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SANTA LUCIA RODRIGUEZ

### Mostly from the wives

## Ovid's bearded ones experiencing growing pains

OVID—Beards are becoming commonplace in the Ovid area these days as men residents prepare their faces for the Ovid centennial celebration this summer, but so far few individuals have gotten used to them.

That includes the wives.

"I know my wife doesn't like it," Ovid barber Clifford (Bud) Casler commented. "She kisses me good night on the forehead and shakes hands."

"It pricks, and he told me that after a couple of weeks it would soften up," Mrs Casler said. "But he lied. It's still awful."

Casler will probably be somewhat of an expert at beard trimming by the time the cele-

bration itself rolls around. Now that beards are getting longer and harder to handle, he expects business to improve in the trimming department.

Lyle Craven of Elsie and Gary Kioski of Ovid compared beard lengths last week and decided theirs were coming along as well as could be expected. Mrs Craven said that for a long time she couldn't stand her husband's beard, but when she threatened to shave it off she objected. She now seems to like his beard.

Kioski is a single man, discharged from the service last summer and now working at Motor Wheel. "The girls I've met really like beards,"

he said. "At least I haven't had any complaints."

ERNEST TWEEDIE is a true brother of the brush, and "active participation is his middle name." His beard is progressing by leaps and bounds. And what does Mrs Tweedie think of this rapid growth?

"Ugh," she commented. She says she hopes she will be able to adjust to the growth shortly, because it's still a long time until June 28.

Manuel Rodriguez has a lucky break. His wife simply "loves and adores" his beard. "It's so much better than a mustache," she said.

Rodriguez had no trouble growing his beard;

he's had experience. About five years ago he grew a beard for the fun of it.

Larry Bashore says his wife really likes his beard, too, but Kenneth (Skip) Russell is having a hard time with his wife, Joyce. "I save a lot on blades," he said, "but when your wife feels like mine does, it's a long cold winter."

Mrs Russell said she's afraid to have him go in the woods hunting any more. "He looks too much like a bear."

Some of the fellows with fast-growing beards haven't started their growth yet, but some of the slower growers have had theirs going since about

the first of the year. Some have had discomfort at various stages and some have not.

Barber Casler said he was one of the former. He said his beard itched at first, but then it got worse at the end of four weeks and just about drove him crazy for awhile.

The object of all the beard growing is a week-long celebration of the Ovid centennial starting the week of June 22. Highlight of the activities will be a nightly historical spectacle, using a cast of 250 people. Other tentative plans include historical exhibits, art exhibits, concerts, open houses and a midway with promenades and caravans.

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### Part-time one starts March 15

## Seek full-time satellite mental health clinic

The aim is a full-time satellite clinic in Clinton County for the Community Mental Health Services Board.

A step toward this end was made last Tuesday, Feb. 4, when a committee of about 25 persons met in St. Johns to discuss the possibility and to formulate plans for a part-time clinic here starting March 15.

"Our purpose right now is to first establish a need for this service," explained Walter Nickel of St. Johns, temporary chairman for the group. "Then we will determine how to organize and then present the proposals to the Community Health Services Board."

Clinton County schools, courts and social services organiza-

tions have for years been referring persons who had mental or behavioral problems to the Lansing Child Guidance Clinic or the Ingham Mental Health Clinic. Since merger of the two groups last year, Clinton County has affiliated itself with the new Community Health Services Board and has two representatives serving on the board.

Dr Donald Weston from the Ingham unit asked for the special meeting last week, and it was arranged by Clinton County District 3 Supervisor Maurice Gove, a member of the mental health services board along with Supervisor Gerald Shepard of District 11.

"THERE'S NO QUESTION IN

our minds that there is a need for these satellite clinics," Nickel commented following last week's meeting. "Having a clinic available here would make it much better for the referral than to have to drive in to Lansing for their conferences."

Nickel said the new organization appears to be placing more emphasis than the previous two groups on establishing satellite clinics, and the part-time clinic that's planned for here in March is a good start, he said.

Social worker Margaret Cole will be working half of her time at the satellite clinic. No schedule or location for the clinic has been determined yet, Nickel said, but it will be in St. Johns. Jim Rashid has represented the mental health

services board during the past months, working one day a week out of the county education building.

Referrals for mental health services for residents are made by various agencies in the county, and many of the agencies were present for the meeting last Wednesday. They include the six school districts based in the county, the intermediate school office, prosecutor's office, circuit court, probate court, Mid-Michigan District Health Department, Department of Social Services, St. Johns Ministerial Assn., social workers, school psychologists and the board of supervisors.

Nickel said the committee will meet throughout the next four to

six weeks in making a survey to see how many people could use the services of a satellite clinic—including adults, as well as children.

Meanwhile, supervisors from Clinton, Ingham and Eaton counties have been invited to a meeting tomorrow (Thursday) at which speakers will outline community mental health activities in the tri-county area.

Robert N. Runyon, chairman of the Community Mental Health Board, will discuss "The Challenge County Government Faces in Dealing with Mental Illness." Dr William H. Anderson, Michigan Mental Health Department director, will talk about "How State Government Looks at Community Mental Health."

### 19 leave for Army induction

Nineteen men registered with the Clinton County local board of the Selective Service departed this morning (Wednesday) for induction into the armed forces.

They left by bus at 6:30 a.m. from the Central National Bank. A canteen was provided by the American Red Cross and Red Cross Volunteers. Inductees included:

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- Terry L. Mead
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- Howard W. Antes
- Rodney W. Pierce
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- Rocky L. Pudd
- David B. Collins
- Robert M. Coffey
- Daniel T. Brown
- Terry F. Mantz
- Jesse J. VanDeCreek
- Lucky L. Krepps

## O'Connor, Knight get school posts

Michael J. O'Connor has been named principal at Central Elementary School for the 1969-70 school year, and Dale Knight has received the appointment of assistant principal at the junior high.

The appointments were announced by the board of education Friday.

O'Connor, who lives at 204 E. State Street, has taught at St. Joseph School the last six years and served as assistant principal there the last three. He taught two years in the third grade at St. Joseph and the balance of the time in the seventh and eighth grades.

He has also taught new math classes to parents for the past

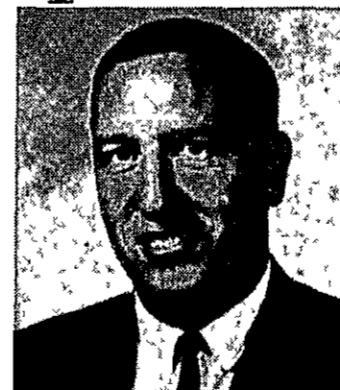
four years for both St. Joseph and the public schools. He formerly taught for a half-year at Willoughby, Ohio, following graduation from John Carroll University at Cleveland, where he received a degree in political science.

He is now doing graduate work at MSU in elementary administration. O'Connor is a member of the NEA Department of Elementary School Principals, the National Council for Teacher of Mathematics and the National

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MICHAEL O'CONNOR



DALE KNIGHT

## Sen. Griffin here for Lincoln dinner

U.S. Senator Robert P. Griffin of Michigan will be the featured speaker tomorrow night (Thursday) at the annual Lincoln Day Banquet sponsored by the Clinton County Republican Committee.

The dinner is scheduled for 7 p.m. Thursday at Smith Hall. Paul Graff Jr., Clinton County Republican chairman, said he hopes there will be 400 or more

tickets sold for Sen. Griffin's appearance here. Tickets are still available at Alan R. Dean's Hardware, Kurt's Appliance Center, from Mrs Sy Thingstad, from district supervisors and from members of the Clinton County Republican Executive Committee.

Mrs E. O. Prince of St. Johns is chairman of dinner plans.



SEN. ROBERT GRIFFIN

# City to ask for special millage, charter revision

The St. Johns City Commission is laying the groundwork for two special elections this spring and summer, one calling for special extra millage for one year and the other for a revision of the city charter.

The extra millage question will be put to voters first. The amount to be asked won't be known for some weeks, and the date of the election won't be set until a special meeting of the commission at 7 p.m. next Monday, Feb. 17.

## Charter issue 2nd in priority

The city commission seemed agreed Monday night that the long-range answer to the city's pinched financial state is a complete revision of the charter, but they have decided to delay a presentation of this plan to voters until after a special millage election.

The reason is one of timing. If a charter change is voted on and approved by the citizenry, any additional taxation it might involve would not be levied until the summer of 1970 for the 1970-71 fiscal year.

Rather than put the charter revision up to a vote early this spring, the commission decided informally Monday night to place the extra millage question to the voters first so that any tax benefits derived might be applied for the 1969-70 fiscal year.

A formal resolution setting up a charter revision election was prepared and read at Monday night's meeting, but it was tabled after discussion of immediate priority needs raised by Commissioner John Hannah. The commission intends, however, to put this question up to voters at a second special election scheduled sometime later in the spring or summer.

Commissioners and independent study groups have for some time urged a revision of the city charter, which dates back to 1919. Changes have been advocated in not only taxation areas but in other parts of the charter as well.

As it pertains to taxation, the present charter limits general fund taxation to 10 mills. Until about two years ago, the city had been operating under the assumption of a 20-mill limitation and had been levying between 15 and 16 mills. When the interpretation of the 10-mill limitation was made, two attempts were made for voter approval of ceilings higher than 10 mills—first a 20-mill limit and then a 16-mill limit—but both proposals were defeated. Since then the city has been forced onto an austerity program.

If and when the special proposal on the charter revision is voted on, electors will not only decide on the revision itself but will pick nine charter commissioners to write the new charter. In the event the revision proposal is turned down, the election of the nine commissioners would be voided.

Petitions would be available for circulation by candidates for the charter commission seats.

The twin proposals came up at this past Monday's meeting, but action was delayed pending the writing of a formal resolution by the city attorney, Paul Maples. City Clerk Tom Hundley was expected to clear a tentative date for the election by the middle of this week so it could be included in the resolution.

The date for the special millage vote will probably be early in the spring. Some commissioners want it the first part of April. Whatever date is proposed would have to be cleared by the county elections commission to prevent any conflicts with other elections.

It would have to be prior to June if it is to produce the extra money which the commission is seeking. If voters approve, the extra millage would appear on the summer tax roll.

Commissioner John Hannah was the prime mover in the discussion of the extra millage Monday night. He tabulated and explained some \$75,000 in cash outlays which the city must make during the next year, over and above normal operations.

INCLUDED IN THE outlay, he said, would be a major sewer repair along the railroad tracks so that the system can handle the extra load of the new high school, publishing and printing of a new zoning ordinance, charter revision, street patching and paving, repairs to the city hall, and clean-out of street catch basins.

Not included in his tabulations, he said, were such things as new police cars, front end loader and other needed equipment.

Hannah pointed out that while

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# City to redraft zoning ordinance

The city commission is planning to redraft the St. Johns zoning ordinance whose validity is currently in doubt.

City fathers made this fact known informally Monday night in discussion pertaining to another request on behalf of service station owner Lyle Huntoon for permission to make improvements on non-conforming buildings under the present ordinance.

Two weeks ago visiting Judge Leo Bebau handed down his circuit court opinion that the St. Johns City zoning ordinance enacted in October 1965 was invalid because proper notice of public hearing on the ordinance had not been given prior to passage.

City Atty. Paul Maples said Monday night that final judgment in the case had not yet been made, but even then there would be a 20-day appeal period. He said until that time the ordinance (No. 187) would remain in effect.

Anticipating such a judgment, however, the city commission is planning to redraft and re-pass the ordinance, possibly with a few changes from the way it is now.

ONE OF THE CHANGES under consideration would involve improvements to non-conforming buildings such as Huntoon's and the Gratiot Farmers Petroleum Co. Both have repeatedly asked for permission to make improvements to their businesses but

have been turned down on the basis of the ordinance.

Huntoon, represented Monday night by Attorney Jim Moore, is asking for permission to build additional coin-operated car wash stalls at his station on the northeast corner of State and Morion Streets. That area is zoned R-1 residential now. In that zone, his business is a non-conforming use, and any improvements or changes are prohibited.

City commissioners have been sympathetic to Huntoon's request in the past but have always turned him down because of the Ordinance. City Atty. Maples indicated it was possible to write into the ordinance a section that would allow such repairs and improvements, subject to certain safeguards such as approval by neighboring residents and economic factors of the applicant.

"These are legitimate businesses," attorney Moore told the commission in referring to Huntoon's and Gratiot Farmers Petroleum requests. "They deserve some relief, and I think more consideration should be given to their requests."

Commissioners pointed out that previous denial by the planning commission was based on the present ordinance, which strictly prohibits such change. But they directed the city attorney to prepare changes for the new drafting of the ordinance that would allow such special per-

mission under non-conforming use, as well as changes in the ordinance pertaining to the powers of the zoning appeal board and a defining of "spot zoning."

On another zoning matter Monday night, the commission passed Ordinance 223 which rezones portions of several lots on the west side of US-27 north of Steel Street. The rezoning is being made from light industry to general commercial to allow for building of a new Burger Chef drive-in restaurant.

Appearing at the hearing in objection to the rezoning Monday night were Mr. and Mrs. Mick Ludwick, proprietors of the Aloha Drive-In just north of the newly rezoned site.

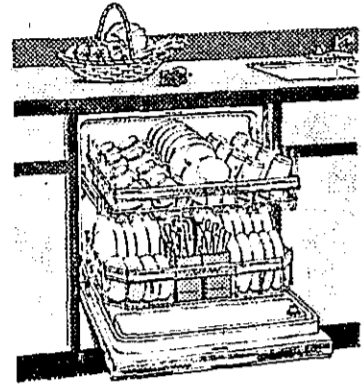
Ludwick complained to the commission that construction on the Burger Chef drive-in has already started, despite the fact no building permit has been issued yet. No building permit is possible until the rezoning takes effect 20 days from Monday night. Zoning Administrator Tom Hundley was instructed to see that no further construction is allowed until the building permit has been obtained.

In other business Monday night:

\* THE COMMISSION turned down a request of Pat Massey at the St. Johns Egg Station for permission to use the city sanitary landfill for dumping "a lot of cardboard." A new St. Johns Egg (Story continued on Page 11-A)



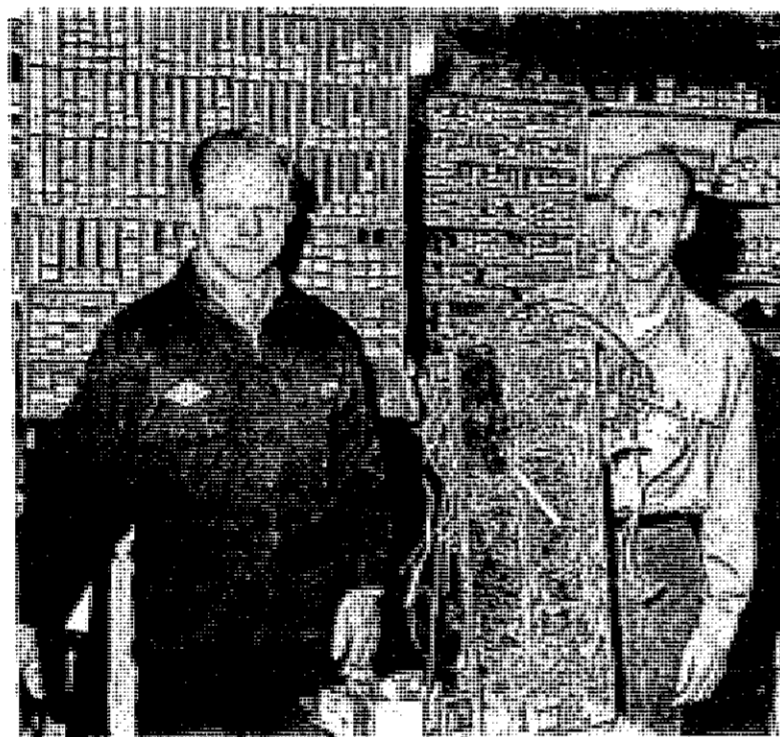
Patricia Creese (right) of St. Johns participates in a mockup session learning inflight duties during her training as a United Air Lines stewardess.



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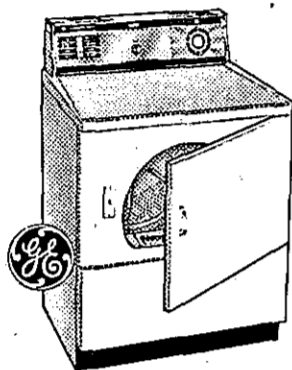
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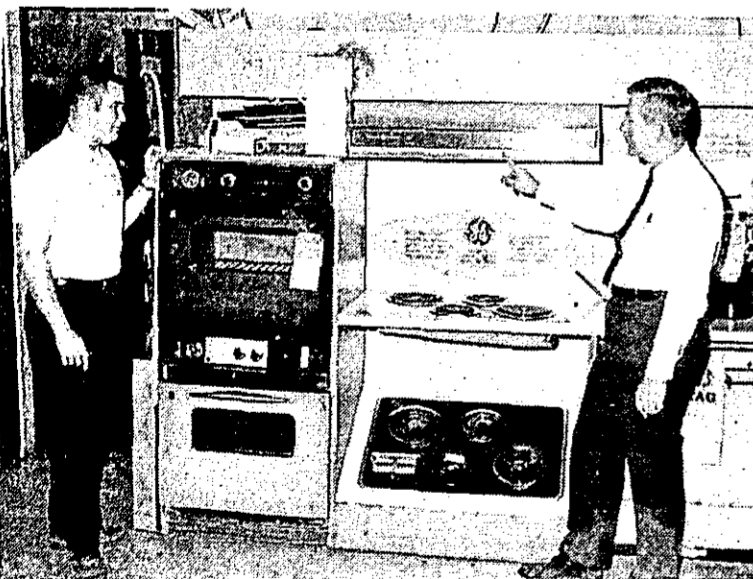
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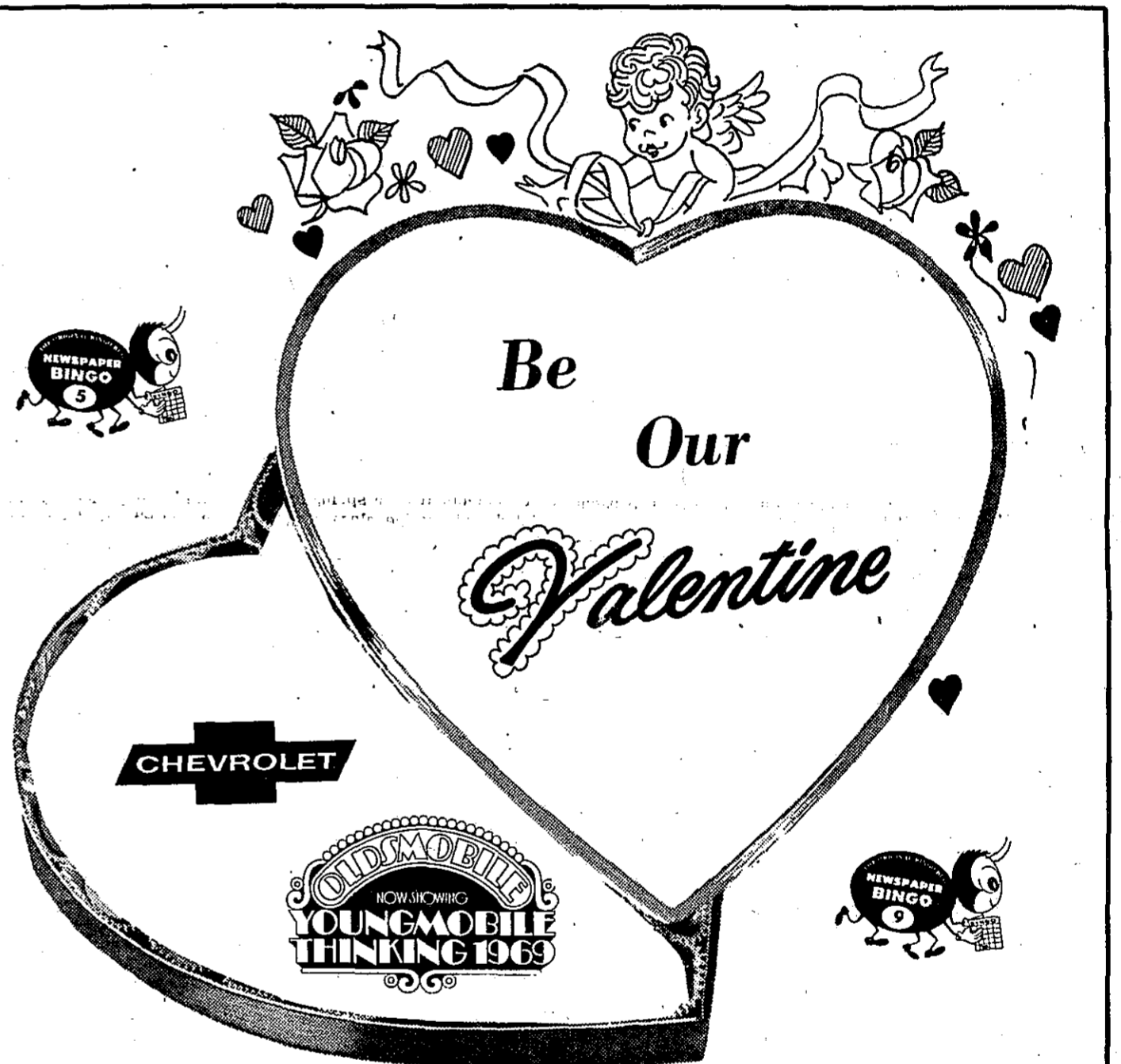


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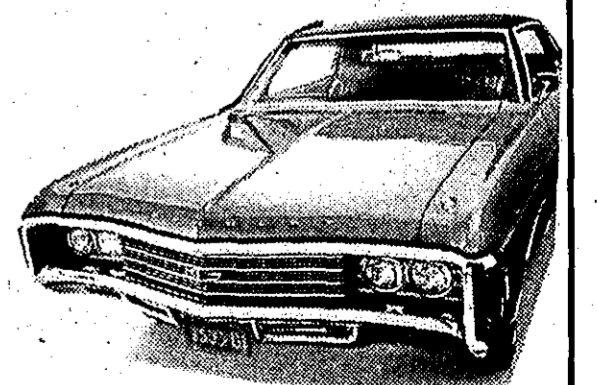
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Miss Patricia Creese of St. Johns receives her hat and wings from her father, Earl D. Creese, during colorful graduation ceremonies at United Air Lines Stewardess Training Center near Chicago's O'Hare International Airport.

### Pat Creese now United stewardess

A St. Johns girl has become a United Air Lines stewardess and is serving aboard aircraft flying from New York City.

Miss Patricia Creese, daughter of Mr and Mrs Earl D. Creese of 504 E. Walker Street, was graduated from United's stewardess school near Chicago's O'Hare International Airport after successfully completing a 5 1/2 - week training course.

Patricia, 23, is a graduate of Rodney B. Wilson High School and the University of Michigan. She was employed with the Pretzel Bell in Ann Arbor prior to becoming a stewardess.

She has joined a profession pioneered by United in 1930 with a staff of eight girls. The nation's largest airline plans to train 2,000 girls in 1969, boosting its stewardess corps from 4,900 to 5,500. The increase is designed to keep up with expansion and to compensate for the annual 26 per cent turnover.

Her training covered several study areas to prepare her for duty aboard United's DC-8, Boeing 720, 727, 737 and Caravelle jet planes.

Included in the training are courses covering the theory of flight and United's 18,000-mile route system serving the continental United States and Hawaii. Instruction also is given on ticketing procedures, in-flight services, good grooming and emergency training. Observation trips on regularly-scheduled flights also were included.

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### March of Dimes projects detailed

Mrs Nancy Sebastian, Michigan state field representative of the National Foundation for the March of Dimes, spoke to members of the St. Johns Women's Club Feb. 5 at the home of Mrs Arthur Wood. Mrs Sebastian explained the National Foundation's undertaking the fight against birth defects after the conquest of polio. Like the vaccine for polio, a vaccine will be available in the spring against German measles (rubella), another victory in the fight against birth defects.

"However," Mrs Sebastian said, "it is unfortunate there is always something else to present itself." The "something else" are the birth defects related to LSD, marijuana, drugs, sleeping, pep and tranquilizer pills. This is a problem of education, teaching teenagers and young adults they are responsible for someone other than themselves—their unborn children.

It is through this public health education program that the National Foundation is helping American families to help themselves in the fight against birth defects. With their programs of research and medical care, they also strive to aid and cure those already born with birth defects.

Previous to the business meeting, Miss Florence Dexter presented a tribute to a deceased member, Mrs Bunday. She said "Mrs Lena Bunday exemplified the Club Woman's Collect as she was always 'calm, serene and gentle.' Her lifetime was serving her family, church, enjoying all children, a sense of humor, doing for others and appreciative of all that was done for her." In memory of Lena Bunday, the club has presented a book for children to the Bement Public Library.

Vice President Mrs Esther Graham informed members of the Federation's Legislative Day

Feb. 27, with a morning coffee and luncheon at the Lansing Women's Club House Assn. Also mentioned was the 22nd annual Senior Girls' Tea scheduled for March 19.

In reading excerpts from the State President's newsletter, Mrs Graham stated that the project of distributing the Medialabel, begun in the St Johns club, is presently on a state-wide basis through other Women's Clubs in Michigan.

Mrs Lloyd Harris, Mrs Lawrence Fish and Mrs Cereida Hicks, the tea committee, served refreshments from a spring appointed table at the close of the program.

The next regular meeting is scheduled for Feb. 19, at the Congregational Church (Wilcox Hall). The program is "Music," with Walter Cole speaking on changes in the music department of the St. Johns Public Schools.

### Ken Kurncz named to Alma dean's list

ALMA—Kenneth Kurncz of St. Johns has been placed on the dean's list at Alma College with a 3.66 academic record in the fall term.

The son of Mr and Mrs John Kurncz of 2600 N. Williams Road in St. Johns, he is a 1968 graduate of St. Johns High School.

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The 29 by 36 foot structure will be of fire resistant construction and is being erected by William Morris and Son of Ionia.

The new automatic dial equipment will provide extended area service in both directions between Hubbardston and Carson City (no toll charge) and will go into service this summer, Graef said. In addition, all Hubbardston telephones on party lines will receive only their own ring, thus eliminating the present code ringing. The improved service will necessitate changing all Hubbardston telephone numbers; but the change-over will be done when the new directory, showing the new numbers, is distributed.

Graef said the project will cost over \$100,000 and is part of General Telephone's \$6-8 million expansion and improvement program in the Central Division during 1969.

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### Woman injured slightly in one of 4 city crashes

Four traffic accidents during the first three days last week in St. Johns didn't involve any serious injuries, although one woman did complain to city police officers of pains resulting from one of the collisions.

She was Mrs Weltha A. Crowell of 1616 S. Lansing Street, whose car was involved in a collision last Wednesday evening with an auto driven by Sharon M. Shutes, 27, of 304 S. Swegles. The crash occurred at the intersection of Swegles and Buchanan. Mrs Crowell was going east on Buchanan and Mrs Shutes south on Swegles.

Icy street conditions caused a car driven by Jerome F. Wtgen, 39, of 406 W. Cass Street, to slide into the intersection of M-21 and Prospect Street last Tuesday morning. His car struck the right side of an east-bound car driven by Earl H. Hoff, 42, of 114 Lewis Street.

A car driven by Clarence M. Wtchell, 49, of 11461 Peacock Road, Lansingburg, sideswiped

the left front end of a semi-truck making a left turn into Ed's Refinery station on East State Street last Monday afternoon. The truck was operated by James E. Edema, 31, of Grand Rapids.

Two cars collided at the intersection of South Lansing Street and Townsend Road last Monday evening. Jim C. Andrews, 17, of 3604 DeWitt Road, R-4, St. Johns, had stopped at the intersection and started to make a left turn onto Townsend. Henry E. Farrier, 16, of 3272 Green Road, R-5, approached from the rear and his car slid into the left side of Andrews' auto as he was making his turn. Farrier was ticketed.

### Westphalia taps 6 as planners

WESTPHALIA — Walter Kellen, Donald Thelen, Greg Thelen, Harold Smith, Robert Roach and Donald Schaefer have been appointed to a new village planning commission in the first step toward an eventual zoning ordinance for Westphalia.

Zoning has been a topic of considerable discussion in recent months, with the village council feeling a new sewage treatment plant being planned will lead to new growth in Westphalia. Orderly growth is necessary, the council feels, and thus a planning commission was formed.

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Italian life theme for extension study

Mrs Ray Moore was hostess when the Friendly Neighbors Extension Study Group met for their regular meeting Jan. 22.

The project lesson was "Italian Family Life," Mrs Lloyd Hopp and Mrs Clarence Trumbull related the eating habits, recreation, religion and products manufactured in Italy.

Women hear of India

Mrs Merlyn Mondol, foreign student from India at Michigan State University, discussed the history, geography and culture of India last Tuesday afternoon when she spoke at a women's fellowship luncheon at the First Congregational Church.

Special guests at the meeting were women from the United Methodist Church of St. Johns. A total of about 100 women were present.

