVern LeValley of Owosso, Clyde LeValley of Morrice and Claude LeValley of Flint.



Clinton County News Photo by Annette White

Dr. Henry Burkhardt, St. Johns dentist, accepts a signed proclamation from Mayor Robert Wood proclaiming the week of Feb. 6 through Feb. 12 as Children's Dental Health Week in St. Johns. The American Dental Association annually highlights dental health during the week to remind children and parents of the importance of good dental health all year long.

GOP picks student

Debbie Wagner was elected second vice-chairman of the Clinton County Republican Party, a post created last August for a young person between the ages of 18 and 25.

The election was held Jan. 27 at the regular bi-monthly meeting of the Executive Committee at the court house.



DEBBIE WAGNER

A senior at St. Johns High School, Miss Wagner is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wagner of 400 Wight Street.

She is active in school activities and is a member of the Redwing Choralists and the International Thespians. She also teaches Sunday School at the St. Johns Episcopal Church and is former secretary of the Teenage Republicans.

Next year she plans to enter Lansing Community College and seek a career of teaching the blind and visually handicapped.

Debbie first became interested in politics in 1968 when she attended the State Convention held in Detroit with her grandmother and uncle who were delegates.

Her duties as second vice-chairman will include getting others in her age group to become interested in registering to vote and seeking petitions to be delegates. She will be working with students representing all the schools in the county.

Open Letter

from VAN W. HOAG

Dear friends,

It deserves emphasis that the time, the place, the character of the funeral service, the merchandise used, the cemetery selected - these are decisions of the family of the deceased. The funeral director acts only as a representative of the family.

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Talent night

ELSIE—The Elsie PTA is sponsoring a talent night Feb. 12 at 7:30 in the Ovid-Elsie High School auditorium.

Anyone interested in participating in the evening, which will feature adults and children in skits, is urged to contact the E. E. Knight Elementary School in Elsie for details.

There will be no admission charged for the evening of entertainment and token prizes will be offered. The deadline for signing up to participate in the talent night show is Wednesday (Feb. 9) at 10 a.m.

Dean's list

Valerie Gillespie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Gillespie of 8797 North US-27, St. Johns, was named to the Dean's List for the fall term at Davenport College of Business in Grand Rapids.

Those placed on the Dean's List must earn a "B" (3.0) grade average for the work taken during the term.

The winners are in the upper twenty-five per cent of the total college enrollment of 850 students.

CRAA to meet

The Capital Region Airport Authority Board will meet on Thursday, Feb. 3, at 11:00 a.m. at Capital City Airport in Lansing.

The meeting will be held in the Authority offices, Third Floor of the Terminal Building.

Three win Alma honors

ALMA—Three Alma College students from the St. Johns area have been recognized for outstanding scholarship during the first term of the 1971-72 academic year at the college by being named to the Term Honors List.

They are Joanie R. Hecht, senior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hecht of Rt. 2, St. Johns; Tamara Husted, sophomore, daughter of Mrs. A. J. Sitton of Rt. 1, Fowler; and Charles Romig, junior, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Romig of 107 Swegles, St. Johns.

Kincaid

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hoerner visited her grandfather John Pierce at St. Lawrence Hospital, Monday night.

Hebner is superintendent and manager

Jay Hebner, of St. Johns, has been named superintendent-manager of the Clinton County Road Commission, it was announced at a special meeting of commissioners Thursday.

Hebner has been employed by the commission since May and has held the position of superintendent. With nearly 25 years of practical experience both in the field and in management at the Huron County Road Commission, Hebner is well qualified for the post, a commission spokesman said.

Robert Ancel will assist Hebner as project engineer in charge of construction. Dean Moon and Ray Miner will continue as county road and state maintenance foreman and Dan Kooner and Bruce Woodbury will be in charge of the garage and all parts and supplies. Robert F. Eldridge will continue as clerk and office manager.

Hebner and his wife reside in St. Johns and are the parents of two sons, both of whom have completed school and are employed elsewhere.

St. Johns men face District Court exams

ST. JOHNS—Two St. Johns men were returned to the Clinton County jail Monday after failing to post \$750 bond each before District Court Judge Roland Duguay.

The men, Jeffery Barrett, 19, and Davin Vallin, 19, both of St. Johns will face examination in District Court Feb. 10 at 9:30 a.m.

Barrett is charged with being drunk and disorderly while Vallin faces charges of obstructing, opposing and assaulting a State Police officer.

In other District Court sentences: —James Earl Law, 23, of Lansing entered a plea of not guilty to a charge of being drunk and disorderly. He was released on \$125 cash bond and will face examination Feb. 17 at 9:30 a.m.

—William Clyde Johnson, 26, of Ovid was found guilty of speeding 80 in a 55-mile-per-hour zone. He was ordered to pay \$50 in fines and costs and must serve five days in the county jail.

Hubbardston

Mrs. Mamie O'Connell
Phone 961-6801

Doyle Church returned home Monday after spending several days in the Carson City Hospital.

Mrs. Lucille Kavanaugh and Mrs. Virginia Murphy of Carson City called on Mrs. Elizabeth Cusack at the Rankin Convalescent Home on Sunday.

Robert Herald is a patient at the Carson City Hospital. Leslie Sanborn is a patient at the Veterans Hospital in Saginaw.

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Waverly jinx holds

Bulldogs blitz Redwings

MASON—After coming so close to defeating elusive Waverly and falling 75-71 Friday night, the St. Johns Redwings crashed into the Mason Bulldogs Saturday and lost 80-63.

The Bulldogs, current leaders in the Capitol Circuit conference, handed the Redwings their 11th loss against one win.

The Redwings seemed ready for Mason, staying

close to the Bulldogs throughout the first quarter, trailing by a basket at the buzzer 18-16. St. Johns slipped a bit in the second period and trailed by half-time 35-29.

The Redwings appeared ready again and rallied to within one point of tying the Bulldogs 41-40 in the third quarter, but 10 quick points by Mason ended the

threat. Mason held a 55-43 lead going into the fourth quarter.

From that point on Mason's momentum was just too much for the Redwings.

Mason hit for 30 of 60 field goal attempts for an even 50 per cent pace while the Redwings shot 37 per cent from the floor connecting on 21 of 57 shots.

St. Johns fared much better at the free throw line netting 62 per cent of the tosses putting in 21 of 34 shots. Mason hit 64 per cent from the line netting 20 of 37 shots.

Leading scorer for the Redwings was Alex MacKinnon who collected 16 points on five field goals and six free throws. Both Mike Sutherland and Rick Hudson added 12 points each. Sutherland had five field goals and two charities, while Hudson had three buckets and six free throws.

Mason was led by the 26-point performance of Gary Stewart who had 11 field goals and four free throws. Other Bulldog standouts included Brad Kalenba with

14 points and Jim Swartout with 15.

The Redwings out-rebounded Mason 49-39, but St. Johns lost the turnover battle 30-29.

The Redwings were to tangle with Hastings away Tuesday night and will host Grand Ledge Friday night.

ST. JOHNS—There may not be such a thing as a jinx, but you can't convince the St. Johns Redwings of that. It is a sad, but true, fact of life for Redwing followers that the St. Johns teams cannot defeat Waverly on the basketball floor.

It happened again Friday night, and to add salt to the wounds, the Redwings ap-

peared to be on the brink of taking their second game of the year.

The Redwings led from the beginning of the game until the last minute and a half when a last-ditch surge by the Warriors produced a 68-68 deadlock. Don Weeks of Waverly snatched the ball in a free-for-all type pass and broke the tie.

Redwing Ken Schueler tightened the score with a free throw, but Weeks came back with another bucket. St. Johns' Rick Hudson brought it back within a point 72-71.

A Waverly basket with three seconds on the clock ended the Redwing fight to regain the lead. The War-

riors stole the ball and hit a last second bucket to end the contest.

Until the last frantic seconds, both teams were forced to play a close game once the starters came into foul trouble. A total of 55 fouls were called in the game, 29 on St. Johns and 26 on Waverly. Ten players ended up with four or more fouls—six for St. Johns and four for the Warriors.

St. Johns was led by Ken Schueler's 15 point attack on six field goals and three free throws. Dan Mohnke hit for nine points on four field goals and a free throw. Mike Groat also had nine points on three buckets and three free throws.

Others scoring for St. Johns include Alex MacKinnon (8), Hudson (8), Ed Jorae (8) and Bruce Irish (7).

Craig Wilkes led Waverly with 26 points, while Weeks had 17 and John King had 11. Schueler was praised by Coach Doug Japinga for playing "a standout game," and cited Mohnke for fine play. He noted that the Redwings were hindered by the absence of MacKinnon, Groat and Hudson who were in foul trouble early.

In a preliminary contest, the Redwing JV's were edged by Waverly in the last second, 64-63.

Scoring by quarters:
St. Johns 19 20 19 13 71
Waverly 14 20 17 24 75

P-W frosh enter tourney

PEWAMO-WESTPHALIA—Freshman will be travelling to Lakewood High School in Lake Odessa on three successive Saturdays in February to compete in the first annual Freshman Tournament.

The tournament is sponsored by the Lakewood Basketball program and managed by head coach Mickey Noble and assistants Terry Gale and Rolly Krauss. The eight teams in the 1972 tournament include host Lakewood, Pewamo-Westphalia, Lansing Waverly East, Lansing Waverly West, Lowell, Greenville, Belding and Ionia.

The drawing was held on Jan. 19 at Lakewood and the first round pairings are as follows: On February 5, Pewamo-Westphalia vs. Lowell at 1:30 p.m., Waverly East vs. Waverly West at 3:00 p.m., Greenville vs. Belding at 6:30 p.m., and the final game of the evening pits Lakewood against Ionia at 8:00 p.m.

Each team will play three games. There will be a winners bracket and a consolation bracket. The winning team will be awarded a trophy.

Doors will be open each Saturday at 12:30 in the afternoon and at 5:30 in the evening. Admission is \$1 for Adults (18 and up), 50 cents for students, and pre-school is admitted free.

BOWLING NEWS

SHIRTS & SKIRTS		
Jan. 28	W	L
Kelly Tires	12	4
Dunkel Plmb. & Htg.	9	7
Guy's Sunoco	9	7
The PB's	9	7
Stop Shots	9	7
Patterson & Sons	8	8
Central Nat. Bk.	7	9
Ken's Service	7	9
Dry Dock'd Lounge	7	9
Ralyke Farm	7	9
Coldstream	6	10
R & W's	6	10

High game individual — Rich Snyder, 225 and Marsha Snyder, 209. High series individual — Henry Schmid, 567 and Marsha Snyder, 566. High game team — Central National Bank, 709. High series team — Kelly Tires, 2031.

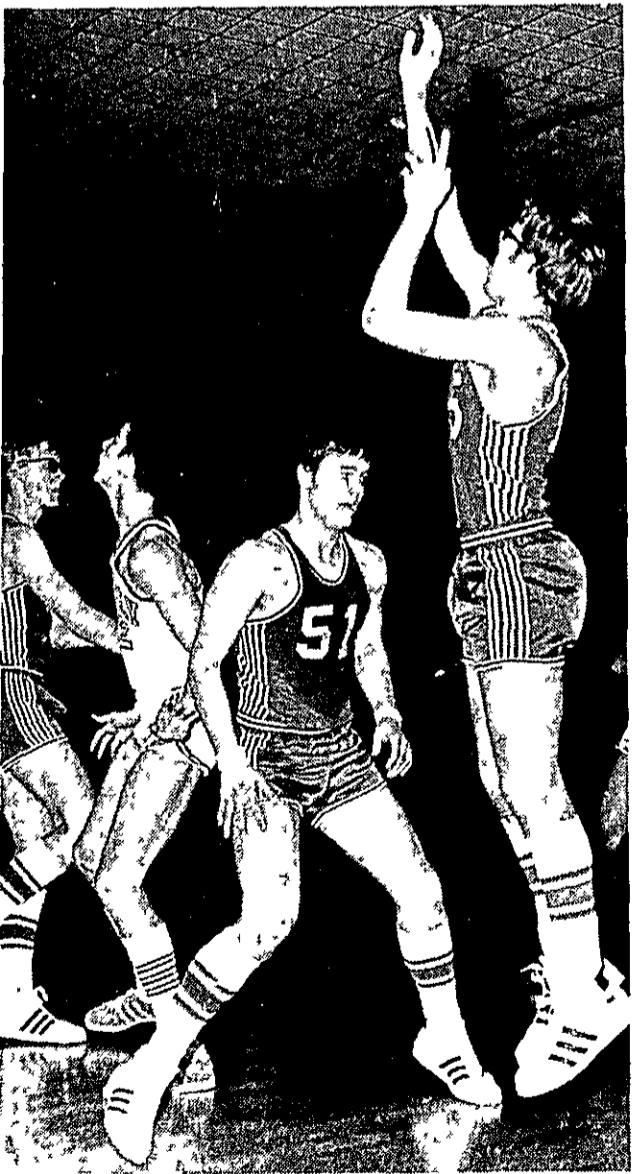
NITE OWLS		
Jan. 27	W	L
F. C. Mason	14	2
Kurt's	10	6
Rivard's	10	6
Cent. Mich. Lumber	9	7
Gen. Tel. Co.	9	7
St. Johns Co-op.	8	8
Beck's	7	9
Smith-Douglas	7	9
Wheel Inn	6	10
Gutter Dusters	6	10
Schwan's	5	11
Foobars	5	11

High individual game — Jean Simpson, 203. High series individual — Maxine Smit, 527. High team game — St. Johns Co-op., 876. High series team — St. Johns Co-op., 2379. Conversions — Carol Taylor, 1-2-7, 5-7-9; Jean Simpson, 5-6-10; Mary Martin, 4-5-7; Bonnie Field, 4-5; Edna Feighner, 5-7; Crystal Rhynard, 5-6, 5-10; Jean Heathman, 4-10; Marie Conley, 5-10.

City League Volleyball	
Jan. 28	
Rejects	10
Holm	8
JCI	8
Post Office	7
Radio	6
Kroger	5
Lundy	4
JCI	0
Next Week	
Early-JCI vs. Post Office.	
Late-Holm vs. Radio.	
Rejects vs. Lundy.	

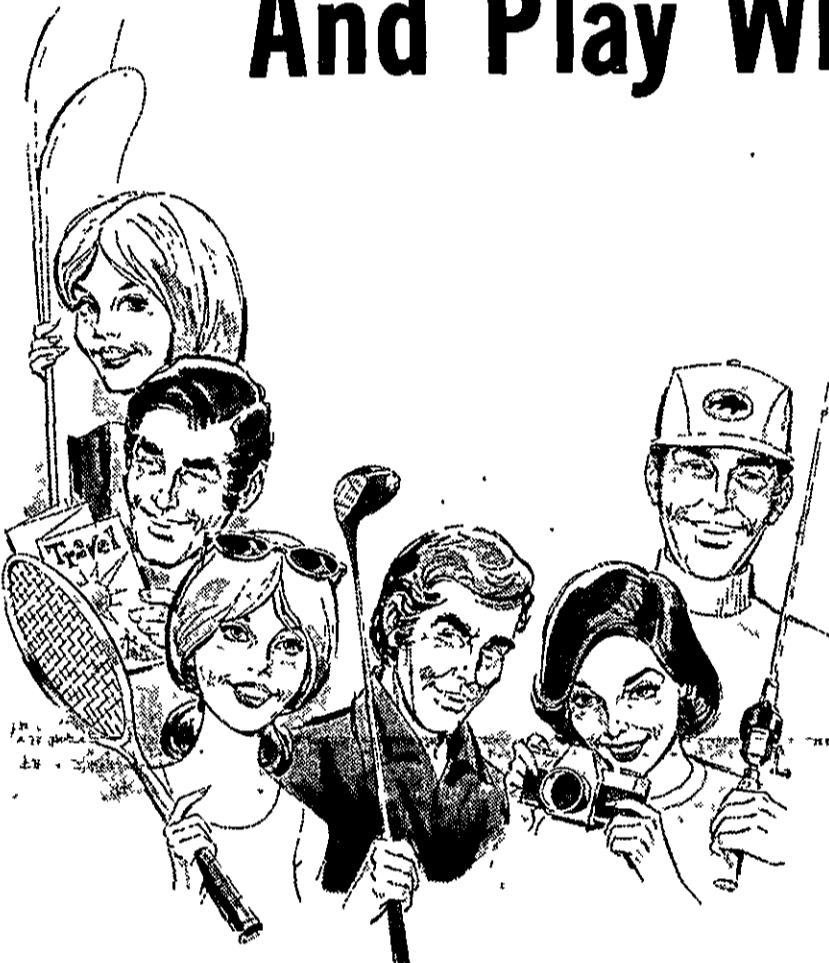


This was the crucial turning point Friday night as Alex MacKinnon, who rarely misses, couldn't buy this basket and a Warrior was ready to retrieve it. Waverly took the ball back to tie the game and went on to win 75-71.



Ed Jorae (15) connects for a bucket as teammate Bruce Irish (51) blocks out a Waverly defender.