Mrs Mondol, who also discussed present socio-economic conditions in India, illustrated her talk with many pieces of handcraft and jewelry.



MRS BECK CROWNED QUEEN BY MARION CASE

Meet the presidents

Tops organization marking 21st birthday this year

The Tops organization is celebrating its 21st birthday this year. Mrs Alice Hicks of 2124 S. Grove Road is the president of the St. Johns Chapter.

The members hold weekly weigh-ins and meetings to help one another. Each member is asked to seek his or her doctor's advice as to their diet plan.

The club meets weekly at the home of Mrs Lucille Phelps, 1008 Wight Street. They have 14 members. Anyone with a weight problem is eligible to join.



MRS ALICE HICKS PRESIDENT OF "TOPS"

bers who gain weight, and kops are those who keep weight off sensibly.

Mr and Mrs Hicks live on a farm with their two children Lisa 9, and Thomas 2. She has

served as president of the club since last April. Mrs Hicks also teaches Sunday School at the United Methodist Church. Her hobbies include sewing and bowling.

The club will have a bake sale in the near future to raise funds to send the queen to the state convention in Detroit. The winner there can then go to the national convention held the latter part of April.

They have a Teen Tops, and another branch for pre-teens. The club has several names that apply to members—turtles are those who stay the same on their weigh-ins, gainers (formerly called plgs) are mem-

VFW Auxiliary to have day of sewing Feb. 20

At a meeting held on Wednesday, Jan. 29, members of the Ladies Auxiliary to VFW Post No. 3733 decided to have a day of sewing on Thursday, Feb. 20, starting at 10 a.m. in the Club rooms.

Lap robes, bibs, scarves, etc. will be made for hospitalized veterans. Guests are invited. There will be a potluck dinner at noon.

It was announced there will be a District 9 meeting in St. Johns on Sunday, Feb. 9, when all local winners of the Voice of Democracy contest will be honored.

A donation was made to the Radio Free Europe program. The next regular meeting will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 26.

Barbara Fernholz and Rita Goerge will furnish lunch, and the entertainment will be in charge of Wanda Simon and Mary A. Smith.

City Brevities

Mr and Mrs Phillip Beach of Ann Arbor and their four children Elizabeth, Bradley, Andrea and Paul spent Feb. 1, with her father Harry Grenlund. Mary Beth and her father then spent the afternoon with Mrs Grenlund at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

John and Roberta Albers entertained the following guests at a dinner party, Saturday evening Feb. 1; Mr and Mrs Bob Albers and family, Diane Albers and Jim Gurski. On Sunday evening; Mrs Mary Albers, Mary Ellen and Diane, and Mrs Barbara Alexander. The parties were in celebration of John Albers' birthday.

Mr and Mrs Robert Schmidt of Maple Rapids were hosts at a potluck dinner Feb. 2, at the Maple Rapids Fire Hall. The dinner was in honor of their son T/Sgt Leon Thompson, and his wife and three children of Albuquerque, New Mex. The family will be leaving this week for Anchorage, Alaska.

T/Sgt Thompson is the son of Mrs Marian Thompson of St. Johns. There were 61 guests present for the dinner.

Teenage party doughnuts

When you have teenagers for company, think big. Plan your refreshments, then double up on quantity. And to please their appetites how about a batch of doughnuts? With an array of do-it-yourself toppings and frostings. The doughnuts can be made ahead. Then cool and freeze in plastic bags. On party day, thaw in freezer wrap or if you're in a hurry, remove from wrapper and thaw in 325 degree oven about 15 minutes. Here's the recipe for the doughnuts.

- 2 cups bisquick
1/4 cup sugar
1/3 cup milk and one egg
1 teaspoon vanilla
1/4 teaspoon cinnamon
1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
Heat salad oil (3 to 4 inches) in heavy saucepan or deep fat fryer to 375 degrees. Mix all ingredients, until smooth. Gently smooth dough into a ball on lightly floured board; knead ten times. Roll 1/2 inch thick. Cut with floured doughnut cutter. Drop rings, three or four at a time into hot oil. Fry (about one-half minute) on each side or until golden brown. Lift from oil with fork and drain on paper towels. Makes about one dozen. Set out several kinds of ready-to-spread frostings, chopped nuts, flaked coconut, and colored sugars. Guests frost and decorate doughnuts as they eat them.

Advertisement for HARR'S Jewelry featuring diamond rings and a pendant. Text includes 'For Valentine's Day', 'orange blossom diamond rings', and 'HARR'S Jewelry 25 years experience selling Diamonds in Clinton County'.

Announcements

The Clinton County Pomona Grange will meet Tuesday, the Bingham Grange on Feb. 22. The fifth degree session will be at 11 a.m. with lunch served at noon.

The Lebanon Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs Ralph Watts at 12 noon.

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Tuesday, Feb. 18, at 8 p.m. at the American Legion Hall. The month of February has been designated as Americanism month.

Camp Chickagami will hold its reunion dinner and program Saturday, Feb. 15, at St. John's Episcopal Church at Royal Oak. There will be a 30-minute color film of the 1968 Tiger world series game, door prizes of autographed baseballs, and souvenirs in addition to the usual good fellowship.

The Westphalia D of I will hold their annual card party on Feb. 23 at St. Mary's Hall in Westphalia at 8 p.m. There will be free prizes, free lunch and refreshments will be served. The public is invited.

The Eureka School Community Club will meet Feb. 17 at 7:30 p.m. The program will consist of three films, "Boy to Man," "Girl to Woman," and "Parent to Child." After the films there will be a discussion period. Parents will decide which films they would like the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades to view.

Mary Canning RN, coordinator of the Alcoholic unit at Sparrow Hospital in Lansing, will speak on the treatment of the alcoholic in a general hospital on Monday, Feb. 17, at 7 p.m. The meeting will be held at the Kalamazoo Street School, Room 300, 619 W. Kalamazoo Street, Lansing.

The D of P's annual card party will be held Sunday, Feb. 23, at 8 p.m. in St. Mary's Hall, Westphalia.

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RUTH ANN FOX

Engaged

Mr and Mrs Stanley J. Fox announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth Ann, to Gordon J. Thelen, son of Mr and Mrs Eugene Thelen. Both of the families are from Fowler.

The bride-elect is attending Aquinas College, and the prospective bridegroom is employed at Bee's Chevrolet and Olds in St. Johns.

An Oct. 4 wedding is being planned.



JANICE PARKS

Engaged

Mr and Mrs Darwin Parks announce the engagement of their daughter, Janice Annette, to Gary L. Kolk, son of Mr and Mrs Harry O. Kolk of 543 Third Street, Manistee.

The bride-elect lives with her parents at R-2, Laingsburg. She is a graduate of Rodney B. Wilson High School and attends Ferris State College. The prospective bridegroom is also a student at Ferris. The couple plan a December wedding.

Clubs join in Parade of music

The National Federation of Music Clubs, will stage its fifteenth annual "Parade of American Music" throughout the month of February. The Michigan Federation of Music Clubs and the St. Johns Morning Musical joins the federation in encouraging and stimulating interest in American Music.

The "Parade of American Music Clubs," is designed to give our own composers recognition, encouragement and support. To impress upon the public that the United States has creative musical artists and a musical

culture equal to that of other countries.

Robert H. Wood, mayor of St. Johns has proclaimed February as American Music Month. He urges all citizens to join in the observance and share the joy of music.

Mrs George H. Brooks is chairman of the "Parade of American Music," for the Michigan Federation of Music Clubs. The club extends to all Americans an invitation to participate in the program during the month of February.

Announcements

Olive Grange No. 358 will hold its next regular meeting at the home of Mr and Mrs Alvin Thelen on West Parks Road. There will be a surprise program. The junior Grange will meet with Mrs Thelen and Mrs Ankney as matrons. There will be a potluck lunch served after the meeting.

Large advertisement for ST. JOHNS FURNITURE CO. featuring 'Fabulous February Special!' and 'a Sweetheart Gift for Him or Her'. It shows two recliners: a 'THREE-POSITION GIANT RECLINER' for \$87 and a 'RESTFUL EASE ROCK OR RECLINE' for \$48. Text includes 'Open Friday Night 'Til 9 FREE DELIVERY ANYWHERE' and 'ST. JOHNS FURNITURE CO. 118 N. Clinton ST. JOHNS Phone 224-2063'.

Advertisement for GLASPIE DRUG featuring 'HEART-TO-HEART GIFTS FOR HER' and 'WIND SONG' perfume. Text includes 'Let Wind Song do the talking for you' and 'GLASPIE DRUG Your Prescription Store 221 N. Clinton Ave. St. Johns Ph. 224-3154'.

Advertisement for Valentine's Day Sale at CAROL ANN'S. Text includes 'LOVELY LINGERIE in Many Styles & Sizes' and '1/2 OFF ON SKIRTS, SLACKS, BLOUSES, PURSES, BOOTS, GROUP OF DRESSES, KNIT SUITS'. 'CAROL ANN SHOP 102 N. Clinton ST. JOHNS Ph. 224-4703'.



MR and MRS BRUCE KIRVAN

### Celebrate anniversary

Mr and Mrs Bruce Kirvan of 303 E. Higham Street, St. Johns will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary on Sunday, Feb. 23. The affair will be held at the VFW Hall from 2 to 5

p.m. Hosting the celebration are the five children of the couple. All friends, relatives and neighbors are invited.

### Announcements

There will be a REPTC meeting on Feb. 13 at 7:30 p.m. The meeting will begin with business, followed by a film entitled "This Is Your School." A discussion period will follow the showing of the film.

Maple Twirlers will host a "Sweetheart Dance" on Feb. 14, at 8 p.m. at the Maple Rapids School gym, Wendell Law will be the caller. There will be a carry-in lunch and special door prizes. All area square dancers are welcome.

The Ovid Cresnet Club is planning their annual style show for March 3, at 8 p.m. at the Main Street Building of the United Church. The theme of this year's event is "Something Old and Something New." In keeping with the theme old fashioned as well as modern clothes will be modeled. All proceeds from the show will be given to deserving Ovid High School seniors who have need of a scholarship.

The Service Wives Club will hold its regular monthly meeting on Friday, Feb. 14, at 5:30 p.m. at the Mid-Michigan Chapter, American Red Cross, 1800 East Grand River, Lansing. It will be a potluck supper. Each girl is asked to bring a dish to pass and her own table service. Coffee and dessert will be furnished. There will be a free baby-sitter. Any wife or fiancée of a serviceman, officer, enlisted man or draftee is most welcome.



BETTY ARTHUR

### Engaged

Mr and Mrs Robert L. Arthur of 4974 W. Grand River, Laingsburg, announce the engagement of their daughter, Betty J., to F. Gregory Pierce, son of Jack Pierce of 321 Northfield Drive, Battle Creek, and Mrs Ariene Waltz of 1022 Webb Road, DeWitt.

The bride-elect is a 1967 graduate of Laingsburg High School and is employed as a secretary for the Department of State Highways. The prospective bridegroom is a 1966 graduate of DeWitt High School and is a junior at Ferris State College.

A fall wedding is planned.

### THE NEWS IN BRIEF

Clinton area residents interested in putting their skills to use in developing nations around the world are invited to take the Peace Corps placement test at 1:30 p.m. this Saturday, Feb. 15, in Room 217 of the Post Office Building in Lansing.

The board of trustees of the Michigan Veterans Trust Fund have announced the reappointment of Forest Conley Jr. of Fowler to continue to serve on the Clinton County Veterans Trust Fund Committee as the VFW representative. His new term will end Dec. 31, 1971.

Mr and Mrs Roger Fox of Westphalia have been granted permission by the village council to operate a beauty parlor in the basement of their home on Willow Street.



### Births

Clinton's Citizens of Tomorrow

NEITZKE—A boy, Wayne Edward, was born to Mr and Mrs Edward Neitzke. He weighed 6 pounds, 5 ounces. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Harold Neitzke and Mr and Mrs August Dunay. The mother is the former Elizabeth Ann Dunay.

MOON—A boy, Timothy John, was born to Mr and Mrs John L. Moon of 703 S. Oakland Street, St. Johns on Feb. 1, at Edward W. Sparrow Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds, 15 ounces. The baby has one brother. Grandparents are Mrs Dorothy Andrus of St. Johns and Henry Besko of Ovid and Mr and Mrs Robert Moon of St. Johns. The mother is the former Teala Besko.

LANGDON—A girl, Michelle Armena, was born to Mr and Mrs Robert C. Langdon of R-1, Hollister, Rd., Elsie on Feb. 4, at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds, 5 1/2 ounces. The baby has two brothers and one sister. Grandparents are Mrs Armeta Langdon and Mr and Mrs Ezra Yant of Kalamazoo. The mother is the former Ella Yant.

TIEFEL—A boy, Darrin Lynn, was born to Mr and Mrs Joseph Tiefert of R-1, Perrinton on Feb. 1, at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds, 11 ounces. The baby has four brothers. Grandparents are Mrs Winifred Tiefert of Perrinton and Mr and Mrs Ira DeMarais of St. Johns. The mother is the former Phyllis DeMarais.

BELLANT—A girl, Lee Ann, was born to Mr and Mrs Theodore L. Bellant of 406 S. Lansing Street, St. Johns, on Feb. 3, at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 8 pounds, 13 ounces. The baby has two sisters. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Clarence J. Merchant and Mr and Mrs Euclid Bellant. The mother is the former Charlotte Merchant.



JEAN RUMZEK

### Engaged

Mr and Mrs Roy S. Rumzek of R-1, St. Johns, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jean K., to Robert J. Colombo of Sacramento, Calif.

The bride-elect graduated from Ovid High School and Lansing Business University. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr and Mrs August Colombo. He is a graduate of Grant Union High School and attended American River Junior College.



### Births

Clinton's Citizens of Tomorrow

BEAMAN — A girl, Kandice Kay, was born to Mr and Mrs Gary Beaman of Orleans, Mich., on Jan. 24 at Ionia Memorial Hospital. The baby has four sisters. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Leonard Cornell and Mrs Irene Beaman. The mother is the former Sharon Kesby.



EXCHANGE STUDENTS STAYING WITH AREA FAMILIES

#### ARTUR RIBEIRO FROM BRASILIA

Artur Ribeiro, 16, is an exchange student from Brasilia. He is staying with the Robert Cartwright family at 407 E. Higham Street. He is a member of the junior class and will be here until the last of June. Artur has two brothers and two sisters. His father is a doctor and his mother teaches English. His hobbies are photography, movies, automobiles and the theater. He likes Michigan and especially the snow. Some day he would like a career in mechanical drawing. Arthur's only problem is speaking English; he has no trouble reading it.



#### JAQUELINE CORREA OF RIO DE JANEIRO

Jaqueline Correa, 16, of Rio de Janeiro, Argentina, and a member of the junior class, is staying with Mr and Mrs Richard Woodhams on West Kinley Road. She's had four years of English and would like to have a career in languages. She finds her school subjects about the same in our school, but the methods are a little different. Last year she spent two months visiting seven countries in Europe. She misses her family and especially a steady boy friend named Carlitos. Her father encourages her to travel, but her mother isn't so fond of the idea.

### Alward-Plowman District

By Wanita Hardman

Mr and Mrs Alfred Wickerham and Roger were Feb. 1, evening dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Miles Merrill of Lansing.

Feb. 1 and 2, guests of Mr and Mrs Jack Wohlfiert and Miss Betty Wohlfiert were Mrs Leon Wohlfiert and children, Mrs Don Price of South Haven, Mrs Truth and Sharron Schmitt of Flint, Mrs Robert Voisinet, Debbie and Paul Cowles, Mrs Robert Secord Sr., Mr and Mrs R. L. Wright and Miss Diane Wright of Lansing, Feb. 3, guests were Mr and Mrs Alfred Wickerham and son Roger, and Mr and Mrs Bruce Blizard.

Mrs Anna Powell had the misfortune to fall at her home on S. DeWitt Road and was taken to Edward W. Sparrow Hospital. Le Roy Miller fell at his home Feb. 1 and was taken to St. Lawrence Hospital.

Mr and Mrs Mickey Powell and daughter Shellie were Feb. 1, guests of Mr and Mrs Lloyd Powell.

Mr and Mrs Lyle Smith were Jan. 31 guests of Mr and Mrs Glenwyn Smith and sons in St. Johns.

#### A&P also redeems food stamps here

Inadvertently left off last week's list of area grocery stores which are authorized to redeem food stamps under the Department of Social Services program was the A & P Store in St. Johns.

Johns. Mr and Mrs Lyle Smith were Feb. 2 callers of Mrs Clarence Hickerson. Mr Hickerson is slowly improving in Sparrow Hospital where he has been a patient for the past ten days. He was hospitalized after suffering a heart attack.

Mr and Mrs Lyle Smith were Feb. 2 dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Rowlan Smith and girls. David Peck spent the weekend with his parents, Mr and Mrs Duane Peck.

Feb. 1, guests of Mr and Mrs Robert Secord Sr. were Mr and Mrs Floyd Spiece and boys of St. Johns and Mr and Mrs John Gavanda and daughters of Ithaca,

and all called on Mrs Mae Toombs at the Rivard Nursing Home in St. Johns.

Mr and Mrs Bob Secord and baby were Feb. 2, dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Robert Secord Sr. and family.

Mr and Mrs Lloyd Cole and mother, Mrs Bertha Cole of Lansing, were Feb. 2 callers of Mrs Waunita Hardman.

Mr and Mrs Walter March attended the 50th wedding anniversary open house of Mr and Mrs Earl Darnell Feb. 2, at the Price Church.

Miss Marsha Shaney of DeWitt was a Feb. 3, overnight guest of Mr and Mrs Walter March.

### THE NEWS IN BRIEF

Wayne Ward and sons Jim and John will be attending the Camp Chickagami annual dinner and program on Feb. 15 at St. John's Episcopal Church at Royal Oak. Lloyd Campbell, a member of the Diocesan Camp Committee, will also attend.

FULL COMMAND A man may be the architect of his fortune, but he's also the designer of his misfortune.

### Wedding

The deadline for wedding information for publication in the Clinton County News is 5 p.m. on the Thursday preceding publication. The News cannot guarantee immediate use of stories submitted after that time. This deadline is necessary to insure fairness to all parties and to all types of news. No wedding stories will be delayed more than one week.

If publication of a wedding story is desired in the first publication after it takes place, information should be submitted prior to the wedding and by the established Thursday deadline. Wedding information blanks are available at the County News office.

### SEALS CONTRIBUTIONS TOP 1968 FIGURES

Christmas seal campaign contributions in Clinton County have reached \$5,291, reports the Michigan Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Assn. This is an increase over last year's total of \$5,067.

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News Advertising Brings NEXT DAY BUSINESS

## Anna Vitek

Anna E. Vitek, 83, of R-3, N. DeWitt Road, passed away Thursday, Feb. 6, at 9:34 p.m. in Clinton Memorial Hospital. She had been ill for a long time. Funeral services were held Monday, Feb. 10, at 11 a.m. at St. Joseph Catholic Church.

Burial was at Mt. Rest Cemetery. The rosary was recited at 8 p.m. each evening at the Osgood Funeral Home.

Mrs Vitek was born in Hungary May 13, 1885, the daughter of Kasper and Elizabeth Koller. She came to the United States in 1913 and to the St. Johns area in 1915. On May 6, 1915, she married Paul M. Vitek in Cleveland, Ohio.

She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church and was a housewife all her life.

Survivors include her husband, Paul; one son, Alex of R-2, St. Johns; four daughters, Mrs Elizabeth Blakely of Elsie, Mrs Frances Fox of St. Johns, Mrs Victoria Somers of Tucson, Ariz., and Mrs Margaret Schumaker of Grand Rapids; four sisters, Mrs Frances Zelenka of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs Rozella Marval of Norwalk, Conn., and two sisters in Central Europe; 32 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

## F. A. Roberts

Frederick Arthur Roberts, 55, of R-1, St. Johns passed away Feb. 8, at Traverse City. Funeral services were held at the Abbott Chapel of the Osgood Funeral Home on Tuesday, Feb. 11, at 1:30 p.m. Burial was at the Souie Cemetery with Rev L. Dean Stork officiating.

Mr Roberts was born in Michigan on Sept. 26, 1913, the son of Frank and Grace Roberts. He lived most of his life in the Maple Rapids area, and was a member of the Church of God. Farming was his life's work.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs Janice Warren; his parents, Mr and Mrs Frank Roberts; and three grandchildren.

## Myron Humphrey

SOUTH WATERTOWN (c) — Myron Humphrey, 65, of 15835 Grove Road passed away Saturday, Feb. 8, at Sparrow Hospital. He had been ill for the past several months.

Funeral services were held at the Jessen Funeral Home on Tuesday, Feb. 11, at 2:30 p.m., with Rev Donald Thompson officiating. Burial was at Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens.

Mr Humphrey was a life-long resident of Michigan and had lived the past 45 years in this area. He worked as a mechanic in the experimental and engineering department at Oldsmobile in Lansing. He was a member of the Delta Mills United Methodist Church, the Lansing Eagle Lodge, and Oldsmobile Quarter Century Club.

Survivors include his wife, Vivian; two daughters, Mrs Donna J. Patrick and Mrs Carol Berryhill; one son, Dennis; two brothers, Albert of Mason and Harold of Lansing; and seven grandchildren.

It has been requested that memorials be given to the Clinton County Cancer Fund or the United Delta Mills Memorial.

## Mary E. Theis

FOWLER — Mary Elizabeth Theis, 83, of R-2, Fowler passed away Feb. 4 at 5:10 p.m. in a Lansing hospital. Mrs Theis had been ill only a short time. She had suffered a stroke.

Funeral services were held at St. Mary's Church in Westphalia on Feb. 8, at 10:30 a.m. with Rev Walter Spillane officiating. Burial was at St. Mary's Cemetery. Funeral arrangements were by the Geller Funeral Home.

Mrs Theis was born in Fow-

ler April 2, 1885, the child of Frederick and Anna Schueller Fink. She attended schools in Fowler and lived all her life there.

She married Frank Theis at Holy Trinity Church Nov. 25, 1919. He preceded her in death on Oct. 29, 1953. Mrs Theis was a member of St. Mary's Church and was a housewife and mother all her life.

Survivors include one daughter, Alberta Theis at home; one son, Frederick of R-2, Fowler; four grandchildren; and two sisters, Mrs Robert (Eva) Leyrer of Lansing and Mrs Catherine Ordling of Williamston. Two brothers, Frank and Joseph Fink, preceded her in death recently.

Pallbearers were Raymond Fink, Anthony Theis, Arnold Theis, Robert Leyrer, Alfred Bertram and J.R. Ordling.

## DeWitt

By Virginia Ackerman

Mr and Mrs Arnold (Zip) Walz of Webb Road, vacationed last week in Las Vegas.

Mrs Rex Archer of Dill Road, is convalescing at home now after having surgery.

Mrs Edna Althouse of Ashley spent the weekend with Lawrence and Helen Feighting.

Mrs Rex Schavey and Mr and Mrs Walt March spent Feb 8-11, in Frankfort, Ky. with Mr and Mrs William Weseman and family.

Mrs Eugene Coin hosted a stork shower for Mrs Lloyd Berkimer Sunday evening, Feb. 2.

Michael Schaar, son of Mr and Mrs William Schaar of Howe Road, is recuperating at home after a tonsillectomy.

Mrs James Gull of Detroit visited Mrs Richard Arthur Feb. 5.

Mrs Fred Malenfant spent Feb. 6-9, in Daytona Beach, Fla., visiting her mother, who is ill.

Mrs Ambra Spayde of Houghton Lake is visiting the Burton Flynn this week.

Plan on attending the chicken supper Saturday, Feb. 22, at the Masonic Temple. Serving will be from 5 to 8 p.m.

Mrs Ronald Phillips hosted a jewelry party Feb. 10, for friends and neighbors.

Mr and Mrs John McCrum have returned from a vacation in Florida.

Mr and Mrs Hall Arthur spent the weekend at Houghton Lake with Mr and Mrs Burton Flynn.

Howard Soltow returned Feb. 6, from a four-day business trip to Kentucky and Indiana.

Mr and Mrs Carlton Smith, left Feb. 9, for a two week vacation in Sarasota, Fla.

## Middlebury

By Mrs. Don Warren  
Phone 834-5020

A Lenten Supper will be held on March 26, and the guest speaker will be Rev Patow of Perry.

"Tea Time in Pakistan" was the title of the program prepared by Mrs Mildred Brookins and she described some of the difficulties facing Christian families in West Pakistan, and how the church is involved in helping people find solutions to their problems.

Hostesses for the Feb. 25 meeting are Mrs Eugene Mulder, Mrs James Warren, and Mrs Lawrence Warren. The meeting will be held in the church dining room with a carry-in dinner. Worship service will be given by Mrs Jay Austin and Mrs Russell Potter will present the program.

## Open Letter

from VAN W. HOAG

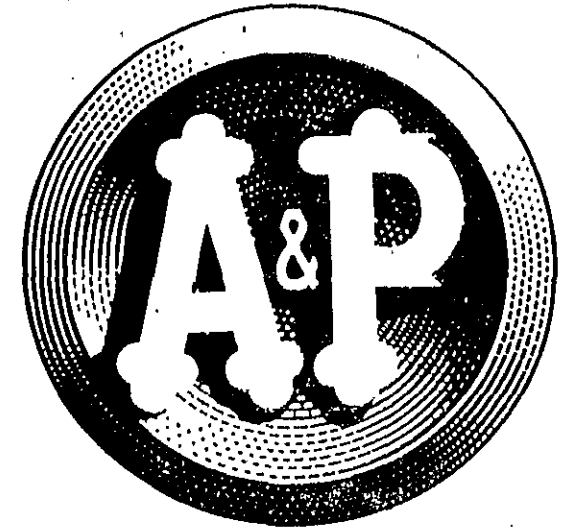
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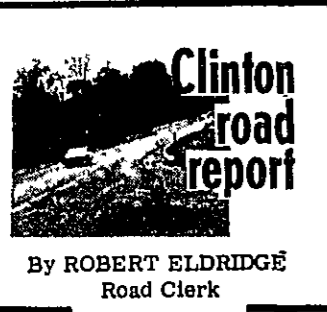
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By ROBERT ELDRIDGE Road Clerk

This time of year is by far and away the busiest time of all for the office people here at the Road Commission. It is annual report time. There are at least five different reports that come to mind readily, that must be done by specified deadlines.

There have been a number of changes made in job classifications here at the commission these past several weeks. Herschel Woodhams retired from his job as sign shop foreman after over 20 years of service to the county.

This is bid letting time and so far bids have been let for a portion of our processed gravel needs, two pick-ups and an auto.

Bids on the commission's insurance requirements will be opened at the next meeting of the road commission. This meeting will be held on the 14th of this month rather than on the regular meeting date due to the absence of the commission next Tuesday on other business.

One other item—we are cutting dead elms whenever the time is available for those residents who will dispose of the trees after they are felled.



BROWNIE TROOP NO. 357 OF DeWITT

Brownies from Troop 357 have recently completed stuffing of 13,000 envelopes for the March of Dimes. They were assisted by several neighborhood children. In the first row are Janet Wick, Kelly Brown, Monika Miller, Sherry DeCator, Tonya Gower, Kim Ferguson, Sandy Kolp, Tammy Nelson; second row, Ann Pratt, Lori Miller, Sharon Denda, Cathy St. Clare, Janice Johnson, Maria LaFave, Barbara King, Susan Seagraves, Rita Villarreal, and Debbie Churchill; third row, Mrs James Johnson, Sherri Lusty, Barbara Bradley, Lori Sanchez, Lanette Leonard and Mrs Robert LaFave.

### Former pastor here to direct guidance center in Kentucky



REV. RAY MIDDLETON

The Rev. Ray C. Middleton, former St. Johns pastor at the United Methodist (EUB) Church, has been named director of Kentucky's Presbyterian Guidance Center on the Centre College Campus at Danville, Ky.

Rev. Mr. Middleton has been associate director of the center since September 1964. Dr. LeRoy W. Ulrich was the center's director from the time he organized it here in 1953 until his death on July 26 of last year.

Rev. Mr. Middleton is serving this year as chairman of the Guidance Section of the Presbyterian Education Association of the South. It is composed of the directors of the 16 Presbyterian Guidance Centers in 11 states throughout the South.

The guidance program was established in 1952 by the Presbyterian Church in the United States (southern) to help young people choose their life work. Kentucky's center is now the joint responsibility of both the U. S. and U.P.-U.S.A. (Northern) state Presbyterian synods.

The center serves approximately 250 persons each year from throughout Kentucky and occasionally from other states.

Most of the counselees are high school students while others are college age and adults.

The center specializes in a two-day counseling experience which normally includes approximately seven hours of psychological testings, four hours of utilization of the center's reading facilities, and three hours of personal counseling.

The Rev. Mr. Middleton, a native of Ann Arbor, is a graduate of the University of Michigan and received the B.D. degree from Evangelical Theological Seminary, Naperville, Ill. He received the D.A.G. degree (specialist in education) from Michigan State University.