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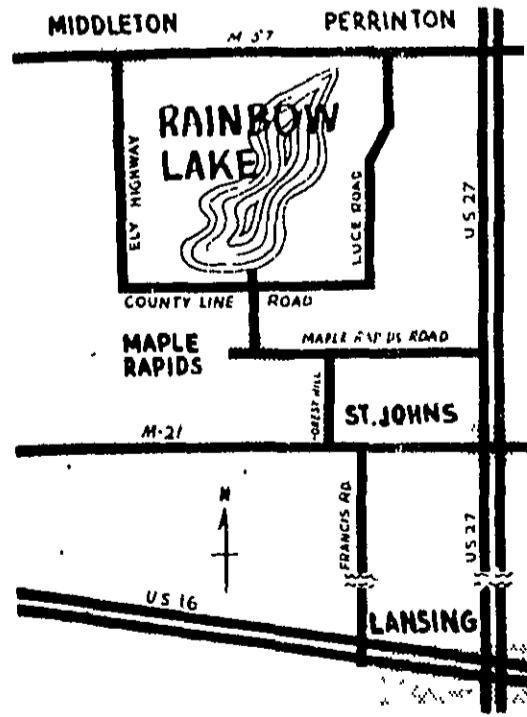
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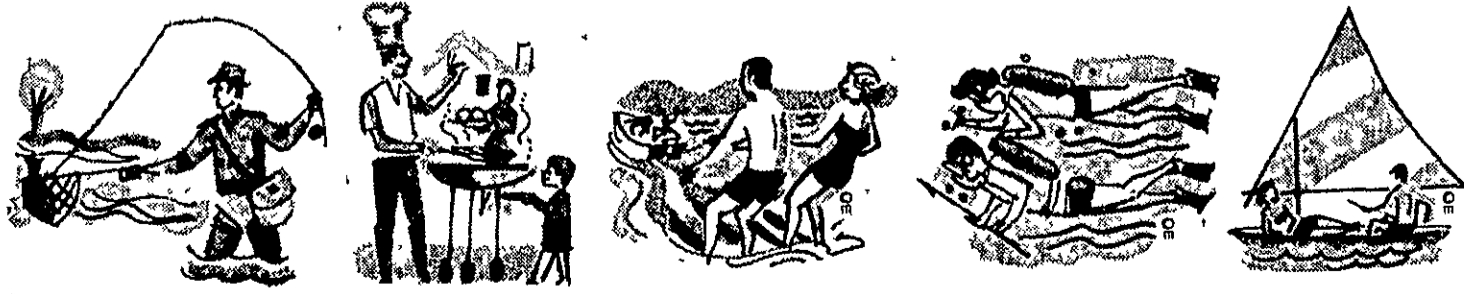


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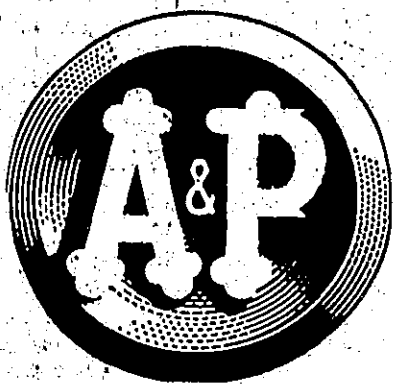
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Marauder hopes dim after loss

IVID-ELSIE—if you look at the statistics, Ovid-Elsie actually defeated St. Louis Friday night in their Mid-Michigan B Conference clash here. But the scoring results dim the Marauder hopes for a MMB league championship title again this year.

The Marauders outscored the Sharks by 10 points from

the floor, but lost the contest, 90-82, at the free throw stripe.

Ovid-Elsie managed to connect on only 12 of 23 free throw attempts, while the Sharks swished through 30 of 41.

Marauder sharpshooter John Glowney who opened up the first quarter with 10

quick points on five straight field goals suddenly found himself with four fouls at the start of play in the second quarter. Coach Bob Foreback made him sit out the second and third quarters before turning him loose again in the last quarter when he bagged eight more points. The Marauders attempt to

dethrone the MMB leading Sharks was further hampered by the loss of Randy Loynes and Rich McCreery who fouled out. Both Glowney and Dan Egbert had four fouls, which limited their action.

Despite the foul-line trouble, the Marauders out-rebounded St. Louis 47-42.

Ovid-Elsie stayed with St. Louis in the first quarter 26-25 and trailed the Sharks by four points, 47-43, at half-time. The Marauders couldn't gain enough momentum in the final two frames to pull the contest out, being outscored 43-24 in the second half.

"It was unfortunate," com-

mented Foreback. "We are still kind of young and made mistakes. We didn't make them Saturday night against Haslett" and that was the difference in the game. O-E nipped Haslett in a non-conference battle 75-72.

Title hopes are dim for the Marauders, but not completely vanished. "It depends on Chesaning. They knocked off Hemlock which was rated 10th in the state, and they beat us in overtime," Foreback said. He noted that if Chesaning can dump St. Louis and the Marauders topple Ithaca Friday night in Yellowjacket country, then O-E can still grab a share of the title this year.

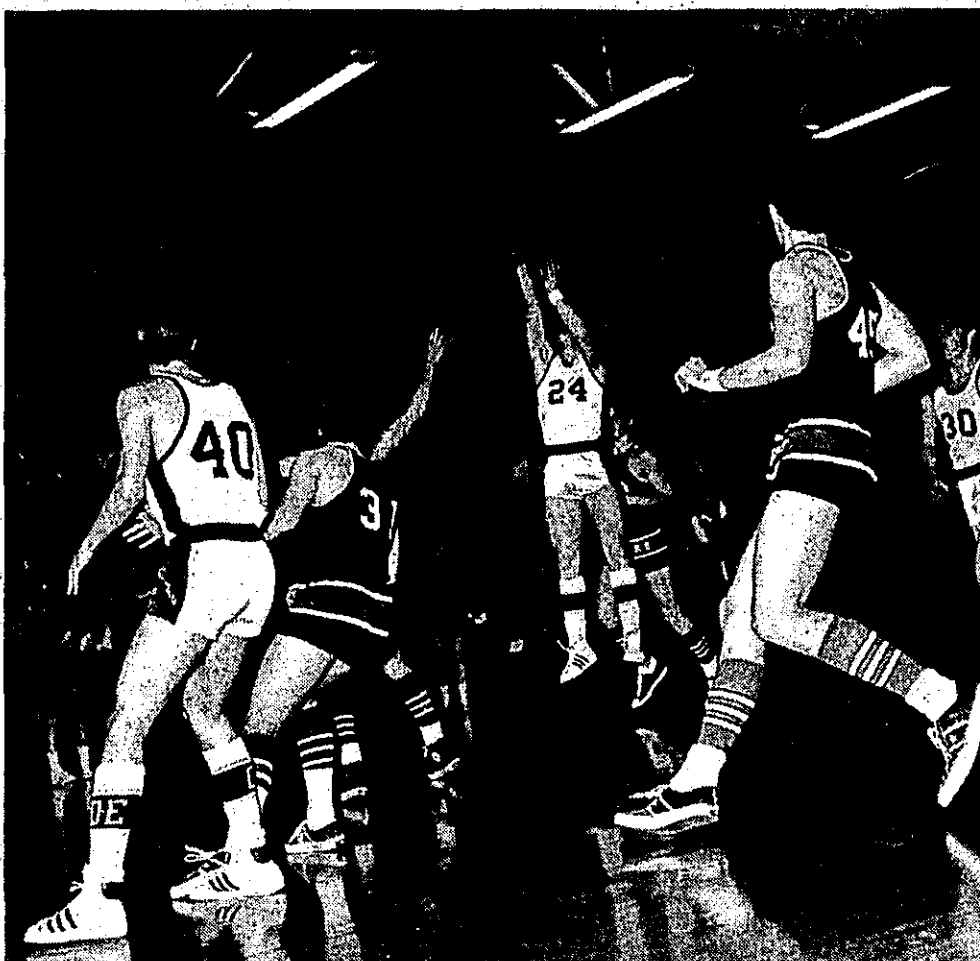
Gary Groom led the Marauders in scoring against St. Louis, netting 20 points on 10 field goals. Glowney followed with 18 points on nine buckets, while Dan Egbert hit for 13 on four field goals and five of seven char-

ities. Randy Loynes added 12 points on six field goals and Bill Foran netted 10 points of five field goals.

Others scoring for O-E were Tim Bouck (3), Ron Mead (1) and Rich McCreery (5).

The Sharks were led by a brilliant 32 point performance by Ted Allen.

Scoring by quarters:
O-E 25 18 17 17-82
St. Louis 26 21 23 20-90



Bill Foran (24) sets up and fires as John Glowney (40) positions himself for a rebound or tip-in.

O-E slaps Vikings

HASLETT - Last minute heroics pulled out what had appeared to be a runaway for Haslett as the Ovid-Elsie Marauders downed the Vikings in a rare Saturday night contest here 75-72.

The Vikings had rolled up an 11-point lead with about four minutes to go in the game when Ovid-Elsie Coach Bob Foreback ordered his charges to stage a full-court press.

And press they did, right down to the buzzer. They were one point behind with

nine seconds to go, 72-71, when Gary Groom, who had the hot hand for O-E, was fouled. He collected two of his nine free throws to push the Marauders into a slim 73-72 lead.

The Vikings brought the ball in, lost it to Groom and then fouled him intentionally. He stayed true to form, collecting two more charities to put the game on ice.

"He looked real good" put there," Foreback said of Groom, who scored 27 points on nine field goals and nine free throws. "He also got 17

rebounds for us. He has been playing good ball and has been the most consistent player so far."

Bill Foran also came through with a dazzling performance hitting for 24 points on 11 field goals and two of four charity shots.

Other scoring for the Marauders included Randy Loynes (4), Tim Bouck (4), John Glowney (7), Rich McCreery (7) and Dan Egbert (2).

The Marauders held on to a slim one-point lead in the first quarter, 17-16, but lost the drive before halftime to train the Vikings 36-33. Both teams played even-up ball in the third quarter, each netting 19 points, but the Marauders pulled it out after dropping back by 11 points in the fourth quarter.

Ovid-Elsie is now 7-4 overall and hold onto a 3-3 Mid-Michigan B Conference mark, second behind Ithaca and St. Louis, currently tied for the MMB leadership. The Marauders will face a rugged Ithaca squad Friday night in Ithaca.

Scoring by quarters:
O-E 17 16 19 23-75
Haslett 16 20 19 17-73

Marauders 5-0 in MMB

IVID-ELSIE-The Ovid-Elsie Marauder wrestling team finished Mid-Michigan B Conference dual competition with a perfect 5-0 record and will travel to Corunna Feb. 12 for the MMB conference championships.

Last week, the Marauders crushed Haslett with a dazzling 43-21 performance and finished fourth in the Shepherd Tournament.

Glenn May, who has won 23 consecutive matches, was the first O-E wrestler to win a first place, Mike Buck and Cayle Reha both wrestled former state champions captured second spots, while Rob Nethaway and Frank

Enos finished in fourth positions.

Defending state Class C champions, the Shelby Tigers, took first place in the Shepherd Tournament. Alma was second, while Shepherd was third and Mt. Pleasant and Ovid-Elsie tied for fourth. There were nine teams entered in the competition.

The Marauders' overall record stands at 10-2 in dual meets, as the squad prepared to enter the DeWitt Invitational Monday.

Pirates tripped

MIDDLETON - Fulton's Pirates lost a heartbreaker here Saturday to Central Montcalm 53-51, after holding off the visitors and proving to the fans that "they won't be blown off the floor by any team in the league," as one spectator put it.

Steve Lopez led the Pirate attack with 18 points, while teammate Barry Cole collected 10 points.

The Fulton JV's found themselves with a handful of Hornets, too, but they fared much better, squeezing past Central Montcalm in the last minutes 62-61. Trailing the entire game, the Little Pirates staged a comeback in the fourth quarter to nip the visitors.

Larry Badge netted 14 points for the Little Pirates to lead their attack.

Games

Feb. 4
Grand Ledge at ST. JOHNS
BATH at Stockbridge
Webbville at FOWLER
OVID-ELSIE at Ithaca
DeWITT at Pottersville
P-W at St. Pat's

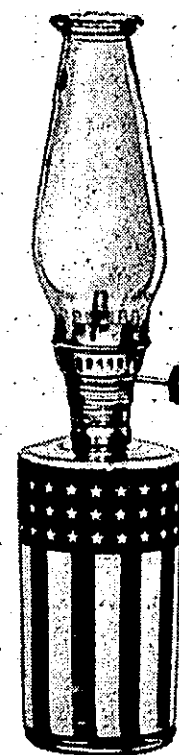
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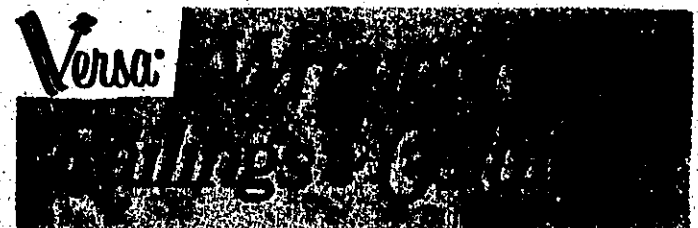
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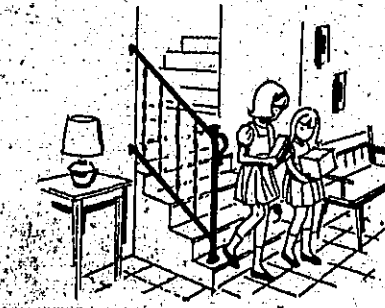
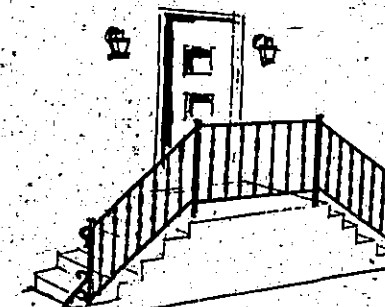
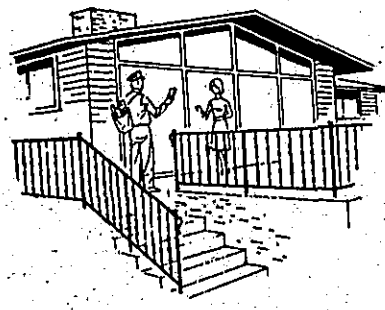
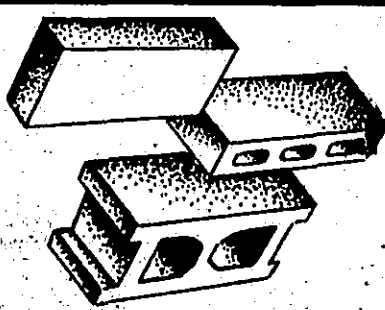
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Business notes

By MIKE PREVILLE
News Advertising Manager



Sunday was not my day. I thought it was going to be my day to invent and fix "pole-bobbers" for fishing bluegills thru the ice. And fix a friend's door.

Big Mama thought it was my day to fix her kitchen faucet and her car. My boys thought it was my day to fix their hockey sticks and instruct them in the fine art of dislodging teeth, cracking ribs and the other niceties of hockey.

But Sunday was not my day. The only thing that got fixed . . . was my wagon. Bright and early I settled down to rig my poles. I had seen a different type of bobber . . . a spring steel bar that attached to the pole and was excellent in detecting the soft nibble of a bluegill.

Figuring that fiber glass is just as springy I sliced small strips from a broken fly rod. I was going to attach it to the rod with electrician's tape and put a small colorful cork on the end.

Naturally I couldn't find the tape or anything that resembled a colorful cork. Big Mama obliged by going to the store for my needed material but also returned with gizmos and watchits to fix the faucet.

The boys spied the tape and

conned me into taping their hockey sticks. While I was taping, my soon-to-be-if-she-keeps-this-up-ex-wife hid my fishing poles promising never to return them until the faucet was fixed.

So I taped the sticks... "just like I used to for Gordie Howe"... or so I told the boys. I also told them about my long and colorful career in the N.H.L. and sent them off to commit mayhem on the neighbor's kids.

The faucet was next. It leaked. And when turned on, it didn't have the pressure it should. Armed with wrenches, washers, brushes, and a lot of words I learned as a youngster hanging around pool halls I splurged?

Next was the car. She had merely flooded it. I pushed the accelerator to the floor and turned it over. Fifteen or twenty minutes later I was searching for my poles in the basement. The boys were back. The professionally taped sticks had disintegrated. Which caused my darlings to question my statements about how I taught Bobby Hull everything he knows... and to demand payment for two broken

hockey sticks.

My sweet, soft spoken wife was screaming about how the faucet didn't leak any more (she must have hung around the same pool hall) but that no water flowed at all... and the battery on her car was now dead... etc., etc.

I never did find my poles... I think she burned them. But my boys did play hockey. They're the only kids in town using a putter and a 3-wood. The three of them walked to the rink and she reported that Joel (with the 3-wood) has pretty good distance but developed a slight hook.

The faucet is still dry and the battery is still dead... and the door? Seeing how the day had gone, I didn't even try to fix it. I probably would have fallen through it.

Outdoor notes



By JOHN AYLWORTH



Ninety Clinton County 4-H members, leaders and adults enjoyed an excellent weekend of fun and fellowship this past weekend Jan. 28-30 for the annual 4-H Snow Camp Award Weekend at Traverse City. The Twin Lakes 4-H Camp facilities provided excellent facilities for tobogganing and snowmobiling activities for outdoor fun. There were 21 snowmobiles taken by the group so all members had the opportunity to ride the machines. Friday evening was clear so an evening safari was organized.

The tobogganing was thrilling too, as they came down the big hill. One group veered off course and hit

some small trees wiping out the toboggan. X-rays showed no broken bones but two girls will have a few black and blue marks for awhile. Both of the girls indicated they will be back next year for another trial.

The weekend program is planned and conducted by the youth with the assistance of the adult leaders who attended. The adults have a fun filled weekend also, as some of them have been coming back each year for nearly 20 years.

The meals under the supervision of Mrs. Evelyn Helm were terrific again, as always. The group is served family style topped off with the annual chicken

dinner on Sunday. The dates for the 4-H Snow Camp weekend next year will be Jan. 26-28, 1973.

THE 4-H TEEN Leader glass collection will be on Saturday, Feb. 5. People in St. Johns are reminded to set their glass out on the curb by 10 a.m. while people outside of St. Johns are asked to bring their glass to the Fairgrounds between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. The January collection amounted to 16,000 pounds.

The Teen Leaders will be meeting Thursday evening, Feb. 3, 7:30 p.m. at Smith Hall. Business items include Spring Achievement, Teen Leader overnight Feb. 26-27

the Teen Leader trip to MSU for the ice hockey game, and the exchange trips. Duane Davis will lead the program activities with square and folk dancing.

20 4-H Teen Leaders, parents and guests attended the stage play, "Promises, Promises" on January 26 at Michigan State University.

AN ENTOMOLOGY workshop will be held on Saturday, Feb. 12 at Smith Hall in St. Johns for all youth; leaders and parents interested in learning more about entomology. Dr. Richard Sauer, Extension Entomologist from Michigan State University, will be directing the program. The program is to start at 9:30 a.m. till 12 noon.

Topics to be covered include: planning techniques; identification contest; how to preserve insect wings, legs and extremities; display techniques; new project innovations; films available and others. 4-H members are urged to bring their insect collection for evaluation. Weather permitting,

there will be a field trip in the afternoon on collecting insects at this time of the year.

There is no charge for anyone to attend this training workshop.

THE EAR FLOPPERS 4-H Dog club have two new members, Teri Parish and Kevin Gantz, who will be raising leader dogs for the blind project. The members have been taking their dogs to school this past week including the lunch room and library beside their regular classes.

At their last meeting Tula Miller brought her two poodles and talked on the training of dogs and care, showed some tricks the dogs could do and answered questions of the members. The members are planning a trip to the Leader Dog School for the Blind at Rochester soon, under the direction of Mr. Daniel Balog of Haslett.

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Mrs. Paul Volk Sr. was moved by ambulance from the home of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Moyer to the home of another daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wilson in Portland.

Betty Smith spent two days visiting friends in Detroit last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Evert have purchased and moved into the former home of the late Mayme Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stafford of Alto and John Ketcham of Grand Rapids were visitors of Beatrice Blergen last week.

Hubbardston

Mrs. Mamie O'Connell
Phone 981-6801

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hummel and family of Lansing spent Sunday with John and Kieran O'Brien.

Several from here attended the Snowmobile races at Traverse City on Saturday. Pat Cunningham participated in the races with Keith (Buck) Cunningham and Charles (Chuck) Molek helping him as drivers.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Cusack spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Donahue in Grand Rapids.

Clifford O'Grady returned home Tuesday from the St. Johns City Hospital.

CNB&T set new hours

ST. JOHNS: The five county service offices of Clinton National Bank and Trust Company will undergo hours changes at the end of February according to Vice President Gayle Desprez, officer in charge of bank operations.

Effected by the changes are the offices served by the mobile teller unit of Clinton National. The new schedule which will begin Feb. 28 is as follows: Hubbardston

from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. every Monday; Maple Rapids Monday and Wednesday from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.; Wacousta, Tuesday and Friday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Bath, Tuesday and Friday from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. and Eureka, Wednesday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Only the offices served by the mobile unit will be effected by the change. All hours at other Clinton National offices remain unchanged.

All-star band concert set

The third annual Junior High School all-star band, sponsored by the Michigan School Band and Orchestra Association will be hosted by the St. Johns Public Schools and held Saturday, Feb. 5 and Sunday, Feb. 6. Saturday activities will include a practice session with students from 20 different Michigan schools participating. Visiting students will be housed overnight in local homes.

The students, which will number 200, will perform a one-hour concert in Pocus Auditorium at 3 p.m. on Sunday afternoon. The students will be divided into two bands.

Donations of \$1 for adults and 50 cents for students,

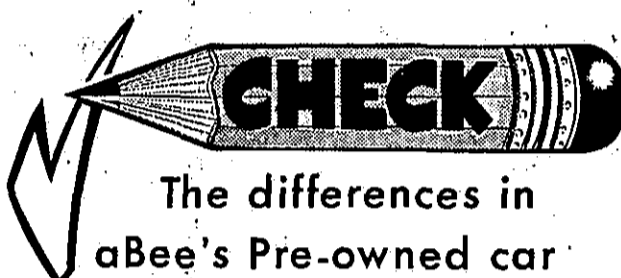
attending the concert will be used to defray the expense of the event.

St. Johns junior high students taking part in the activities are Pam Motz, Marle Woodbury, Elizabeth MacKinnon, Janice Flermoen, Chris Foster, Geri Wittgen and Stan Hatch.

Students scheduled to fill in due to a vacancy are Drew Carpenter, Kevin Bargar and Craig Cole.

James Bargar, head of the Art department at the high school will be master of ceremonies and host for the event is John Speck.

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1971 DODGE 2-ton, chassis and cab, 8-cylinder, 5-speed with 2-speed axle.

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1970 CHEVROLET 1/2 ton pickup, 8-cylinder, standard transmission, radio

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1966 FORD BRONCO, 4-wheel drive, 6-cylinder, standard transmission.

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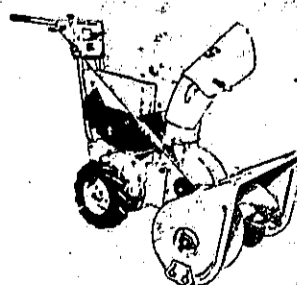
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FOR RENT - Air hammer for breaking up cement, etc. We have two available. Randolph's Ready-Mix Plant North US 27, ph. 224-3766. 40-1f

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LOST OR borrowed German Shepherd, brown and black 2 year old female, collar, wandered away Thursday, Jan. 28 from the Colony. May be anywhere in the Ovid-Elsie or St. Johns area. Named Krista, very friendly, playful and watch dog for 2 pre-schoolers. Please phone collect if you have seen her. No questions will be asked. REWARD. Phone 224-7580. 40-1p

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GENERAL AUCTION, Every Friday, 7:30 p.m., Ovid Bargain Store, Antiques, books, bottles, odds and ends, used regular and power grip tires, all sizes, 2 Warm Morning heaters and 1 colored TV, etc., and new miscellaneous articles. 40-1p

Card of Thanks

KENNEDY—I wish to thank the many friends, neighbors, and Rev. Jameson, for the kind thoughts, cards, and

helping hand they have given me during my surgery, at both the hospitals and at home. These are the things that make life worth fighting for. "My cup runneth over."—Bernice Kennedy. 40-1p

FLOWMAN—I would like to thank Dr. Russell, Dr. Grost, Dr. Bennett, Mrs. Whitaker, Mrs. Neller, Mrs. Haske and all of the other nurses and nurses aides for their kind and attentive services during my recent stay in the hospital. Thank you. Larry L. Flowman. 40-1p

In Memoriam

Dear Gary, Just when your life was brightest, just when your years were best, you were called from this world of sorrow to a home of eternal rest. Dad.

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PLUMSTEAD—I wish to thank Drs. Grost and Russell, the staff of Clinton Memorial Hospital for the excellent care I received while a patient there. Rev. Carson for his visits and my relatives, friends and neighbors for their gifts, flowers, cards and letters. I appreciate everything very much.—Hazel Plumstead. 40-1p

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State Holstein meeting set
The state annual Holstein meeting will be held Saturday, Feb. 5 at the Ovid-Elsie High School. An estimated 300 Holstein dairymen, their families and representatives from industry are expected to attend. The all-day meeting will begin at 9:30 a.m. Dr. Malcolm Trout of Michigan State University will present a program for the ladies which will begin at 1 p.m. A past presidents' reception will be held at 4 p.m. and the evening banquet will begin at 6 p.m.

The Clinton County Holstein Association was organized in early 1947 when Prof. Earl Weaver of M.S.C. and Roscoe Smith, Clinton County Agricultural Agent met with 24 Clinton County Holstein breeders. The first board of directors included Andrew Cobb, Oliver Angell, E.E. Knight, John Bracey, Harry Ward, Robert Borton, J.C. Matthews, R.W. Sleigh and Wilbur Thurston. J.C. Matthews was the first secretary-treasurer. County dues were \$2. Andrew Cobb was the first president. The first Clinton County Black and White Show was held August 6, 1947 at St. Johns, with 20 exhibitors and 40 head of Holsteins exhibited. Andrew Cobb had the grand champion cow. Matthews' Farm had the grand champion bull. Charles Hazle, junior champion female, and George Hazle, junior champion bull.

Howard Borton, Jerry Horak and Robert Borton won the judging contest. Ray Wallis of Durand was judge. The first farm tour was held during January 1948. 53 interested Holstein

Price District
By Mrs. Harold Crowley

The Women's Society met at the Price United Methodist Church Jan. 26 for a potluck dinner with Mrs. Richard Curtis and Mrs. Ralph Shumaker acting as hostesses.

A "Call to Prayer and Self Denial" was the program theme led by Mrs. Benjamin Walker. Included in the program was a solo "Fill My Cup" by Mrs. Walker. There were 11 members present and one guest, Mrs. Karl Smith of the Shepardsville United Methodist Church.

During the business meeting announcement was made of the World Day of Prayer which will be held at the Congregational Church in St. Johns Friday, March 3 at 1:30 p.m.

The Call to Prayer and Self Denial envelopes are to be returned at the next WSCS meeting and proceeds will be contributed to the Hand and Heart House. Hostesses for the Feb. 23 meeting will be Mrs. Kenneth Fricke, Mrs. Benjamin Walker and Mrs. Ivan Whitford.

Lions here Feb. 10

ST. JOHNS—The Lions are coming to town again this year and will try to make it two in a row over the St. Johns All-Star basketball squad.

Featured on this season's Lions delegation will be Charlie Sanders, Bobby Vaughn, Mel Farr, Larry Hand and Ed Flannigan.

The game is sponsored by the St. Johns Jaycees and will be held Feb. 10 at 8 p.m. in the high school gym. Ticket prices range from \$1.50 for adults to \$1 for students, and can be purchased at Dean's Hardware or the Dry Dock'd Lounge.

Proceeds from the event will go toward building projects at the Little League field and other civic programs.

A special autograph table will be set up during halftime, so that all may get the special signature of their favorite star.

The years. Distinguished Service Awards have been presented to Fred Angell, Merle Green and Oliver Angell. State recognition, as Distinguished Junior members, have gone to Martha Cobb, Dana Sue Hazle, Bryon Green and Kathy Hazle. Clinton County adult and junior members have been very successful in the showing at the state and national level over the years. Green Meadow Farms has been named Premier Breeder and Exhibitor many times at the State Black and White Show and Michigan State Fair. Clinton County has received many All-Michigan and Junior All-Michigan Awards, since that program was started. Kathy Hazle, a junior member, had the junior champion female at the 1970 Black and White Show. Clinton County Holstein members work closely with the 4-H dairy programs in the county. Several club calves were awarded 4-H members with a sincere interest in registered Holsteins. Trophies and ribbons are presented at the Clinton County 4-H Fair each year. Club membership was listed at 19 in 1951 and 45 in 1971. Active participation by all members is evident. This kind of participation has been shown in preparations for this 1972 annual meeting.

Faculties tangle

ST. JOHNS—The St. Johns High School faculty will tangle with faculty cagers from Rodney, E. W. Johnson Junior High School Tuesday night (Feb. 8) at 7:30 in the junior high gym.

The event, sponsored by the St. Johns coaching staff, will cost 50 cents for students and 75 cents for adults.

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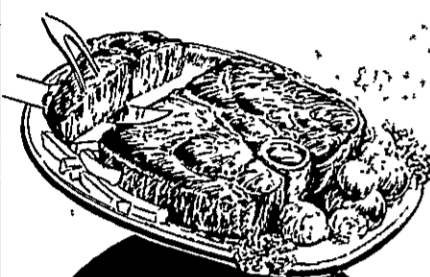
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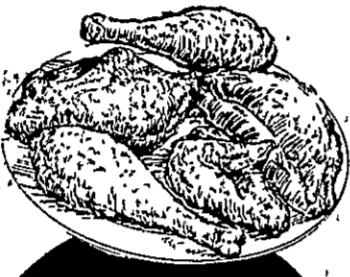
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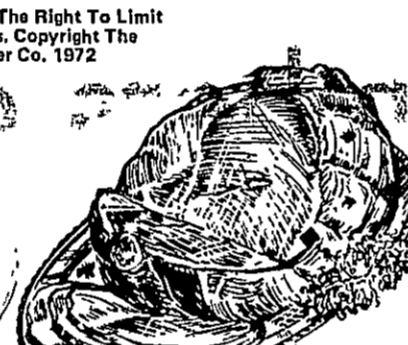
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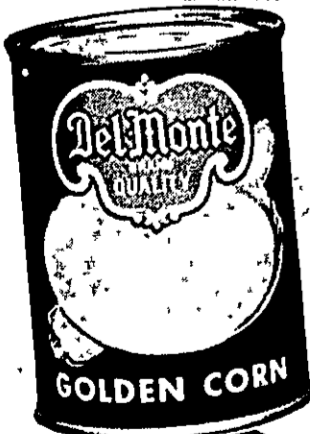
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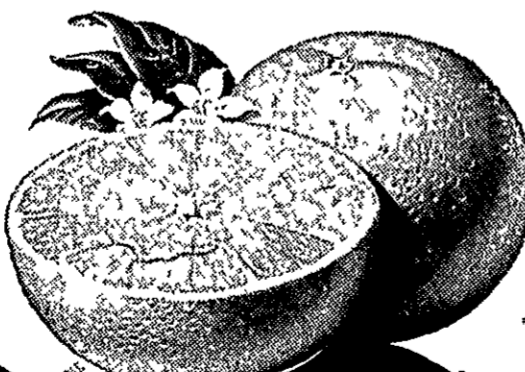
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Village of Ovid

President Shinabery called the meeting to order at 7:30 with the pledge of allegiance to the flag. The Prayer was led by Trustee Dietz.

Roll Call: Present: President Shinabery, Clerk Huss, Treasurer Spedman, Trustees: Monroe, Martin, Clock, Dietz, Ross and Byrnes.

Trustee Dietz made a motion to accept the minutes as read, supported by Trustee Ross. Motion carried.

No visitors.

Trustee Monroe made a motion to accept Police report given by Chief Brewer, baker. It was supported by Trustee Dietz. There was some discussion on an auxiliary man.

Trustee Clock made a motion to accept Treasurer's report as given, supported by Trustee Ross. Motion carried.

The Treasurer left at 8:52 p.m.

A motion was made by Trustee Martin to pay monthly bills and was supported by Trustee Dietz.

After a discussion Trustee Martin made a motion to deny Jack Schwarz's water for his residence because of property being outside of village limits. It was supported by Trustee Ross. Motion carried.

Trustee Ross made a motion to appoint Trustee Wells Monroe as temporary Zoning Administrator. It was supported by Trustee Dietz. Motion carried.

Trustee Byrnes left at 9:50 p.m.

The Council will submit names for planning committee at next council meeting to replace Robert Hubbard.

Trustee Dietz made a motion to meet the first and third Monday night of each month to hold council meetings for three months and to close the meetings at 10:00 p.m. It was supported by Trustee Monroe.

Motion by Trustee Dietz and supported by Trustee Ross to adjourn the meeting at 10:25 p.m. Meeting Adjourned.

Katherine Huss, Village Clerk

Kincaid

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Balmer, Mrs. Dell Schmidtman and boys went to a Travelogue on Thailand Saturday evening at Michigan State University.

Ted Balmer spent all last week in Charlotte.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Dell Schmidtman were dinner guests of Reverend and Mrs. Bruce Jenkins of Wacousta.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jenks Jr. and Billy of Lansing spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Porter Parks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Parks spent the weekend at Wheeler with Mr. and Mrs. Marlon Howd.

Sunday, Mrs. Dora Parks of Holt visited Mr. and Mrs. Eldoris Hahn, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Parks of Wacousta also visited in the same home.

Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Buckner of Lansing visited Mr. and Mrs. Eldoris Hahn.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee DuMond and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Dumond, Saturday.

Harvey Hoerner, Mr. and Mrs. Don Potts and Mike visited Mrs. Harold Hoerner Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Potts and Mike went to Higgins Lake snowmobiling, Sunday.

REGULAR CLINTON COUNTY ZONING COMMISSION MEETING

The regular meeting of the Clinton County Zoning Commission will be held on Tuesday, February 22, 1972 at 8:00 p.m. in the Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan. At that time the Zoning Commission will act on the following applications:

EAGLE TOWNSHIP

An application for Special Use Permit to operate and maintain a portable asphalt plant on the following described parcel of land:

W-1/2 of NW-1/4 of Sec. 8, T5N-R4W and the S. 53-1/3 Acres of the E-1/2 of the NW-1/4 of Sec. 8, T5N-R4W in the State of Michigan.

BINGHAM TOWNSHIP

An application for re-zoning from R-1B, one-family low density residential to R-1C, one family medium density residential on the following described parcel of land:

NE-1/4 of Sec. 29, T7N-R2W, Bingham Twp., Clinton County, Michigan except a parcel of land in the NW cor thereof 140' E&W by 185' N&S; also except the E 1755' of the NE-1/4 and except the S 885' except the E. 1755 ft. of the NE-1/4. 35.1 acres m/1.

BENGAL TOWNSHIP

An application for re-zoning from A-1, Agricultural to M-1, Limited Industrial on the following described parcel of land:

SW-1/4 of Section 10, T7N-R3W, Bengal Twp., Clinton Co., Michigan, lying South of G.T.R.R.

DEWITT TOWNSHIP

An application to rezone from B-1, Local Business to B-2, General Business on the following described parcel of land:

S 100' of W-1/2 of NW 1/4 of Sec. 3, T5N-R2W, also W-1/4 of SW-1/4 lying N. of Looking Glass River.

WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP

An application for re-zoning from R-1A, one-family rural residential to R-1B, one-family low density residential on the following described parcel of land:

All that part of the NW-1/4 of Sec. 16, T5N-R3W, lying N of the Looking Glass River and including plats of Summer Lane, Summer Lane No. 1, 2 and 3.

GREENBUSH TOWNSHIP

An application for Special Use Permit for a recreational area on the following described parcel of land:

E. 60 acres of the SW-1/4, the SW-1/4 of the SE-1/4, the S 23 acres of the NW-1/4, of the SE-1/4 of Sec. 33, and the E 60 acres of the W 100 acres of the SW-1/4 of Sec. 33, T8N-R2W except com. 661' 2 in. E of the SW cor of Sec. 33, E 626', N 370', W 626', S 370' to beg. (all parcels are on Sec. 33 of Greenbush Township, Clinton County, Michigan and comprise approx. 177 Acres.)

The text of the Zoning Ordinance as proposed to be amended and a map showing the Zoning Ordinance as proposed to be amended may be examined at the Office of the Clinton County Zoning Administrator, at the Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 12 noon and 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. of any day Monday through Friday.

Arnold R. Miarik Zoning Administrator

Bath Township

The regular monthly board meeting of Bath Charter Township was held Monday Jan. 3, 1972 at the Township Offices.

Meeting called to order at 8 p.m.

Minutes of the Dec. 20, 1972 meeting were reviewed and approved.

Clerk read letter from State Department of Agriculture, about a meeting to study Remy O'handler Watershed Project to be held Jan. 14, 1972 at DeWitt Township Offices.

County Commissioner, Shepard advised the board that Project No. 2 of DeWitt Township had been approved by County Commissioners.

Board adopted a resolution to hold board meetings as follows:

"The regular meetings of the Township Board of the Charter Township of Bath shall be held on the first and third Monday of each month in the Township Hall, 14480 Webster Road, Bath, Michigan, at 8:00 o'clock, p.m., Eastern Standard Time, provided however, that should the regular meeting date as established herein fall on a legal holiday, the meeting shall be held on the next succeeding business day, unless a different date is designated by action of the Township Board."

Police Chief reported that all bids on police car had not been received.

Board approved the purchase of a second police car from the State Police, cost not to exceed \$700.00.

Clerk reported that miscellaneous labor costs for 1971 was over \$10,000.00.

Board adopted payment of Vouchers No. 7555 thru No. 7563.

Jon Mills and Paul Thompson of sanitary engineers were present and reviewed sewer project.

Paul Thompson to contact Township Attorney for new resolution to be adopted by board.

Meeting adjourned at 10 p.m.

LEE REASONER, Clerk

Board took no action on participation in the CACOG program.