The new guidance center director had a wide background of experience as both a minister and high school teacher before going to Danville in 1964. He was a full-time pastor for 10 years and a high school teacher of mathematics and algebra for six years.

Rev. Mr. Middleton is a member of the Kentucky Personnel and Guidance Assn., the American Personnel and Guidance

Assn., the American School Counselors Assn., the National Vocational Guidance Assn., the Association for Clinical Pastoral Education, and the American Association of Pastoral Counselors.

He is married to the former Betty M. Martin of Ann Arbor. They have three sons, including David, 22, now teaching in Troy, Ohio; Timothy, now a freshman at Centre; and Mark, a freshman at Danville High School. They reside at 186 Madison Avenue, Danville.

The percentage of women among the labor force in the United States is growing phenomenally. One-third of all the working adults in the nation today are women. In the 1890s, the ratio was less than one-fifth.

### City to ask for extra millage

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the city has reduced the amount it has had to borrow this year to \$65,000 (compared to \$90,000 last year), there is some indication the Michigan Municipal Finance Commission will not allow the city to borrow again next year, even though austerity would allow a further reduction in the amount necessary.

(The city reportedly still has not gotten formal OK to borrow the \$65,000 this year, but that permission is expected.)

Hannah and Commissioner Charles Coletta both emphasized that if this \$75,000 figure is taken as the amount of money needed, it would be used merely to maintain the present austerity budget and would not provide for any overall improvement other than doing away with the necessity to borrow additional money at the end of the next fiscal year.

"John is being very conservative with this \$75,000 figure," Coletta said. "The situation is really much worse than that. To put the city back where it should be had we not had to go on an austerity budget would cost about \$145,000. This \$75,000 figure is just for austerity."

JUST HOW MUCH money will have to be raised and what the millage figure will be is a question that only administrative

research will bring out. City Manager Harvey Weatherwax said that he would have to draw up a proposed budget for next year showing how the extra money would be used, and this would have to be submitted to the Municipal Finance Commission before that body would allow the special election.

Weatherwax indicated he would begin work immediately on a proposed budget so that a dollar figure and a millage figure could be determined soon.

It was the general feeling of the commissioners and a number of citizens in the audience at Monday night's meeting that the people of St. Johns were ready to vote a measure of relief from the austerity so that at least basic maintenance in the city could be carried on. One of those speaking out was James Moore.

"We can't operate the city on 19th century millage," he said. "It is mandatory that we go to the citizens for millage before this June. It's going to take a good public relations selling job, but it has to be done. I think there are enough concerned people in this town who can understand the problem. And one thing you must remember is that there are no personalities involved in this time."

Moore said he believes there is an entirely different set of circumstances—more favorable

to passage—surrounding this extra millage proposal than there were during two prior elections when charter amendment proposals concerning taxation were defeated.

**Abolished Polygamy**  
Although Utah became a territory by congressional action in 1850, it was not granted statehood until 1896, after the Mormon church had publicly agreed to the abolition of the practice of polygamy.

### Lions show set

The St. Johns Lions Club has scheduled its annual variety show for Feb. 28 and March 1 this year. It will be held at the St. Johns High School auditorium, at 8 p.m. each night.

A 14-year-old blind piano player has been scheduled as the professional talent act for the show. He's Russell Ailgaier of Kalamazoo who has played at Madison Square Garden in New York, in California, Florida and Chicago.

Local talent from St. Johns and Lansing will balance out the show.

### AUCTION SALE

The undersigned Roy Winner, having decided to quit farming will sell at public auction at his residence located 7 miles North of St. Johns on US-27 to Maple Rapids Road, 1 3/4 miles East, or 13 miles South of Ithaca on US-27 to Maple Rapids Rd. 1 3/4 miles East.

Saturday, Feb. 15 at 1:00 p.m.

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### MISCELLANEOUS

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### ROY WINNER, Prop.

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### O'Connor, Knight get new posts with schools

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Science Teachers Assn. He is a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church and is active in the Jaycees.

HE AND HIS WIFE, Roberta, a registered nurse, have three children, Kevin, 5, Michelle, 4, and Brian, 2.

Knight, a St. Johns native who's taught 12 years and has most recently been serving as a counselor at Central Junior High School, will be Principal Sam Serrell's right-hand man when the junior high moves to the present high school building next fall. He will be in charge of all junior high athletics, attendance and scheduling.

Knight is a graduate of Rodney B. Wilson High School and received bachelor of science and

master of arts degrees from Michigan State University in physical education. He was a member of the MSU Rose Bowl football team of 1954. He formerly taught physical education at the high school here.

He is a member of the Michigan Education Assn., the NEA and the Michigan Counselors Assn. Outside of school he belongs to the Congregational Church and is a member of the Sleepy Hollow Conservation Club.

His wife Jane is a remedial reading teacher with the St. Johns School System. The couple live at 500 S. Kibbee and have two children, Kevin, 12 and in the sixth grade, and Diane, 10 and in the fifth.

The appointments will not take effect until after the current school year is over.

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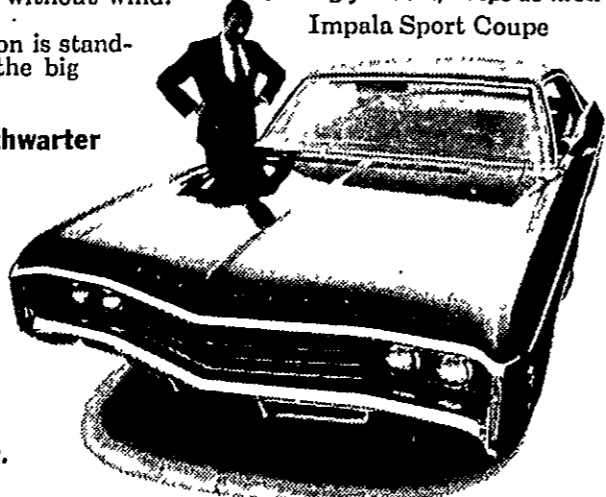
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TWO OF TOP PATROLS AT BOY SCOUT KLONDIKE DERBY

Eureka Boy Scout Troop 573 came home from the district Klondike Derby Feb. 1 at Rose Lake with two of the three first-place ribbons earned by the top patrols. The troop's Panther Patrol scored 407 out of a possible 500 points. A patrol from St. Johns Troop 71 was second with 387 points, and the Flaming Arrows patrol from Troop 573 scored 384 points. Eureka Scouts who participated included (Panther Patrol in front row) Scoutmaster Marvin Whitford, Steven Flegel, Ray Whitford, Russ Waggoner, Rick Hofstetter, Jeff Brumm and Henry Crowell; second row, Donald Jacobs, Randy Brumm, Gary Whitford, John Wickwire and Dale Feldkamp; and back row, Asst. Scoutmaster Ray Hofstetter, Rudy Case, Rick Fisher, Ron Waggoner and Asst. Scoutmaster Phillip Flegel. Scout Bruce Cameron was absent from the picture.

**No supplement pay for judge**

District Judge Roland Duguay is paid \$18,000 a year on a salary set by the State Legislature. At their Jan. 29 meeting, the Clinton County Board of Supervisors voted not to supplement the salary for 1969, as is done with some judges.

Supervisors pointed out there had been no word from the Gratiot County board concerning any supplemental pay for the judge in Gratiot, so they decided against any supplemental pay here.

State law allows counties to add to the salary of the district judge up to a total salary of \$27,500.

**Highway funds distributed here**

Fourth quarter motor vehicle highway fund reimbursements have been made to counties, cities and villages by the State Highway Commission. Area municipalities had a big share of the \$86 million in net receipts during October, November and December.

Clinton County's share of the disbursement totaled \$225,034 and goes to the road commission. The City of St. Johns received another \$19,805, while the city of DeWitt got \$6,580. Other area cities and villages and the amounts they received are:

Ashley \$2,308; Carson City \$5,000; Chesaning \$10,250; Corunna \$9,863; Eagle \$696; East Lansing \$68,176; Elsie \$3,667;

Fowler \$3,380; Grand Ledge \$14,844; Hubbardston \$2,002; Ionia \$18,759; Ithaca \$10,931; Laingsburg \$4,743; Lansing \$418,280; Lyons \$3,921;

Maple Rapids \$2,585; Muir \$2,687; Ovid \$5,411; Owosso \$50,596; Perry \$4,458; Pewamo \$2,552; and Westphalia \$2,602.

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**Would deny funds to students in campus violence**

State Rep. William S. Ballenger has joined 19 Democratic and Republican legislators in introducing a bill in the Michigan House of Representatives aimed at withholding state scholarship funds from college and university students who participate in campus violence and rebellion.

The bill would require a student seeking a new scholarship, or continuation of one previously approved, to certify that he has not participated in campus rebellion or violence which is prohibited by state law or the officially adopted regulations of the university.

Ballenger emphasized that

there is no intent to penalize students who participate in demonstrations of a peaceful and law-abiding nature. According to him, the bill is aimed at preventing the drift toward anarchy on our campuses and does not seek to curb lawful dissent, or to restrict freedom of expression, which is vital to the learning process.

It may often be possible that participating students are recipients of public money in the form of scholarship grants, thus putting the public in the position of supporting violence aimed at destruction or damage to public institutions and the public peace, said Ballenger.

**MASCD TO HOLD ANNUAL CONVENTION**

The Michigan Association of Soil Conservation Districts will hold its annual convention Feb. 21 and 22 at the Panslind Hotel in Grand Rapids. Kenneth Grant, administrator of the Soil Conservation Service from Washington, D.C., will speak Friday evening on "Opportunities and Challenges in Conservation." Clinton County Soil Conservation District directors Robert Moore, Stanley Baird and Clarence Manning will be attending.

**Bannister**  
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Mr and Mrs Arthur Krueger called on Mr and Mrs Emmett Carstensen and Mrs Marie Krueger of rural Marlon Springs Jan. 30.

Mrs Eloise Krueger called on Mrs Stella Bishop, Samuel Sieber and Mrs Blanche Bennett at the Maple Valley Nursing Home on Jan. 31.

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Mrs Millie DuBois of Lansing called on Mr and Mrs Arthur Krueger Feb. 2.

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The family of Kenneth Pohl wishes to express our appreciation for the many acts of kindness shown us during the illness and death of our son. Thanks for the Masses, flowers, cards, and food brought in by the neighbors, relatives, friends and the Daughters of Isabella, and for their help with the dinner. Our gratitude also to Frs Miller, Spillane, and all the clergy; sisters, doctors and nurses of St. Lawrence; and Geller Funeral Home. -Mr and Mrs Roman Pohl. 42-1p

We wish to express our many thanks to our daughters and their families, friends and relatives, for the many gifts, cards and money. Thanks to God for the beautiful day, which helped make our 50th wedding anniversary such a wonderful day to remember. -Earl and Gladys Darnell. 42-1p

I wish to thank the doctors and nurses of Clinton Memorial and St. Lawrence Hospitals for my care. Also friends and relatives for cards, gifts and visits during my recent illness. -Clair Stevens. 42-1p

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★ NOTICES

I HAVE an opening for 1 elderly lady in my rest home. Agnes Schlarf, phone 224-7436. 42-1t

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★ CARDS OF THANKS

The family of Mrs Edward Cusack would like to thank everyone for their prayers, masses, flowers, gifts and other acts of kindness during her last illness and at the time of her death. May God Bless You. - Rev James Cusack, Mr and Mrs Harold Lippe, Mr and Mrs Manuel Cusack and Mr and Mrs Richard Cusack. 42-1p

I wish to thank my relatives, friends and neighbors for the visits, cards, prayers and flowers and gifts I received while in the hospital and since my return home. A special thanks to Fr Miller, Spillane, Schmidt; the Fathers of St. Joseph Parish of St. Johns and the D of I of St. Mary's Parish. Also the nurses of Clinton Memorial and Drs Cook and Grost. Your kindness will always be remembered. -Louis P. Pung. 42-1p

I would like to thank my relatives, friends and neighbors for their cards, prayers, flowers and gifts. Special thanks to Drs Russell and Grost and Clinton Memorial Hospital staff for their fine care while I was in the hospital. Your kindness will always be remembered. - Roxie Cramer. 42-1p

I wish to express my sincere thanks to Dr Russell, Dr Grost and Dr Bennett. Also to all the nurses, and hospital staff for their excellent care. A special thanks to Rev Rossow, and Rev Koopen for their comforting words. Also to my relatives, friends and neighbors for the flowers, gifts and cards; and their many acts of kindness shown me and my family, during my stay in the hospital. -Mrs Bertha Vance. 42-1p

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★ IN MEMORIAM

IN memory of Gary C. Peterson: Time speeds on, (two) years have passed; Since death its gloom, its shadows cast. Within our home, where all seemed bright, and took from us a Shining Light. We miss that

Junior high tourney next week

OVID-ELSIE - Elsie Junior High will defend its tournament championship against competition from seven other area junior high basketball teams in the second annual Junior High Basketball Tournament at Ovid-Elsie High School next week.

Games are scheduled next Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, Feb. 18, 20 and 22. Trophies will be awarded for the winning team, runner-up and consolation bracket winner.

Perry will meet Ovid at 5 p.m. Tuesday in the opener, and St. Johns will play Elsie at 6:15. Lansing and Corunna will compete at 7:30 Tuesday, and Chesaning and Ithaca will play in the nightcap.

Next Thursday, Feb. 20, the losers of the first two games will play at 5 p.m. and the losers of the second two will meet at 6:15. Winners in the first rounds will play at 7:30 and 8:45.

The consolation and championship games are scheduled for 7:15 and 8:30 p.m. Feb. 22.

Local boxers earn 6 district titles; Brya state champion

St. Johns' Golden Gloves boxers won six Lansing district titles last Wednesday night, but only Doug Brya survived the state competition and will go on to national bouts.

Brya won the state title Saturday night in Grand Rapids with a decision over Dave Mann of Flint in their open lightweight bout. He was the only returning state champion from the Lansing district to make it to the national Golden Gloves meet in Kansas City in March. Last year he was the state open featherweight title holder.

Bob Every of St. Johns, a three-time state champ, lost a semi-final decision to John Jenkins of Flint, who went on to win the state open lightwelterweight crown.

Most of the local excitement, however, centered around last

Wednesday's district Golden Gloves finals in Lansing. Every and Brya emerged as champions in the open division, as did Carlos Vallin in the light middleweight class.

Novice winners were Armando Rositas in the bantamweight class and Fred Cunningham in the welterweight class. Subnovice Mike Cole of St. Johns also won, by forfeit, in a featherweight bout.

ST. JOHNS' championship efforts, however, were not good enough for a team title. St. Johns with 36 points finished second to Lansing Caravan with 57. Grand Ledge was third with 28 points and Dimondale fourth with 22.

Brya's championship fight with Elmo Hudson of Caravan last Wednesday was everything it was cracked up to be. Brya recovered from a bad first round with a series of lefts and rights in the second and then took the third round by a narrow margin.

Every won his district light welterweight title by defeating a

St. Johns teammate, Mark Masarik, in a three-round decision.

Another St. Johns pair, Pat Pohl and Carlos Vallin, hooked up in the light middleweight finals and provided fight fans with another good bout. Pohl earned the points for the first round, but Vallin got the decision by out-punching Pohl in the last two.

Howard Fenske of Lansing recorded a decision over defending district middleweight champ Dick Padgett of St. Johns in a bout which drew a standing ovation from the crowd at its conclusion.

Jose Rojas of St. Johns lost a decision to Don Mask of Lansing

in a welterweight fight.

In the novice division, Armando Rositas pounded Dimondale's Carl Danielson with stinging body punches and finally earned a TKO at 1:47 of the first round in their bantamweight bout.

Fred Cunningham and Mike Henning of St. Johns were pitted against each other in a welterweight fight, with Cunningham earning the decision with powerful left-right combinations through the second and third rounds.

In the subnovice division, Mike Cole of St. Johns won by forfeit over Ken Eichelberger of Grand



DOUG BRYA

BOB EVERY

CARLOS VALLIN



ARMANDO ROSITAS

F. CUNNINGHAM

MIKE COLE

Clinton County News SPORTS

RAINBOW LAKE MIXED LEAGUE (Jan. 25)—High team game and series: Salfish 616 and Pike 1776. High individual scores: for the women, Albertine Schmidt 195 and 458; for the men, Dick Allen 218 and Gordo Warren 561. Other 200 games: Bill Kamp 213, Norm Partee 212, Gordo Warren 200 and 211 and Gary Snyder 208. The Tuna lead the Bluejills by three points in the league title race.

CAPITOL LEAGUE (Jan. 27)—High team game and series: Moorman Feeds 901 and Coca Cola 2480. High individual scores: Joe Trefl 222 and 570. Other 200 games: Ike DeMaris 205, Bob Pratt 201, Glen Pearson 212 and Art Romig 201.

The Co-Op leads Federal-Mogul No. 2 in a tight race—one point difference.

TEN PIN KEGLERS LEAGUE (Jan. 29)—High team game and series: Hub Tire 904 and 2596. High individual game and series: Kay Penix 243 and 647. Other 200 games: Kay Penix 235, Ann Wawsczyk 200, Jo Rogers 212, and Sally Gavenda 203. Other 500 series: Ann Wawsczyk 502, Jo Rogers 538, Sally Gavenda 559, and Helen Glazier 504. The Hub Tire Center is now leading the league by three games. Allaby Insurance and Masarik Shell are tied for second place. A two way tie for third place is held by the American Legion and Schmitt Electric.



NIGHT HAWK LEAGUE (Jan. 28)—High team game and series: Zeeb's 927 and 2637. High individual scores: E. George 214 and 561. Other 200 games: E. George 210, G. Powers 210, R. Kridner 209, J. Bunce 208, D. Anderson 207, T. White 203, L. Huguilet 202 and G. Geller 200. Beck's Farm Market is hanging on to a one-point lead over Zeeb's Fertilizers.

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NITE OWLS LEAGUE (Jan. 30)—High team game and series: Pierson's Redwing Shoes 447 and 2424. High individual game and series: Chris Shinabery 213 and Maxine Smit 482. Pierson's Redwing Shoes now leads the league with the Wheel Inn, in second place. There is a tie for third place between Boron's Store and General Telephone.

213 and Elly Cowan 514. Other 200 games: Elaine Kraemer 201. The Redwing Lanes are now leading the league, with the Goodtimers in second place and St. Johns Furniture in third. The fourth place position is tied for by Central National Bank, Art's Refinery, and the Spartimers.

TWIN CITY LEAGUE (Feb. 5)—High team game and series: Strouse Oil 923 and 2628. High individual scores: Keith Penix 226 and Wayne Gossett 226. Other 200 games: Wayne Gossett 206, 211 and 210. Gary Myers 209, Richard Pease 201, Milo Rowell 213, Dick Johnson 219 and Lloyd Hopp 201. Strouse Oil and Zeeb's Plant Food are tied for the league lead, 6 1/2 games ahead of Dean's Hardware and Kurt's Appliance.

COFFEE CUP LEAGUE (Feb. 6)—High team game and series: Alley Dusters 874 and 2533. High individual scores: Mary Snyder 179 and Betty Martin 491. The Sauters hold a four-point lead over Cookies Cuties.

FIRST NIGHTERS LEAGUE (Jan. 27)—High team game and

series: Lanterman's 918 and 2477. High individual scores: Penny Cox 256 and 541. Carol Eisler had a 204 game and 558 series, and Ruth Harter had a 508 series.

KINGS & QUEENS LEAGUE (Jan. 26)—High team game and series: Fearless Foursome 669 and Dush Construction 1948. High individual scores: Chris Shinabery 191 and Sharon DeMaris 494 for the women; Keith Penix 214 and Rudy Masarik III 575 for the men. Masarik had a 204 game, Don Adair rolled 203 and Gordon Kirvan had a 211.

TEATIME LEAGUE (Jan. 28)—High team game and series: Kwick Kook and Minnesota Woolens 839 and Minnesota Woolens 414. High individual game and series: Ruth Harter

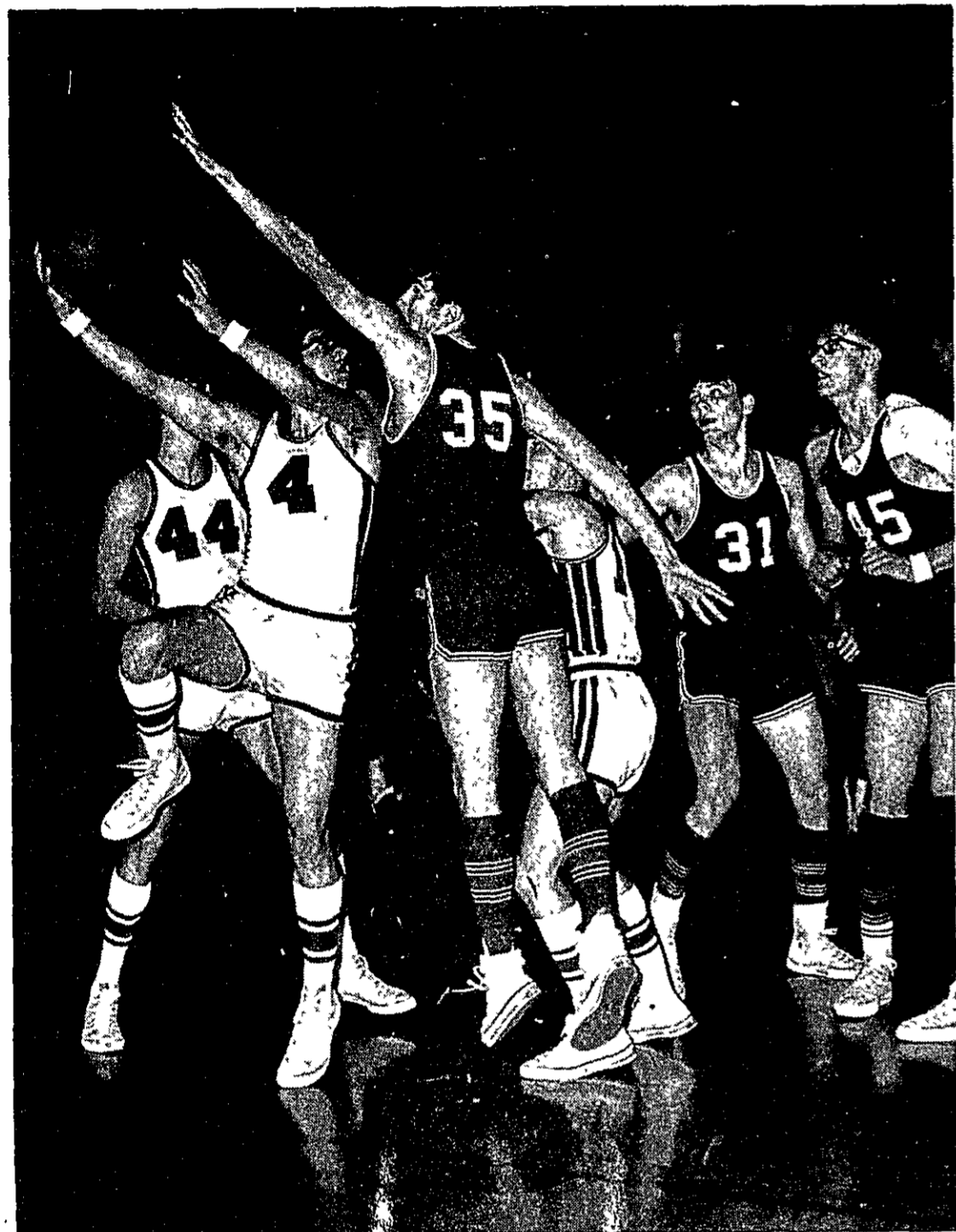
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# Grand Ledge victim as Wings resume title pursuit



Tim Durner (4) of St. Johns puts up a hook shot against Mason last Tuesday night. No. 44 for St. Johns is Dean Eisler, and No. 14 is Terry Maier.

Bob Rehmann took charge Friday night and set the pace for the St. Johns Redwings in an 87-67 victory over Grand Ledge, keeping the Wings a half-game off the pace in the West Central championship race.

The Redwings are now 9-3 for the season and 8-2 in the league; Lakewood continues in front of the conference pack with a 9-2 mark.

Rehmann scored 10 field goals, including five in the first period, to lead four players in double scoring figures for the Redwings. He had 20 points, while Dean

Eisler scored 15, Dick Henderson 12 and Dave Gaffney 11.

Following Rehmann's lead, St. Johns burst out to a 26-16 first-quarter lead at Grand Ledge and then slowly pulled away. It was 43-31 at halftime and 64-45 after three quarters. Twelve players got to see action for St. Johns and 11 of them scored.

Ken Block had 13 points, tops for Grand Ledge.

Bob Rehmann also led the Redwings in rebounding Friday night.

Score by quarters:  
St. Johns 26 17 21 23-87  
Grand Ledge 16 15 14 22-67



Chuck Green (21) of St. Johns scores on a layup shot against Grand Ledge Friday night.

## Junior Wings chalk 2 wins

The St. Johns junior varsity basketball team chalked up a pair of victories last week, tipping Mason 66-63 Feb. 4 and then clipping Grand Ledge 66-54 Friday night.

Four players scored in double figures for St. Johns as the Junior Wings withstood a strong fourth-quarter rally at Mason. Ahead 30-25 at halftime, St. Johns moved out to a 55-39 third quarter lead but then had it nearly melt away.

Randy Atkinson scored 19 points to lead St. Johns, while Gary Burk had 16, Mike Brown 12 and Steve Mead 11. St. Johns made 34 per cent of their field goals and only 37 per cent of their free throws.

Against Grand Ledge Friday night, St. Johns built up a big 34-18 halftime lead, then overcame a mild Comet rally in the third quarter to win without too much difficulty. Atkinson was again the leading scorer, this time with 25 points, while Mead was the only other player in double figures with 18 markers.

St. Johns shot a cool 26 per cent against Grand Ledge and made 53 per cent of their free throws.

ST. JOHNS SCORING: Roger Davis 0-1-1; Tim Durner 1-4-6; Dean Eisler 6-3-15; Dave Gaffney 5-1-11; Chuck Green 3-2-8; Larry Zuker 0-0-0; Dick Henderson 5-2-12; Terry Maier 1-1-3; Terry Nobis 1-2-4; Bob Rehmann 10-0-20; Dick Rehmann 2-2-6; Rich Stoddard 0-1-1. St. Johns totals 34-19-87, with 23 personal fouls (Bob Rehmann fouled out).

GRAND LEDGE TOTALS 24-19-67, with 20 personal fouls (Shaw fouled out).

### THE SOLUTION

Anybody who has the mind to do it, can—so it's having the mind for it that counts.

## Wings lose to Mason on last-second charity

By ED CHEENEY

The St. Johns Redwings lost a real close basketball game to Mason last Tuesday night, Feb. 4, by a 74-73 score on Craig Webster's free throw with a second left to play.

The non-conference loss was only the third defeat of the year for St. Johns.

Three of Coach Bill Swears' boys were in double figures, with Dean Eisler on top with 20 points. Terry Maier had 17 points and Dave Gaffney threw in 14. Mason also had three players in double figures, with Marr Osterle scoring 22 points, Webster 15 and Denny Dancer 12.

St. Johns led after the first quarter, 19-15, but Mason closed the gap to 38-37 at the half and then went out ahead 60-55 after three quarters. St. Johns rallied in the fourth period, outscoring Mason by four points, but Webster ruined the rally with his free throw with one second left to play.

The Redwings were shooting with great accuracy in the St.

Johns gym. They made 32 field goals out of 66 attempts (48 per cent), while Mason hit on 30 out of 75 shots (40 per cent). In free throw shooting, Mason did much better, making 14 out of 27 (52 per cent) while St. Johns scored get only nine of 21 (43 per cent).

Eisler was the Wings' leading rebounder again with 17, followed by Bob Rehmann with 10 rebounds and Dick Rehmann and Tim Durner with five each.

Score by quarters:  
St. Johns 19 19 17 18 -73  
Mason 15 22 23 14 -74

ST. JOHNS SCORING: Dean Eisler 9-2-20; Terry Maier 7-3-17; Dave Gaffney 6-2-14; Dick Rehmann 4-0-8; Bob Rehmann 3-0-6; Dick Henderson 2-1-5; Tim Durner 1-1-3. St. Johns totals 32-9-73, with 18 personal fouls (Dick Rehmann and Maier fouled out).

MASON TOTALS 30-12-74, with 14 personal fouls (Dancer fouled out).

The world has always had a surplus of advice and a scarcity of good example.

## City league basketball

FEB. 5 GAMES

Fowler Merchants 80  
St. Johns Merchants 49

Jim Farley had 21 and Steve Spicer 20 to lead Fowler. Bill Becker's 20 points was high for St. Johns.

DeWitt Merchants 92  
Central Nat Bank 67

Larry Slade led DeWitt with 31 points and Tom Isanhart tossed in 27. High scorer for Central National was Clark Berkhausen with 24 points.

## Local boxers set for Portland show

About 10 boxers from the Clinton County Athletic Club in St. Johns will participate in Portland's big boxing show March 1. The bouts are scheduled for 7:30 p.m. at the Portland High School Gym.

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## Marauders revenge loss

OVID-ELSIE (c) - Ovid-Elsie settled an old score with Bullock Creek on Friday, defeating them 62-52. They also broke over the .500 mark in Mid-Michigan Conference competition.

The Lancers had defeated the Marauders 64-59 on Dec. 20, handing them their first league loss.

Since then they have been playing .500 ball until they defeated Bullock Creek to bring their league mark to 4-3.

Bullock Creek never led in the game as O-E was ahead 20-17 after one quarter and 35-29 at the half.

After three periods the Marauders led 44-38. As the

fourth quarter began the Lancers came within two points, 44-42, but not for long as the Marauders scored six straight to take an eight point lead.

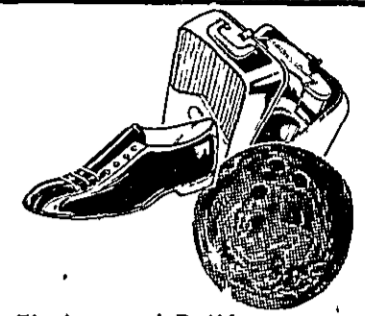
O - E coach Bob Foreback praised his players for "a fine defensive job." He also said the rebounding of Cal Woodard with 20 and Terry Weir with 19 was instrumental.

Weir led the Marauders with 20 points while Woodard had 12 and Dave Klakab 10.

OVID-ELSIE SCORING: Weir 8-4-20; Dubols 3-0-6; Plowman 0-1-1; Melvin 2-3-7; Gyski 2-2-6; Klakab 2-6-10; Woodard 3-6-12. Ovid-Elsie totals 20-22-62, with 20 personal fouls.

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### Fulton victim for 12th time

CARSON CITY—Winless Fulton High School absorbed its 12th defeat of the season Friday night, administered this time by Carson City-Crystal to the tune of 93-48.

The Pirates were as much as 15 points and as little as seven points shy of Carson City scoring in each quarter, as six players from Carson scored in double figures. Fulton had three in that range—Doug First and Ed Reaume with 16 each and Mike Lopez with 10.

Sid Mosley led the parade of scoring for Carson City with 17 points.

Score by quarters:  
Fulton 9 14 12 13-48  
Carson City 24 21 24 24-93

FULTON SCORING: Upton 1-1-3; Zamarron 1-2-4; First 6-3-15; Lopez 3-4-10; Reaume 4-7-15; Betts 0-1-1; Reniewicz 0-0-0; Richards 0-0-0. Totals 15-18-48, with 17 personal fouls (Lopez fouled out).

### DeWitt rally too little, too early

PORTLAND—DeWitt staged a short-lived rally in the third period, but it failed to sustain itself and the Panthers dropped a 76-66 Central Michigan Athletic Conference game to Portland St. Patrick's Friday night.

The Panthers outscored the Shamrocks 15-11 in the third quarter to close the gap of a 42-36 St. Pat's lead at halftime to only 53-51 at the end of three quarters. But the Shamrocks regained their poise and had a 22-15 advantage in the fourth.

Mike Botke had 19 points to lead DeWitt, while Chris Brown and Marty Lankford scored 18 and 17 points respectively. Mike Simon had 21 points and Steve Nowak 20 to lead the Shamrocks.

DeWITT SCORING: Berry 0-2-2; Kaminski 1-0-2; Ward 1-0-2; Brown 8-2-18; Lankford 8-1-17; Wood 1-0-2; Jackson 1-0-2; Sherwood 0-2-2; Botke 5-9-19. Totals 25-16-66.

### Koonter's 31 paces Wolfpack

PEWAMO - WESTPHALIA — Gary Koonter hit for 31 points Friday night to propel the league-leading Laingsburg Wolfpack to a 74-62 victory over Pewamo - Westphalia. P-W now has a 7-7 record for the year. Laingsburg is 12-1 and leads the CMAC by 2 1/2 games over Fowler and Webberville.

The host Pirates gave Laingsburg a rough time Friday night before relenting. They leaped to a 19-10 lead after the first quarter and hung on to a 34-31 lead at halftime. Laingsburg finally overhauled the Pirates in the third quarter with a 15-9 scoring edge and then pulled away in the last period.

Three other players gave Koonter prime help for Laingsburg. Smith scored 11 points, Divine 12 and Brown 10. Jerry Wirth's 16 and Tom Barker's 15 points were high for P-W.

Score by quarters:  
Laingsburg 10 21 15 28 -74  
P-W 19 15 9 19 -62

PEWAMO - WESTPHALIA SCORING: Bedenbender 3-2-8; Freund 1-0-2; Wirth 4-8-16; Arens 1-1-3; Tom Miller 3-2-8; Mike Miller 2-0-4; Schaefer 2-2-6; Barker 3-9-15. Total 19-24-62.

LAINGSBURG SCORING: Koonter 12-7-31; Crane 0-2-2; Morrill 0-1-1; VanVelsor 2-3-7; Smith 2-7-11; Divine 5-2-12; Brown 5-0-10. Totals 26-22-74.



Tom Miller (30) of Pewamo-Westphalia and Doug Morrill (25) of Laingsburg battle for a rebound in early stages of their contest Friday night. Other P-W players are Jack Bedenbender (14), Tom Barker (10) and Jerry Wirth (54). Laingsburg won the game 74-62.

### CLINTON AREA BASKETBALL SCORES & SCHEDULES

**This week's games**  
FRIDAY, FEB. 14—  
Alma at St. Johns  
Portland St. Pat's at Fowler  
Bath at Webberville  
Fulton at Lakeview  
Pewamo-Westphalia at DeWitt  
Pottersville at Laingsburg  
Ovid-Elsie at Corunna  
SATURDAY, FEB. 15—  
Durand at Ovid-Elsie

**Last week's scores**  
TUESDAY, FEB. 4—  
Mason 74, St. Johns 73  
Webberville 95, Williamston 75  
Chesaning 71, Saginaw McArthur 65  
St. Louis 68, Sheperd 65  
Ithaca 87, Mt. Pleasant Sacred Heart 73

FRIDAY, FEB. 7—  
St. Johns 87, Grand Ledge 67  
Fowler 58, Bath 49  
Laingsburg 74, Pewamo - Westphalia 62  
Webberville 70, Pottersville 49  
Portland St. Patrick 75, DeWitt 66  
Carson City 93, Fulton 48  
Ovid - Elsie 62, Bullock Creek 52  
Waverly 87, Ionia 67  
Lakewood 84, Hastings 60  
Alma 71, Charlotte 59  
St. Louis 66, Ithaca 65  
Chesaning 88, Corunna 62  
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### Swegles wins 5th-6th grade wrestling title

Swegles Street School won the second annual St. Johns City fifth and sixth grade wrestling tournament and captured six of the individual titles last Friday at the high school gym.

Swegles rolled up 29 points to finish well ahead of Perrin-Palmer with 11 points and Central School with zero. Here's how things worked out in the finals:

Under 50 pounds, Bill Reeves of Swegles pinned Dave LaDuke of Central. 61-70 pounds, Jeff Bailey of Perrin defeated Tom Martinez of Central. 51-60 pounds, Paul Butler of Swegles defeated Ricky Boiling of Central. 71-80 pounds, Brian Stork of Swegles defeated Wayne Moriarty of Perrin.

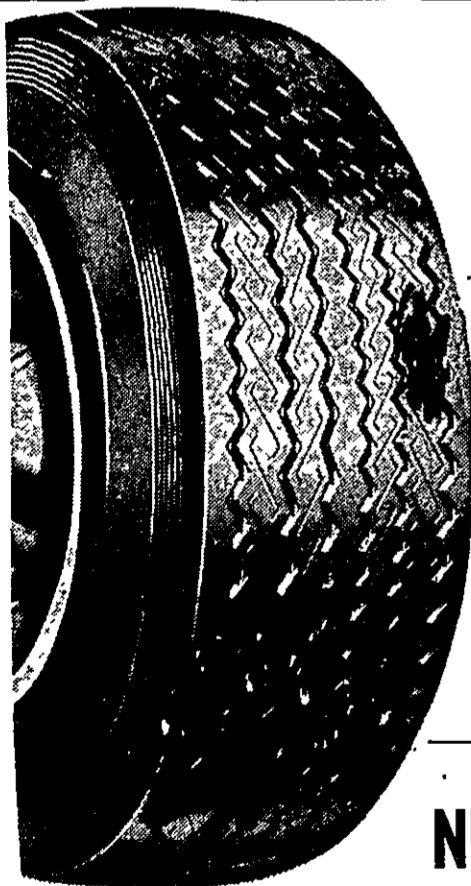
81-90 pounds, Tom Knight of Perrin pinned Mark Sheldon of Central. 91-100 pounds, Joe Halenbeck of Swegles pinned Tom Becker of Central. 101-110,

Bruce Droste of Perrin won by forfeit. 111-120 pounds, Kevin Knight of Swegles defeated Richard Decker of Perrin. 121-130

pounds, Bill Bancroft of Perrin won on a forfeit. 131 pounds and up, Jack Neller of Swegles pinned Randy Potts of Perrin.



Six of the winners in the fifth and sixth grade wrestling tournament Friday pose with their trophies, surrounded by their Swegles School cheerleaders and fans. The boys (kneeling center) are Bill Reeves; Joe Hollenbeck, Paul Butler, Kevin Knight, Brian Stork and Jack Tatroe. Tournament manager Mike Humphrey is at right. Swegles Principal Mrs Ethel Huot is at far left.



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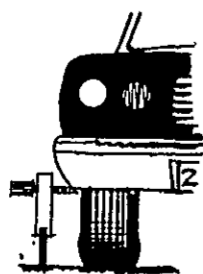
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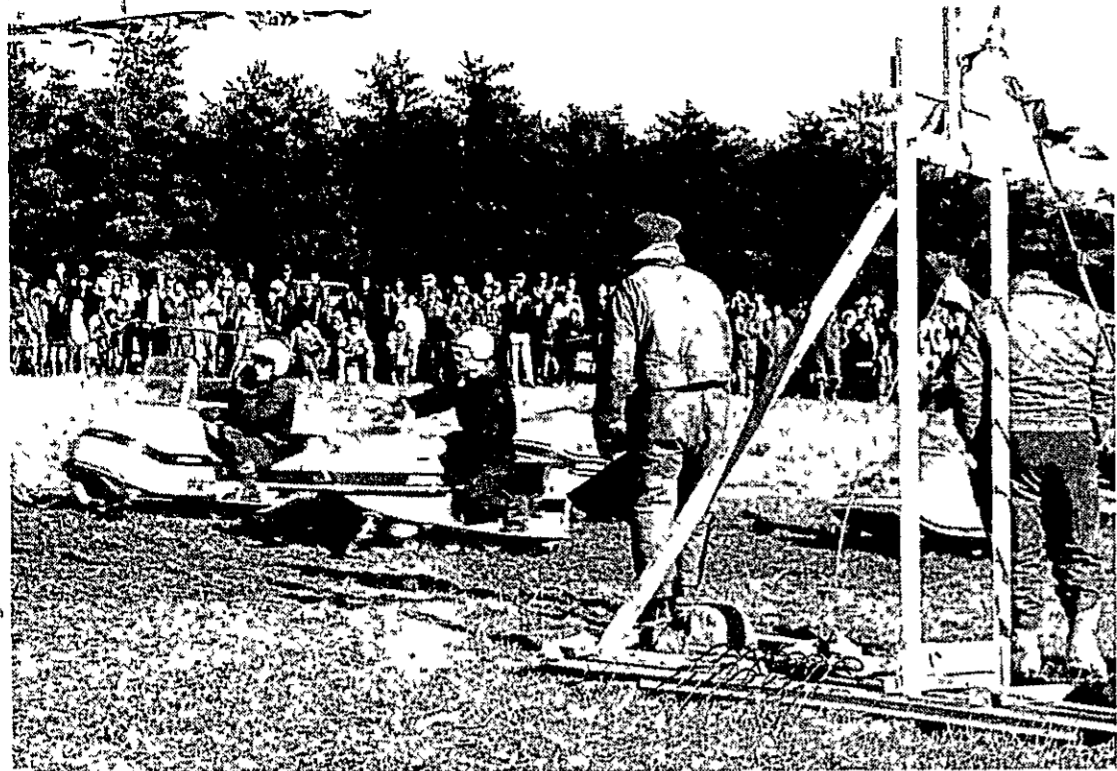
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There was no snow spray but a little bit of flying straw as snowmobile racers flash past the starting and finish line on their seven-lap race in Class B competition Sunday at the Sleepy Hollow Conservation Club.



Some of the proud trophy winners in Sunday's Snowmobile Rally were Mrs. Judy Long, Lloyd Long, Jerry Piper, Dan Argersinger, Allen Miller, Bruce Leak, Jake Kolassa, and Michael Myatt.

### Snowmobile rally gets warm reception

The Sleepy Hollow Conservation Club played host to its third annual snowmobile rally in St. Johns last Sunday afternoon. It was a great day for the spectators, but the snowmobilers found the track a little muddy in spots. A lack of snow and a warming trend in the weather threatened a cancellation of the event but with ingenuity and hard work the club members and some volunteers proceeded to help Mother Nature along with layers of straw and water. The process saved the day and the rally came off as scheduled. Drivers rated the track as "pretty good."

An estimated crowd of 1000 watched the races. Jerry Piper

was the winner of the slalom. In the class "A" oval, Al Miller of Ovid placed first. In class "B" oval Leon Louchart was the winner and in class "C" Jake Kolassa. Lloyd Long of Wheeler, Mich., won the Australian pursuit. In the powder puff race Mrs. Judy Long was the winner.

### Pewamo school news

On Wednesday, Jan. 29, the fifth and sixth grade girls basketball team played the seventh and eighth grade girls. Miss Kathy Mestamaker coached the game and the girls chose a captain for each team. Bonnie Horn was the Captain for the seventh and eighth grade team while Karen Schafer was the Captain for the fifth and sixth grade. The seventh and eighth grade team won 34-30.

On Jan. 30 the Pewamo All-Stars played a basketball game with the Traveling Yankee's girls team from Stanton. The whole school was able to watch the game. Before the game, they played music and the girls did some tricks with the basketball. The girls made the game very exciting. The Traveling Yankees won the game 78-70.

### Rev Murray guest of Altar Society Feb. 3

Rev Francis Murray, stationed at the St. Vincent's Children's Home in Lansing was the guest speaker at the regular meeting of the St. Joseph Altar Society on Feb. 3. Mrs. Alvin Thelen was program chairman. Rev Murray showed a film entitled "The Right To Live" prepared by the Right To Live Committee and narrated by Loretta Young.

This film is available through the Knights of Columbus and concerns man's right to live and the abortion laws in several states. At the close of the film Father Murray conducted a question and answer session.

Mrs. Norman Rademacher reported on the parish ham dinner which will be on Sunday, March 23. Tickets are now available through the guilds. Our Lady of Guadalupe Guild was in charge of refreshments at the Feb. 3 meeting.

### Minutes of the City Commission Meeting

Municipal Building Commission Room ST. JOHNS, MICHIGAN JANUARY 13, 1969

The regular meeting of the city commission was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Mayor Wood. Commissioners present: Oatley, Coletta, Hannah, Rand, Wood. Motion by Coletta, supported by Rand, to approve the minutes of December 23, 1968. Motion carried. Motion by Rand, supported by Oatley, to approve the warrants. Motion carried.

Motion by Oatley, supported by Coletta, to approve the agenda. Motion carried. Motion by Hannah, supported by Coletta, to open the public hearing regarding Ordinance No. 222. AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE ZONING MAP INCORPORATED THEREIN BY REFERENCE. Motion by Oatley, supported by Coletta, to approve the agenda. Motion carried. Motion by Hannah, supported by Oatley, to set the date of the public hearing for Ordinance No. 223 for February 10, 1969, at 8:00 p.m., to be held in the city commission chambers. Motion carried.

Motion by Hannah, supported by Oatley, to set the evening of January 20, 1969, at 7:30 p.m., as the date that the city commission will meet, in committee, with Mr. Reed, the attorney representing the Board of Education. Motion carried. Motion by Coletta, supported by Oatley, to direct the city manager to make a study of the City Park facilities and to report back to the commission as soon as possible so that they may ascertain the City of St. Johns summer park policy. Motion carried.

Motion by Hannah, supported by Oatley, to amend Paragraph 3, Section A, of the rules and regulations governing the Municipal Building auditorium and to add the following: "An additional fee of \$20.00 will be charged if the custodian of the Municipal Building is to set up and take down tables and chairs." Motion carried.

Motion by Rand, supported by Oatley, to adjourn at 9:50 p.m.

slon concur with the recommendation of the City of St. Johns planning commission. Motion carried.

The city clerk read proposed Ordinance No. 223. AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE No. 187, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS BY AMENDMENT OF THE ZONING MAP INCORPORATED THEREIN BY REFERENCE.

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THOMAS L. HUNDLEY City Clerk

ROBERT H. WOOD, Mayor

### CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF BATH TOWNSHIP BOARD REPORT

FEBRUARY 3, 1969

Minutes of the regular monthly board meeting, of February 3, 1969.

All members were present and the meeting was called to order by the supervisor at 8 p.m. Board approved the minutes of the last regular and the special meeting held January 23, 1969. Board set the pay of the deputy clerk at \$2 per hour.

Request from the LeRay Steel Fabricating Co. of Bath to purchase lots 1 and 14 of block 8 which belong to the township was discussed and the supervisor to review request with the LeRay company and report back to the board.

Supervisor advised the board that the Kreager development was at a standstill because of a letter from the State Health Department.

Board approved the purchase of another table for the meeting room.

Bids were received from four companies for a police cruiser which ranged from \$1,859.75 to \$2,570.00. The board accepted the bid from Stan Cowan Mercury Inc. of St. Johns for a Monterey 4-door at a total price of \$2,393.45.

The board approved the action taken by the planning commission in rezoning property on M-78 to light industrial and the special use permit of Mr. Barnes of Webster Street for a trailer.

At the special board meeting the board approved the deposit of delinquent tax monies to the building and site account to be used for maintenance and repairs, equipment and upkeep of the township office building.

Minors working for the township must have a working permit and the insurance company advised of their age etc.

Board approved the Police and Fire commission rules and regulations for the two departments. The Commission will have power to control the two departments with Commissioner Smith head of the commission.

LEE D. REASONER Clerk

### D. of I. plans annual card party

WESTPHALIA - The January meeting of the D of I was held in the parish hall at 8 p.m. on Thursday Jan. 30. Plans were discussed for the D of I's annual card party which is themed "Stars and Stripes." The affair is scheduled for Sunday, Feb. 23, at 8 p.m. in St. Mary's Hall. There will be prizes, lunch and refreshments. Tickets may be purchased from anyone on the committee. Mrs. Kenneth Nurenberg is chairman.

After the meeting lunch was served, followed by a commercial skit and participation games. The following members are on the lunch committee for the Feb. 23 meeting: Liz Spitz-ley (chairman), Wilma Trier-weller, Hilda Bengel, Hope Fox, Martha Schafer and Elizabeth Fedewa.

### Bits & pieces

News notes from the Clinton County business world

ZEEB ASSOCIATED WITH REALTOR Robert Zeeb of Bath has affiliated with the LaNoble Realty Co. in the sales department. He is currently a member of the Michigan State Fair Authority, a past director of Michigan Farm Bureau and a past president of the Michigan Dairy Herd Improvement Assn. He will specialize in farms and suburban properties.

WORK PROGRESSING AT BONNER'S Bonner's Wilderness Outfitters expect to be into their new building, now under construction just south of Troeger Roadside Park on US-27 in DeWitt Township, by around March 1, according to Mart Livingston of St. Johns, a partner. The business, formerly Bonner's House of Deerskin, has been located on US-27 just north of Clark Road, but the impending extension of US-127 has forced the firm to relocate.

RINKER SPEAKS AT MEETING Lowell G. Rinker, editor of the Clinton County News, was one of three panel speakers who addressed members of the American Society of Soil Conservationists at their recent meeting at Grand Valley State College. The panel concerned itself with the role of the mass media in conservation education. Rinker spoke on behalf of weekly newspapers. Speaking for the dailies was John Stafford of Greenville, known to many in the St. Johns community and president of the Clinton County News, Inc.

### LEGAL NOTICES

### Ordinance No. 223

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE No. 187, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS BY AMENDMENT OF THE ZONING MAP INCORPORATED THEREIN BY REFERENCE.

THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS ORDAINS: Section 1. THE ZONING MAP, which by Section 6.1.3 and Article XIII of Ordinance No. 187 is made a part of said Ordinance, is hereby amended to change the classification of the following described property:

The North 150 ft. of block 105 and the 66 ft. of vacated Lincoln Street of Walker and Steel's Subdivision City of St. Johns, Michigan; from Industrial High Performance to General Commercial.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect 20 days after passage. PASSED, ORDAINED AND ORDERED PUBLISHED THIS 10th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1969, BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS AT A REGULAR MEETING ON THE ABOVE DATE.

ROBERT H. WOOD, Mayor

ATTEST: THOMAS L. HUNDLEY, City Clerk

YEA: Commissioners Coletta, Hannah, Rand, Oatley, Wood. NAY: none. Motion carried. I hereby certify that the above Ordinance was published in the Clinton County News on the 12th day of February, 1969.

THOMAS L. HUNDLEY, City Clerk

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### CLINTON COUNTY ZONING APPEAL BOARD MEETING

A Meeting of the Clinton County Zoning Appeal Board will be held on Monday, February 17, 1969 at 8 p.m. in the Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan. At that time the Board will act on the following appeals:

**GREENBUSH TOWNSHIP**  
The appeal of Mrs. V. Pearl Phillips to occupy a trailer coach on the following described parcel of land:  
Commencing 113 rods East of Southwest corner, Section 6, T8N, R2W, South 10 rods, East 16 rods, North 10 rods, West 16 rods, Section 7, T8N, R2W.

**LEBANON TOWNSHIP**  
The appeal of Ken Gorby to occupy a trailer coach on the following described parcel of land:  
SW 1/4, Sec. 31, T8N, R4W. 131.73 acres of land.

**GREENBUSH TOWNSHIP**  
The appeal of Velma Witt to occupy a trailer coach on the following described parcel of land:  
Commencing 68 rods 15' N. center Sec. 11, T8N-R2W, th. E. 300', S. 145'2", 300', N. to beg. 1 acre.

WILLIAM M. COFFEY, Zoning Administrator

### Announcements

The Guatemala Missionary group will present a program at the Seventh Day Adventist Church on North Lansing Street on Feb. 16 at 7 p.m. This group, composed of grade school students, high school students, two dentists, a doctor and a nurse, sacrificed their Christmas vacation to do missionary work. They will show pictures and tell of their experiences.

DRIVERS TRAINING APPLICATIONS TAKEN Applications for driver training courses this summer are now being taken at the office of the principal at St. Johns High School.

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By Mrs Bruce Hodges

Mrs Bess Pearson and Miss Marian Pearson were Feb. 2, dinner guests of Mrs Luella Benjamin and Mrs Hattie Dillenbeck of Williamston.

and Mrs Vaughan Montgomery and daughter, Mr and Mrs Kenneth Montgomery and daughter and Mrs Don Cobb were Feb. 2, dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Rudonal Montgomery of Lansing.

guests of Mr and Mrs Harry Tank. Mrs Albert Dayton, Mrs John Lawrence and Mrs Dorothy Cory all of Grand Ledge and Mr and Mrs Max Wygant of Lansing called on Mr and Mrs Herbert Hardtke Feb. 2.

Kincaid District

Mrs Porter C. Parks

Mrs Porter Parks and daughters attended a stork shower Feb. 7, at the home of Mrs Esther Bell at Lansing for Mrs Clyde E. Jenks.

Mrs Porter Parks visited Mr and Mrs William Stalves Feb. 8, in St. Johns. Mr and Mrs Harvey Briggs and daughter Carol Joy of Lansing, visited Mr and Mrs Dell Schmidman and son, and Mr and Mrs Roger Balmer Feb. 9.

Feb. 4, Mrs Otto Dickinson visited in Portland with Mr and Mrs John Dickinson and family. Mr and Mrs Charles Fisher and Kevin went to Houghton Lake Feb. 9, then visited Mr and Mrs Franklin Metz at Clare.

Harvey Hoerner visited Mr and Mrs Harold Hoerner Feb. 9, Feb. 5, Mr and Mrs Harvey Hoerner and girls visited Mr and Mrs Harold Morrow of Lansing.

WESTPHALIA PLANS CLEAN-UP DRIVE Looking far ahead, the Village of Westphalia is making plans for a spring clean-up campaign, and May 10 has been set for the special emphasis.



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7-year olds react to Valentine's Day

# Cupid faces rough go in second grade

By MRS SHIRLEY KARBER  
News Staff Writer

Feb. 14, Valentine's Day, is a day when Cupid sends arrows of love, sweethearts become melancholy and dad brings mom flowers. But when you're in the second grade, love is often a different story. It may appear to a second grader as something everyone should enjoy, but then again girls can be awful headaches at times, or a boy can

seem like an uncouth, ignorant schmoo.

After a visit to Bernice Urle's second grade class at Perrin-Palmer School, and a little conversation with some of the wonderfully naive children, you get a refreshing glimpse of pure honesty in love.

Margaret Wood likes all the candy she can get on Valentine's Day and, "I'm gonna make a special Valentine for my little brother. He's one."

"Don't you like any of the boys in your grade?"

"Yes, Brian, Jeff and Matthew."

"I don't like girls, I hate em," said Mark Purtill. "Yeah I'll give out Valentines but only 'cause my mother makes me. If it was up to me I wouldn't give out any, NOT ONE." With his bright red hair and freckles one wonders how long he's going to hold out.

Jim Cantwell gave such serious thought to the question, do you have a girl? he almost got a headache.

"Ooo I don't like girls, they tease me. . . they took mine and my brothers stone collection that we got at the beach and I never saw it again." What a sad way to start a love life.

"Not all girls are bad, but there's nothing I like about them."

DID YOU EVER get a special Valentine?

"Ya, a few years ago, but I don't remember who gave it to me."

There must be something you like about Valentine's Day. Think real hard now.

"Well, dad buys mother a big box of candy and she cleans the house and makes Valentine cookies with green frosting."

You mean red frosting?

"No, I said green and that's what it is green."

Brenda Cooper has a boyfriend some place.

"His name's Harold War."

Why do you like him.

"Cause he's good lookin."

Moving around frequently may

have something to do with Brenda's love life. "I went to school in Flint, Alma, Lansing and St. Johns."

What does your father do? Do you know where he works?

"No, I don't know that, but he's got a broken hand." She said the last part like having a broken hand was a badge of honor.

Pixie - like Pamela Downing likes Valentine's Day. Do you have a boy friend?

"No, I don't like boys."

What's the matter with them?

"They're naughty and they throw stones and snowballs."

Are you sure there isn't one boy you like in this school?

"Well Brian and Matthew are

kinda nice."

Carrie Woodbury has no special boy friend and she's going to make all her own Valentines.

"I had a boy friend last year but he moved away."

What was his name?

"Doug."

What do you like about Valentine's Day?

"Dad gets mom some candy."

Do you think a boy will send you a special Valentine?

"One, Allen Nelson, might, 'cause he likes me."

What about the rest of the boys?

"No they don't like me."

You only have 10 boys and about

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20 girls in this room. How do you like that?

"I wish they was all girls."

EUGENE SWANCHARA has some positive thoughts. Do you have a girl friend?

"No I never had one."

Why not? Don't you like girls?

"Sometimes and sometimes no."

Why don't you like them?

"They mess-up games, they talk too much and then they don't answer you when you ask them a question."

Do you buy your own Valentines?

"No my mother does."

Do you like that?

"No I'd rather do it myself."

If you had to pick a girl in this room who was the nicest, who would it be?

"Carrie."

Do you like homemade Valentines?

"No, I like the boughten kind."

Watch out, Carrie.

So goes Cupid's chances among the 7-year olds.



BRENDA FAY COOPER



JIM CANTWELL



PAMELA DOWNING



MATTHEW BISHOP



CARRIE WOODBURY



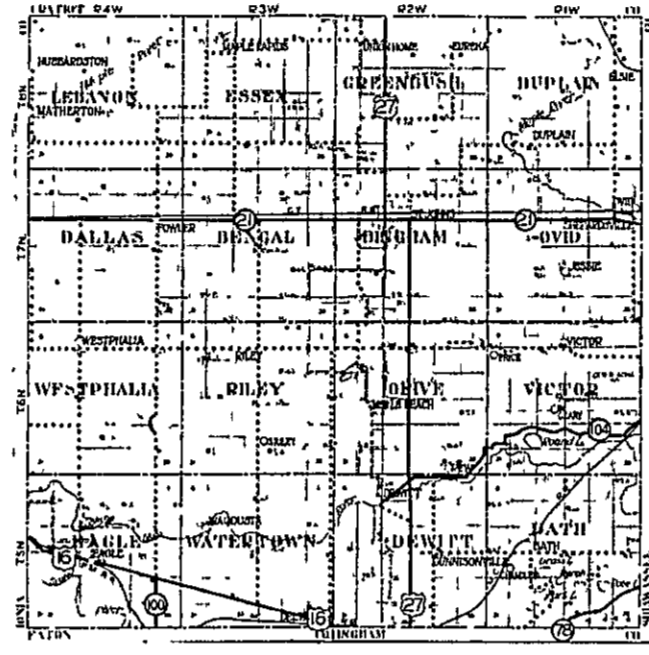
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# Business and Professional Announcements, Legal News



## New Suits Started

**ERNEST E. CARTER**  
County Clerk

In the matter of petition of the Michigan State Highway Commission for condemnation of private property for highway purposes in township of DeWitt, June Behrens vs Joseph Parmelee, Mrs Joseph Parmelee, Mrs Frederick Wagerbe, Ellen Burk, Hannah M. Care and others.