Report from sanitary engineer was read by Supervisor with following items noted: (1) Interceptor to DeWitt-We will continue with drawing of detail plans and discussion with DeWitt Township regarding connection to their system. (2) Clark Road east of Webster - This area will be included with the current project and will outlet north across the school property. (3) Clark Road west of Webster - We have investigated out-letting this area north to Pine Street and find that we can serve only 13 of the 26 existing customers between Webster and the railroad. The only way to immediately serve all 26 is to run the outlet north of Slight Road in the drainage valley occupied by the Clise drain. We will include this portion in the current project. (4) The area south and west of Ann Drive will not be included in the current project. (5) We will prepare plans to serve approximately 1320 feet of State Road east of Park Lake Road. (6) We will prepare plans to serve the area on Slight Road between Chandler Road and 2000 feet east. (7) Chandler Estates will not be included in the current project.

Board adopted the following resolutions:

Resolution No. 1 "The Charter Township of Bath hereby authorizes the Clinton County Board of Public Works to conduct a financial study of the proposed sanitary sewer project for Bath Township. The study shall be paid by the Charter Township of Bath."

Board adopted Resolution No. 2: "The Charter Township of Bath hereby authorizes the firm of Fishbeck, Thompson and Carr to revise and update the Official Plan of July, 1970, submitted as part of the Federal State Construction Grant Application. Revisions to include schematic plans and estimated costs of transporting sewage to the DeWitt Township Treatment Plant in lieu of local treatment by lagoons."

Supervisor presented maps showing proposed reapportionment of Clinton County as explained to Supervisor and Clerk at a meeting Jan. 14, 1972.

Board approved transfer of Hill Top Tavern licenses from Grace Steadman to Claude and Arlene Guthrie.

Board members to attend Ambulance Meeting in St. Johns Tuesday Jan. 25, 1972 at 8:00 p.m.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:35 p.m.

LEE REASONER, Clerk

Meeting adjourned at 10 p.m.

LEE REASONER, Clerk

The regular mid-monthly meeting was held Jan. 17, 1972 at the Township Offices. Meeting called to order at 8 p.m.

Minutes of the Jan. 3, 1972 meeting were reviewed by clerk.

North Bengal

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Tiedt left for Florida recently where they will spend a few days.

Friday evening, Jan. 21 visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Pasch were Mrs. Walter Nobis, Dr. and Paul Graff, Sr. of Lebanon and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bancroft and son, Jay of S.W. Dallas.

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LEE REASONER, Clerk

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O-E students plan double project

County Line News

By Mrs. Doris Fisher

By TIM YOUNKMAN

OVID-ELSIE — The agriculture mechanics classes of Larry Sprague and Joe Shaltry, Ovid-Elsie High School instructors, have undertaken experiments in expanding the school's educational plant.

At the same time, class members will be attempting to win a top prize in the Future Farmers of America. The project consists of constructing a building for chickens that can later be converted into a full-scale agriculture laboratory and could be extended as classroom facilities.

The elementary animal science program was planned in conjunction with the FFA Broiler Contest. Students will purchase 200 chickens and will have seven weeks to feed them before the judging. Only 100 birds are needed for the contest, so the other birds will be the main feast of a special banquet for the chapter's 104 members, their parents and contributors to the FFA.

The project had earlier received the endorsement of O-E School Supt. Donald Kenney. Sprague said Friday that there had been comments made concerning the odor that might develop with the bird station, but he added that the students are getting to work on a scheme to stop the pollution.

The building, 16 feet by 16 feet by eight feet, was designed with the aid of the extension service and the materials were purchased from local lumber yards. The rough construction was completed in three days and the finishing should take about four weeks, weather permitting.

The building will be closed, insulated, with no windows. Ventilation is assured by a series of vents and fans. Sprague said no school funds would be used on the project, which should cost about \$650. Funds were made available through the local FFA chapter.

Sprague said faculty members and students are proud of the ag mechanics class. "It is quite flexible," he said. "Students are not all on the same project at the same time. The course provides a basic background in welding and is an elective for juniors and seniors in the vocational program.

The projects, which involve the FFA, were designed to get Agriculture One students introduced to the local chapter. Through animal science, they can get an insight into the FFA, Sprague commented.

Another future project of the group will be to construct a pole barn on the O-E campus.

The building will be used for animal projects in which students produce their own feed and corn. Sprague said the plan might get underway in a year.

He said the current FFA chapter budget is about \$8,500 which they raise through seed sales, citrus fruit sales, a slave auction, corn, producing 30 acres of corn and raising seven head of beef.

Besides group projects, Sprague said members have invested \$110,000 gross on individual projects and the money is spent within the community.

Members are also looking forward to an FFA Leadership Contest Feb. 10 to judge speaking, development, parliamentary procedure, ag forum and demonstrations.

Shepardsville

The Ovid-Duplain Library Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Charles Miller at 9800 West Main Road on Friday, Feb. 4. A dessert luncheon at 1 p.m. Roll call will be "My Favorite Pastime". Hobbies will be demonstrated by Mesdames Paul Call, Clarence Mead, Clayton Sherwin, Ralph Teal and Ma Woodworth. The committee for the day will be Mrs. Harold Frisbie and Mrs. Harold Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Patterson of Ashley visited their mother Mrs. Frances Patterson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fisher and family attended a birthday dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Brown in Saginaw honoring their granddaugh-

ter, Kelly on her fourth birthday. Others present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Meyer of Essexville, Mr. and Mrs. William Perkins and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Federspiel and family of Saginaw, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Maleski and family of Bridgeport.

The Ovid-Elsie report

By PATTY BERNATH

Ardith Gruesbeck has been named Ovid-Elsie High School's Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow for 1972. She was chosen on the basis of her score in a written knowledge and attitude examination taken by senior girls on Dec. 7, and will receive a specially designed award charm from General Mills, sponsor of the annual educational program. Additionally, she is now eligible for state and national honors.

The State Homemaker of Tomorrow, to be selected from all school winners in the state in judging which will center on performance in the Dec. 7 test, will be awarded a \$1,500 college scholarship. Her school will receive a complete set of Encyclopedia Britannica from Encyclopedia Britannica, Inc. A scholarship of \$500 will go to the second-ranking girl in the state.

This April, the 51 Betty Crocker Homemakers of Tomorrow representing every state and the District of Columbia—each accompanied by a faculty advisor—will be given an expense-paid educational tour of Colonial Williamsburg, Va., and Washington, D.C. Personal observation and interviews during the tour, added to the earlier state-level judging results, will culminate in the announcement of the 1972 Betty Crocker All-American Homemaker of Tomorrow at the con-

clusion of the tour. Her scholarship will be increased to \$5,000, with those of three runners-up raised to \$4,000, \$3,000 and \$2,000.

In addition to the awards for school, state and national Homemakers of Tomorrow, a special \$1,000 Nutrition Scholarship has been added to the Betty Crocker Search program this year. To earn this award, a girl must be planning a college major in nutrition or a related field, rank among the highest in her state in the overall Search examination and achieve the top score, from those meeting the first two criteria, on the test's nutrition questions.

During the 18 years since the program's inception, enrollment has totaled over eight and one-quarter million and, with this year's grants, scholarship awards will reach almost \$2 million.

Ardith was very surprised to learn that she had won. When she was told by Mrs. Sally Boron, O-E guidance counselor, Ardith said, "You're kidding me." Ardith was also the O-E DAR winner.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Feb. 2 — District Committee at Bee's Chevy & Olds, 7:30 p.m.

Feb. 3 — Cub & Scout Leader Roundtables at 7:30 p.m., St. Johns High School Rooms 105, 107 & 140. Individual sessions for Den Mothers-Webelos Leaders, Cubmasters and Pack Committee-Scout Leaders.

Feb. 5 — Klondike Derby-gather at the corner of Upton and Stoll Roads in the Latter Day Saints Church parking lot. Registration starts at 9 a.m.

Feb. 10 — Commissioner Staff Meeting 7:30 p.m. at Bee's Chevy & Olds.

DISTRICT APPRECIATION DINNER—This year's Appreciation Banquet held on January 10 was an out-

standing success with over 125 scouters and wives in attendance.

A note of thanks to Banquet Chairlady Joanne Sturgis and each Community Chairlady for their help in its organization. Also thanks to District Chairman Sam Serrell, District Commissioner Harold VanRiper and Council Vice President Bill Morriss for their hand in the program.

SCOUTER OF THE YEAR 1971 — Richard R. Sturgis from Elsie was recognized at the District Banquet as the outstanding Scouter of the year. Dick's contributions to Scouting included S.M.E. community chairman, District vice chairman, Assistant district commissioner, and Scoutmaster of Troop 576 in Elsie.

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As a life-long resident of the St. Johns area Bob has kept abreast of the community's needs and has been a regular participant in any activity of general benefit. Aside from business memberships, such as the Chamber of Commerce, he has been very active in Lions and has worked in the Boy Scout program and other youth programs. Bob is another of the many citizens who are concerned and work to make ours a better community in which to live.

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Uses good sense

We credit President Nixon with the good sense of telling Congress he was not offering any "huge list" of new programs as he delivered his constitutionally-required State of the Union message.

Who needs new programs when there already are more than enough to strain the capacity of Congress? More aid for the aging, anti-crime and anti-dope legislation, expanded health programs, consumer protection, pollution control, aid for cities, revenue sharing - all are familiar to those who walk the halls of this land's highest legislative body. Some of these subjects have been lingering nearly three years, others a year or more.

Nixon's call for "high statesmanship" in this session of Congress probably fell on deaf ears than anything else he had to say - as he undoubtedly knew it would. It was a legitimate plea, just the same.

But that's not the way it works in an election year, as the response by the loyal opposition proves. The President took it on the chin for such "irresponsible" acts as prolonging the war, neglecting the cities and forgetting the jobless and the farmer.

The tone of 1972 was well described in Greenville a few months ago by 10th District Congressman Elford Cederberg who pointed out that in an election year everyone and his brother seeks the limelight.

We certainly agree with the President, however, in his observation that a non-partisan approach to some of our pressing needs will foster "enough credit for all." Unfortunately, politics is politics, and non-partisanship this year seems just too much to ask.

-J.S.

A 'sure' method

We recently had presented to us a newspaper clipping of a column entitled "How to Kill Your Town--In Ten Easy Lessons," and here it is:

1. Never attend any meetings or join any civic organizations. Just sit around and criticize how "they" are doing things.
2. Don't ever go to any community functions such as plays, concerts, ball games, benefits, and never volunteer your help for any of these things. Just sit at home in a half-trance in front of the "idiot-box" every night.
3. Vote against any type of tax levy proposal regardless of how good the purpose might be. They'll just go and spend your money foolishly.
4. Knock the city commission, school board and county commissioners. Every one of them is just serving on these boards for what they can get out of it personally.
5. Run down the police and fire departments. After all, those guys are just in those jobs for the glory of it.
6. Buy every thing you can from discount catalogs or from out of town. These are the first places to come through for you or your group with donations for community programs and projects and rendering services to the community, aren't they?
7. Spread any story or rumor that you hear that is defamatory or uncomplimentary about the town or some of the better-known citizens or officials in town.
8. Never say anything very nice about anyone in your community. All the local business people, officials and professional people are a bunch of crooks and the kids are all a bunch of delinquents.
9. Don't support your local newspaper. Out-of-town media cover a wider area and give a greater variety of news even though they do charge four or five times as much for their advertising space or air time. But, jump on the local editor quick if he doesn't get in your news note about Aunt Hattie's visit or the scores in your bowling league.
10. Always be skeptical and cynical about anything that is proposed for community progress or betterment. Your motto should always be: "If it's good...it can't happen here."

Diminishing returns

I went to see my doctor
As per schedule now and then
'N had him check me over
'Ere returning to my den;
He gave me not a single pill
But to "keep me off the shelf"
He vetoed half my staple foods
"To save you from yourself."

I called upon a diet pal
For words of sound advice
There went more joys of eating
More foods were put on ice;
It seems to eat is mortal wrong
'N every sprite 'n elf
Prescribes more self denial
To save me from myself.

I chanced to meet my banker

At his behest - not mine
'N learned my way of spendin'
Was gettin' out of line;
He thought my plight precarious
Lest I would quick agree
To batten down the hatches
To save myself from me.

In fear and desperation
My minister, I sought
To calm me in my troubles
And guide me too, I thought;
"There's nothing like self-sacrifice
"Deny yourself," said he
"Watch out for self indulgence"
Tryin' to save myself from me.

WARREN E. DOBSON
Jan. 1972

Back Through the Years



FROM NEWS FILES

ONE YEAR AGO
Feb. 3, 1971

The annual meeting of the Clinton County Soil Conservation is scheduled to be held at the St. Johns High School Saturday with B. Dale Ball, director of the Michigan Department of Agriculture as guest speaker.

Lt. Gov. James H. Brickley will be the guest speaker at the Clinton County GOP Lincoln Day banquet which is scheduled to be held Thursday.

The appointment of Dr. James Grost, M.D. to the board of directors of the Central National Bank was announced this week.

Army Captain James V. Cronkrite, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cronkrite of St. Johns, received the Bronze Star Medal at Ft. Rucker, Ala. Cronkrite earned the award for outstanding service during his last assignment in Vietnam.

The St. Johns High School drama club competed in the first state drama competition winning a certificate of dramatic excellence from the judges. Three performers were selected for top performances. They were Jim Davis, Marty Ernst and Beth Stork.

Funeral services were held at the Osgood Funeral Home in St. Johns for Margaret Britten who died following a long illness at Sparrow Hospital. Mrs. Britten owned and operated a local grocery store with her husband, Donald.

Some of St. Johns' outstanding young women were honored at an open house, sponsored by the St. Johns Jaycee Auxiliary last week. Receiving awards were Lynn Banninga, Yvonne Foster, Judy Vandemark, Carol Maples, Nancy Wells, Marilyn Rice, Mary Beth Jarvis, Carol Burkhardt and Jean Martin.

TEN YEARS AGO
Feb. 1, 1962

Funeral services were held for Clyde O. Hendershot at the Osgood Funeral Home in St. Johns. Mr. Hendershot, a well-known business man in this area, died at Clinton Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

Hugh Eldridge of Bengal Township resigns his post as township supervisor due to other personal commitments.

The St. Johns board of education accepted the low bid of \$84,602 submitted by

Banta-Brooks Construction firm for construction of a new science wing on the high school.

The Grove Bible Church, located on the corner of Shepardsville and Price Roads, begun building the superstructure on their estimated \$35,000 building.

Three St. Johns students were among a total of 193 who received all A's for the fall term at Michigan State University. Kay Barks, Daniel A. Becker and James G. Becker were honored at a dinner given by University President John A. Hannah.

Dairy farmers in southern Michigan this week prepared for an all-out fight to head off a cut in milk prices. Nearly 150 persons are expected to attend the annual Klondike Derby which will be held at the Rose Lake Wildlife Research center on Stoll Road.

The largest class of Grey Ladies since the organization was instituted at the Clinton Memorial Hospital, received their caps at a ceremony held at the First Congregational Church.

25 YEARS AGO
Feb. 6, 1947

Mr. and Mrs. James Fenton of Evert, have purchased the East Side Grocery in St. Johns from Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gagush and will take possession this week.

A joint band concert featuring St. Johns and Charlotte High School bands is scheduled to be held this week. The St. Johns band will be under the direction of Robert Kerns while Robert K. Powell will lead the Charlotte musicians.

A two-week campaign to raise \$2,200 for the Salvation Army in Clinton County began following a "kick-off" meeting held in the municipal building.

Motor buses will be forbidden from parking on St. Johns streets after March 1, 1948 according to the terms of an ordinance adopted by the St. Johns City Commission.

The number of divorces granted annually in Clinton County has nearly doubled in the three year period from 1944 to 1947 according to figures released this week by County Clerk Paul Wakefield.

A new library is set for Ovid which is being spearheaded under the direction of the Acme Society and will be housed in the Temple Building, across from the post office.

View from the 30th



William S. Ballenger
State Sen.

At a time when the pressure is on to shift more of the educational tax burden from property to income, an interesting pair of figures emerges from Governor William G. Milliken's proposed budget for the next fiscal year.

Two pie charts in a pamphlet presented to the Legislature by the Governor show where the tax dollar comes from and where it goes.

It is interesting to note that in his proposed general fund budget for next year, income taxes provide exactly 50 cents of every tax dollar. At the same time, education takes 48 cents of that same tax dollar -- or almost all the income taxes produce.

This is in what is known as the "general fund-general purpose" budget. This is the budget that people talk about most, and it's different from the total state budget, which includes revenues that do not go to the general fund because they are earmarked by the State Constitution for specific purposes.

Considering the overall total budget, the income tax share of the total revenue drops to 26 cents on the dollar while the outlay, for education is 38 cents of the total dollar.

But the "general fund-general purpose" budget is

the one the Legislature appropriates.

In that budget, the Governor expects revenue of \$2,280 billion, of which \$1,132 billion comes from income taxes. Sales and use taxes bring a \$464.5 million, or 20 cents of the tax dollar. Other taxes are expected to bring in \$361.9 million, or 22 cents of the tax dollar. Other revenue (non-taxes) will provide \$183.7 million, or 8 cents of the tax dollar.

What the Governor calls "educational opportunities" will take \$1,080 billion of his proposed \$2,269 general fund budget, or 48 cents of the tax dollar.

Health and medical assistance will take \$271.6 million, or 12 cents of the dollar. But this will be far overshadowed by social services (welfare), for which the Governor is budgeting \$594.5 million, or 26 cents of the dollar.

All other governmental services will share in the remaining \$322 million, or 14 cents of the tax dollar.

As the Governor envisions it, the total budget of the general fund appropriated by the Legislature and the specially earmarked funds and other income such as federal grants -- exceeds a whopping \$4,608 billion.

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Tragic drama

By TIM YOUNGMAN



Shakespeare had a keen and intense talent for producing drama in his tragedies. Even in his right, almost caste-like, society, the Bard managed to dramatize current politics and social norms.

It was a curious mixture of history, fiction, drama, tragedy, comedy, skepticism, politics and sociology. Americans witnessed a bit of that Shakespearean art last week during the President's latest dramatic revelation on our foreign involvement in Indochina.

On the surface, few of us could take little exception to the fundamental philosophy behind Mr. Nixon's speech. Indeed, all Americans can rally around a call for peace and the prospect of prosperity. A majority of us have voiced a desire to be out of war in Indochina.

The President called for all Americans to unite behind his "new" eight-point peace proposal, and since few could disagree with the sentiments of his eight points, it would appear to be almost treasonous not to fall in line.

However, there have been some points raised that deserve some attention. For example, the speech was definitely a good political move in an election year, especially one day after the federal budget figures were released.

Some congressional leaders might not ask for defense spending cuts in the

wake of the peace proposal. With the new matter at hand, other critics of the Administration might not examine the record deficit budget too closely.

The major flaw, however, has been pointed out repeatedly by students of the Oriental philosophies, especially those ideals of Communist Indochina.