Diane Louise Sheldon vs Joe C. Brzak.

Samuel Titus vs Dale Edward Snyder.

## New Business Firms

Feb. 3: Nobis Brothers, 5813 W. Walker Road, Bengal, Paul W. Nobis, R-2, St. Johns, Walter G. Nobis, R-1, Fowler, and Carl A. Nobis, R-2, St. Johns.

Jan. 29: Frank's Plumbing and Heating, 3620 DeWitt Road, Lansing, Arthur L. Elbright 741 Banghart, Lansing and Leo R. Courser, 113 Welland Road, Lansing.

## Marriage Licenses

Larry M. Abraham, 22, 6080 Hess Road, Saginaw and Judith M. Glazier, 22, 15755 Oak Lane, Lansing.

Thomas E. Bennett, 23, R-1, DeWitt and Nancy Ann Cutsinger, 20, 3846 Stoll Road, Lansing.

Douglas D. Staines, 22, 607 Church Street, St. Johns and Katherine R. May, 18, Portland.

## Probate Court

**HON. TIMOTHY M. GREEN**  
Judge of Probate

**HELENA M. BURK**  
Register of Probate

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 19, 1969

George A. Gill, claims.

Fern M. Bacon, claims.

Edith A. White, probate of will.

Emily R. Leik, final account.

George Onstott, license to sell real estate.

John B. Chapin, annual accounting.

Vernon J. Pung, probate of will.

Robert D. Creyts, M.I., annual account.

Maria Garza, claims.

## Driving Licenses Revoked in County

(As reported by Secretary of State)

Kenneth E. Barnhart of 306 S. Lansing Street, St. Johns, for unsatisfied judgment, financial responsibility in effect; Roger M. Belen of 6335 Park Lake Road, Bath, for unsatisfactory driving record, license revoked; Michael T. Brown of 8902 Heribson Road, Eagle, for unsatisfactory driving record on a probationary license, suspension effective through Feb. 1; Gale E. Ernst of 904 E. Cass Street, St. Johns, for unsatisfactory driving record, license revoked.

Bruce L. Pineout of Ridge Road, R-1, Elsie, for unsatisfactory driving record, suspension effective through Jan. 31; Douglas L. Menderhall of 2231 1/2 W. Williams Street, Ovid, for driving under the influence of liquor, financial responsibility in effect; Douglas C. Pitchford of R-2, DeWitt, for driving while license revoked, suspension effective through April 26, 1970.

Barbara A. Ward of 4076 W. Maple Rapids Road, St. Johns, for unsatisfactory driving record on a probationary license, suspension effective through Feb. 2; Vernon S. Watson Jr. of 12054 Center Road, Bath, for unsatisfactory driving record and failure to appear, license revoked; John V. Wieber of Front Street, Fowler, for driving under the influence of liquor, financial responsibility in effect.

Allen C. Boettger of 3938 W. Townsend Road, for unsatisfactory driving record, suspension effective through Jan. 30; Paul H. Hengesbach of Westphalia, for unsatisfactory driving record, suspension effective through Jan. 31; Thomas H. Innes of 701 E. Higham Street, St. Johns, for unsatisfactory driving record, suspension effective through Feb. 28; Richard M. Weber of 1104 E. Hyde Road, St. Johns, for unsatisfactory driving record, effective through Jan. 31.

## City Building Permits

Bee's Chevrolet and Olds Inc., 2137 S. US-27, commercial building.

## County Building Permits

Don W. Moline, RFD, DeWitt, dwelling and garage.

## Real Estate Transfers

(From records in office of Register of Deeds)

Jan. 29: Donald R. and Marlene Ducharme to William D. and Judith A. Bechtel, property in Willow Creek Farms, DeWitt.

Jan. 29: Irma Krumm to John H. and Lorna Coffman, property in Riley, twp.

Jan. 29: Amy Br Wolfe to Irene M. Swierczynski, property in Olive twp.

Jan. 30: Albert and Elizabeth M. Verlinde to John and Georgina Kaylor, property in Eagle twp.

Jan. 30: Oswald H. and Margaret O. Lietzke to Robert L. and Janet M. Myers, property in Arcadian Estates, Watertown.

Jan. 30: Marguerite A. Taft to David and Sarah Goodrich, property in Ovid.

Jan. 30: Darwin S. and Linda S. Peterson to James E. and Carolee Cronk, property in Bath twp.

Jan. 31: N. E. Glassbrook to Howard S. and Betty K. Hunt, property in DeWitt.

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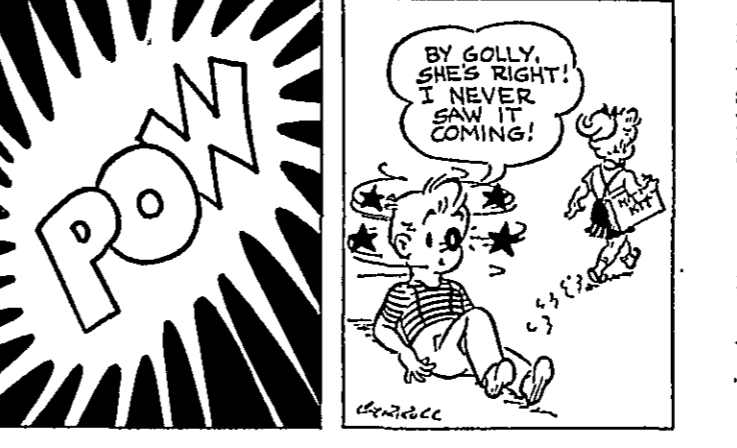
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## ORDER TO ANSWER

**STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.**

**ALICE HACKETT, Deceased.**

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, February 26, 1969, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on petition of Ruth H. Patterson, Administrator, for allowance of lines account, and for assignment of residue of estate.

Publication a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.

**TIMOTHY M. GREEN,**  
Judge of Probate.

Dated: January 17, 1969.

By: James A. Moore, Attorney for Estate  
100 North Clinton Avenue St. Johns, Michigan 40-3

**ORDER TO ANSWER**

**STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.**

**MARY B. HARRIS, Plaintiff**

**WILLIAM HARRIS, Defendant**

On January 9, 1969, an action was filed by MARY B. HARRIS, Plaintiff, against WILLIAM HARRIS, Defendant, in this Court to obtain a decree of absolute divorce.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Defendant, WILLIAM HARRIS, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 14th day of March, 1969, by depositing with the Clerk of Court a copy of his answer to the Complaint filed in this Court.

LEO W. CORBIN,  
Circuit Judge

Date of Order: January 17, 1969.  
Richard D. Wells  
Attorney for Plaintiff 39-4

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Circuit Judge

Date of Order: January 17, 1969.  
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MARKETING RESEARCH ASSOCIATES

# Newspaper BINGO

# PLAY BINGO

## THIS WEEK WIN AS MUCH AS

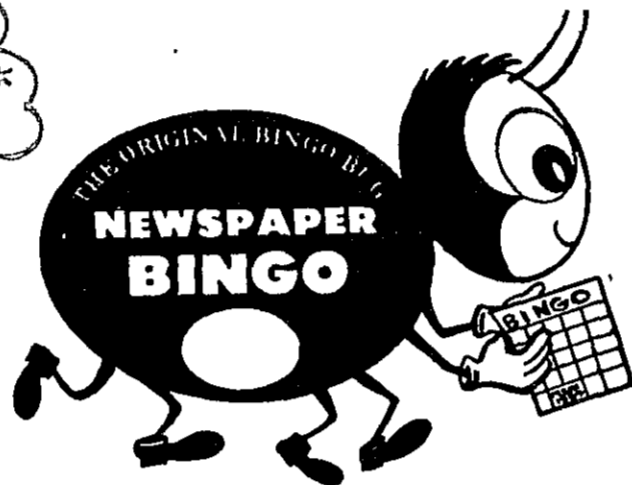
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## In BINGO BUCKS

"Bingo Bucks" Spend Like Cash at Participating Merchants Below

**PLUS: EACH WINNER WILL RECEIVE . . . .**

- 1 Year Subscription to Clinton County News
- 1 Box of Personalized Stationery



**PICK UP CARDS NOW AT PARTICIPATING FIRMS — The More Cards You Play the Better Your Chances to Win**  
**HERE'S HOW IT WORKS:**

**2nd Big Week Starts Today!**  
**2nd Game Ends Monday Feb. 17**  
 Orange Winning Cards Must be turned in to this Newspaper by Monday 5:00 p.m.

**PICK UP FREE BINGO CARDS:** Each week (adults only, please) pick up your FREE Bingo cards from any of the sponsoring merchants listed below. Rules of the game allow the merchants to give you only one card on each store visit. However, you may make as many visits as you wish each day of the week. **THE MORE CARDS YOU PLAY THE BETTER ARE YOUR CHANCES OF WINNING.**

**HOW TO PLAY:** To play, check the ads in each week's issue of the CLINTON COUNTY NEWS. The ads of the merchants listed below will contain one or more "Newspaper Bingo" numbers in the "Bingo Bug" symbol (shown above). Occasionally numbers, in the "Bingo Bug" symbol, may be found elsewhere in the newspaper. **IF YOU CAN MATCH (JUST CIRCLE OR "X" THE MATCHING NUMBERS) ALL 24 NUMBERS ON ANY ONE OF YOUR BINGO CARDS - YOU HAVE A "BINGO" - AND YOU ARE A WINNER!!**

**AT LEAST \$50 WEEKLY!!** Winners will share a weekly prize of \$50 issued in "Bingo Bucks" that spend like cash at any of the sponsoring merchants. If there is only one winner, he or she wins all of the \$50. If there is more than one winner, all winners will share the \$50 in equal amounts. If there are no winners any week, the \$50 weekly prize money will be added to the following week's prize fund.

**PLUS:** every BINGO winner will receive FREE a 1-year subscription to the Clinton County News and a box of personalized stationery.

**CHECK EACH ISSUE OF THE CLINTON COUNTY NEWS:** Each game is complete in each week's issue. A new game will start each Wednesday and be completed the following Monday. A new set of Bingo numbers will be published each week in the sponsoring merchants' ads and possibly elsewhere in the paper and these new numbers only must be used. A new color of Bingo cards will be available at the participating stores. To be eligible to win, you must play Bingo cards of the correct color for that week's game. The color of the cards for each week's game will be announced on this page.

**IF YOU ARE A WINNER:** If you have a winning Bingo card, ON WHICH ALL 24 NUMBERS HAVE BEEN MATCHED WITH THE NUMBERS APPEARING EACH WEEK IN THE CLINTON COUNTY NEWS, write your name, address, phone number, and the name of the store where you got your winning card on the back of your card and mail to The CLINTON COUNTY NEWS. The envelope containing your card must be received by 5 p.m. Monday of the following week; or bring your winning card to the office by 5 p.m. Monday of the following week.

# SECOND GAME ORANGE CARDS

Starts TODAY thru Mon.

PICK UP YOUR **ORANGE** CARDS FROM THESE MERCHANTS TODAY

- |                        |                     |
|------------------------|---------------------|
| ST. JOHNS              | Glaspie Drug        |
| Andy's IGA             | Parr's Rexall Drugs |
| Bee's Chevrolet        | FOWLER              |
| Benson Plumbing        | Frechen's Market    |
| Capitol Savings & Loan | DeWITT              |
| Harris Zephyr Service  | Fowler Ford Sales   |
| Two Brothers           | G & L Implement     |

### Rules of the Game

**NO OBLIGATION OR PURCHASE NECESSARY:** There is no obligation or purchase necessary. A copy of the paper is available for playing the game at the office of this newspaper - also at the public libraries. You may play as many cards as you wish—they are free. Get additional cards—one at a time—each day of the week—from the friendly merchants listed below (adults only, please).

**DIFFERENT COLORED CARDS EACH WEEK:** The color of the cards changes each week. To be a winner, you must play Bingo cards of the correct color for that week. Mutilated or altered cards will not be honored. **ALL 24 NUMBERS ON A CARD MUST BE MATCHED TO WIN.**

**This Is How A Winning Card Looks**

**CHANCE DETERMINES NUMBERS:** Bingo numbers for each week's game are drawn at random from a revolving Bingo number dispensing cage at the office of this newspaper. Some duplication of Bingo numbers may appear in the merchants' ads. This duplication does not affect the game or the total numbers drawn. All numbers for each week's game will be someplace in the sponsoring merchants' ads and possibly elsewhere in the paper. Employees of this newspaper and their families are not eligible to win any of the prizes.

Pick up Your **ORANGE BINGO CARDS** Today!

10	29	36	57	66
15	25	32	56	61
X	30	FRB 2071 SPACE	46	64
X	19	42	58	62
X	20	34	54	72

**NOW 2 Will Get You 4**



**THAT'S RIGHT!** for a Limited Time \$2.00 Will Get You a 4 Month's Subscription to the Clinton County News — Just Phone 224-2361

# Area schools announce honor rolls

## St. Johns High

A total of 342 students at Rodney B. Wilson High School made the first semester honor roll. This included 108 freshmen, 77 sophomores, 72 juniors and 75 seniors. To be placed on the honor roll a student must maintain at least a "B" average.

**Seniors:** Glenna Acker, Mary Ashley, Mary Becker, David Boron, Randal Bouchee, Chris Cornell, Karen Cornell, Theresa Cornwell, Gary Curtis, Lisa Davis, Linda DeVore, Susan Downing, Lynda Droste, Carla Ernst, David Feldpausch, Jeanne Ferman, Kregg Foote, Jeffery Geller, Charleen Gillespie, Toni Heathman, Scott Hebeck, Richard Henderson, Darrell Herbruck, Sharon Howe, Gordon Hyler, Linda Isbell, Rena Jorae, Charles Kehr, Mike Kellen, Janet Koenigsnecht, Janet Kosht, Ken Kramer, Sharon Liszewski, Susanne London, Terry Maier, Rita Martins, LeAnn Martin, Susan Martinez, Susan Mergnac, Judi Miller, Eric Mohnke, Thomas Moore, Carol Morriss, Suzanne McAlvery, Patricia O'Leary, Nancy Paksi, James Parr, Harry Patterson, Wendy Pfifer, Bonnie Pung, Charles Romig, Neil Rossow, Kathy Schaefer, Gail Shafley, Althea Shaw, Gary Sipkovsky, Barbara Slagell, Judy Smith, Theresa Smith, Marlene Snyder, Paul Speerbrecker, Julie Staines, Marlene Stoddard, Cheryl Swagart, Lexa Swatman, Michael Szarks, Rick Warren, Debra Westland, Donald White, Judy Whitlock, Jane Wieber, Linda Willette, Dorothy Williams, Deborah Witgen, and Patricia Zuker.

**Juniors:** Kathy Asher, Mary Austin, Jamie Bargar, Diane Barnes, Scott Bennett, Greg Blanchard, Norma Brya, Chris Bohil, Amy Castner, Donald Chant, Cathy Cronkrite, Kathy Davis, Roger Davis, Douglas Dubay, Dolores Evitts, Diane Fedewa, Brenda Feldpausch, Valerie Gillespie, Mona Harger, Barbara Harte, Richard Houser, Daniel Henning, Christine Holm, Helen Hospodar, Debbie Huss, David Hyler, Judy Irish, Vicki Johnston, Richard Jones, Robert Jones, Honey Jane Karber, Rhonda Kloeckner, Sharon Kowalk, Lawrence Kruger, Douglas Kurucz, Linda Liszewski, Deborah Locheat, Karen Lundy, Richard Moidanauer, Sally MacLuckie, Julie McCausey, Darlene Nemcik, Kathy Nichols, Douglas Nickelson, Nancy Nichols, Linda Olson, Donald Osborn, Jonathan Pierson, Craig Puetz, Sheila Pulliam, Sheryl Pulliam, Pearl Pytiowany, Ronald Rademacher, Denise Reuter, Steven Root, Karen Rossow, Christine Schneider, Sue Sibley, Julia Silvestri, Tama Simunek, Verna Slagell, Robin Smith, Kendra Stephenson, Sharon Summer, Deborah Taylor, Linda Thayer, Eileen Thelen, Karen Tolles, Mary Wilbur, Sandra Wing, and Jan Woodhams.

**Sophomores:** Vicki Amos, Janet Andrews, Connie Burnham, Judy Butler, Marianne Butler, Barbara Cartwright, Margaret Castner, Charles Cheeney, Debra Cochrun, Ronald Cuthbert, James Davis, Brenda Downing, Thomas Doyle, Diane Dunkel, Barbara Eaton, John Estes, Linda Feldpausch, James Findlay, David Flermoen, Joseph Fosmo, Robert Friesen, Connie Gove, Kathy Grost, Christine Haker, Dean Harper, Larry Hatch, Lawrence Hayer, Andy Henning, Patricia Henning, Mary Hott, Chris Idzkowski, Kathy Irner, Christine Jumper, Curtis Keck, Karen Kohls, Cindy Kosht, Chris Kramer, Barbara Kurucz, Mary LeFevere, Dean Lerg, Greg Lounds, Barbara Maler, David Maki, Cynthia Mazzolini, Susan Mohnke, Wayne Morrison, Eileen McClintock, James McQueen, Rosie Paradise, Douglas Parks, Linda Patton, Jean Peterson, Randy Randolph, Thomas Rasdale, Lambert Rehmann, Ruth Reimus, Lynn Riley, Cheryl Romig, Beth Schultz, Suzanne Shane, Patrice Shnabery, Jane Smith, Jean Smith, Michael Smith, Kelly Spicer, Rachelle Stachel, Marlene Taylor, Catherine Turner, Theresa Volisinet, Thomas Warstler, Jody Westland, Roger Wick-

erham, Lois Williams, Lenore Wood, Janeen Woodbury, Rhonda Woodbury, and Joyce Zell.

**Freshmen:** Julie Aldrich, Michelle Amos, Cheryl Amstutz, Karla Austin, James Bappert, Kathryn Barker, Janet Barnes, Paula Barrett, Daniel Barz, Dorene Bauer, Kathleen Beagle, Christine Beechler, David Bishop, Karen Blanchard, Kathy Boettger, Michael Bond, Kim Brewbaker, Leanne Brown, Karen Buggs, TerriBunce, Terri Burnham, Chris Cook, Donald Cuthbert, Jacqueline DeGeer, Beth Doyle, David Dush, Shirley Eisler, Martin Ernst, Joyce Fedewa, Jean Feldpausch, Keith Foote, Anne Fox, Cathy French, Marie Geller, Paula Gibson, Michael Grost, Jillene Guernsey, Kathleen Haimo, Joy Harrison, James Hart, Judy Haske, Kevin Hayer, Kathy Hazle, Paul Hebler, Alan Henning, Dennis Henning, Jacqueline Heuer, Kim Hopko, Bernadette Jorae, Bonnie Kimball, Douglas King, Debbie Kosht, John Kruger, Mary LaBrie, Cynthia LaChappelle, Cynthia Lanterman, Michele Lenon, Cynthia Liszewski, Calvin Lounds, Sandra Lublow, Mary Beth Matter, Sharon Mazzolini, Nancy McCausey, Lori McQueen, Phyllis Ochis, Mary Patton, Nancy Jo Presocki, Karen Rademacher, Celia Remus, Lynn Richards, Marilyn Romig, Judy Roof, Stella Salazar, Kent Schuller, Patricia Seet, Jackie Slade, Denise Smith, Dennis Smith, Trudy Smith, Vickie Snyder, Karen Sommer, David Speerbrecker, Larry Spiller, Barbara Spousa, Marsha Stevens, Catherine Stoddard, Beth Stork, Mark Stephenson, Edna Sutin, Marcia Tait, LuAnne Thelen, Janie Thrush, Laura Vandervort, Jane Vitek, John Wampler, Rebecca Watchorn, Leo Weber, Michael Weber, Richard Welsh, Sharon Whitford, Diana Whitmore, Ruth Willette, Robin Wilson, Scotty Wing, Paul Witgen, Colleen Wood, Patricia Woodbury, and Kathi Woodhams.

## Ovid-Elsie High

**OVID-ELSIE**—The Ovid-Elsie High School first semester honor roll listed 10 students with all "A" records. They were Pam Darling, Keith Keck, Becky Latz, Carolyn Lindauer, Phyllis Stewart, and Java Lea Wilkins in the senior class; Rosemary Forch in the junior class; Mark Bashore and Vicki Valentine in the sophomore class; and one freshman, Linda Chapko.

Other seniors on the honor roll were: Dennis Barrett, Gary Boog, Rose Mary Borst, Jean Brewbaker, Carol Buck, Bruce Call, Vicki Cerny, Lucille Champlin, Kay Clark, Bob Craig, Bill Csapos, Colleen Daley, Debra Davis, Cindy Dennis, Bob DePond, Susan Doubrava, Dave DuBols, Mary Pat Foran, Fran Fowler, Gerry Freed, Peter Glowney, Lee Grubaugh, Sandra Grubaugh, Shelley Hall, Louise Helnze, Susan Hess, Chris Hood, Diane Hoshield, Marie Huss, Bethany Jandik, Randy Johnson, Dave Klabak,

Joanne Ladiski, Kay Ladiski, Nancy Leland, Raelene Loznak, Verna Lyon, Susan McCreery, Karla Mead, Marlene Mizga, Veri Nicholson, Pat O'Donnell, Paula Draper, Terry Plovman, Rosemary Prikasky, Susan Salander, Nancy Shinabery, Pat Skriba, Andy Smalec, Janet Smith, Sharon Snyder, Janet Strachota, Larry Stiles, Judy Ann Thornton, Margaret Thornton, Robert Walker, Rick Warren and Kathy Thornton.

In the junior class 48 students were listed: Susan Babcock, Ruth Ann Baker, Linda Bancroft, Sue Besko, Londa Bradish, Lon Buchele, Julie Byrnes, Paul Byrnes, Mike Chapko, Debra Clark, Pam Coon, Debbie Forrester, Ed Fortier, Sandy Furnish, Monica Gazda, Carl Goodknecht, Bryon Green, Sharon Hines, Rosella Howard, Ruth Ann Hubbard, David Hunt, Dawn Janes, Jacki Kelley, Mary Kusnier, Rozanna Litomisky, Jan

Michutka, Curtis Miller, Sally Miller, Debbie Morgan, Ann Myers, William Orday, Judi Paksi, Vicky Palus, Doug Parmenter, Donella Powelson, Gayla Rasmussen, Rosemary Remnar, Diane Robinson, Corrine Schultz, Connie Smith, Mike Swender, Kathy Szilagyi, Kristin Taft, Linda Vanman, Ann Vleck, Ed Waters, Debra Watson and Suzanne Willett.

In the sophomore class 46 students were listed: Susan Albaugh, Susan Alderman, Sue Austin, Dick Bates, Elaine Bloomer, Dan Bowles, Eric Casler, Annette Chamberlain, Elaine Chapko, Brenda Clark, Linda Cox, Dan Csapos, Barbara Delaney, Elizabeth Ensign, Debra Fett, Shirley Groom, Tom Hachlinski, Dennis Hoshield, Kim Jorae, Kurt Kristin, Dana Lannen, Mark LaRue, Jane Latz, Michael Leslie, Wanda Liberlin, Mike Maag, Ann Marks, Deborah Maron, Tom Miller, Wendy Munson, Monica Nemcik, Greg Palen, Brad Parker, William Parker, Cheryl Porubsky, Tom Pumphord, Gary Rivest, Tom Roof, Cathy Rummell, Steve Simpson, Mary Ann Sovis, Larry Stiles, David Voztrizansky, Duane Wieber, Cal Woodard and Diane Woodworth.

In the freshman class 25 students were listed: Karen Brew-

baker, Sandy Buchele, Sue Chamberlain, Alan Cobb, Linda Copenlin, Larry Csapos, Frank Dudash, Cathy Ensign, Dan Fruchey, John Glowney, Ardith Gruesback, Gerry Hittle, Richard Hood, Darlene Hoshield, Dennis Hunt, Joe Ladiski, Marcia Latham, Ron Mead, Gwyn Nethaway, Margaret Shipley, Brenda Smalec, Patty Sperl, Chris Wortman, David Wyrick and James Ziola.

## Elsie Junior High

**ELSIE**—The honor roll for Elsie Junior High School, for the first semester, had two members of the eighth grade class with an all "A" record; they were Douglas Keck and Jenny Williams. Others on the honor roll were Kim Babcock, Nancy Bohil, Marcia Chapko, Virginia Chapko, Glenna Dobbersten, Dan Egbert, Mary Ann Fabus, Sandra Hashley, Doug Keck, Sue Kaldas, Patty Ladisky, Lori Miller, Toni Porubsky, Kent Schultz, Mary Sovis, Kathy Whelan, and Barbara Williams.

In the seventh grade there were three students who received all "A" records; they were Charles Green, Kirk Schultz and

Steve Szilagyi. Others on the honor roll included Dolores Baese, Kirk Baese, Renee Bashore, Nancy Batora, Jan Blunt, Karen Fett, Kathy Foreit, Tim Glowney, Charles Green, Debra Holton, Daniel Hoshield, Pamela Jewell, Jeff Keck, Denise Kristin, Christine Ladiski, Susan Latz, Stephanie McHargue, Kathleen Moore, Todd Moore, Debbie Ordway, Robert Pattison, Arnold Porubsky, Robin Reha, Tom Rivest, Lella Saxton, Kirk Schultz, Rick Skriba, Janet Strachota, Steve Szilagyi, Patty Tisarek, Paul Thornton, Tom Tomasek and Charles Grieves.

## Ovid Junior High

**OVID**—Students at Ovid Junior High School who received a "B" average or better for the first semester in the eighth grade included Roxanne Ackels, Suzanne Applebee, Mike Baker, Stephanie Bashore, Mark Chamberlain, Dennis Cox, Sue DePond, Dan Duffield, Linda Erfourth, Jaydede Portier, Donna Goodrich, Marilyn Groom, Robin Gurden, Bobette Hubbard, Jim Kelly, Tom Kirinovic, Debbie LeMarble, Rita Lyon, Cathy McDermid, Linda

Morgan, Ricky Rees, Ron Risley, Mary Rodriguez, Judy Schwark and Donna Wilson.

In the seventh grade there were four students who received all "A" records. They were Mary Alice Bates, Randy Pollard, Robin Shively, and ValJene Waydak. Other students on the honor roll included Dawn Applebee, Sheryl Arnett, Irene Poose, Randy Bowles, David Byrnes, Debbie Carpenter, Jean Carr, Kay Chamberlain, Dan Copell, Linda Craig, Mike Criner, Rosemary Darling, Dennis Delaney, Mary Dunay, Joanne Gruesbeck, Robert Hayton, Jim Johnson, Greg Kellogg, Ed Kirby, Debbie Miller, Maurine Purvis, Jim Roes, Karen Sincropi, Barbara Sovie, Dean Wilson, Shirley Wyrick and Cindy Young.

## Bath High School

**BATH**—Ten students with all-U records topped the Bath High School honor roll for the second nine-week period of the current school year, reports the principal's office.

The All-A students include seniors Bobbie Herrguth, Roger Jensen, Mark Ondrias and Mike Walker; juniors Roger Brook, Tom Cooley and Mary Shepard; and sophomores Carol Beachler,

Sue Maciatek and Cynthia Markham.

Other honor roll students are: Seniors: Beverly Beebe, Donald Black, Marsha Brainerd, Martha Brainerd, Dorothy Burleigh, Shirley Derko, Carol Dunaway, Mike Eschtruth, Tom Feguer, Ed Lehman, Wilda McKenzie, Rita Mitchell, Beverly Mollohan, Patrick Munson, Sally Osenga, Diane Palmatier, Mary Rhynard, Dixie Rounds, Chari Ruthruff, Joanne Schroeder, Berta Six, Kathy Smith, Sue Stevens and Vaughn Vondrasek.

Juniors: Wendy Brown, Carolyn Cole, Mike Conley, Dawn Easlick, Gayle Gelsenhaver, Kathy Harris, Sandi Henry, Linda House, Steve Loomis, Nancy Miller, Dede Munson Margo Murray, Penny Osenga, Barbara Peltier, Dave Rasmussen, Margie Rosekrans, Jeri Ruthruff, Marilyn Sidel, Vicky Smith, Victoria Smith and Carolyn Verette.

Sophomores: Debby Barnard, Denise Bos, David Briggs, John Briggs, Cynthia Brown, Janet Cogswell, Steve Covell, Charlice Davis, Neysa Fletcher, Debra Goodwin, Terry Gordiner, Mary June, Eileen Ketchum, Julie Kelsing, Patti Lettimore, Claude McKenzie, Kathy Pardee, Tanya Prince, Charles Smith, Merrilee Smith, Richard Smith, Randy Stallard, Karen Vlaches and Lynn Vletzke.