These communist armies have been fighting in Asia since the turn of the century. Their struggles, which followed on the heels of the Bolshevik success in Russia, were based on a fanatic ideological determination to win -- an all or nothing concept. They had nothing to lose since their society had deteriorated through bureaucratic gangsterism.

The Chinese zeal, which ended in victory for the Communists in the late 1940's, spilled over into Indochina. The people were geared for fighting after the Japanese armies poured over the mainland, they have been fighting in that part of the world ever since and are bound for victory no matter the cost in lives or money.

Nothing short of a Normandy invasion would secure South Vietnam from the North, and none of us would admit, from the President on down to civilians, that it would be worth the cost. In short, we were destined to lose that kind of war -- and numerically, we will run out of fighting men before the Asian communists will.

To demand, in our peace proposals, that the Communists agree to "free" elections, a process in which they have no faith whatsoever, is absurd. From our point of view, the demand is reasonable, but not to the enemy.

Another point to ponder is that the South Vietnamese now have a one-million man army equipped with modern weapons and there are about 500,000 fighting-aged men in the South who have not been drafted yet. If a blood-bath results from our pull-out, they have only themselves to blame.

Japan surrendered to the Americans in 1945, despite the fact that the homeland had not been conquered and there were three million Imperial soldiers ready to defend an American invasion. But the results were inevitable -- Japan would lose. In Vietnam, a similar situation exists. Allied forces could wage limited war until hell freezes over, and the North Vietnamese will still gather enough strength to invade the South, once we are gone.

Whether or not the Communists accept the peace plan, it's past time for us to give the Vietnam war to the Vietnamese. In the face of domestic turmoil, anything short of complete withdrawal now would be a political folly. Saving face, at this point in an election year, might not be so important as saving the other end.

'IF IT FITZ . . .

One thing 'for' snowmobiles

By JIM FITZGERALD



I can say one good thing about snowmobiles: I've never been run over by one. I drove a snowmobile once. I ran it into a mailbox, a federal offense, and there have been strange clicks on my phone ever since.

Right now, my favorite county is in a terrible tizzy over new laws which limit where Joe Outdoorsman can drive his snowmobile. He must keep off the roads and right-of-ways. If Joe wants to rip his machine through your backyard at 3 a.m., he'd better live next door. Otherwise, he must haul his snowmobile into your neighborhood on a trailer.

This takes the phantom-tan out of snowmobiling for Joe who likes to roar in and roar out before you can grab your shotgun. Joe makes a beautiful target while strapping his machine back in the trailer. This unfair law is similar to requiring robbers to check their tire pressure before making their getaway from in front of the bank.

Whenever I suggest an audit of snowmobiler's marbles, I am accused of being more Jill than Jim. My rugged friends say I have no adventure in my blood. They say I'm a homebound sissy who doesn't appreciate the bracing beauty of snow and cold air. They usually tell me this in some bar outside of which they parked their snowmobiles 9 hours earlier.

I deny this slander, hearkening back to my boyhood to prove there is nothing wrong with my spirit of adventure. My buddies and I used to hook cars in the winter. We used to hide behind trees on Ontario St. When a car slowed at a corner, we would dash out and grab hold of the back bumper. We'd crouch low and use our feet as skis. We'd slide behind those cars as far and as fast as they'd take us. The trick was to see someone survive when you suddenly hit a bare hunk of pavement. You either shifted your

rump quickly onto the bumper or you fell billes; forward and suddenly had a 2nd mouth, this one above your eyes. I lost a lot of skin that way. My shoes didn't last long, either.

But that was when I was working hard to be a Real Boy, as required by Saturday Evening Post covers. There was nothing I hated worse than snow up my sleeves, but I didn't dare admit it. The leader of our gang was my lousy big sister and if I didn't follow the leader through every blizzard she would enroll me in a convent.

It was nice to grow up and be able to admit that winter is for looking at through Thermopane, or for leaving via Delta. Snow and ice are horrible things and adults who touch them on purpose are badly in need of psychiatric help. That's why I'm stunned to see grown men sob because they can't ram through snowbanks in motorized sleds.

I mean, everyone of these guys owns a hardtop with a heater. Admittedly, a snowmobile will take you places where a Chevrolet won't go. But why go there? Why risk barbed wire, buried stumps and landowners' wrath simply to enter a tavern through the kitchen door?

"The scenery is beautiful and it's great for family togetherness," explained one friend who has \$10,500 invested in 4 snowmobiles and \$500 invested in four matching snowsuits, each with 25 zippers that can't be worked with frozen fingers.

Oh well. To each his own. There's no way I'm ever going to understand a grown man who likes to play in the snow with kids. As for scenery, my friend recently ran his snowmobile into a parked car and broke his collarbone. If he can't see a parked car, how can he see scenery?

Onward and Upward, thermostatically controlled.

From the state house

By DICK ALLEN
88th District Representative



HEY OUT THERE! A LITTLE HELP PLEASE! Since I came to the Legislature I have been periodically asked what I have done to relieve property taxes and equalize the education of children.

Almost from the start I have had some success to report. Property tax credits here, an adjustment in the School Aid Formula there, and improved homestead tax exemptions -- changes affecting millions of dollars.

But always people have said, "Yeah, but those are minor changes, the major injustices and inequities still exist. Well, I have to agree. What little we have been able to achieve has been insignificant compared to the total scope of the problem. But now there is renewed hope with the Governor's

petition drive. But I have had only mild success finding circulators in the 88th District.

There are, of course, questions and I will attempt to answer the most frequent. Does the proposal eliminate property taxes? No, it only affects local property tax for school operation.

Does it eliminate this? Yes, for the regular school program. Although there is a provision whereby a vote of the people could institute programs beyond the normal program and provide up to six mills.

What local millage would be left? Local governments, retirement of bonds for construction indebtedness and special educational projects such as vocational education, intermediate school districts and special education

would still be financed with local property tax.

Any other property tax "hookers"? Yes, a statewide property tax not to exceed 26 mills could be voted by the Legislature on non-agricultural, non-residential property.

In other words, the only significant property tax relief would go to homeowners and farmers? That's right. The theory is two-fold. First, these are the groups suffering most. Secondly, income taxes on business and industry fluctuate unpredictably. So these would continue to support education through the property tax.

How much would this program reduce my property tax? Look at your tax bill and see how much of it is school operation. Homeown-

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Spiritual rebirth

By REV. HUGH BANNINGA

Your homework for today is to read the eighth chapter of Zechariah in the Old Testament.

In verse 23 of chapter eight Zechariah paints the picture of people from every nation going up to a Jew and saying, "I want to go back to Jerusalem with you and share in the new spiritual life, because I have heard that God is with you." It is this picture that I want to concentrate on today.

The Jews were getting ready to go back to their homeland after 70 years' captivity in Babylon. King Darius was allowing them to return to Jerusalem to rebuild the Temple and their own way of life.

In that cosmopolitan city of Babylon many visitors from other countries had heard about how the God of the Jews had moved Darius to grant permission for the release of the Jews. So these visitors to Babylon were going up to the Jews and saying, "Let us go with you, for we have heard that God is with you."

These visitors were so impressed with the spiritual heritage and the actual spiritual rebirth of the Jews in Babylon that they couldn't help themselves. They had to get "A piece of the action" so to speak. They were drawn to God by the enthusiasm of the Jews. They wanted to go to Jerusalem with the Jews to seek the Lord.

Boy! What a tremendous picture! The Holy Spirit was moving, not only the Jews, but also some Gentiles—moving a mixture of peoples to seek the One, Holy, Almighty God!

NOW LET'S SWITCH from the Biblical picture to the modern picture. We hear a lot of talk today about the decline of the church. Church attendance is down in most churches. Contributions are down or at least not keeping up with the rising cost of living in many places. There is an attitude of despair—a feeling that the world is coming apart and that the church doesn't have the power to stop it.

It seems that many people today would echo these words of a U.S. Congressman who was talking to Billy Graham. The Congressman said, "Our world is finished. I've given up. I'm just going to try to enjoy what time we have left."

This is a time in history where we need a rebirth in the spiritual lives of people—like the Jews had in Babylon. We need to have people so "on fire" with God's Holy Spirit that others will tap them on the shoulder and say, "Let me have some of what you have. I know that you have God with you. I have observed how you live and how happy you are. My life has been miserable and I want to change it. I want to be happy like you. Let me go with you to seek the Lord of hosts."

SO WHERE does a spiritual rebirth begin? It begins with you and me. If it doesn't start with you and me, it doesn't start. It starts with you and me who are the church. We are supposed to be a fellowship of people. Dr. Carl Wisloff, a Norwegian theologian, defines the church in these words, "In the New Testament the



Questions

Dear News Readers: I have lived in St. Johns 50 years and here are a few of the things I don't know.

Is there any store that delivers groceries?

Is there any kind of taxi cab service?

Is there one doctor that will make house calls?

How can a retired person keep their respect and stay in their home if all these services are denied them? It would be real nice if someone delivered meals too.

Sincerely,
A Reader

Notes From The Teachers

The teachers of the St. Johns Education Association invite you to listen to "VIEWPOINT", a 5 minute radio program on W.R.B.J. every Wednesday at 3:55 p.m. This weeks viewpoint will feature an interview with John Arehart, the J.C.'s Outstanding Young Educator of the Year. The S.J.E.A. is proud of John, listen to our program, and you'll know why.

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NOTICE

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Of this amount, education at all levels will get \$2.8 billion and social services (welfare) will get \$1.173 billion. These are the two largest recipients of the tax dollar.

Any message with a lot of statistics. In it can be dull reading but there are a lot of interesting things in the Governor's budget message. Here are a few taken at random from the 55-page booklet:

1) Separations and divorces now annually exceed the number of remarriages, thus contributing to the increase in public assistance money recipients to 671,000 this year as compared with only 262,400 in 1968-69. Another factor in the increase is the growing public acceptance of welfare as a legitimate income source.

2) Michigan's prison population continues to grow because of increased crime, more successful prosecution, and longer sentences. New prison facilities will be completed soon at Muskegon and Marquette and a start will be made at dividing into three institutions the nation's largest walled prison at Jackson.

3) Next year Michigan will spend nearly \$2.8 billion to provide educational opportunities for more than 2.6 million persons, of whom about 2.2 million will be in the kindergarten-twelfth grade program. No net increase is expected in the K-12 program for next year.

4) The 20,000-a-year student enrollment increases at Michigan colleges and universities during recent years have slowed drastically. This year the increase is only 5,000 students, and next year it's expected to be 8,000 -- for a total of 289,000 in 1972-73.

5) Michigan's state parks and other camping facilities are expected to provide for 25.3 million visitor days next year -- an 8.3 percent hike over last year.

6) The Governor's budget provides for doubling the state's capacity to detect industrial water pollution.

7) More than \$230 million will be distributed next year to local units of government from the intangibles, sales and personal income taxes. The Governor is recommending that local units be guaranteed at least \$17 per person in state-shared revenues.

8) Better efficiency in the state's liquor merchandising program is expected to save 50 positions and more than \$600,000. Consolidation of liquor store operations in Detroit is expected to save a million bucks.

9) The state's general fund budget has virtually doubled in the last five years—a total increase of more than \$1 billion and an average boost of more than 19 percent a year.

10) There have been six major tax increases since 1968.

ALLEN

(Continued from Page 16)

ers in towns and villages should save about half. For farmers, it may save as much as 70 to 80 percent.

How will we pay the difference? Through an increase in the personal income tax. Allen's estimate is about 5%.

Will this increase later? Have taxes increased in the past?

Are there other alternatives? Yes, but I don't think the status quo is one of them. Courts will force us to make some change. Some of the other proposals are just as good for homeowners. In my opinion, this is the best one possible for agriculture.

Now a final question from me to you. Will you circulate a petition in your area? If yes, write Rep. Dick Allen, State Capitol, Lansing 48901.

church is a fellowship of people. The church is not "something", but "some." It is not a building that believers and unbelievers inhabit.

The church is a building that is built up of believers as living stones. The walls do not enclose the faithful; rather the faithful are the walls. No one but God knows the exact number of stones in that spiritual house. There are as many stones as there are living hearts that believe in Jesus as their Savior. Not a single one more, not a single one less.

Well, if you and I are part of the Christian church, and the church needs a rebirth of its spiritual life, then this means that you and I have some work to do. It means that I should concentrate more on my own spiritual life and you should concentrate more on your spiritual life.

If means that I don't criticize you and you don't criticize me, because God knows how we all can improve on our spiritual lives. We can all give more of our time, talents and treasures for the benefit of building our own local fellowships.

We can all give more of ourselves to help those in need in our communities.

We can all pray more, read the Bible more, be more faithful in attending services.

Yes, the Holy Spirit touched the Jews in the days of Zechariah. Let us pray that He touches you and me today so that people will come up to us and say, "Let us go with you, for we have heard that God is with you."



Bits and Pieces — Smell of Success

By HAROLD SCHMALTZ

I have a dear brother-in-law that used to refer to me as the "creature from the Black Lagoon." This term was not meant to be taken by me in a derogatory manner but rather in a jesting way. How this name tag came about is a long dirty story and it took a period of years to earn the title.

It all started back in a not-so-modern basement setting while we resided in St. Louis. The tale involves a do-it-yourself project of cleaning out a clogged kitchen drain. What started to be a simple routine trap-cleaning job, turned into a nightmare of fighting the black slime. Any plumber, novice or professional, should know exactly what I mean.

Somehow back through my ancestral line there must have been a trace of Scotch (sorry about that, Bob) because rather than call some guys who knew what they were doing, I preferred to tackle the job myself.

The first thing I did was to borrow some wrenches from my neighbor. He was

very glad to loan them to me, but what he didn't tell me was that the teeth were all pretty well worn out. Not wanting to offend him, I took them anyway and set forth on my task.

I CHEERFULLY BOUNDED down the stairway into the basement to see what could be done. I immediately decided that a large two inch pipe had to come apart. Somehow, those old wrenches just didn't want to take hold. Or at least they didn't until most of the skin on my knuckles was gone. I uttered a few verbal expressions and continued. I hoped what I had said hadn't traveled up through the heat registers. I worked and I tugged and the crazy thing wouldn't give. My mother always said I'd argue with a post, so why not a pipe, I thought as I continued to strain. Suddenly I thought of putting a larger pipe over the handle of the wrench and by doing this I got the proper leverage to get the drain-pipe apart. Then it happened!

a deluge of black cruddy water engulfed me head to foot. That's what I call being really absorbed in one's work...

Upon the threshold of finishing the job, my wife hollers from upstairs, "Honey, Steve is here!" He's the brother-in-law referred to earlier. He was attending CMU at the time and seems like he always dropped by when I was engaged in plumbing problems.

Proceeding up the stairway, forgetting how I must have looked, I appeared on the scene. The reception I got was a shriek from my wife and of course from Steve, the snide remark, "Well, if it isn't the creature from the Black Lagoon!" Even my own son, Robert, said I smelled like a sewer rat. What a sight I must have been!

I told Steve that any time he wanted a little on-the-job training he'd know where to come. He flatly declined the offer. He just recently decided to move into a home and give up apartment living. Boy, does he have some surprises coming!

At any rate, as I think back about those times, the more I love our beautiful copper plumbing fixtures we have here in our St. Johns home. I've been the other route and believe me Brother, I've learned the lesson!

He needs a mind of his own.

In Europe there's a whole generation of youngsters who have learned the hard way to make their own decisions. They've learned the hard way to make their own decisions.

He needs Radio Free Europe.

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Real Estate Transfers

(From records in office of Register of Deeds)

Jan. 19: Value Builders Inc. to Thomas C. and Helen M. Walsh property in Sec. 17, Watertown.

Jan. 19: Walsh, Thomas C. and Helen M. to Estate Property Pur. Inv. Co. Inc., property in Sec. 17, Watertown.

Jan. 19: McIntire, Albert and Maxine Jean; Moline, Donald W. and Joann L. to Donald and Marlene Ducharme, Lot 390, Willow-creek Farm.

Jan. 19: Isham, Dianne J. to Donald F. and Mary L. Dufek, Lot 83, Bolchot Ac. No. 3.

Jan. 19: Palsco, Ernest to Russell M. and Gweneth B. Osborne property in Sec. 4, Ovid.

Jan. 19: Bolchot, Anna; Josephine A. Bolchot; Donald P. and Mildred Bolchot to Patrick Allen and Arminda K. Clark, Lot 84, 85 Bolchot Acres No. 2.

Jan. 19: Lewis, Donald F. and Betty J. to Ronald J. and Regina S. Bush, property in Sec. 24, Duplain.

Jan. 20: Clark, Leon P. and Frances M. to Grand Ledge Public Schools, property in Sec. 18, Watertown.

Jan. 20: Warnke, William H. and Hilda to Donald and Joyce Koepfen, property in Sec. 16, Essex.

Jan. 20: Arnes, Theodore and Hildegard to Ronald and Kay Arens property in Sec. 2, Westphalia.

Jan. 20: Peltier, A. B. and Barbara to Mark W. and Barbara A. Allen, property in Sec. 10, DeWitt.

Jan. 21: Tucker Arnold C. and Pearl L.; Twinbrook Estates Inc. to Douglas G. and Judith H. Bradman, Lot 29 Twinbrook Est.

Jan. 21: Peters, James W. and Joyce B. to Leonard Cleo and Bernice Marie Mitchell, Lot 13, Bk. 7, Van Deusen's Add., Elsie.

Jan. 21: Pierce, Umbra U. and Ruby N. to Howard R. Jr. and Mary Jo Straub property in Sec. 34, Essex.

Jan. 24: Bekmanis, Albert Inc., to Robert W. and Marilyn S. Wood, Lot 5 Chandler Est.

Jan. 24: McKay Lumber Inc. to Michael J. Murphy Lot 19, 20, 21 Bolchot Acres

Jan. 24: Tom Clayton Ass. Inc. to Della M. Jones Lot 13 Luroma Park No. 1.

Jan. 24: Fedewa Builders Inc. to Fedewa Enterprises property in Sec. 5, DeWitt.

Jan. 24: Fedewa Builders Inc. to Fedewa Enterprises Lot 13, Bk 7, Westphalia.

Jan. 24: Stanfield, Harvey and Beulah I. to Rolland Fair, property in Sec. 28, Olive.

Jan. 24: Fair, Rolland to Rolland and Janet K. Fair property in Sec. 28, Olive.

Jan. 25: Mishler, Ervin to David and Rosemary J. Hambleton Lot 5 Sub. 10 Clark Bolton's.

Jan. 25: Matherly, Russell C. and Isabel P. to Leroy H. and Lillian M. Sanders, Lot 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 Bk C Ovid.

Jan. 25: Arnesen, Kay L. and Loren R. to Joseph L. and Patricia A. Feldpausch Lot 222 Clinton Vill. No. 3.

Jan. 25: Anderson, Donald H. and Faye to Gary E. and Kenna S. Crandell property in Sec. 5, Eagle.

Jan. 25: Kellin, Harry W. to Robert J. Klein property in Sec. 29, Watertown.

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Probate Court
HON. TIMOTHY M. GREEN
Judge of Probate
HELENA M. BURK
Register of Probate

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 9, 1972
Bessie McKeely, claims.
Gertrude Burggraf, license to sell real estate.
John B. Chaplin, annual account.

LEGAL NOTICES

Guardian
STATE OF MICHIGAN - The Probate Court for the County of Clinton,
Estate of
ROBERT D. CREYTS,
a mentally incompetent person

It is Ordered that on the 23rd day of February, 1972, at 11:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in the City of St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Hudson E. Deming, successor guardian of said estate, for the allowance of his Fifth Annual Account.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN
Judge of Probate
Dated: January 12, 1972 38-3

Heirs
STATE OF MICHIGAN - The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
VINA M. SMITH, Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 29, 1972, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Helen Walker Bell, Administratrix W.W.A., for determination of heirs; and at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Helen Walker Bell, 420 Kedzie Street, East Lansing, Michigan, prior to said hearing.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
Judge of Probate
Dated: January 13, 1972

Attorney for Petitioner
of Foster, Lindemer, Swift & Collins
900 American Bank & Trust Bldg., Lansing, Michigan 38-3

Claims
Smith-April 5
STATE OF MICHIGAN - The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
ACHSAH M. SMITH, Deceased
File No. 18802

The Court orders:
Hearing on claims on Wednesday, April 5, 1972 at 10:00 a.m. at the probate court, courthouse, St. Johns, Mich. Creditors must file sworn statement of claim with court, send copy to Russell Olmsted, Fiduciary, 217 E. Corunna Ave., Corunna, Michigan.

Publication in the Clinton County News, and notice according to court rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
Judge of Probate
Dated: January 10, 1972

Register of Probate
By: Helena M. Burk
Attorney:
Lewis D. Benson
203 Owosso Savings Bank Bldg., Owosso, Michigan 39-3

Claims
Jiskra-April 5
STATE OF MICHIGAN - The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
BESSIE JISKRA, Deceased
File No. 18800

The Court orders:
Hearing on claims on Wednesday, April 5, 1972 at 10:30 a.m. at the probate court, courthouse, St. Johns, Mich. Creditors must file sworn statement of claim with court, send copy to Joseph Strachota, Fiduciary, 19600 W. Kramer Rd., Henderson, Michigan.

Publication in Clinton County News, and notice according to court rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
Judge of Probate
Dated: April 5, 1972

By: Helena M. Burk
Register of Probate
Attorney:
Shanahan and Scheid
Attorneys for Fiduciary
310 West Main Street
Owosso, Michigan 48867 39-3

Heirs
Martens-Feb. 23
STATE OF MICHIGAN - The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
FRED W. MARTENS, Deceased

It is Ordered that on February 23, 1972, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Fred Tiedt 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: January 24, 1972

James A. Moore
Attorney for Clinton National Bank & Trust Bldg., St. Johns, Michigan 40-3

Seal Real Estate
Pline-March 1
STATE OF MICHIGAN - The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
HERMAN M. PLINE
Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday March 1, 1972, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the Petition of Roger A. Pline, Executor, to sell real estate of said deceased. Persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing to show cause why such license should not be granted.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
Judge of Probate
Dated: January 24, 1972

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TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
Judge of Probate
Dated: January 24, 1972

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Executors, prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
Judge of Probate
Dated: January 21, 1972

Allison K. Thomas
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1108 Michigan National Tower
Lansing, Michigan 48933 39-3

License to Sell
Teall-March 8
STATE OF MICHIGAN - The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
DEWEY TEALL a/k/a
LEROY DEWEY TEALL, M.I.

It is Ordered that on March 8, 1972, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Derrill Shinabery for license to sell real estate of said ward. Persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing to show cause why such license should not be granted.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
Judge of Probate
Dated: January 26, 1972

George W. Loomis
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1200 Bank of Lansing Bldg., Lansing, Michigan 40-3

Will
Sperry-March 1
STATE OF MICHIGAN - The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
HOWARD E. SPERRY,
Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 1, 1972, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Louis Sperry for probate of a purported will, and for granting of administration to the executor named, or some other suitable person, 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: January 24, 1972

Paul Watzel
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Michigan National Tower
Lansing, Michigan 40-3

Guardian
Tompkins-Feb. 23
STATE OF MICHIGAN - The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
DIANE TOMPKINS and
TRACI TOMPKINS, Minors

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, February 23, 1972, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Diane Harger, for the appointment of a guardian for the person and estate of said minors.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
Judge of Probate
Dated: January 24, 1972

Ronald S. Griffith
Attorney for Petitioner
301 M.A.C. Ave., Lansing, Michigan 40-3

Final Account
Smith-Feb. 23
STATE OF MICHIGAN - The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
MAYME J. SMITH, Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, February 23, 1972, at 10:00 a.m. in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Walter O. Smith, administrator, for allowance of his final account.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
Judge of Probate
Dated: January 24, 1972

James A. Moore
Attorney for Clinton National Bank & Trust Bldg., St. Johns, Michigan 40-3

Seal Real Estate
Pline-March 1
STATE OF MICHIGAN - The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
HERMAN M. PLINE
Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday March 1, 1972, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the Petition of Roger A. Pline, Executor, to sell real estate of said deceased. Persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing to show cause why such license should not be granted.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
Judge of Probate
Dated: January 24, 1972

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TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
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Dated: January 24, 1972

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Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
Judge of Probate
Dated: January 25, 1972

Robert H. Wood
Attorney for Estate
200 W. State
St. Johns, Michigan 40-3

Heirs
Fairchild-March 1
STATE OF MICHIGAN - The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
DONALD E. FAIRCHILD,
Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 1, 1972, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Shirley E. Fairchild to be appointed Administratrix of said estate and for Determination of Heirs.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
Judge of Probate
Dated: January 25, 1972

George W. Loomis
Attorney for Petitioner
1200 Bank of Lansing Bldg., Lansing, Michigan 40-3

License to Sell
Wicke-Feb. 23
STATE OF MICHIGAN - The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
JULIUS WICKE, Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, February 23, 1972, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Ernie Wicke for license to sell real estate of said deceased. Persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing to show cause why such license should not be granted.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
Judge of Probate
Dated: January 12, 1972

James A. Moore
Attorney for Estate
115 E. Walker Street
St. Johns, Michigan 40-3

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE
-Default having been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by HOWARD S. PICKMAN and DONNA J. PICKMAN, husband and wife to WILLIAM B. SILL MORTGAGES, INCORPORATED, a Michigan Corporation Mortgagee, dated July 30, 1969, and recorded on August 4, 1969, in Liber 256, on page 208, Clinton County Records, Michigan, and assigned by said Mortgagee to FIRST SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF JERSEY CITY, N. J. by an assignment dated July 30, 1969, and recorded on August 4, 1969 in Liber 256, on page 212, Clinton County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of TWELVE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED NINETY-FIVE AND 00/100 DOLLARS (\$12,795.00), including interest at 7-1/2% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public auction on the 25th day of February, 1972, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., in the City of St. Johns, Clinton County, State of Michigan; that being one of the places of holding Circuit Court in said County. Said mortgaged premises are described as follows:

Lot 51 and the East-10 feet of Lot 50, Supervisor's Plat of Ballantine's Wee Farms, Section 28, T6N, R2W, Township of DeWitt, Clinton County, Michigan, as recorded in Liber Plat Book, Page 2, Clinton County Records.

The length of the period of redemption from such sale will be six (6) months.

Dated at Lansing, Michigan, December 29, 1971.

FIRST SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF JERSEY CITY, N. J.
Assignee of Mortgage
SHAHEEN & SHAHEEN
By Joseph Shaheen
Attorney,
2526 Guardian Building,
Detroit, Michigan 48226 36-13

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE
Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made on the 4th day of October, 1963, between Arlo Thrush and Elizabeth Thrush, husband and wife, Mortgagors, and CAPITOL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION, Mortgagee, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan on October 7, 1963, in Liber 238 of Mortgages, pages 411 and 412, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice for principal and interest, the sum of Four Thousand Two Hundred Seventy-eight and 66/100 (\$4,278.66) Dollars and an attorney fee of Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars allowed by law, as provided in said Mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage

Liber 254, Page 938, Clinton County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid as of the date of this Notice the sum of THIRTY-THREE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED SEVENTY-FOUR AND 48/100 (\$33,974.48) DOLLARS interest; and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt or any part thereof, secured by said indenture of mortgage, and the power of sale in said indenture of mortgage contained having become operative by reason of such default;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 15th day of February, 1972, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the North entrance to the Courthouse, in the City of St. Johns, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder or bidders at public auction or vendue, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid on said mortgage, together with all legal costs and charges of sale, including an attorney fee in the amount of ONE HUNDRED FIFTY (\$150.00) DOLLARS as provided in said mortgage the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described as follows:

Commencing at a point which is 2054.0 feet S 0 degrees 59' and 70.0 feet N 89 degrees 08' E of the section corner common to Sections 3, 4, 9 and 10, T6N, R2W, DeWitt Township, Clinton County, Michigan, thence S 0 degrees 59' E 167.0 feet, thence N 89 degrees 08' E 220.0 feet, thence N 0 degrees 59' W 172.01 feet, thence S 89 degrees 08' W 89.9 feet, thence S 86 degrees 55' W 131.2 feet to the point of beginning;

The period within which the above premises may be redeemed shall expire six (6) months from date of sale.

AMERICAN BANK AND TRUST COMPANY
a corporation, of Lansing, Michigan - Mortgagee
Date: November 17, 1971
Foster, Lindemer, Swift and Collins
Attorneys for Mortgagee
900 American Bank and Trust Bldg., Lansing, Michigan 48933 29-13

MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by HOWARD S. PICKMAN and DONNA J. PICKMAN, husband and wife to WILLIAM B. SILL MORTGAGES, INCORPORATED, a Michigan Corporation Mortgagee, dated July 30, 1969, and recorded on August 4, 1969, in Liber 256, on page 208, Clinton County Records, Michigan, and assigned by said Mortgagee to FIRST SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF JERSEY CITY, N. J. by an assignment dated July 30, 1969, and recorded on August 4, 1969 in Liber 256, on page 212, Clinton County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of TWELVE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED NINETY-FIVE AND 00/100 DOLLARS (\$12,795.00), including interest at 7-1/2% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the north door of the Court House in the City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan, at 10:00 o'clock a.m. on Friday, April 14, 1972.

Said premises are situated in the city of DeWitt, Clinton County, Michigan, and are described as:

The North 11 feet of Lot 35 and the South 5 feet of Lot 36 of Evelyn Cutler Replat of Lots 21 and 22 of Viewcrest River Addition to the Village of DeWitt on the South fraction of the NW 1/4 of Section 8, and replat of part of Outlot G, Assessor's Plat of Village of DeWitt, Town 5 North, Range 2 West, north City of DeWitt, Clinton County, Michigan.

The length of the period of redemption from such sale will be 6 months.

Dated: December 29, 1971
FIRST SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF JERSEY CITY, N. J.
Assignee of Mortgage
SHAHEEN & SHAHEEN
By Joseph Shaheen
Attorney,
2526 Guardian Building,
Detroit, Michigan 48226 36-13

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE
Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made on the 4th day of October, 1963, between Arlo Thrush and Elizabeth Thrush, husband and wife, Mortgagors, and CAPITOL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION, Mortgagee, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan on October 7, 1963, in Liber 238 of Mortgages, pages 411 and 412, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice for principal and interest, the sum of Four Thousand Two Hundred Seventy-eight and 66/100 (\$4,278.66) Dollars and an attorney fee of Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars allowed by law, as provided in said Mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage

and the statute in such case made and provided, on the 21st day of April, 1972, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the South entrance of the Clinton County Courthouse in the City of St. Johns, County of Clinton, State of Michigan, that being one of the places where the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton is held, sell at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in the said Mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount as aforesaid due on said Mortgage, with seven (7%) per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with said attorney fee, which said premises are described as follows in said Mortgage:

Commencing at a point on the West side of Section 3 which is North 815 feet of the SW corner of the NW 1/4 of said Section 3, T6N, R2W, Watertown Township, Clinton County, Michigan; thence N 174 feet on the West side of Section 3; thence E 330 feet; thence S 174 feet parallel to the West side of Section 3; thence N 330 feet to the place of beginning. Subject to easements and restrictions of record. The length of the redemption period as provided by law is one (1) year from the time of sale.

CAPITOL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION
Dated: January 26, 1972
Cummins, Butler & Thorburn
301 Capitol Savings & Loan Bldg., Lansing, Michigan 48933

Attorneys for Mortgagee 39-13

KRAMER DRAIN
Notice of Letting of Drain Contract and Review of Apportionments

Notice is hereby given, That I, Dale R. Chapman, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Clinton, State of Michigan, will, on the 18th day of February, A.D. 1972, at the County Court-house of St. Johns, in said County of Clinton at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day receive sealed bids when bids will be opened and publicly announced for the construction of a certain Drain known and designated as "Kramer Drain," located and established in the Townships of Westphalia and Eagle in said County.

Said drain will be let in 1 Section. All stations are 100 feet apart.

Beginning at station number 0 plus 00 at the lower end of said drain and extending to station number 340 plus 00, a distance of 340,000 feet, and having an average depth of 11 feet, and a uniform width of bottom of 4 feet, (1) of open drain.

Construction Items and Quantities:
Station 0 plus 00 to Station 45 plus 00 - 45 Stations Clearing & Spoil Leveling.
Station 45 plus 00 to Station 340 plus 00 - Estimated Excavation 151,000 cu. yds. (including Clearing & Spoil Leveling).

BRANCH - Station 0 plus 00 to 29 plus 04 - Estimated Excavation 13,000 cu. yds. (including Clearing & Spoil Leveling).

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thence S 80 rds. & 4 ft. to N bank of Kramer Drain; thence SE 1/4 along drain 60 rds.; thence S 74 rds. & 14 ft. to sec. ln.; thence E to pt. of beg., Albert P. & Elaine Thelen, 58 m/1 Ac.
The W 3/8 of the S 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 20, Albert P. & Elaine Thelen, 30
1/2 Acres in the SW cor. of the N 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 20, Leon & Evelyn Welland, 0.5

Section 28, Westphalia Township
The S 1/2 of the E 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Sec. 28, exc. the NE 1/4 thereof, Norman P. & Margaret Platte, 30
SW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 28, Herbert Kellen, 40
NE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 28, Joseph A. & Agnes T. Arens, 40
NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 28, Elvan E. Pohl & Mary Ellen Pohl, 40

S 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 28, exc. com. in the cen. of Grange Road, 565 ft. N of the cen. of Chadwick Rd.; thence E 415 ft.; thence N to 1/8 in. (approx. 740 ft.); thence W 415 ft.; thence S to beg., Lawrence & Margaret Kellen, 73
Com. at a point in the CL of Grange Rd., 565 ft. N of the CL of Chadwick Rd.; thence E 415 ft.; thence N to E&W 1/8 in. (approx. 740 ft.); thence W 415 ft.; thence S to beg., Thomas & Herbert Kellen, 7

N 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 28, exc. the E 3/4 of the N 1/4 of the SE 1/4, and exc. the E 1/3 of the S 1/2 of the N 1/2 of the SE 1/4, Leland Trierweller, 36 2/3
W 1/2 of the S 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 28, William & David VanZee, 40

Section 29, Westphalia Township
SW 5 ac. of the NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 29, Francis J. & Wilma R. Trierweller, 5
W 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 29, exc. the E-132 ft. of the N, 198 ft. of the W 3/4 thereof, Edward P. Naseman, 79.5
The E 132 ft. of the N 198 ft. of W 3/4 of W 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Section 29, Edward P. Naseman, 0.5
SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 29, Francis & Wilma Trierweller, 40
E 2/3 of the E 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Section 29, Walter Kellen, 53 1/3
E 2/3 of the NE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 29, Walter Kellen, 26 2/3
W 1/3 of the E 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Section 29, Urban Hengesbach, 26 2/3
W 1/3 of the NE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 29, Urban Hengesbach, 13 1/3
NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 29, Leon H. Spitzley, 40
S 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 29, Stephen & Viola Meyers, 80
SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 29, Donald Pung, 40
SE 1/4 of the SE 1/2 of Sec. 29, exc. a parc. 657 ft. W of the SE cor.; thence N 170 ft.; thence W 150 ft.; thence S 170 ft. to beg., Donald Pung, 39.415
N 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 29, Herbert Kellen, 80
A parc. of ld. 657 ft. W of the SE cor. of the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 29; thence N 170 ft.; thence S 170 ft.; thence E 150 ft. to beg., Norman J. & Laurine Pung 0.585
NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 29, Joseph Arens, 40
SW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 29, Donald & Marcelene May, 40

Section 30, Westphalia Township
NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 30, exc. 10 1/4 ac. in the SW cor. thereof, and the NE 7 ac. of the SW-1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 30, Marvin J. Platte, 36.75
N 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 30, Donald & Marcelene May, 20
3 Ac. in the NE cor. of the E 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Section 30, Hillary J. & Donna Martin, 3
SE 11 ac. of the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4, and the SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4, exc. the NW 3 ac. of Sec. 30, Francis & Katherine E. May, 48
SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 30, exc. beg. 1044 ft. W of the SE cor. thereof; thence W 272 ft.; thence N 198 ft.; thence E 272 ft.; thence S to pt. of beg., part of the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 30, Jack Osborne, 1.2
4 Ac. in the SE cor. of the E 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 30, Marvin Platte, 4

Section 31, Westphalia Township
NE 1/4 of Section 31, Theresa Hengesbach, 160
That part of the fol. desc'd property: NW 1/4 of Sec. 31, exc. a parc. of ld. com. at the SW cor. of the NW 1/4; thence run, N 60 rds.; thence E 107 rds.; thence S 60 rds.; thence W 107 rds. to pt. of beg., ly'g E of the fol. desc'd ln.: Beg. 24.5 ch's E of the W 1/4 post of sd. sec.; thence N 6 ch's; thence E 1.5 ch's; thence N 13 1/2 degrees W 9 ch's; thence N 32 degrees E 11 ch's; thence N 38 degrees W 16 ch's; thence N 36 degrees E to N ln. of sd. sec., Theresa Hengesbach, 50
That part of the fol. desc'd property: A parc. of ld. com. at the SW cor. of the NW 1/4 of Sec. 31; thence run, N 60 rds. thence E 107 rds.; thence S 60 rds.; thence W 107 rds. to beg., ly'g E of the fol. desc'd ln.—Beg. 24.5 ch's E of the W 1/4 post of sd. sec.; thence N, 6 ch's; thence E 1.5 ch's; thence