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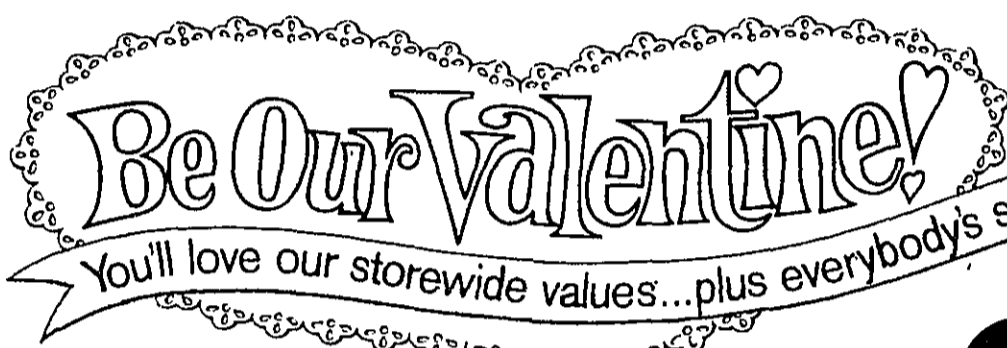
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## Fowler High School

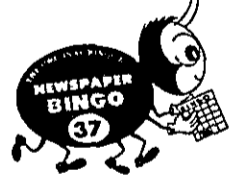
**FWLOR**—The first semester honor roll for Fowler High School had 73 students achieving a "B" or better average for grades eight through twelfth. There were 17 seniors on the list, 27 juniors, 18 sophomores, nine freshmen and two in the eighth grade.

Seniors: Karen Koenigsnecht, Mary Ann Schrauben, Marie Goerge, Louise Thelen, Linda Schaefer, Irene Feldpausch, Diane Fox, Larry Thelen, George Thelen, Linda Thelen, Jane Thelen, Mary Lou Mueller, Joanne Schneider, Linda Simon, Roseanne Smith and Don Thelen.

Juniors: Judy Koenigsnecht, Lois Miller, Shirley Thelen, Don Koenigsnecht, Eva George, Kathy Koenigsnecht, Tom Piggot, Janice Pohl, Keith Thelen, Barbara Vance, Mary Wieber, Rose Wieber, Kathy Epkey, JoAnne Hafner, Bill Klein, Janice Luttig, Dan Schaefer, (Continued on Page 5-B)



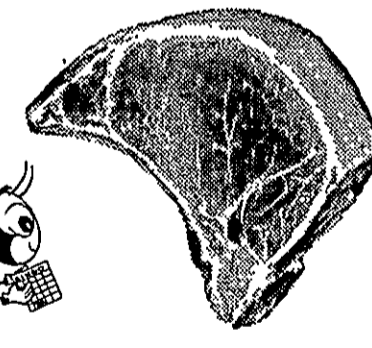
WE ARE NOW ACCEPTING FOOD STAMPS



CENTER CUT PORK CHOPS lb. 69¢



BOSTON BUTT PORK ROAST lb. 49¢



Michigan Grade 1 RING BOLOGNA lb. 49¢

LEAN BONELESS STEWING BEEF lb. 79¢

TIGER TOWN BONELESS CORN BEEF BRISKETS lb. 79¢

HERRUD ALL BEEF FRANKS lb. 69¢

SPARTAN SLICED BOLOGNA REG OR THICK lb. 69¢

TURKEY BREAST lb. 68¢

TENDER, LEAN QUARTER, SLICED PORK LOINS 9-11 Chops lb. 59¢



### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Bids will be accepted on Workmen's Comp., Fire, Wind and Theft, Comprehensive Auto Liability, Comprehensive General Liability, and Inland Marine Equipment.

Bid specifications may be obtained at the Clinton County Road Commission offices at 701 W. State Street, St. Johns, Michigan.



4-H GIRLS GET SOUND ADVICE ON SNACKS

Mrs Louise Smith, RN, of St. Johns spoke at the 4-H Personality Plus meeting in St. Johns Jan. 25 and afterward she discussed snacks more in detail with 4-H'ers Susan Aylsworth, Jackie Correa of Brazil and Janice Woodhams of St. Johns. Mrs Smith points out that the girls should choose their snacks wisely, because different items vary in calories.

Immunization clinic Feb. 19

Next Wednesday, Feb. 19, is the date for the monthly free immunization clinic in Clinton County, sponsored by the Michigan District Health Department. As always, the clinic will be held from 1:30 to 4 p.m. in the basement of the St. Joseph Catholic Church in St. Johns.

There is no charge for the immunization shots, vaccinations and tuberculin skin tests given by the department. Persons of all ages are welcome. Signed permission for the immunizations is necessary for all children, so they must be accompanied by parents.

The clinics will be conducted by Joseph Foust, MD, medical consultant to the department, assisted by the public health nurses. Similar clinics are being held next Monday in Gratiot County and on Tuesday in Montcalm County.

ELSIE STUDENT NAMED TO GOSHEN HONOR ROLL

Miss Karen Kristine Summer, daughter of Mr and Mrs Milo Summer of R-1, Elsie, has been named to the Goshen College (Ind.) honor roll for the fall trimester. She is a senior. Honor roll students have a standing of 3.1 or higher on a 4.0 scale, with no grades lower than C.

Merit Scholarship tests Saturday

Rodney B. Wilson High School students who expect to complete their secondary school requirements and to enter college in 1970 can register now to participate in the 1969-70 National Merit Scholarship Program, Principal B. Stanley Pocus announced today.

The first step is to take the National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (NMQST). The test will be given in the school at 9 a.m. this Saturday, Feb. 15.

Seek postal custodial help

The St. Johns Post Office is accepting applications for custodial labor positions, with duties consisting of maintaining and cleaning the buildings and grounds of the post office. A written test is not required to attain eligibility.

Postmaster J. D. Robinson said the positions are restricted by law to persons who are entitled to veterans preference, but others are eligible to apply in the event of absence of veteran eligibles.

A copy of the employment announcement, which gives full particulars, may be secured at the St. Johns Post Office.

Varsity Club to sponsor homecoming

By ANN THELEN

FOWLER—The queen and king for the 1969 basketball homecoming are Diane Fox and Gary Feldpausch. Their court members are Kathy Schomish, Karen Schomish, Linda Thelen and Rose Smith. Their escorts will be Tom Nobach, Sam Simmon, Doug Messer and Allen Pohl. It will be held Feb. 14 after the game against St. Pat's and will be sponsored by the Varsity Club.

January was March of Dimes month, so to help campaign for it, the FHA conducted a drive on Jan. 17 at the basketball game. A passing sheet was put in front

of the audience during the half-time and \$18.82 was collected. The campaign is still being carried on until the middle of February.

Dr Darrell Thomas, a professor at Western Michigan University, will be the guest speaker at a general assembly on Thursday Feb. 13. This assembly is co-sponsored by the student council and FHA.

Wednesday, Feb. 19, Laingsburg's Band will come to Fowler High for a concert at 11 a.m. They will have dinner here and visit until about 1:15 p.m. Fowler's band will return the compliment by giving a concert at Laingsburg on the following day.

On Feb. 4, the League Student Council met at DeWitt. The representatives from Fowler were Allen Pohl, John Matthews, and Beth Fox.

corporations, foundations, colleges, professional associations, unions, trusts, other organizations, and individuals offer scholarships through the Merit program.

About 18,750 students have won Merit Scholarships in the 13 Merit Programs to date. Approximately 2,900 new winners of Merit Scholarships will enter college in the fall of 1969.

New Pep Club to boast varsity

By FRAN FOWLER Ovid-Elsie High

OVID-ELSIE—Under the supervision of Robert Foreback, a new Pep Club has been formed at Ovid-Elsie.

Four senior girls, Verna Lyon, Fran Fowler, Deana Bashore, and Diane Doubrava are working along with Mr Foreback and the student council to get this organization into full swing.

The Pep Club has been given charge of the sign making machine by the student council. The council also purchased a new supply of paint for them.

The Pep Club is also in charge of the Marauder Victory Hoop which is used for the varsity players at each home game.

They sponsored a cake raffle at a home game in order to raise money for the club.

The junior class has set April 19, as the date for the Junior-Senior Prom. They are presently working on the theme.

The seniors were measured for their caps and gowns on Monday, Feb. 3.

The student council received the new school sweaters. They are blue heather with Ovid-Elsie on them. The pep club has the first chance to buy the sweaters.

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Diane Simon, Marilyn Simon, Sharon Simon, Dan Thelen, Judy Feldpausch, Elaine Harr, Susan Rademacher, Ann Thelen, Agnes Smith, and Gary Weber.

Sophomores: Mary Epkey, Diane Schafer, Pat Simon, Mary Lil Pink, Delores Schrauben, Jane Wieber, Ann Arens, Neil Thelen, Lee Ann Upton, Denise Boak, Rachel Edinger, Karen Feldpausch, Barb Geller, Jill Graff, Jerome Pohl, Ken Schmitt, and Bruce Weber.

Freshmen: Brian Benjamin, Fred Thelen, Carla Miller, William Spitzley, Janice Thelen, Stan Weber, Beth Fox, Mary Lou Fox, and Joan Thelen.

Eighth grade: Karen Goerge and Scott Spicer.

Winter events still highlight tourist calendar

Winter events, with just a touch of spring, highlight the Michigan Tourist Council's calendar of events yet next week. On the schedule are:

Michigan Mobile Homes Assn. Campers Show at the Artillery Armory in Detroit today through Feb. 23; Midwest Snowmobile Championship Race from Manacelona to Bellaire Friday through Sunday; Ice Fishing Festival at the Tawasas Friday through Sunday; Snowmobile Safari at Atlanta Saturday; Cross Country Snowmobile Trek at Copper Harbor Saturday;

Snowmobile Safari in Benzie County Saturday and Sunday; Northern Michigan Speedskating Championships at Alpena Saturday and Sunday; Winter Carnival at Alpena Saturday and Sunday; Kiwanis Ski Tournament at Iron Mountain Saturday and Sunday; Sports Car Ice Run at Grayling Sunday through next Tuesday.

BANKS IN COUNTY CLOSED FOR HOLIDAY Financial institutions around Clinton County are closed today (Wednesday), a legal holiday for the observance of the anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln.

VOTED AGAINST DAYLIGHT TIME Figures show 58 per cent of Clinton County voters cast ballots against daylight savings time in last November's election. Only 16 counties in the state voted in favor of it.

Chuck Berkimer, Dave Blossy, Penny Coin, Elaine Dinstbier, Harmon Everett, Joyce Felzke, Beth Greene, Stephanie Hiatt, Doug Klaver, Susan Kimball, Jeff Kristin, Raymond McNeilly, Gayle Martin, Mike Moody, Anna Penzien, Tom Reed, Marie Singletary, Peggy Spindler, Pam Stone, Kathy Tolson and Vicki Willis.

DeWitt High School

DEWITT—Two seniors and two juniors with all-A averages lead the list of honor roll students announced last week at DeWitt High School.

Seniors Ruth Smith and Dave Horvath and juniors Bettie Soule and Shelly Keek earned the all-A averages. Other honor roll students are:

Seniors: Michael Beach, Linda Berkimer, Barbara Blossy, Carol Botke, Wally Cutler, Linda Chapel, Shirley Coin, Diane Cox, Debbie Devereaux, Linda Everett, Kit Gogarn, Marlene Gorman, Sue Graves, Sue Grinold, Gregg Kirchen, Dennis Morrow, Collin Munroe, Andy Paquet, Lynda Petrowsky, Jim Reed, Karis Shire, Evelyn Smith, Jim Soule, Nancy Thelen and John Traxler.

Juniors: Pam Albertson, Dave Alger, Becky Bouts, Alan Cropsey, Mike Dolby, Joan Ely, Layne Fisher, Debbie Hiatt, Joe LaMacchia, Luis Lupnitz, Shelagh McCarthy, Jan Molitor, Pete Morris, Debbie Ohm, Rita Pelkey, Dave Reed, Linda Reed, Dave Salters, Shirley Savage, Tom Shaver, and Brian Wood.

Sophomores: Debbie Clark, Michele Conkle, Mary Lou Cutsinger, Linda DeLine, Jean Fritz, Jean Green, Marie Harold, John Kransas, Ron Kindel, Susan Lewis, Michael Miller, Cheryl Metzger, Julie Newcombe, Ed Reed, Falth Reed, Valerie Stratt, Carol Tice, Steve Tews and Mark Wheat.

Freshmen: Gary Becker,

Forensics season starts at P-W High

By GAIL COTTER P-W High School

the high school. These students are:

BEWAMO - WESTPHALIA—Forensics season has started at P-W. There are more than 20 students participating this year. This year's reading categories are serious interpretation, declamation, and humorous. The students will practice their readings with their sponsor, Miss Rehner, to prepare for the local contest. Local winners will advance to district and regional contests.

The National Merit Scholarship Test will be given to the P-W Juniors on Saturday, Feb. 15, at

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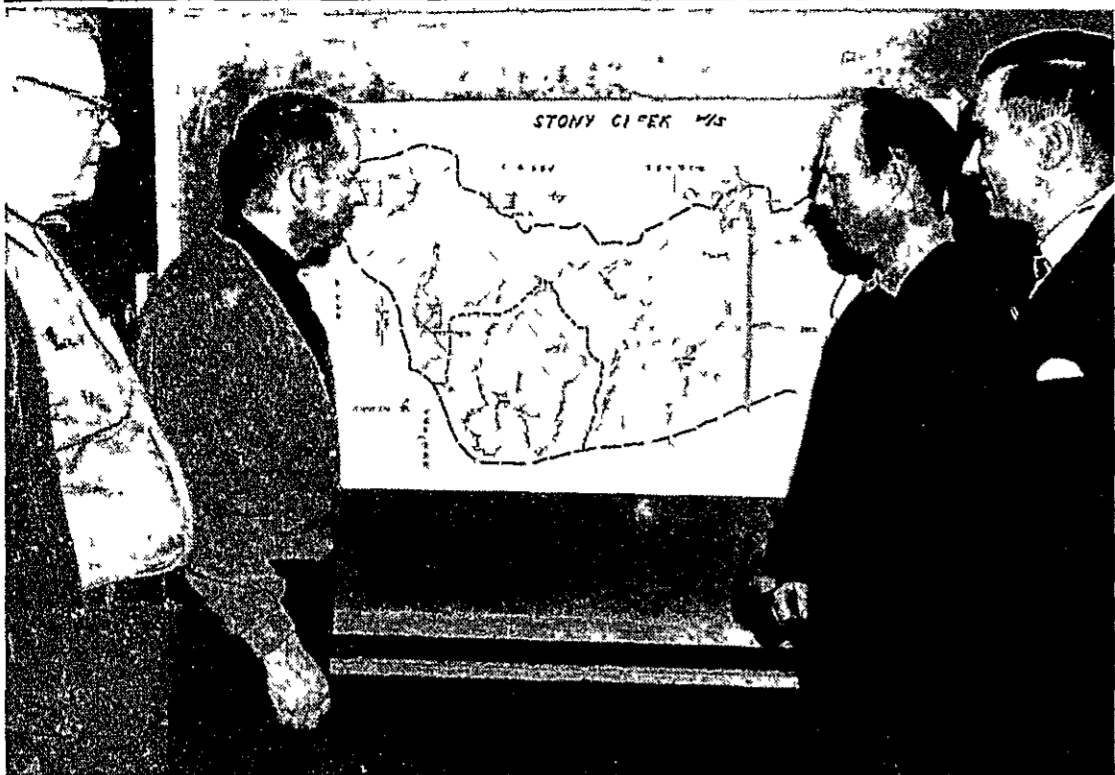
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**STONY CREEK WATERSHED PLANS FORMULATED**

Maps of the proposed Stony Creek Watershed project under Public Law 566 have been prominent at recent public meetings explaining the plan. With this map are Riley Sandborn (left), Ionia County drain commissioner, Ionia SCD Director and Township Supervisor Dale Haney, Clinton SCD Chairman Stanley Baird, and Clinton County Engineer Gerald Wilcox.

**Maple syrup soon on tap**

Maple syrup producers who want to get in on the year's first sap run should have their trees tapped out by March 1, advises a Michigan State University forester.

Dr Melvin R. Koelling says that maple tapping in southern Michigan should begin about mid-February. Initial activity in northern portions of the state is expected to start approximately one month after sap gathering begins in the south. The season usually lasts four to six weeks.

Although many people in Michigan, as elsewhere, have come to think of the maple products business as a declining industry, this assumption is not entirely true, according to Koelling. While the number of maple producers has declined, total production has tended to stabilize in recent years.

"Michigan ranks among the top five states in the annual production of maple products, including 75,000 to 80,000 gallons of syrup," he says. "Still, our potential is 10 to 15 times more than that. We could be putting one million gallons of syrup annually."

THE MSU EXTENSION specialist notes that less than 1 per cent of the state's total maple products potential is being used. He attributes this partly to the fact that the industry has traditionally been closely tied to the "family farm." As the number of family farms declined, the industry became more exclusively the enterprise of the big producer.

"The modern maple producer is now getting involved in all aspects of production, including marketing and the manufacturing of maple sugars, candies and creamers," notes Koelling. "The tourist market is also being greatly exploited."

Labor costs in sap collection have been significantly reduced in recent years through the use of a plastic tubing system which conveys sap from several connected trees to a central collection unit.

**Cow milking more comfortable**

Animal heat and heat from the milk-cooling process can be used to help warm farm milking parlors, reports Truman Surbrook, Michigan State University Extension agricultural engineer.

Heat from these sources, supplemented by gas or electric heat, can keep the milking parlor warm if windbreaks are installed at the entrance to prevent cold air drafts, Surbrook said.

Three factors are involved in the effective and economically heated milking parlor, he noted. They are: 1) insulating buildings to conserve heat, 2) ventilating to get rid of extra moisture, and 3) providing adequate heat in the parlor.

Plans for improving milking facilities can be obtained from the Department of Agricultural Engineering, Michigan State University.

A man's appetite usually lasts longer than his stomach.

Another significant development is the use of vacuum pumps on tap lines. This method, which allows sap to be obtained even on marginal days, can increase sap yield by as much as 100 per cent.

Even though maple producers, both statewide and nationally, have experienced poor seasons for the past two years, Koelling is cautiously optimistic about 1969.

"If the weather cycle balances out," he says, "we can expect to be 'due' for a good year."

**Testing assures quality**

By GEORGE McQUEEN

Careful testing throughout the production of certified seeds guarantees that growers can get a high quality, high yielding crop contends Larry Copeland, Michigan State University crop specialist.

MSU Scientists develop seeds for pure variety and adaptability to particular growing conditions on Michigan farms. These seeds are then distributed to foundation seed growers for multiplying the original lot. The foundation seed is sold to certified seed growers for further increase to make an adequate amount of certified seed available to commercial growers, Copeland explains.

Rules and regulations established by the Michigan Crop Improvement Association are followed during each production stage. Fields are inspected and seed lots must pass laboratory analysis. If requirements for pure variety, freedom of noxious weeds and good germination are met, the seeds are tagged with a blue tag, indicating certified seed.

Copeland explains that planting certified seeds is worth the extra dollars they cost over uncertified seeds.

"The difference in cost between certified seed and home-grown seed of no particular variety is about two dollars per acre," Copeland says. "An extra yield of 2 1/2 bushels of oats or 1 1/2 bushels of barley or little over one bushel of wheat will pay for this difference in cost."

The MSU crop scientist reports that farmers could save millions of dollars each year in crop losses if they would plant certified seeds which are free from blight and bacterial wilt. Certified seeds are more often treated with fungicides and pesticides to prevent seed-borne and soil-borne diseases.

"Weeds can cause a greater crop loss than all insects, plant diseases and animal pests combined," Copeland says. "Certified seeds are checked carefully to make sure they are free of noxious weed seed."

"Cutting expense of seed costs and then overspending other phases of production is no way to gain high profits."



A cleaned out open ditch often looks like this before seeding. The lack of brush and weeds gives water a chance to move freely, aiding drainage and preventing the silting in of the ditch. This was on the Oscar Simon farm in Dallas Township just over a year ago. Note the tile outlet into the ditch.

**Good drainage system needs good maintenance**

by HARRY HARDEN  
Soil Conservation Service  
Cons. Engineering Technician

Today's modern methods of farming call for a better drainage system than ever needed before. These ones today you cannot install and then just forget them. You will need to watch them and take care of them. If you fail to do so, your outlet channels,

ditches or tile may soon become so clogged they will become almost useless.

Clinton County, being relatively flat land, does have a problem of providing adequate surface drainage. In order to keep drains working efficiently, ditches and outlets must be kept open so that water will move more freely.

Also, erosion must be controlled in the system itself and on the tributary area. This can

be done by establishment of proper vegetative cover on the ditch berm and banks. If you have an abrupt change in grade from a field to a collecting ditch, take special plans to control erosion. Sod flumes, pipes, or drop structures will give this control. Weeds, brush and trees reduce the capacity of many ditches one-half to one-third in one to three years.

A properly constructed and well-maintained system of farm drains should remove one to three inches of surface water in 24 hours on the average, depending on the soil, crops, and rainfall to be expected. All public drains in the county are under the supervision of the county drain commissioner. Anyone interested in installing a private ditch, deep or shallow surface drains, may contact the soil conservation district office or Agricultural Stabilization Committee located at 100 S. Ottawa, St. Johns.

**Latest farm equipment scheduled at MSU expo**

Farmers will have the opportunity to view the very latest in fruit and vegetable equipment when some 100 manufacturers exhibit their wares at Michigan State University March 17-21. The exposition is being sponsored by the MSU Department of Agricultural Engineering as part of the university's annual Farmers' Week. Everything from tillage to packaging equipment will be shown on the 12-acre exposition mall located in the heart of the MSU campus, according to Dr Burton F. Cargill, MSU agricultural engineer.

Educational presentations on mechanized production and handling of onions, potatoes, muck crops, fruits and other vegetables also will be featured. Dr Cargill notes that the exposition, mostly housed in circus tents, will be the first of its kind

to be held on the MSU campus.

Farmers' Week annually attracts 20,000 to 50,000 people. The event is strictly educational in purpose, and is the largest event of its kind in the United States for farmers, farm families and friends of agriculture.

**Dairying outlook bright if costs are controlled**

A brightened prospect for maintaining 1968 milk prices for dairymen through 1969 leaves the net profit opportunity directly in the hands of Michigan farmers, according to F. Earl Haas, Clinton County agricultural agent.

Haas noted that support prices on manufacturing milk will be continued at the present \$4.28 per cwt. for the marketing year beginning April 1. This will help to maintain Class 1 milk prices as well as manufacturing milk prices.

Higher prices for milk in the Chicago area and Wisconsin reduce the possibility of distress milk from Wisconsin being shipped into western Michigan. During 1968, as much as 3 per cent of Michigan's total consumption was shipped from Wisconsin during some months.

"With the pressures for outside milk coming into Michigan

reduced," he said, "it is up to Michigan dairy farmers to see that expansion in their own production doesn't get out of line with the growth of Class 1 sales."

Dr John Ferris, Michigan State University agricultural economist, pointed out that the sharply higher milk prices of the last three years coupled with lower feed grain prices make the situation "ripe" for a turn-around in production. The turn-around from a trend to lower milk production has been slow in developing as dairy farmers face rising non-feed costs, particularly on labor.

MSU farm records show dairy farming costs have increased more in recent years than in any other similar period of time, noted Ferris. Farmers have paid a price increase of 3 to 4 per cent per year for production and living expenses.

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**SCS leader's title changed**

The U. S. Soil Conservation Service leader here in Clinton County, Lloyd B. Campbell, is having his title changed from Soil Conservation Service work unit conservationist to Soil Conservation Service district conservationist.

Since the basis of Soil Conservation Service programs has been providing technical assistance to landowners, many of whom are members of their local soil and water conservation districts, the new title—district conservationist—will more accurately reflect his duties and contacts with the public.

But Soil Conservation Service technical assistance in Clinton County is not restricted to landowners belonging to the Clinton County Soil Conservation District. Soil Conservation Service technicians can work with any landowners who have natural resource problems and who want to receive and will apply proper resource conservation information and practices to their lands.

Soil Conservation Service District Conservationist Campbell and his staff members, Orville Beachler and Harry Harden, are headquartered at 100 S. Ottawa Street in St. Johns.

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**Check below the surface**

**Know the soil you build on**

By MID-MICHIGAN HEALTH DEPARTMENT

The above title is the name of a pamphlet that is available through the Soil Conservation or Health Department offices in Clinton County and should be read by every prospective home builder or buyer in the county. Let me relate just a few lines from this pamphlet:

"You buy or build your dream house after months of anxious looking, several visits to the bank, and hours of juggling costs, savings and home needs. The house has everything you think you need: beauty, nice location, satisfactory construction, modern conveniences, enough space, and a price you can almost afford. So you move in, anticipating perhaps, some minor

adjustments — the door may stick or the paint streak.

Then the basement floods, the septic tank doesn't work, the foundation slips or cracks—or your split level house really does split. Your dream house turns into an expensive nightmare.

It can't happen to you, you say—not after poring over blueprints, watching the construction daily, and meeting with your contractor, or after looking at dozens of houses before selecting one to buy. You were so careful to check everything. Everything, that is, but the soil—the basic foundation of your house. The home buyers or builders looked at their homes from the foundation up, forgetting that underneath was soil.

IF YOU ARE planning to buy

or build a house, examine the soil carefully or ask a qualified specialist to do so. Fortunately, much of the soils of Clinton County are mapped and in most cases the Health Department or Soil Conservation Service can advise within a short time if the soil is suitable. It may or may not require an on-site visit.

You may want to come in to one of these offices and look at the soil maps which are available—any one of our personnel will be glad to help you in the reading of these maps if you are not familiar with soils, and this is not often a complicated procedure.

Especially have we attempted to familiarize building contractors, real estate operators, plumbers, septic tank installers, well drillers, etc., with these

maps so they can warn people of the dangers of some types of soils.

Finally, ask yourself some of the following questions if you are going to buy or build: 1. Will the soil support my house without settling or cracking? 2. What about the water table and the soil permeability? Can I dig a basement and keep it dry, or will it flood under certain conditions? 3. Can I use a septic system, or does the soil absorb moisture so slowly that the effluent will come to the surface and create a serious health hazard? 4. Is the lot in a flood plain and subject to flooding from nearby waterways during a heavy storm? 5. Is the lot on a hillside subject to slippage or severe soil erosion? Again, may we say "Know the soil you build on."

**Poor to get ideas on nutrition**

Taking a cue from OEO's (Office of Economic Opportunity) outreach aide techniques, the Department of Agriculture is preparing to launch a nation-wide \$10 million experiment in a people-to-people education campaign, teaching the poor to get more nutrition in their diets.

The five-year project is to be conducted by the Cooperative Extension Service. The money allocated is for the current 1968-1969 fiscal year.

Most of the money will go for the hiring and training of neighborhood aides, mostly women from the low-income groups, who will work in their own areas. Their job will be to visit the poor families and help them learn how to buy the most food value for their money, as well as how to prepare nutritionally complete meals from foods donated under the federal relief food programs.

Officials say that the new nutrition campaign may reach up to 175,000 city and rural families in its first year. They also estimate that some 13 million people in poverty families live on poor diets.

All 50 state Extension services are preparing proposed projects for the campaign which will then be reviewed by federal officials for approval. Officials hope to get a fair balance of service to rural and urban poverty areas in each state.

Shiawassee County has made application for this program.

**Michigan mint outlook bright**

Michigan mint production is making a comeback.

A acreage of peppermint and spearmint has increased by 2,400 since 1965, according to Robert E. Lucas, Michigan State University soil scientist. And even though mint prices may weaken in 1969 because of increased plantings, mint production on will-free land should be a profitable crop.

The Michigan mint crop was only 3,000 acres in 1965 because crops were plagued with verticillium wilt, a soil-borne disease that sharply cut production.

But some of this wilt problem has been solved by the development of an herbicide, "Sinbar" (DuPont Co.), that has reduced the labor cost for weed control, Lucas says. Sinbar also reduces the need for tillage which, in turn, reduces the chances of wind erosion, frost to plants and wilt disease infections to injured plants.

An antidote for snakebite, cobra antivenin, is prepared from the blood of horses that have been injected with gradually increased amounts of venom.

**Crownvetch good for erosion control**

Crownvetch, a viny legume, is a good erosion control plant on well drained soils. A long-lived perennial, it spreads by underground roots and seeds. Crownvetch is winter hardy and somewhat drought tolerant. Its best use is on subsoils such as road cuts, borrow areas, and ditch banks where other legumes are difficult to establish.

In Michigan, the Emerald variety developed in Iowa is preferred. It has more seedling vigor, coarser stems, and larger leaves than Pennngit, another variety developed in Pennsylvania. Emerald crownvetch is not a true vetch, but it gets its name from the crown-shaped flower and vetch-like leaves.