N 13 1/2 degrees W 9 ch's to a pt. 23.5 ch's E of the NW cor. of sd. parc., Robert & Kathryn McCausy, 3.1
E 70 1/2 ac. of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 31, exc. ld. ly'g N of the fol. desc'd ln: Beg. 24.5 ch's E of the W 1/4 post of sd. sec.; thence S 37 degrees W 6 ch's m/1 to the W ln. of sd. property, Francis R. Trowbridge, 69
E 1/2 of the S 1/2 of the W 1/4 of the SW 1/4, exc. the SW 1 1/2 ac., and that part of the E 1/2 of N 1/2 of W 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 31 ly'g E of the fol. desc'd ln.—Beg. 4 ch's N of the SW cor. of sd. sec. thence N 33 degrees E 9 ch's; thence N 10 ch's; thence N 45 degrees E 3 ch's; thence N 9 ch's; thence N 56 degrees E 3 ch's to a pt. 8.5 ch's S of the NE cor. of the W 1/4 of the SW 1/4, Jacob Brandsen, 11.2
E 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 31, Leo May, 30
W 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 31, James Carpenter, 80
That part of the E 1/2 of the W 1/2 of the SW 1/4 ly'g S of the fol. desc'd ln.: Beg. 8.5 ch's S of the NW cor.; thence N 56 degrees E 2 ch's; thence N 5 ch's; thence S 69 degrees E 10 ch's, James Carpenter, 37

Section 32, Westphalia Township
E 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 32, exc. com. in the CL of Chadwick rd. in the NW cor. thereof; run, thence S on the 1/8 in. 173 ft.; thence E 100 ft.; thence N 173 ft.; thence W 100 ft. to beg., Arthur F. & Leon Fedewa, 79.6
SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 32, Arthur F. & Leon Fedewa, 40
NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 32, Marian Belen, 40
E 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Section 32, Herbert A. & Jeanette Kellen, 80
N 1/4 of the E 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of Section 32, Herbert A. & Jeanette Kellen, 20
W 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Sec. 32, exc. 1 ac. in the SW cor. ly'g S of the Kramer Drain, Donald G. Pung, 79
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SW 1/4 & 1 ac. in the SW cor. of the W 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Sec. 32, ly'g S of the Kramer Drain, Stephen E. & Viola Meyers 21
S 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 32, Donald & Marcelene May, 20
SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 32, exc. the SE 2 ac., Donald L. & Marcelene E. May, 38
S 3/4 of the E 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 32, exc. the S 410 ft. of the W 270 ft. thereof, John Krzeminski, 57.5
The S 410 ft. of the W 270 ft. of the E 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 32, exc. 1/4 ac. in the SW cor., Kenneth J. Lehman, 2.25
W 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 32, exc. the S 28 ac., Leon L. & Frances Pohl, 52
E 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 32, exc. the S 16 ac., Joseph I. & Julianne Lenneman, 64
Com. at a pt. in the CL of Chadwick Rd., which is the NW cor. of the NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 32; thence S on the 1/8 in. 173 ft.; thence E 100 ft.; thence N 173 ft.; thence W 100 ft. to beg., Darwin C. Harrington, 0.4

Section 33, Westphalia Township
S 1/2 of the N 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 33, also SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 33, Leland R. & Therese Trierweller, 80
SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 33, Clarence & Romilda Manning, 40
N 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 33, exc. 25 ac. in the NE cor., Ferd Thoma, 55
S 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Section 33, John & Raymond Stump, 80
N 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 33, John & Raymond Stump, 40
N 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Sec. 33, exc. com. at the NW cor.; thence E 450 ft.; thence S 266 ft.; thence W 450 ft.; thence N 266 ft. to beg., Harold Fedewa, 77
Com. at the NW cor. of Sec. 33; thence E 450 ft.; thence S 266 ft.; thence W 450 ft.; thence N 266 ft. to beg., Peter & Catherine DeMarco, 3

S 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Section 33, Arthur F. & Leon Fedewa 80
NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 33, exc. com. 232.5 ft. S of the NW cor. thereof; thence E 120 ft.; thence S 245 ft.; thence W 120 ft. to the W sec. ln.; thence N alg. sd. sec. ln. 245 ft. to beg., Harold Fedewa, 39.33
Com. on the W ln. of Sec. 33, 232.5 ft. S of the W 1/4 post; thence E 120 ft.; thence S 245 ft.; thence W 120 ft. to the W sec. ln.; thence N 245 ft. to beg., Erwin W. & Joan N. Miller, 0.67
E 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 33, exc. 1 ac. in SW cor., Robert Schmitt, 79
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Section 34, Westphalia Township
5 Ac. in the SW cor. of the N 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of pf Sec. 34, Donald Miller, 5
W 1/3 of the S 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Sec. 34, William & David VanZee, 26.67
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The NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Sec. 3, exc. 3 1/2 ac. in the SE cor., Clarence Manning, 36.5
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The NW 15 ac. of the N 1/2 of the W 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 3, Carl & Agnes Lietzke, 15
The NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Sec. 3, exc. 3 1/2 ac. in the SE cor., Clarence Manning, 36.5
Section 4, Eagle Township
The S 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 4, exc. 1/4 ac. in the SW cor., Virgil H. & Barbara Lietzke, 79.75
The N 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 4, Clarence & Romilda Manning, 78.74

Section 33, Westphalia Township
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The E 7/8 of the E 1/2, exc. the SW 7/8 ac. of the S 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Sec. 4, Cecil McKay, 10.5

The E 2/3 of the NE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Sec. 4, Mrs. Adam Schafer, 24.7

The N 13 ac. of the E 1/2 of the E 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 4, Gall Larson, 13

The N 13 ac. of the W 1/2 of the E 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 4, Frank & June Hicks, 13

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Section 5, Eagle Township 2 1/2 ac. in the cen. of the N 1/3 of the N 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Sec. 5, Clayton & Marian Kokx, 2.5

Notice is Further Hereby Given, that on Wednesday the 25th day of March, 1972 at the office of the County Drain Commissioner in the Court House in the City of St. Johns in the Township of Bingham, County of Clinton, or at such other time and place thereafter, to which I, the County Drain Commissioner aforesaid, may adjourn the same, the apportionment for bene-

fits and the land comprised within the "Kramer Drain Special Assessment District," and the apportionments thereof will be subject to review for one day, from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon. At said review the computation of costs for said Drain will also be open for inspection by any parties interested.

The following is a description of the several tracts or parcels of land constituting the Special Assessment District of said Drain, viz:(2)

Now, Therefore, All unknown and non-resident persons, owners and persons interested in the above described lands, and you Clinton County Clerk, and you Clinton County Road Commission, and you Supervisor of Westphalia Township, and you Supervisor of Eagle Township are hereby notified that at the time and place aforesaid, or at such other time and place thereafter to which said letting may be adjourned, I shall proceed to receive bids for the construction of said "Kramer Drain." In the manner hereinbefore stated; and also, that at such time and place as stated aforesaid from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon, the apportionment for benefits and the lands comprised within the Kramer Drain Special Assessment Districts will be subject to review.

And You and Each of You, Owners and persons interested in the aforesaid lands, are hereby cited to appear at the time and place of such reviewing of apportionments as aforesaid, and be heard with respect to such special assessments and your interests in relation thereto, if you so desire.

DALE R. CHAPMAN, County Drain Commissioner County of Clinton. Dated this 25th day of January A.D. 1972

Heirs Geller—March 8 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton, Estate of JEROME A. GELLER, Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 8, 1972, at 10 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Clinton National Bank and Trust Company, Administrator, for allowance of its final account, and heirs will be determined.

Publication and service

shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate Dated: January 26, 1972 Walker & Moore, By: Jack Walker Attorney for Estate 115 E. Walker Street St. Johns, Mich 40-3

Final Account Libey—March 8 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton Estate of GEORGE E. LIBEY, Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 8, 1972 at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Russell J. Libey, Administrator, for allowance of his final account.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN Judge of Probate

Dated: January 27, 1972 Walker & Moore By: James A. Moore Attorney for Estate

115 E. Walker Street St. Johns, Michigan 40-3

Final account Corwin—March 8 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton Estate of DETA M. CORWIN, Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 8, 1972, 10 a.m. in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Clinton National Bank & Trust Company, Administrator W.W.A. 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: January 31, 1972 Walker & Moore By: James A. Moore Attorney for Estate 115 E. Walker Street St. Johns, Michigan 40-3

CLINTON COUNTY NEWS WANT ADS BRING RESULTS Phone 224-2361

Ovid

Mrs. Oliver Smith Phone 834-5252

The Burton-Carlund Community Farm Bureau will meet at the home of Mrs. Florence Garber, Thursday Feb. 10 at 8 p.m. Mrs. Mildred Brookins is co-hostess.

A regular meeting of Morning Star Chapter No. 279 O.E.S. will be held at the Ovid Masonic Temple Feb. 8 at 8 p.m.

A former resident of Ovid, Mrs. Aurabelle Lewis, 77, of South Pasadena, Fla., passed away on Jan. 17. She was born at Old Mission, Mich., and was a member of St. Vincent's Episcopal Church. Survivors are her husband, Rae W. Lewis; a daughter, Trudy (Jean) Truett and a granddaughter. She also had four brothers, Clarence Mayhew, Long Beach, Calif., Lewis Mayhew, Waynesville, Mo., Preston and LaVerne Mayhew, both of Mt. Pleasant and three sisters, Faith Lindquist, Asheville, N.C., Lola Mae Lippe and Lorraine Waidelich, both of Jackson.

Funeral services were held on Jan. 20 at Beach Memorial Chapel at St. Petersburg Beach with Father John Thomas officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hallead visited her father in Ford Hospital, Detroit on Thurs., Jan. 27.

Visitors of Mrs. Anna Alderman in the Midland Hospital on Jan. 28 were Mr. and Mrs. Clare Alderman, Tom and Karen, and Mrs. Oliver Smith.

Mrs. Carl Bowles and Mrs. Harold Mead were in New Orleans, La. last week to attend the National Cancer Society Convention at the Jung Hotel.

Celebrities they met were

Mike Connors, star of "Mannix," Gale Gordon of "I Love Lucy" and Ted Mack. Joan Crawford, National Chairman couldn't attend because of illness.

While in New Orleans they attended the Pete Fountain Show and the Ella Fitzgerald Show at the Roosevelt. Mrs. Mead took the Mississippi River and Bayou Cruise while Mrs. Bowles visited her sister, Mrs. Helen Turner of New Orleans.

This year's crusade theme is "Take Time Out For Life."

Soil meeting topic

"Irrigation or Drainage—For You?" will be the topic of discussion Wednesdays, Feb. 9 and 16 from 10 a.m. at Smith Hall in St. Johns.

Professor Ernie Kidder of the Michigan State University Agricultural Engineering department will present the latest in irrigation and drainage systems, methods, uses, costs and returns as applied to Clinton County. Professor Kidder will demonstrate how water moves in soil, the relationship of water to air in soil and how fertility can be affected by water.

Those wishing to attend the meetings should contact George R. McQueen at 224-3288 to make reservations. There will be a \$4 fee to cover materials, meals and incidentals.

Too wet or too dry?

ST. JOHNS—Michigan is the driest state east of the Mississippi River. Some Clinton County farmers would contend it might compete as driest on either side during the 1971 growing season.

Consequently many farmers are seriously considering supplemental irrigation

Futures market: farm tool

ST. JOHNS—The futures market can be used as a farm management tool. Like any other farming tool, using it successfully begins with knowing how to use it, how it operates.

This includes knowing what it's meant to do and what it isn't, what it can accomplish for you and what it can't.

A series of three Hedging Workshops will be conducted Thursdays, Feb. 3, 10 and 17 from 10:00 to 3:00. Specialists from MSU Crop Marketing, Extension Service, Michigan Elevator Exchange and a commodity broker will help each individual work through actual examples.

Reservations are now being taken at your County Extension Office at 1003 South Oakland in St. Johns, phone 224-3288.

The futures market can be used to sell your crop in advance. This can be done as much as a year ahead or just a few weeks before harvest. If conditions should change or you change your mind for any reason during the time after entering the market and harvest, you can get out or reverse your position.

You can use the futures market to earn a payment for storage. If you have storage facilities and wish to get a return on them each year proper participation in the futures can "lock" in payment for them.

Livestock farmers can set the price of feed for their stock. This could be especially useful for those farmers needing to buy part of their feed supply.

Then, of course, you can use the futures market to speculate on price without storing. You can sell your crop to harvest then speculate with the money received. You risk a loss in

Bridgeville

By Mrs. Theima Woodbury

Mrs. Francis Good and Mrs. Rick Mikulka entertained 20 guests at a stork shower for Mrs. Keith Meyers Tuesday evening, Jan. 18 at the Greer home. The guest of honor received many lovely and useful gifts. Games were played and refreshments of cake and jello, coffee and cold tea were served after the gifts were opened.

Mrs. Olive Anthony of Lansing called on Mr. and Mrs. John Woodbury Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brummet and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hulbert.

systems. On investigating, they find a confusing array of methods, systems, uses, costs and expected benefits. They find hand move laterals, big guns, slide roll, tow line, self-propelled, boom, central pivot and solid set compounded with labor requirements, costs, water supply and power units

weaves a maze of possibilities. Yet knowledge of soils contemplated for irrigation must be considered first. A farmer needs to know the texture of the soil to a depth of several feet, the presence of a difficult pervious layer or of gravel within a depth of five or six feet and some idea of the behavior of the soil under irrigation.

Then such things as source of water, water quality, reliability of supply, availability of power, cost of power need investigation before size of pump, size of main, laterals and sprinklers can be determined.

Prof. Ernie Kidder of MSU Department of Agricultural Engineering will explore these factors and more at two Extension Service meetings to be held Wednesdays, Feb. 9 and 16 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in Smith Hall, St. Johns.

We will look at all phases of soil water including getting rid of excess moisture

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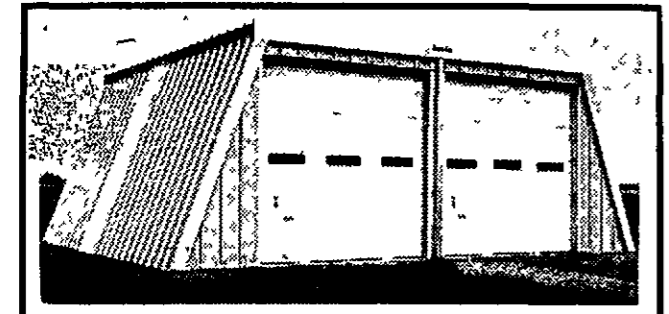
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Next Sunday In Clinton County Churches

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.

PRICE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Dr. Robert Anderson
411 Butterfield Dr.
East Lansing, Michigan 48823
Phone 351-0976
9:45 a.m.—Church School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
Women's Society meets the fourth Wednesday of each month. Dinner at 8:30. Meeting at 1:30.
Youth Fellowship meets the first and third Sunday of each month at 2:30-4 p.m.
Council of Church Ministries and Administrative Board meets the first Sunday of each month following a pot-luck dinner at noon.
Youth Choir meets each Thursday night at 7 p.m.
Senior Choir meets each Thursday night at 7:30 p.m.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Averill M. Carson, Minister
Saturday, Feb. 5: 12:30 p.m. Junior Choir rehearsal. 1:00 Children's Choir rehearsal.
Sunday, Feb. 6: 9:45 a.m. Church School. 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship, Youth Sunday.
Tuesday, Feb. 8: 8:00 p.m. Linda Scott Division.
Wednesday, Feb. 9: 6:45 p.m. Boy Scout Troop No. 81. 8:00 p.m. Senior Choir rehearsal.

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

Corner Upton Rd. & Stoll Rd.
Elder - Earl Premoe
Sunday School—10 a.m. Preaching Service—11 a.m.
Choir Practice—Wed. 6:30 p.m.
Mid-Week Prayer Service—Wed. 7:30 p.m.
Everyone welcome.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Harold Horner—Minister
9:30 a.m. Church School. 10:30 a.m. Fellowship. 11:30 a.m. Morning Worship.
Friday, Feb. 4: 1:30 p.m. Church Woman United Board meeting in the lounge.
Tuesday, Feb. 8: 6:30 p.m. W.S.C.S. and W.S.G. Guass Night dinner and program.
Wednesday, Feb. 9: 9:30 p.m. Carol Choir. 6:30 p.m. Chapel Choir. 7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir.

SHEPARDVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

10:45 a.m.—Church School
7 p.m.—Choir practice Wednesday evenings
Afternoon Circle meetings at the homes of members, 2nd Thursday.
Berean Circle on the third Thursday evening, also the homes of members.

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. Raymond Goehring
Associate Pastor
Rectory—109 Linden St.—Ph. 224-3313
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School—201 E. Cass—Ph. 224-2231
Mass Schedule
Saturday Evening—7 p.m. Sunday—7:30, 9, 10:30 and 12.
Holy Days—See bulletin.
Weekdays—7:30 and 8:30 a.m. and 7:15 p.m.
Sacrament of Penance—Saturdays, 8:30 to 9 p.m.; after 7 p.m. Mass until 1 p.m. Weekday evenings—a few minutes before evening Mass.
First Fridays—Sacrament of Penance. Thursday from 4 to 5 p.m. and after the evening Mass until all are heard. Mass and Prayers of Adoration at 7:15 p.m. Holy Communion on Friday at 8 and 7:15 a.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, 8:30 p.m. on Thursday through 7 p.m. on First Friday.
Devotions—C.M. Mother of Perpetual Help Novena—after 7:15 p.m. Mass each Tuesday.
Religious Instruction Classes—Adult Inquiry Class, Tuesday at 8 p.m. High School CCD, Wednesday at 8 p.m. Public Grade School CCD, Tuesdays from 4 until 5 p.m.
Baptisms—Each Sunday at 1:30 by appointment. Other arrangements by appointment.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

South US-27
Paul A. Travis, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Bible School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
11 a.m. Children's Churches
6 p.m. IN-TIME and HI-TIME
7 p.m. Evening Worship
Each Wed., 7 p.m. The Hour of Power for the whole family, 8 p.m. Choir practice.
First Sunday—Communion Service
First Tuesday—Deacon's Meeting
Second Tuesday—Ladies' Missionary Circle.
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Holy Communion - 1st Sunday each month.
Confirmation Instruction - Wednesdays after 7:15 p.m.
7:30 p.m. 1st Tuesdays each month - Ladies Guild-LWML.
7:30 p.m. Wednesdays - Adult Information Classes, beginning each September and February. Call 224-3544 or 224-4400 for specific information.
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Wed. during Lent—7 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Holy Communion.
Mon. 3 p.m. Brownies, 7:30 p.m. Senior Citizens (1st and 3rd).
Tues. Noon Senior Citizens (2nd and 4th), 7 p.m. Cadet Troop.
Wed. 7:30 p.m. Choir practice.
Thurs. 8 p.m. AA and Alanon.

WEST PILGRIM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Corner of Parks and Grove Rd.
Rev. Brian K. Sheen, Minister
9:30 a.m. - Worship Service
10:45 a.m. - Church School

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

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

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS

683 North Lansing Street
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10:30 a.m.—Sabbath School Service

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7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

515 North Lansing Street
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Phone 224-2950
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:15 p.m.—Evening Worship Service
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FREE METHODIST CHURCH

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Phone 224-3349
Robert Bentley, Minister
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7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship
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7:30 p.m. Mid-week Service.
Thursday: 7:30 p.m. W.S.C.S. Third Thursday.

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11 a.m.—Church
7 p.m.—Youth Fellowship

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H. Forest Crum, Minister
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VALLEY FARMS BAPTIST CHURCH

241 E. State Road
Rev. LaVern Bretz, Pastor
9:45-10:45 a.m.—Church School. There is a class for everyone from the youngest to the oldest. The Bible is our textbook.
11 a.m.—12 Noon—Morning Worship. Junior Church for children through 6th grade.
5:30 p.m.—BYF for both Juniors and Seniors
7:00 p.m.—Evangelistic Service
8:00 p.m.—Morning Choir practices
Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.—Mid-week Prayer Service; 8:00 p.m.—Morning Choir practice
Saturday 10:00 a.m.—Jr. Choir practice
1st Thursday 7:30 p.m.—Woman's Mission Society
2nd Saturday 2:00 p.m.—Ann Judson Guild for Jr. H. girls
3rd Tuesday 6:30 p.m.—Men's Fellowship

SOUTH DEWITT CHURCH OF CHRIST

Temporarily Meeting at the DeWitt High School
Evangelist: Richard J. Wolfcote
Telephone: 669-3305
8 a.m.—"Revival Fires," Channel 5 TV; "Revival Fires," 1110 radio.
9 a.m.—Bible School
10:30 a.m.—Morning Worship. Sermon: "The Mind of Christ."
Weekly Communion.
8:30 p.m.—Youth groups for grades 1 through freshman in college.
6:30 p.m.—Evening Worship. Sermon: "What the Church of Christ Stands For."
Wednesday, 7 p.m.—Hour of Power, 8 classes.
Thursday, 7 p.m.—Fishermen's Club

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF DEWITT

Jay T. George, Pastor
The First Baptist Church of DeWitt will begin conducting regular services in the Township Hall No. 1 located at 414 E. State in DeWitt Sunday, September 20.
Sunday School will begin at 10 a.m. followed by Church Fellowship service at 11 a.m. There will be an Evening Service at 8:30 p.m.
For more information concerning the First Baptist Church of DeWitt call 669-9763 in DeWitt or 224-4511 in St. Johns.

VALLEY FARMS UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

155 E. State Rd.
Rev. Neil Solinger, Pastor
Phone 489-1705
9:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m.—Sunday evening Evangelistic Service
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.—Youth Service
Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Bible Study. We cordially invite you to attend any or all of these services.
Listen to our international broadcast HARVESTIME Sunday morning at 10:30 a.m., WRBJ, 1580 on your dial.

MOST HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

Rev. Fr. Albert J. Schmitt, Pastor
Sunday Masses—6:30; 8:30 and 10:30 a.m.
Weekdays—During school year, 7:30 and 8:30 a.m.
Holy Days—6:30; 7:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. eve before.
Sorrowful Mother Novena—Friday, 7:30 p.m.
Saturdays—7:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Fowler
H.E. Rosow, Pastor
9:30 a.m., Worship, 10:30 a.m. Sunday School and Bible Class.

Riley Township

ST. PETER LUTHERAN CHURCH

MISSOURI SYNOD
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
Marvin L. Barz, Pastor
10:30 a.m.—Worship
9:15 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes
Holy Communion first Sunday of the month at 8 a.m., third Sunday of the month at 10:30 a.m.

SOUTH RILEY BIBLE CHURCH

(Inter-denominational)
Located 1/2 mile east of Francis Road on Chadwick Road
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Worship Service

Gunnisonville Area

GUNNISONVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Clark and Wood Roads
Rev. Dan Miles, Minister
9:30 a.m. Church Service
10:45 a.m. Sunday School

THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Maple Rapids Area Parish
Pastor—Charles VanLente
Parsonage and Office: US-27 and Clinton-Grand County Line Road
Phone 224-6166

MAPLE RAPIDS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Pastor—Charles VanLente
Sunday: 9:45 a.m. Church School. 11:00 a.m. Worship.
Monday: 7:00 p.m. Scouts.
Tuesday: 7:00 p.m. Senior Choir practice, 1:30 p.m. W.S.C.S. (first Tuesday each month).

GREENBUSH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Snell and Marshall Roads
Pastor—Charles VanLente
Sunday: 9:45 a.m. Church School. 11:00 a.m. Worship.
Thursdays: W.S.C.S. 4th Thursday at 8:00 p.m.

MATHERTON AREA

MATHERTON COMMUNITY CHURCH

2:00 p.m.—Sunday School
3:00 p.m.—Worship service

Fulton Area

FULTON FULL GOSPEL CHURCH

1/2 mile east of Perrinton on M-57, 1/2 mile south
Rev. Frank W. Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:00 p.m.—Youth Fellowship
7:45 p.m.—Evening Service
7:45 p.m.—Thursday, Prayer and praise service

Eureka Area

CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

2619 E. Maple Rapids Road
Rev. Paul R. Jones, Pastor
Phone 224-7670
10 a.m.—Bible School for everyone
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m.—Adult Bible discussions.
Nursery provided during services.
8:30 p.m.—Youth Meetings
8:45 p.m.—Wednesday, Jr. Choir; Chancel Choir, 7:30 p.m.

Bath Area

BATH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Clarence Keith
Telephone 641-6687
11 a.m.—Worship
10 a.m.—Church School

BATH BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. James L. Bundeigh, Pastor
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
Midweek service on Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

ROSE LAKE CHURCH

Horizontally L.D.S.
Elder Earl Premoe
Corner of Upton and Stoll Roads
10:30 a.m.—Church School

Elsie Area

ELSIE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. David Litchfield, Minister
9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School, Supt. Merle Baese.

DUPLAIN METHODIST CHURCH

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

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Charles Cowley
10:00 a.m.—Worship service
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School, Paul Brown, Supt.
6 p.m. Junior and Senior BYF
7 p.m.—Evening Service
3:30 p.m. Wednesday—Junior and Senior Choir practice.
8 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer and Bible Study.

DUPLAIN CHURCH OF CHRIST

1 1/2 miles west of Ovid-Elsie High School.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
Justin Shepard, Minister
Jack Schwark, S.S. Supt.
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Church
7 p.m.—Junior and Youth Fellowship
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
7 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer Meeting

ST. CYRIL CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. Fr. E. J. Koneczka, Pastor
Rectory: Bannister, Phone 882-5270
Sunday Masses—8:30 and 10:30 a.m. Daily Mass—7:30 a.m. First Friday, 8 p.m.
Holy Days—Masses 7 a.m. and 8 p.m.
Confessions—1 to 5 and 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. every Saturday and before Mass on Sundays, Holy Days and First Fridays.

EAGLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Ray McBratnie, Pastor
Telephone 627-5530 or 469-3807
9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship
10:30 a.m.—Church School
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, Bible Study and prayer meeting.

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EAGLE FOUR SQUARE CHURCH

Rev. Willard 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 C. Copell, Pastor
Norma Johnson, Church School Supt.
Mrs. Ida Beardslee, Organist
9:45 a.m.—Morning Worship
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
Wed., 7 p.m., Senior Choir
Wed., 8 p.m. Prayer and Bible Study.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Ovid, Michigan
Robert B. Hayton, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
6 p.m.—Sunday evening singing for boys and girls.
7 p.m.—Sunday evening services.
Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7 p.m.

CHURCH OF GOD

Ovid, Michigan
Rev. L. Sanders, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
8:00 p.m.—Youth Fellowship
7:00 p.m.—Evening Service
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, Bible Study; 8:45 p.m.—Choir practice

UNITED CHURCH OF OVID

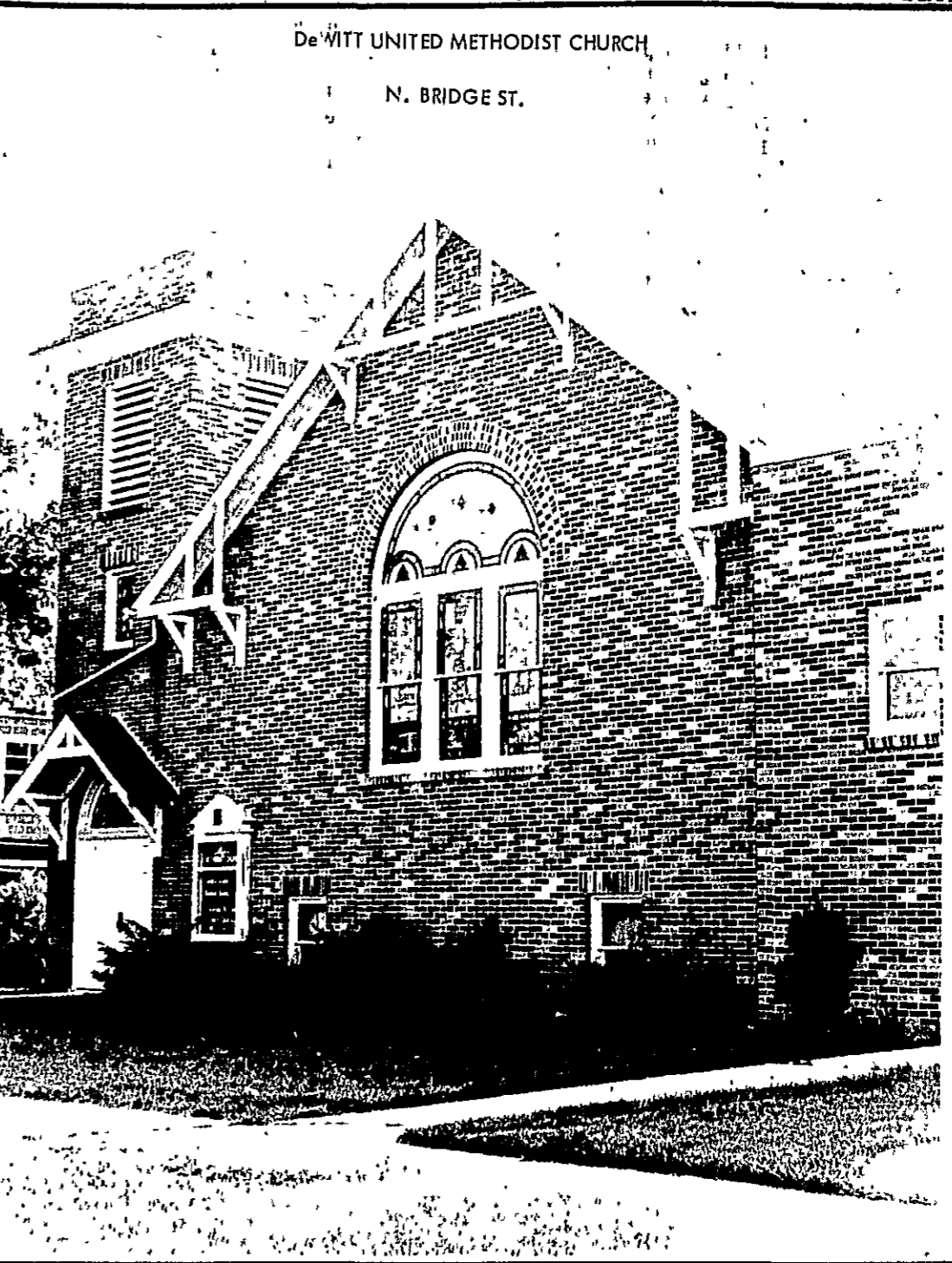
141 West Front Street
Walker A. Kargus III, Minister
Vera Tremblay, Church School Supt.
9:30 a.m.—Church School, 4th thru 8th grades.
10 a.m.—Adult Class
11 a.m.—Worship Service, Nursery, babies through 2 year olds; Church School, 3 year olds through 3rd grade.
7 p.m.—United Church Youth
Each Wednesday youth rehearsals, 4 p.m., Children's Choir and Junior Choir, 7:30 p.m., Chancel Choir.
2nd Wednesday—Women's Fellowship.
3rd Monday—United Men's Club.

OVIED FREE METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
6:15 p.m.—Youth Service
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
10 a.m.—Tuesday Prayer Service
Wednesday
10 a.m.—Men's Prayer Service
7:30 p.m.—Women's Prayer Service
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LOWE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Lowes and North Lowes Roads
Pastor—Charles VanLente
Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m. Church School.
Wednesday: W.S.C.S. 2nd Wednesday at 1:30 p.m.



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Honor employees for service

Sealed Power has banquet



The friendly crowd of Sealed Power workers gather for an annual awards banquet at Lou Coomes in Lansing Jan. 22.



Emil Flermoen, seated center, received a 30-year service award during the festivities. The others gathered around him are 25-year award winners. They are, from left front, Mike Galvach, Flermoen and William Aldrich. Standing, Don Alvard, Orin Carmack and Dale Baker.



25-year award winners included, from left front row, Margaret Lange, Neva Griffin and Doris Ovenden. Standing, Elston Hicks, Max Hartenburg and Ken Henry.



25-year award winners included, from left front row, Bob Gill, Stan Plaza and John Werbish. Standing, Lester Welton, Richard Wilson and John Ryan.



20-year service awards went to Sylvester Marten, Wheeler Wilson and Carl Book.



10-year awards went to Carol Mueller, seated, James Proctor, left, Edward Skurkis, David Zell and Edgar Prowant.

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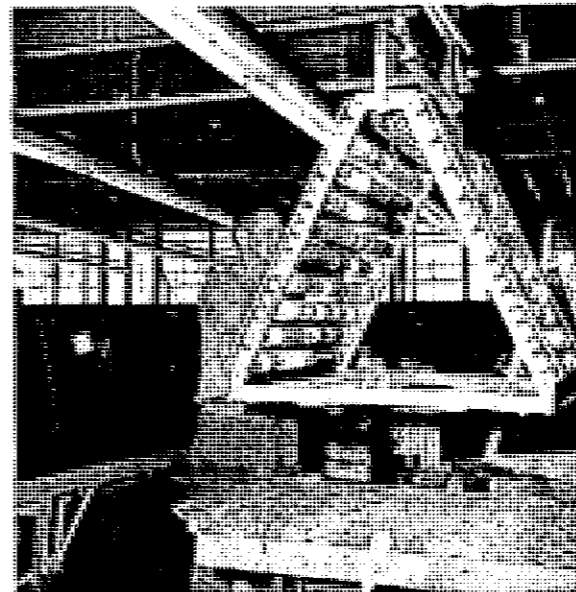
Equally important is the skill, knowledge and attitude of the company's 2,700 employees.

Gordon E. Reynold, president of Sealed Power, in an address pointed out, "We've always been fortunate in having a relatively low rate of management turnover. Our top 50 management employees represent, on an average, better than 20 years of experience in the industry."

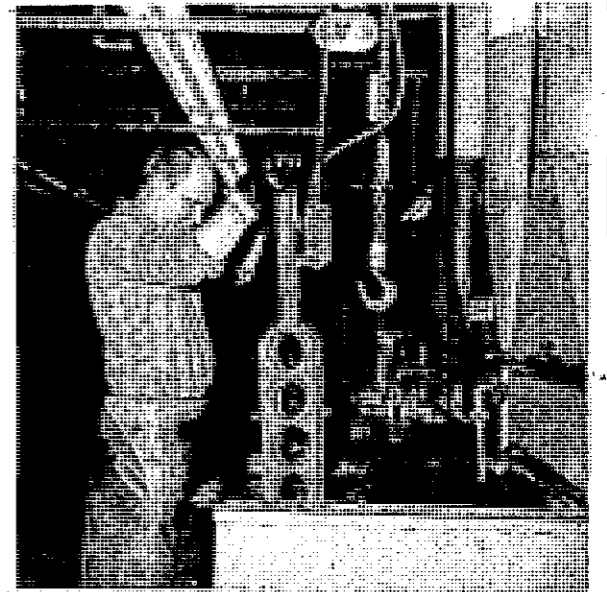
On a company wide basis 40% of the employees have 10 or more years. The St. Johns division was organized in 1946 with 49 employees. Eighteen of the original 49 have now been honored for 25 years of service.



While the St. Johns Division produces only piston rings, Sealed Power Corporation manufactures many other products. . . see the display in Central National's main lobby.



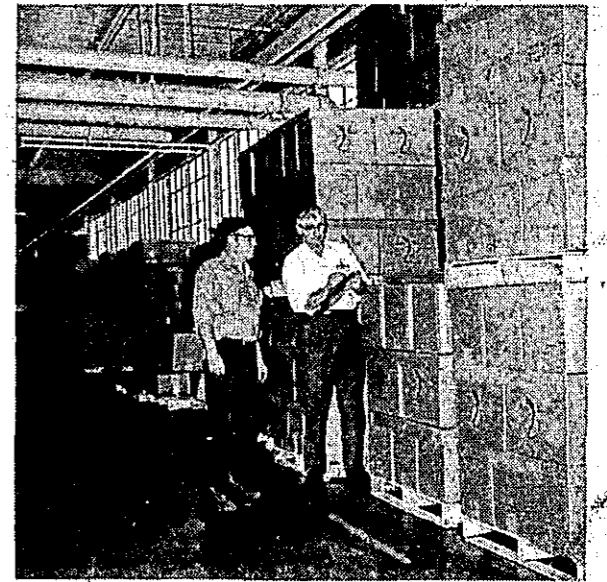
George Harnick, 13 years of service, lifts rack of piston rings for the start of the Cranosealing (coating) process.



R. G. Peck, 17 years, submerges the rings during the chrome-plating process.



The last step before shipping is final inspection. Lorraine Drumheller operates the nearest station.



Stan Smith (right) 25 years, and Rex Baker, 22 years, check off cartons of rings ready for shipment around the world.

Next Week: Clinton Machine



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