Planting of Emerald was first made in Michigan in 1955. No fertilizer was used on these early plantings, resulting in slow establishment. The U. S. Department of Agriculture has found that even on subsoils, a thin stand with fertilizer will thicken and give complete soil protection in two or three years. Soil Conservation Service District Conservationist Lloyd B. Campbell knows where plantings are located in the area. He can be contacted in his office at 100 S. Ottawa, St. Johns.

TO INSURE A GOOD stand the following factors must be considered:

- 1) Use only on well-drained soils. Some good stands are on ditch banks, but plants have little vigor near the water line or on "seepy" spots.
- 2) Where possible, shape the bank to a 1 1/2:1 to 2:1 slope before seeding.
- 3) When soil is acid, add at

least one ton of lime per acre. Fertilize with about 400 pounds per acre of 0-25-25.

4) Inoculate seed with the specific culture for crownvetch (not vetch).

5) Seed five to 10 pounds per acre. Cover seed with one-fourth to one-half inch of soil or use mulch. Mulch will usually result in the best stand.

6) If soil is extremely erosive, add 15 to 20 pounds of tall fescue seed per acre. This will protect the soil while crownvetch is becoming established. If fescue is used, add about 30 pounds of nitrogen per acre.

7) Avoid the use of 2-4, D sprays and don't mow over twice a year.

ANY COMPETITION from cereals or grasses will increase the time necessary to establish a solid stand of crownvetch. It will usually take two to three years to obtain a complete cover when

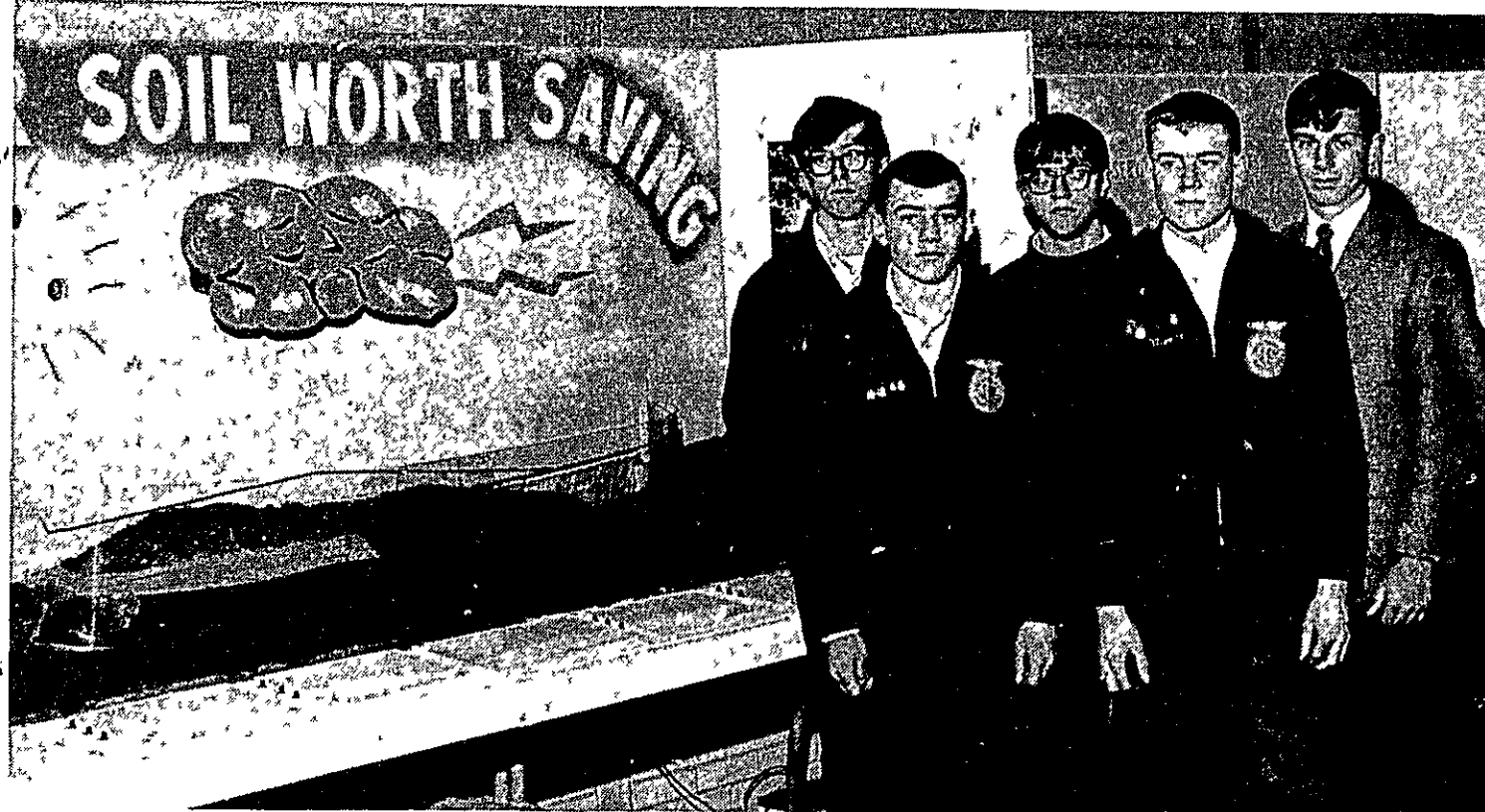


"That's some beat... it's quite catchy!"

mixed with tall fescue. A spring seeding with ample fertilizer on medium textured soils will usually produce a good stand by fall.

On small areas or on banks that are somewhat sandy and droughty, plants may be used. Plants should be placed two or three feet apart, depending on how fast you want the ground to be covered.

This long-lived legume, which is a mass of pinkish flowers during most of the summer, will provide beautiful ground cover for many years.



FFA SOIL CONSERVATION EXHIBIT WINNERS AGAIN.

The Ovid-Elsie FFA chapter repeated this year as winners of the soil conservation display contest at the annual meeting of the Clinton County Soil Conservation District. This year's exhibit featured a question and answer board which, depending on the answer given, produced either sunshine or a rainstorm over a gullied field. Posing with the exhibit are Carl Goodnecht (left), Robert Moore, Jeff Lewis, Carter Moore and David Schwark. The Bath FFA was second and St. Johns chapter third. Cash prizes were awarded in the contest, sponsored by Clinton Crop Service.

**5 from county hear bright reports of NFO progress**

Five Clinton County NFO members were in attendance at a state-county officer meeting at Carson City Feb. 1. Paul Love, Clinton NFO president, reported that efforts of the National Farmers Organization over the past years is bringing results in the meat contracts signed, grain sales made recently and encouraging dairy results.

Love attended the meeting, as did Don Miller of Eagle, state public relations chairman, Christine Gage, state secretary from Clinton, Elmo Giffels and Henry Rupphun.

Miller stressed the importance of getting contract results out to the farmers "so we can say, 'Here is what we can and

are doing for you.'" Keith Downing, director, reported "tremendous gains" made on feed grains in the Texas Panhandle and Kansas area and also on the Idaho area where the NFO members contracted their feed grain for 50 cents cwt. over local market and under a new contract have added another 10 cents cwt.

George Anton, head of the grain department in Michigan, made the flat statement that grain will go NFO in Michigan. He told of many grain sales made in Michigan since harvest and of the price advantage over local elevators.

Of recent meat contracts activated in Michigan, one was a major packer. Two present contracts are up for re-negotiation. Ray Nelson, Flint marketing

area chief, said member cooperation in meat has been very good and is increasing steadily every week. We not only are meeting our contract commitments, but are supplying more animals than the contracts call for. The members are very happy with the extra price these contracts offer," he said.

Elden Jones, director, gave a report on the acceptance that the processing industry is giving NFO. "The processing industry realizes that if the farmers are going down, the processing industry will be pulled down with the farmers," he said.

He added that the processors who are under contract have informed him that they are happy with the orderly fashion NFO meets their contract commitments.

Michigan milk production in 1968 was down 6 per cent from 1967, number of cattle on feed was up 11 per cent, and number of hogs slaughtered was up 2 to 4 per cent, according to a report by MSU agricultural economists.

A tiny and very abundant soil insect, Collembola, is offering Michigan State University scientists hope of eventually eliminating DDT contamination. The insect breaks down DDT to DDE, which is relatively nontoxic to desirable soil organisms and warm-blooded animals, including man.



**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Elsie Common Council Meeting  
JANUARY 29, 1969

Councilman Foran offered the following amended resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolution, Be it resolved by the Village Common Council of the Village of Elsie, Michigan, that it is hereby ordered that the following described property located as follows:

A part of the West 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 11, Township 8 North range 1 West in the Village of Elsie, Clinton County, Michigan and more specifically described as beginning at a point which is determined by commencing at the Southeast Corner of said Section 11 and running thence South 89 degrees-32'-41" West along the South line of said Section a distance of 1,188 feet, thence North 0 degrees-14'-22" West 363 feet along the West line of Knowlton Street to the South line of Pine Street and thence South 89 degrees-32'-41" West 623 feet along the South line of Pine Street, thence North 00 degrees-41'-19" West 211 feet to point of beginning. Thence from point of beginning thus determined running North to Village Corporate limits, thence West to the West Village Corporate line, thence South along said corporate line to a point 211 feet North of the Northwest corner of Lot 7 Block 6 of Cobb-Randall and Woods addition to the Village of Elsie, thence East 848.85 feet to point of beginning, presently zoned residential to be rezoned industrial.

Be it further resolved that the village clerk of the Village of Elsie, Michigan be and hereby directed to give Public Notice by publishing the same for at least two weeks in a newspaper circulated in the Village of Elsie, Michigan. Be it further resolved that the Village Council of the Village of Elsie, Michigan shall meet in the Council rooms in the village library of said village on Monday, February 24, at 8:00 p.m. for the purpose of hearing any and all objections to the rezoning of aforesaid property.

The above resolution was supported by Trustee Blunt, Ayes 6, nays 0.

**LENORE FORAN**  
Village Clerk

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John Deere 4010 Diesel,  
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# Proceedings of the Clinton County Board of Supervisors

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1968

The Clinton County Board of Supervisors met on the above date at 10:00 a.m. Prayer was offered by Supervisor Gove. A pledge of allegiance was given to the flag. Roll was called and a quorum reported. Minutes of the last session were read. Additions were made and then approved as corrected.

As the term of Warren Coffman as a member of the social services board expires November 1, 1968, it was moved by Gove, supported by Moore, to re-appoint Warren Coffman to the Social Services Board for a term of three years. It was moved by Nelson, supported by Opendlander, to close nominations and cast a unanimous vote for Mr. Coffman. Voted and carried.

The Chairman appointed the board as a committee of the whole to attend Michigan State Association of Supervisors' annual meeting to be held at the Jack Tar Hotel in Lansing, December 9-12.

In regards to the claim for damages for removal of trees by the road commission by residents of DeWitt Township; the Chairman referred the matter to the Highway and Drain Committee to investigate and make a report. The road commission appeared in a body to present the road commission's version of the controversy. Mr. Haske, explained the facts relating to the above matter. Considerable discussion followed.

A request from the Tri-County Planning Commission for an additional appropriation of \$1,437.45 annually from the Clinton County Board of Supervisors for the next four years and also an additional annual payment of \$470.15 for the next four years from the Clinton County road commission, to complete the soils mapping of Clinton County was presented. Considerable discussion on this matter followed. The Board feels that the original soils mapping agreement needs reviewing. William Roman, Director of Tri-County Planning Commission, appeared to explain the program and answer questions pertaining to it. Action on the matter was deferred until the p.m. session.

Supervisor Smith reports that unauthorized persons are attempting to pick up dogs in Clinton County. It is moved by Smith, supported by W. Thelen that lettering or signs be placed on the Dog Wardens' trucks. Voted and carried.

Supervisor Shinabery moved, supported by Hundley, that the clerk be instructed to advertise a public hearing on the budget and make copies of the same available to the public. Voted and carried.

Supervisor Moore, reporting for Highway and Drain Committee, reviewed the present pay received by County Road Commission members.

Supervisor Gove, reporting for Health Committee, brought up the matter of the Youth Opportunity Center, he feels that we should do all possible to help our Youth Movement. Discussion followed. There is a feeling that there is an overlapping of some government programs. Moved by Gove, supported by Smith to endorse such a program. After discussion, Supervisor Smith, withdrew his support.

It was moved by Smith, supported by Hufnagel to pay Supervisors' expense accounts as presented. Voted and carried. The Chairman then declared a recess for lunch.

### P.M. SESSION

In regards to the request made by Tri-County Planning Commission for an additional appropriation of \$1,437.45 for soil mapping; it was moved by N. Thelen, supported by Shepard, to approve the request as presented with the stipulation that this complete the appropriation as conditional on the other governmental units involved making a like and proportionment commitment and that this motion in no way involves or obligates the Clinton County Road Commission. On roll call vote those voting aye were Supervisors Shepard, Gove, Moore, Howe, Shinabery, Austin, W. Thelen, Underhill, Opendlander, Hundley, Coletta, Serrine, and Lankford. Nay—Mayers, Hufnagel, Nelson, Settingington, Nobis, Barks, W. Thelen and Smith, 13 ayes, 8 nays and 1 absent. Motion declared carried.

Moved by Gove, supported by Smith, that the Clinton County Board of Supervisors go on record as requesting the Michigan Employment Security Commission, to establish a branch office in St. Johns for a Youth Opportunity Center. On a roll call vote those voting aye were Supervisors Shepard, Settingington, Underhill, W. Thelen, Hundley and Coletta. Nays—Mayers, Gove, Hufnagel, Nelson, Moore, Howe, Shinabery, Nobis, Barks, Austin, N. Thelen, Opendlander, Serrine, Smith and Lankford, 6 ayes, 15 nays and 1 absent. Motion declared lost.

Supervisor Hufnagel, reporting for Agriculture Committee on supplying a telephone answering service for the Dog Wardens, states that the committee recommends it and he moved, supported by Nelson, to install for a three-month trial basis the above answering service. Voted and carried.

In the matter of furnishing a pickup truck for the Dog Wardens; after discussion the matter was referred to the Agriculture Committee, also the signs or lettering on their trucks.

Moved by Smith, supported by Shinabery to close the courthouse, Friday, November 29, 1968. On a show of hands, voting ayes 10, nays 11, 1 absent. Motion declared lost.

Supervisor Barks, reporting for Zoning Commission, states the reviewing of the new ordinance will be completed about November 13. The procedure to adopt: Advertise 30 days prior to a public hearing and its final adoption and to complete this yet this year requires a very tight schedule and will require some planning.

In the matter of supplying office equipment for the new District Court the Chairman instructed the Records Committee to meet with the newly elected District Judge to select office furniture and equipment for the new District Court and its offices.

Roland Duguay appeared and gave the Board his opinion on publishing and adopting the new zoning ordinance.

The following resolution was moved by Barks, supported by Nelson, that the Zoning Committee and the Zoning Commission be authorized and instructed to publish and make all provisions for hearings to be held necessary to the completion and adoption of the new amendment to the Clinton County Zoning Ordinance. This motion was voted upon and carried.

There being no further business to come before this meeting the Chairman declared the meeting adjourned until December 2, 1968 at 10:00 a.m.

WALTER G. NOBIS  
Chairman

ERNEST E. CARTER  
Clerk

MONDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1968

The Clinton County Board of Supervisors met on the above date at 10:00 a.m. Prayer was offered by Supervisor Smith. A pledge of allegiance was given to the flag. Roll was called and a quorum reported. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Communications were read. A letter from William Graef, District Manager of General Telephone, states that he hopes to have the switchboard survey ready for the January meeting. A resolution from Washtenaw County, petitioning the Governor and the Legislature to review the Social Services and Welfare programs in all counties in the State, was read. Moved by Smith, supported by Settingington, to concur with the resolution. Voted and carried.

### RESOLUTION

WHEREAS the State Department of Social Services has announced that there has been a \$7,000,000.00 reduction in the welfare appropriation for the fiscal year of 1969, and

WHEREAS the State has likewise announced its intention to discontinue a variance in rates between medical care facilities and convalescent homes, and

WHEREAS the costs of operating a medical care facility are far in excess of the operation of an ordinary convalescent home, inasmuch as the patients ordinarily cared for at medical

care facilities are usually more acutely ill and in need of more intensive care than that provided in private convalescent homes, and

WHEREAS the present medical care facility rates are entirely inadequate to care for acutely ill patients who require substantially more care than those in private convalescent hospitals.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Clinton County Board of Supervisors does hereby express its opposition to the reduction of \$7,000,000.00 in the welfare appropriation under Act 3344 of 1968 for the year of 1969, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clinton County Board of Supervisors expresses its opposition to the discontinuance of a variance in rates between those which may be paid to a medical care facility and a convalescent home for the reason above set forth, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clinton County Board of Supervisors does express its dissatisfaction with the current rate structure with respect to the care of acutely ill patients, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution may be sent to each of the State Representatives representing the citizens of this County and also a copy thereof to be sent to the State Senator representing this senatorial district and to all County Boards of Supervisors.

Supervisors Barks, Chairman of Zoning Committee, called upon County Prosecutor, Roland Duguay, to present and explain the Resolution concerning advertising and holding a public hearing, necessary for the final adoption of the amendment to the present Zoning ordinance.

It was moved by Barks, supported by Nelson, to adopt the following Resolution.

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

THIS IS TO ADVISE that a public hearing will be held at the Clinton County Courthouse, in the City of St. Johns, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. (E.S.S.) on the 23rd day of December, 1968. Said hearing shall be for the purpose of considering a tentative zoning ordinance and maps formulated to become effective for Clinton County as a whole, outside the limits of incorporated cities and villages thereof, and that the tentative text and maps of said formulated zoning ordinance may from the 13th day of December, until said public hearing time be examined at the office of the Clinton County Clerk during regular business hours and while the Clinton County Courthouse is open to the public. The Clinton County Clerk's Office is located on the first floor of the Clinton County Courthouse in the City of St. Johns, Michigan.

Dated this 2nd day of December, 1968

### CLINTON COUNTY ZONING COMMISSION

By Alden Livingston, Chairman

Voted and carried. A communication from the State Department of Mental Health notifying us of their approval of Clinton County joining the Tri-County Community Mental Health Services Board was read and placed on file.

The Clerk read a notice of the State Association of Supervisors, Annual Meeting and an invitation to attend it. There will be a special program honoring members with 25 years or more of service. A letter from Harold Armstrong, stating that he, as our 6th District Representative, will consider resolutions to be presented at the State Association of Supervisors annual meeting to be held December 9, 10, 11 and 12.

A Resolution from Muskegon County was read and referred to the Health Committee for a recommendation in p.m. Session. Moved by Shinabery, supported by Hufnagel, to instruct the County Engineer to make a survey and present a proper legal description of a portion of the County Farm, contiguous to the portion sought by the County Road Commission. After considerable discussion the motion was voted and carried.

Probate Judge Green appeared and stated that the statute states that beginning January 1, 1969, Probate Court will be required to take a tape recording of Probate Court proceedings. He can secure satisfactory equipment for \$632.10. Moved by Kemper, supported by Nelson, that the Probate Judge be authorized to purchase the necessary equipment in an amount not to exceed \$700.00. Voted and carried.

Clerk Carter, read the law as pertaining to the forming of a new Elections Commission to be appointed by the Board. The list of nominees is not ready at this time; he hopes to have this ready for the next meeting.

William Roman of Tri-County Planning Commission, presented proposed change to the present by-laws to allow for increased representation on the commission board.

### ARTICLE II - MEMBERS AND COMPENSATION

SECTION 1: The Commission shall be composed of TWELVE members; 4 from Ingham, 4 from Clinton, 4 from Eaton County; that among the appointments there shall be one supervisor from each county BOARD OF SUPERVISORS and two other persons from each county who are not elected officials; AND ONE MAYOR, VILLAGE PRESIDENT OR TOWNSHIP SUPERVISOR; that the Chairman of each of the three Boards of Supervisors and certain other County officials, to be determined from time to time by the Commission, become ex-officio members thereof, without vote; that all members, other than ex-officio members be appointed by the respective Chairman of the three Boards of Supervisors, subject to confirmation by their respective boards; and that all ex-officio members be considered appointed for one year or for the duration of their term of office, whichever is shorter; that the said voting COUNTY SUPERVISOR MEMBERS AND THE CITY, VILLAGE OR TOWNSHIP MEMBERS be appointed for a term of one year, that the non-elected members shall be appointed for alternate terms of two years.

Moved by Kemper, supported by Settingington, to concur with the amendment as presented and that Norman Thelen be named our township supervisor representative to serve until the April reorganizational meeting. Voted and carried.

Supervisor Barks, chairman of zoning committee, presented a resolution honoring Clyde Morrill, as a past member of Clinton Zoning Commission. Moved by Barks, supported by Austin, to adopt the resolution. Voted and carried.

WHEREAS Clyde Morrill was a faithful servant of the people of Clinton County, having given many years as zoning commissioner of the County, and

WHEREAS Clyde Morrill has rendered invaluable assistance to the Board of Supervisors of Clinton County in the performance of its duties, and

WHEREAS the zoning commission and board of supervisors are deeply appreciative of the excellent service rendered to the people of Clinton County by Clyde Morrill,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the board of supervisors of Clinton County express the high esteem in which they hold the memory of Clyde Morrill and their appreciation for his years of service to the people of Clinton County.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution be published in the official minutes of the Clinton County Board of Supervisors, and a suitable copy thereof be presented to Richard L. Morrill as a token of appreciation by this Board.

ZONING COMMITTEE,  
Earl T. Barks, Chairman  
Russell Howe  
Reginald E. Nelson  
Norman M. Thelen  
Herman Opendlander

Supervisor, N. Thelen, then moved to take from the table and he then presented the following resolution.

### RESOLUTION

By the Board of Clinton County Supervisors

WHEREAS: This Country destroys more its environment,

by ill-advised planning, or exploitation, than any other country on earth, and

WHEREAS: Sand and Gravel Excavators and Quarry and Mining Companies are among the worst offenders, in that they ruin our landscape by removing their materials and leaving the area a wasteland, and

WHEREAS: With proper planning and landscaping, these lands could be filled and leveled or otherwise restored to continued usefulness and provide for parks, recreational and development areas, and

WHEREAS: This would greatly enhance the beauty of our countryside and thereby benefit the entire community,

THEREFORE: BE IT RESOLVED, that the Clinton County Board of Supervisors go on record, favoring legislation, requiring sand and gravel companies and mining operators to provide for the rehabilitation of the excavated area, by filling and grading the land and restoring the area for recreational purposes so it can again be made beneficial to the community.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be sent to Gov. Romney, Senator Lockwood, Representatives Ballenger and Allen, the Michigan Association of Supervisors, the Michigan Townships Association and the Sixth District Association of Supervisors.

Adopted December 2, 1968

WALTER G. NOBIS, Chairman  
Clinton County Board of Supervisors

ERNEST E. CARTER,  
Clerk

Moved by N. Thelen, supported by Barks, to adopt the Resolution. Voted and carried.

Supervisor W. Thelen, reports the hiring of Leon Thelen as assistant equalization director, Mr Thelen begins work December 2, 1968.

Moved by Nelson, supported by Austin, that the building superintendent be authorized to begin constructing partitions in the present supervisors' room tomorrow, December 3. Voted and carried.

The chairman then declared a recess for lunch.

### P.M. SESSION

William Coffey, zoning administrator, presented the action taken by and the recommendations of the Clinton County zoning commission.

Item I.—Bath Township (Carl Schlegel, Inc.) Approval and recommendation for a sand and gravel operation on the following described parcel of land:

The East 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 19, T5N, R1W. Comments and action taken; A motion was made by H. L. Brook to recommend to Board of Supervisors the above parcel for a sand and gravel operation. Motion seconded by Max Loud-enbeck. Carried.

Moved by Barks, supported by Moore, to concur with the action of the zoning committee. Voted and carried.

### In Watertown Township

Item I.—Watertown Township (Vector Construction Company). From Zone D, agriculture to Zone G, Industrial:

A part of the E1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 36, T5N, R3W, Watertown Township, Clinton County, Michigan, described as follows: Beg. at a point which is S. 429 ft. from the NE cor. of sd. E 1/2 of the SE 1/4, th. W. 50', th. S1/4// to and 50 feet from the c/1 of Airport Rd. as relocated, to a point which is N. 1650 ft. from the S. line of sd. Sec. 36, th. W. to the shore of the lake; th. SWly alg. the shore of the lake to a point which is 275 feet East of the West line of said E 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of and // to the c/1 of US-16, th. NWly // to and 90 feet from said c/1 of US-16 to SE quarter; to a point directly West of the point of beginning, thence East to the point of beginning.

Comments and action taken: Tentative plan for development presented and discussed. Applicant presented letters from Watertown Township and Watertown Township planning commission. These letters contain a few suggestions and restrictions which the applicant has agreed to comply with.

We appreciate that it may increase traffic, but believe that the problem is already there and must be taken care of by the Highway Commission. This project may hasten the Highway Improvement Program.

A motion was made by H. L. Brook to recommend to the board of supervisors, this zone change. Motion seconded by Ray Hamer. Motion carried.

Applicant agrees to comply with restrictions of State and County Road Commission, Airport Authority, Township Planning Commission, Health Department and Zoning Office. These restrictions are on file in the Zoning Office and also follow: This property will not interfere with construction or relocation of Airport Road. It will be held open from six (6) months to one (1) year as stated.

(THE FOLLOWING ARE RESTRICTIONS DRAWN UP BY WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION)

TO WATERTOWN CHARTER TOWNSHIP BOARD FROM WATERTOWN CHARTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION.

RE: REQUEST BY VECTOR CONSTRUCTION COMPANY REZONING FROM AGRICULTURAL TO G, LIGHT INDUSTRIAL OF: Part of the E 1/2 of SE 1/4, Sec. 36, T5N, R3W, Watertown Township, Clinton County, Michigan; also desc. roughly as the NW triangle, irregular, of the intersection of Airport Rd. and US-16, in Watertown Township, Clinton County, Michigan.

IT IS THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE WATERTOWN CHARTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION TO THE TOWNSHIP BOARD AS FOLLOWS:

That the property be rezoned from agricultural to G, light industrial, subject to the following requirements:

1. That provision be made with the present owner and its successors and assigns that they will participate in the development of any future storm sewers, sanitary sewers, and water development, sponsored by the township.

2. That the development be laid out under the provisions and with the approval of the Michigan State Highway Department and the Clinton County Road Commission as to the ingress and egress to the property.

3. That the development meet all of the requirements of the State, County and Township health departments.

4. That the development conform to the requirements of the Clinton County Zoning Ordinance.

5. It is further recommended that a fence along the cemetery side be cyclone with plastic weaving for the purpose of screening the property from the cemetery; shrubbery as a buffer zone to be planted in the near future as feasible.

6. No building shall be commenced with the exception of the office building which is to be located in the northwest corner of the property, until such time as the fill has been completed. Said office building shall be for the use of the developer.

7. At such time as the Clinton County Zoning Office has justification that the facility is inadequate to handle a given number of employees, the Clinton County Zoning Commissioner shall make such determination and it shall be binding upon the developer and its lessees, successors or assigns.

Respectfully submitted,

LEON CLARK, Chairman  
Watertown Charter Township  
Planning Commission

Moved by Moore, supported by Shepard, to concur with the action of the Zoning Committee. Voted and carried.

The Chairman called a meeting of the present County Board of Supervisors to be held at the courthouse at 8:00 p.m., December 4, 1968. The state auditors will be present to explain the new county accounting system.

Supervisor Hufnagel reported on progress in placing signs on dog wardens' trucks and in stalling phone answering service.

Supervisor Gove, reporting for the Health Committee, reports George Eberhard, Social Services Director, views on the reduction in medical care services as outlined by the resolution from Muskegon County Board of Supervisors. He feels that this change will not affect us greatly at this time, as we do not have county medical care facilities in our county at present. Discussion followed. Moved by Gove, supported by Shepard, to concur with the resolution, and that copies be sent to Michigan Township Association, State Association of Supervisors, Senators and Representatives. Voted and carried.

As this is the time appointed to conduct a public hearing on the budget for 1969, the chairman declared the meeting open for discussion at 2:05 p.m. No one was present except members of the Board. Supervisor Kemper then moved to close the budget hearing, supported by Nelson. Voted and carried.

YOUR COMMITTEE OF APPROPRIATIONS WISH TO REPORT AS FOLLOWS, AND RECOMMEND THAT THE FOLLOWING BE SPREAD ON THE 1968 TAX ROLLS, OF CLINTON COUNTY:

CONTINGENT FUND	\$562,039.47
TOTAL WELFARE	126,000.00
COUNTY DRAIN AT LARGE	12,000.00
MISCELLANEOUS APPROPRIATIONS	17,700.00
(MILLS) 5.5346569	\$717,739.47
COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION	75,000.00
(To be used only for matching funds)	
(MILLS) .578343	
(TOTAL MILLS 6.112999)	\$792,739.47

ALL MONIES VOTED AND ALLOCATED IN THE VARIOUS TOWNSHIPS, VILLAGES AND CITIES FOR GENERAL FUND OF DEBT SERVICE.

ALL MONIES VOTED AND ALLOCATED TO THE VARIOUS SCHOOL DISTRICTS IN THEIR RESPECTIVE TOWNSHIP OR CITY FOR OPERATION EXPENSE, DEBT SERVICE, SPECIAL EDUCATION, EXTRA VOTED OPERATING AND INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL.

ALL DRAIN TAXES WHICH WERE AUTHORIZED AND ASSESSED BY THE DRAIN COMMISSIONER ON VARIOUS DRAINS IN THE COUNTY.

ALSO ALL REJECTED TAXES, IF THERE BE ANY. See October 21, 1968 minutes for County Budget Request 1969 on Page 69.

### COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE

Derrill Shinabery, Chairman  
George Austin  
Elden Smith  
William Kemper  
William Hufnagel

Moved by Shepard, supported by Smith, to adopt the County Budget as presented. Voted and carried.

Re: A hearing on the claim for damages for tree cutting. The Chairman instructed the highway and drain to establish a date for a hearing on the above matter.

The Chairman appointed the Board as a committee of the whole to attend the 6th District meeting of supervisors to be held at Mason December 19, 1968.

Supervisor Smith moved, supported by Shepard, that Prosecutor-elect Patrick Kelly be placed on the payroll as of December 16, 1968 and that Mr Kelly be allowed expenses incurred in attending a meeting for newly elected county officials to be held in Lansing, December, 2, 3, and 4th. Voted and carried.

Supervisor Underhill, reporting for records and equipment committee, on files and furnishings for the new district court, the committee has met and some furnishings have been ordered.

Mr Duguay, appeared to answer questions and offer his suggestions. Supervisor Austin stated that arrangements have been made for construction of the platform and judge's bench. Supervisor Underhill presented a list of the equipment needed for the new court offices. Moved by Shinabery, supported by Nelson, the records and equipment committee be given power to act in purchasing the necessary equipment for the new district court. Voted and carried.

Supervisor Shinabery then presented the request of the new district court for establishing a new law library in the amount of \$2,000.00. Moved by Nelson, supported by Shinabery, to approve this amount on a roll call vote. Those voting aye were Supervisors Hufnagel, Nelson, Moore, Howe, Shinabery, Nobis, Barks, Austin, Underhill, W. Thelen, Hundley, Coletta, Serrine, Smith and Lankford. Those voting nay were Supervisors Shepard, Mayers, Gove, Settingington and N. Thelen. Ayes, 15, nays, 5 and 2 absent. Motion declared carried.

Supervisors Smith, reporting for the salary and clerk hire committee, recommends that the salary of the magistrate be set in range 9, \$7,000.00 to \$10,000.00. Supervisors Smith moved, supported by Barks, to approve the committee recommendation, the chief magistrate to also serve as chief magistrate and court administrator. Moved by Lankford, supported by W. Thelen, to table the above motion in order to enable the committee to meet and make a committee recommendation. Supervisor Lankford, with the consent of his support, then withdrew his motion. Supervisor Shinabery then moved to amend, supported by Nelson, power to act in establishing the salary for the magistrate. Voted and carried, the motion as amended was then voted upon and carried.

Ad the term of H. L. Brook as a member of the zoning appeal board expires December 31, 1968, it was moved by Barks, supported by Shepard, to re-appoint Mr Brooks to a three-year term on the zoning appeal board. Voted and carried.

The term of Clarence Mead, a member of the zoning appeals board, also expires December 31, 1968. It was moved by Austin, supported by Hufnagel, to re-appoint Mr Mead to the zoning appeal board, for a three-year term. Voted and carried.

Supervisors Lankford reported that Dale Robinson, from the St. Johns American Legion, is going to check out the price of having "Clinton County Veterans" grave markers cast for the county. He will let Rex Serrine, or the county clerk know what the price will be, also he will take charge of painting and distribution of them if so desired.

The Chairman then declared a recess. Supervisor Shinabery suggested a regularly scheduled meeting of township supervisors and mayors who are vitally interested in county government, to discuss mutual problems relating to local government and to keep abreast of current affairs.

Gerald Shepard, speaking for Michigan State Association of Supervisors, states that the association recommends that the county be encouraged to call in assessors of both township and city at equalization time to state their views and settle mutual problems.

The chairman and several supervisors expressed their appreciation to the present board of supervisors for their help and co-operation in conducting the affairs of the county. In regards to the salaries of appointed commission as spelled out in act 351.

It was moved by Shinabery, supported by Howe, that the compensation of the appointive boards remain the same as the present pay or \$20.00 per day. Voted and carried.

Lowell Rinker expressed his pleasure and appreciation of the fine cooperation that he has experienced with the Clinton County Board of Supervisors. Betty Minsky echoed the same sentiment, also. Several others expressed their pleasure with the fine cooperation that they have enjoyed in working with this board of supervisors.

There being no further business to come before the board at this time the chairman declared the board recessed until Wednesday, December 4, 1968 at 8:00 p.m.

(See SUPERVISORS, Page 11B)

Supervisor Proceedings

(Continued from Page 10B)

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1968, 8:00 p.m.

The meeting was called to order at 8:15 p.m. by Chairman Nobis. Supervisors Shinabery then moved, supported by Austin, to dispense with reading the minutes and to proceed with the meeting. The motion was then voted and carried.

Chairman Nobis then introduced Richard Dell of the State Auditor's Department, who proceeded to explain the new accounting system now being introduced and being put into practice in Clinton County. He proceeded to explain the code system which he states is at present a modified computer system now being hand worked which will eventually develop into a mechanized computer system, uniform throughout the State. He then opened the meeting for discussion and answered questions pertaining to the same.

Supervisor Shepard, reporting for the Salary and Clerk Hire Committee, presented the following report:

We, your Salary and Clerk Hire Committee, recommend the following wage classifications and salary for the new District Court:

Table with 2 columns: Class, Rate. Rows include Deputy Clerk, Bailiff, and various hourly rates.

It was then moved by Shepard, supported by Lankford, to approve the recommendation of the Salary and Clerk Hire Committee. Voted and carried.

It was moved by Kemper, supported by Hufnagel, that County Clerk and County Prosecutor Duguay and two other persons to be named by Mr Duguay, be authorized to attend a training seminar for District Court Administrators to be held at East Lansing, December 13 and 14, Voted and carried.

It was moved by Shepard, supported by Nelson to close the courthouse at 12:00 o'clock noon December 24 and December 31. Voted and carried.

The Chairman declared the meeting recessed until December 23 at 10:00 a.m.

WALTER G. NOBIS, Chairman

ERNEST E. CARTER, Clerk

MONDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1968

The Clinton County Board of Supervisors met on the above date at 10:00 a.m. Prayer was offered by Supervisor Nelson. A pledge of allegiance was given to the flag. Roll was called and a quorum reported. Minutes of the last meeting and intervening meeting were read and approved.

Drain Commissioner Dale Chapman appeared and presented a resolution requested by the drain commission of Shiawassee County.

RESOLUTION

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 2 of Act 40, Public Acts of Michigan, 1956, as amended, the Clinton County Board of Supervisors approve the request of Fred W. Baker, Shiawassee County Drain Commissioner, to extend the VAN DEUSEN DRAIN, located in Sections 16 and 21, Fairfield Township, Shiawassee County, Michigan, a distance of thirty (30) rods in a westerly direction from the Meridian Road (county line) to the Shiawassee & Clinton No. 2 Inter County Drain in Clinton County.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that extending the VanDeusen Drain is for a proper outlet and not for the purpose of draining any lands in Clinton County, and there will be no assessment levied against Clinton County at large or apportioned.

WALTER G. NOBIS, Chairman

ERNEST E. CARTER, Clerk

Date December 23, 1968

It was moved by Moore supported by Austin to concur with the resolution. Voted and carried. Mr. Chapman then expressed his appreciation of the fine cooperation the Board has extended to him and his office. He also spoke of impending legislation affecting county drains.

The road commission appeared and Mr. Haske, presented a resolution seeking to borrow \$150,000.00 to purchase a supply of gravel for road construction in the southern part of the county. Discussion followed. Moved by Shinabery, supported by Nelson, to concur with their request. On a roll call vote those voting aye were supervisors Mayers, Gove, Hufnagel, Nelson, Moore, Setterington, Shinabery, Nobis, Austin, N. Thelen, Underhill, Openlander, W. Thelen, Sirlrine and Lankford. Those voting nay were none. Ayes, 16; Nays, none; Absent, 6. The motion declared carried. The chairman expressed his thanks to all who worked so faithfully on the drafting of this amendment.

The Board wishes to express its thanks to the courthouse officials and employees for the noon lunch, it was greatly appreciated.

WALTER G. NOBIS, Chairman

ERNEST E. CARTER, Clerk

Paul Nobis, chairman of the road commission thanked the board for their fine cooperation and pleasant relations in working with the existing Board.

A bill from Lundy Motor Sales, in the amount of \$83.76 for spraying the 4-H grounds was presented. It was moved by Lankford, supported by Hufnagel, to pay this bill. Voted and carried.

Re: To placing an order for Veterans' grave markers. It was moved by Lankford, supported by Moore, to authorize the placing an order with advance Castings Company for 500 markers. Voted and carried.

Re: To appointing a county election commission, Supervisor Nelson, nominated Oliver Angell to serve as a Township Representative, supported by Lankford. Voted and carried.

Supervisor Austin then nominated, supported by Nelson, Richard Depong to serve as a school board member representative. Supervisor W. Thelen nominated, supported by N. Thelen, Frances Trierweiler, also as a school board member. Nominations were then closed and ballots cast. Richard DePond received 9 votes, Francis Trierweiler received 7 votes. Mr. DePond declared elected.

Supervisor Coletta, nominated Tom Hundley to serve as a city representative, supported by Openlander. Nelson moved supported by Mayers, to close nominations and to instruct the clerk to cast a unanimous ballot for Tom Hundley. Voted and carried. Thomas Hundley declared elected.

A Resolution offered by Roland Duguay, authorizing the hiring of Gordon Willyoung as chief magistrate at a salary of \$10,000.00 per year, was read. It was moved by Lankford, supported by Openlander, to table the resolution. Voted and carried. Moved by Nelson, supported by Austin, to take from the table for consideration the resolution. Voted and carried.

Roland Duguay appeared and explained the magistrates duties as outlined in the resolution. Moved by Nelson, supported by Lankford, to approve the resolution. Voted and carried.

It was moved by Nelson, supported by Moore, to approve supervisors' expense accounts as presented. Voted and carried.

P. M. SESSION

Supervisor Austin, reporting for the building and grounds committee, stated that the work on the district court is progressing but states that additional paneling has been ordered and construction on the paneling is temporarily awaiting the shipment of the additional paneling.

Supervisor Sirlrine, stated that a veteran with a service-connected disability will be allowed a \$3500.00 exemption. Exemptions will be allowed on a graduated scale, to take effect for 1969. The

scale appears on the back of the 1969 forms. The petition to incorporate a portion of DeWitt Township into a new city, was presented. Discussion followed.

Supervisor Nelson stated his views on the subject and gave his reasons for it. Moved by Supervisor Nelson, supported by Hundley, that the resolution be adopted and that the election date be named Tuesday, November 4, 1969. On a roll call vote, those voting aye were Supervisors Hufnagel, Nelson, Moore, Setterington, Shinabery, Nobis, Austin, N. Thelen, Underhill, Openlander, Hundley and Coletta. Those voting nay were Supervisors Mayers, Gove, W. Thelen, Sirlrine and Lankford. Ayes, 12; nays, 5; absent, 5. Motion declared carried.

Supervisor Underhill, reporting for Records and Equipment on progress in securing equipment for the new district court. The Chairman then declared a short recess.

After being again called to order, Lorenz Tiedt appeared and distributed portions of the State Tax Commission regulations and answered questions relating to them.

Supervisor Gove, reporting for the Health and Welfare Committee commented on the new qualifying rules as adopted for granting aid to welfare recipients, they feel that the laxity of the new regulations can create problems in Clinton County Social Services Commission, are not in agreement with it. George Eberhard, Social Services Director, also appeared and stated his concern with it, particularly that of declaring them eligible for assistance without first conducting an investigation. Moved by Gove, supported by N. Thelen, that the welfare committee be authorized to draw up a letter in opposition to these new regulations and forward it to the proper authorities. Voted and carried.

Supervisor Lankford, reporting for Salary & Clerk Hire Committee, presented Roland Duguay's request that he be authorized to increase the starting salary for his secretary from \$4700.00 to \$4800.00 for a three-month trial period. He then moved, supported by Setterington, that Mr. Duguay be authorized to hire at this figure. Voted and carried.

County Treasurer Beautore appeared and requested permission to pay delinquent tax on the intermediate school and special education to the out counties in order to simplify her bookkeeping. Moved by Gove, supported by Underhill, to authorize the county treasurer to pay these up to a total of \$8,000.00. Voted and carried.

Mr. Duguay voiced his appreciation to the board for the consideration and cooperation shown him by the board, especially in setting up the new court.

Wm. Roman of Tri-County Planning Commission, appeared and stated that the planning commission had adopted a master plan for the area and that the plan as adopted is being used by the zoning commission in presenting the new zoning amendment to the present zoning ordinance.

The zoning committee and the zoning commission appeared and presented the following resolution.

WHEREAS, The Clinton County zoning commission, based upon its studies, investigations and surveys relative to the economic, social and physical development of the county, through and with the guidance and assistance of the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission, has formulated and drafted a zoning ordinance amendment and maps to the present rural zoning ordinance of Clinton County to encompass the unincorporated areas of said County copy of which in its final draft is attached hereto with said maps included, and which is incorporated herein and by reference made part hereof, entitled Exhibit "A" dated on its draft December 23, 1968, and signed in its cover by the members of the zoning commission signing this resolution.

AND WHEREAS, Pursuant to Act 183 of the Public Acts of 1943, as amended, being the County Rural Zoning Enabling Act, and pursuant to a public meeting held on December 23, 1968 at the courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan; subsequent to notice thereof having been published in accordance to law in the Clinton County News on December 4th and December 18th, 1968, and after consideration and deliberation and discussion of the above stated Zoning Ordinance and maps;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED: That the said zoning ordinance and maps above described are hereby recommended and certified to the Clinton County Board of Supervisors for adoption as an amended Zoning Ordinance for said County of Clinton. Dated this 23rd day of December 1968.

ALDEN LIVINGSTON, Chairman Clinton County Zoning Commission H. L. Brook, Member Max Loudenbeck, Member Gerald E. Shepard, Member Ray A. Hamer, Member

It was moved by Barks, supported by N. Thelen, that this Resolution be adopted as presented. Considerable discussion followed in answer to a question Prosecutor Duguay, and Supervisor Barks stated that they do not feel that the amendment has all the answers and perhaps will require some changes but it does represent a tremendous effort and is in their opinion a great improvement over our present ordinance. The question was then called for. On a roll call vote, those voting aye were Supervisors Shepard, Mayers, Gove, Hufnagel, Moore, Setterington, Shinabery, Nobis, Barks, Austin, N. Thelen, Underhill, Openlander, W. Thelen, Sirlrine and Lankford. Those voting nay were none. Ayes, 16; Nays, none; Absent, 6. The motion declared carried. The chairman expressed his thanks to all who worked so faithfully on the drafting of this amendment.

The Board wishes to express its thanks to the courthouse officials and employees for the noon lunch, it was greatly appreciated.

The following is a list of bills audited since the September session:

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Lists various bills for probate, court, and other services.

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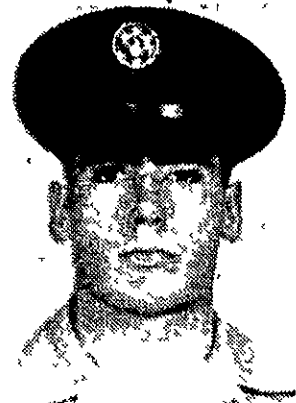
WALTER G. NOBIS, Chairman

ERNEST E. CARTER, Clerk

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Miss Laura Cameron was honored Feb. 2 at Mr and Mrs Al Woodland's in Leslie in honor of her 86th birthday. Mr and Mrs Harry Byam and Mr and Mrs Charles Byam also attended. Rollin Noble, Ken Mattson, R. V. Henrety and Ed Kraft spent the weekend at Fletcher Pond fishing. They returned with fish. Mr and Mrs Royal Ricker of Grand Rapids visited their sister, Mrs Ivora Dush Feb. 2. Mrs Howard Beagle and Mrs Chester Beagle visited their son's and families in Traverse City last week. They were joined by Howard and Chester for the weekend. Mrs Harry Byam and Mrs Charles Byam entertained for lunch Feb. 6, Laura Cameron in honor of her birthday. Other guests were Annette Kogut and Joan Love of Lansing. Mr and Mrs Douglas Candler of Lake Odessa called on Mrs Ivora Dush Jan. 31. Mr and Mrs James O'Bryant and Mr and Mrs Clifford Loveberry flew to New Orleans, La. last week where they spent three days. Mr and Mrs Rollin Noble were guests of Mr and Mrs Bernard Cotton of Portland on Feb. 4.

### News About Clinton County Service Personnel



WILLIAM DeGROOT

Airman WILLIAM L. DeGROOT, son of Mr and Mrs Dick W. DeGroot of 411 E. Cass, St. Johns, has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. He has been assigned to Lowry AFB, Colo., for training in the supply field. Airman DeGroot was graduated in 1967 from Rodney B. Wilson High School and attended Lansing Community College.

Army Pfc. RICHARD A. MIKESSELL, 20, son of Mr and Mrs Wayne A. Mikessell of R-1, Ash-

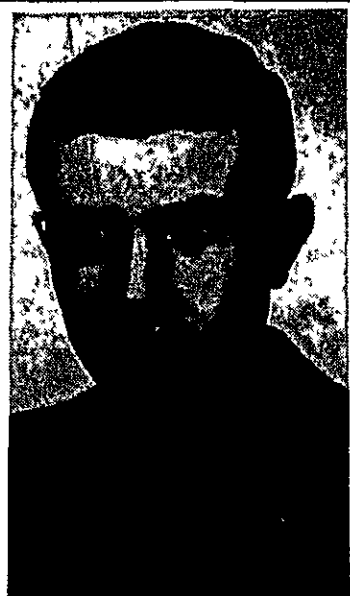
ley, was assigned as an Infantryman with the 1st Infantry Division near Di An, Viet Nam, Jan. 13.

His wife, Glenda, lives on R-1, Sheridan.

Bollerman 2C. JAMES W. NICHOLS, USN, son of Mr and Mrs Maurice W. Nichols of 14650 Center Road, Bath, is serving aboard the anti-submarine support aircraft carrier USS Hornet off the coast of Viet Nam. While deployed in the Gulf of Tonkin the ship provides logistics and anti-submarine support.

Commissaryman 3C. MIKE MARTINEZ, USN, son of Mrs Helen O. Martinez of 122 W. Williams Street, Ovid, is serving aboard the anti-submarine support aircraft carrier USS Hornet off the coast of Viet Nam. While deployed in the Gulf of Tonkin the ship provides logistics and anti-submarine support.

A panel of judges, consisting of officers and enlisted men, selected Spec. 4 Donald M. Fox as Pine Bluff Arsenal, Ark., "Soldier of the Quarter,"



DONALD FOX

Specialist Fox was selected on the basis of his high standards of soldierly appearance and courtesy, excellence in performance of duty and knowledge of military subjects and current events. He is a civil engineer assistant with the directorate of facilities.

Along with the honor of being "Soldier of the Quarter," Specialist Fox also received a letter of recognition, U.S. Savings Bond and three-day pass.

Specialist Fox is a native of Fowler and attended high school there. He is a 1967 graduate of Michigan State University, where he received a BS degree in land-

scape architecture. He entered the Army last February and had previously worked with the U. S. Forest Service and National Park Service planning and designing park facilities. He also attended Peace Corps training at the University of Washington. His hobbies are photography and hiking.

Specialist Fox is the son of Mr and Mrs Mark L. Fox of 911 E. Kent Street, Fowler.



RICHARD A. SLEIGHT

RICHARD A. SLEIGHT, son of Mrs Wendell Sleight of rural St. Johns, has been promoted to specialist 4 while serving with the U.S. Army in Viet Nam. His address is: Spec. 4 Richard A. Sleight US07156676, H.H.T. 1, First Cavalry, Americal Division, APO San Francisco, Calif. 96374.

Gladys and sons Dennis and Dean 12 year old twins, and Darrell 9, were home on leave recently, prior to starting a tour of duty at Elmendorf AFB, Anchorage, Alaska.



ANNE MARIE SIMON

Anne Marie Simon has recently completed six weeks of basic training at Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio, Tex. Lt. Simon is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Roman Simon of Fowler. She serves with the US Army Nurse Corp and has been assigned to the United States Army Hospital in Fort Devens, Mass.

Allied nations. When not operating at sea, the carrier will visit various port cities in such countries as France, Italy, Greece, and Spain.

PO 3C. WILLIAM BESKO is ill and in the hospital. His address is Servicemen's Naval Hospital, Ward E, Naval Hospital Medical Center, Pensacola, Fla. 32512.



STEVEN GREGORY

Steven A. Gregory SA, son of Betty Gregory of St. Johns, has completed boot training at the Great Lakes Naval Training Center. After a 14-day leave with friends and relatives, he left for duty off the coast of Viet Nam. He will be serving on the battleship USS New Jersey. Gregory is a graduate of Rodney B. Wilson High School with the class of '68. His address is: B-548370 USS New Jersey BB62, FPO San Francisco, Calif. 96601. His brother, Walter Gregory, SA, is in the Mediterranean serving on the USS Shangri-La (an aircraft carrier).

### Local soldier wins medal for heroism

A St. Johns soldier serving in Viet Nam has been awarded an Army Commendation Medal for heroism during field action on a search and clear mission last summer.

The medal has been awarded to Sgt. Robert R. Schafer, son of Mr and Mrs Norbert Schafer of West Parks Road, St. Johns. It was presented last Dec. 8, but his parents heard of it only last week.

The commendation medal with "V" device was awarded "for heroism in connection with military operations against a hostile force in the Republic of Viet Nam." The written commendation details the action on Aug. 28 when Schafer, a radio-telephone operator with Co. C of the 1st Battalion (Airmobile) (Airborne) of 8th Cavalry was on a search and clear mission in Quang Tri Province in Viet Nam.

"When his unit became heavily engaged with a large enemy force and sustained several casualties, Specialist Schafer exposed himself to the intense hostile fire as he crossed an open area to administer first aid to a wounded comrade.

"Disregarding his own safety, Specialist Schafer then directed in a medevac helicopter which evacuated the casualties. He also contributed greatly to the successful completion of his unit's mission by maintaining radio communication during the entire battle.



SGT. ROBERT R. SCHAFER

"Specialist Schafer's display of personal bravery and devotion to duty is in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflects great credit upon himself, his unit and the United States Army.

Schafer was promoted to sergeant Dec. 18, shortly after the awarding of the commendation.

### North Bengal

By Mrs Wm. Ernst

Mr and Mrs Erwin Tiedt entertained their card party group at dinner and an evening of cards on Feb. 1.

Mr and Mrs Louis Schmitt attended the Smith-Spitzley wedding supper on Saturday, Feb. 1. The bride, the former Theresa Smith, is the daughter of Mrs Mary Smith of this vicinity.

Mr and Mrs Edward Moritz and Mr and Mrs Louis Moritz were Feb. 2, visitors of Mr and Mrs Albert Moritz of Essex.

On Monday, Feb. 3, Mr and Mrs Roger Tiedt arrived at the home of his parents, Mr and Mrs Rudolph Tiedt. They came from Louisiana where Roger received his discharge from the US Air Force after serving three and one-half years.

Mr and Mrs William Ernst and Maxine accompanied Mr and Mrs Edwin Mohnke of South Bengal to Ionia on Feb. 2, where they were among the dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Robert Beckhorn and John.

Mr and Mrs Richard VanElls are the parents of a son, Joseph Richard, born on Monday, Jan. 27, at Carson City Hospital. They have five sons and five daughters. Mr and Mrs Louis Schmitt are the grandparents.

Mrs Floyd Poerch received the sad news on Feb. 6, that her father had passed away on Wednesday evening at a nursing home in South Carolina. She left by plane from Lansing on Feb. 7, to attend funeral services for him.

Mr and Mrs Helman Noller of rural Hubbardston spent Jan. 31 with Mr and Mrs William Ernst.

Phillip Tiedt underwent surgery at Carson City Hospital on Tuesday, Feb. 4.

Miss Carla Miller of Fowler spent Feb. 4 and 5th, with Miss Kathy Moritz.

### Krepps District

By Mrs Lucille Heibek

Mr and Mrs Wayne Banner spent Feb. 9, with Mr and Mrs Tom Hufnagel.

Kendra and Michelle Pakst of St. Johns spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr and Mrs Kenneth Heibek Sr.

Mr and Mrs Kenneth Heibek Sr., Kendra and Michelle Pakst called on Mr and Mrs Paul Krumm and family and Mr and Mrs Kenneth Heibek Jr. and family Feb. 9.

Ron Cuthbert spent the weekend at Traverse City with the county 4-H clubs.

Mrs Ronald Cuthbert returned home Feb. 9, after a week's stay at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

Mr and Mrs Paul Duski spent Feb. 9, with Mr and Mrs Joe Duski of Ashley.

Miss Helen Post and Dick Post of Greenbush called on Mr and Mrs Edwin Heibek Feb. 9.

Mr and Mrs Edwin Heibek called on Miss Alberta Theils of rural Fowler Feb. 6.

Mr and Mrs Edwin Heibek, T/Sgt and Mrs Leon Thompson and sons, Dennis, Dean and Darrell were supper guests of Mrs E. V. Boron of St. Johns Feb. 8.

T/Sgt and Mrs Leon Thompson and sons, Dennis, Dean and Darrell formerly of Albuquerque, N. Mex. spent a few days with her parents, Mr and Mrs Edwin Heibek and other relatives and friends in the St. Johns area, Tuesday morning, Feb. 4, they left for Seattle, Wash. From there they boarded a plane to his new base at Anchorage, Alaska.

### Hubbardston

Mrs Mamie O'Connell Phone 981-2374

Mr and Mrs William Roka and daughter of Owosso spent last weekend at their home here.

Clyde Warner of Milwaukee, Wis., was a dinner guest Jan. 31, of Mr and Mrs William Dodson.

Mr and Mrs Stephen Kneibel spent last weekend in South Bend, Ind., visiting her sister and family.

Mr and Mrs Clifford O'Grady and family were Feb. 9, guests of Mr and Mrs Raymond Donahue and family in Grand Rapids.

Ronald Schafer, John O'Brien and Pat Burns spent the weekend at St. Lazarus Retreat at Spring Lake.

Julius Wombolt of Lansing called on Clifford O'Grady Feb. 7, Clara Hogan returned to her home Feb. 5, after spending some time with Mr and Mrs Robert Hogan and family in Wayne. Robert Hogan is recuperating after fall bladder surgery.

Mr and Mrs Delane Silvernail and family left last Feb. 8, to make their home in El Paso, Tex.

Mrs Josephine Dwyer is a patient at Carson City Hospital.

FAME IS FLEETING Check the foundation of the ladder to success—the risk may not warrant the climb.

### Bath schools learn, teach conservation by doing it

By WILLIAM VONDRASEK Agriculture Instructor, Bath High School

million people. Workers will have more leisure time in the future. With population doubling in 35 years, there will be great pressure on natural resources.

Much land now farmed will be covered by homes of residential areas. Emphasis for conservation will lessen for farmers and increase for home owners.

These future home owners should use conservation practices learned from similar conditions at school. The school needs to provide an outside classroom demonstrating the various conservation principles and their interrelationships.

Students may do much of the work in developing the outdoor classroom. Every grade could participate and do a portion of the conservation if plans were made.

Last year the FFA demonstrated to elementary children from various rooms how to plant a tree. They were so enthusiastic that they bought more trees to take home and plant than the Junior high and high school combined.

By participating in conservation early in life they learn and appreciate it to a greater extent before graduation.

Our first Junior soil director, Roy Spangler, was on the job teaching some conservation in vo-ag classes three years after graduation from high school. He

had carried out new practices for FFA crops.

EXPERIENCE in carrying out conservation practices for FFA crops and building a pond at home helped him realize the worthiness of this kind of work.

At this time our school is about to use a new building which has acres of surrounding land subject to erosion. Three parcels of sloping land were filled, fertilized, and sown to cover of grasses in the fall by members of our class. Members of another class spread black dirt on packed, infertile banks and smoothed the ground after mixing with a rototiller.

Another entire class spent a period laying sod on these banks to prevent erosion in the winter. It was in December so the load of sod had to be kept inside overnight to keep it from freezing solid.

An area was worked deep with a Graham Home plow to make ridges on the contour. This will aid soil absorption of rain and slow it from running into gullies.

Other students have agreed to map the area to facilitate developing a plan for the remaining areas. This will include trees, shrubs, ground cover, and grass to be established in the spring. A good plan will enable many students to participate and do the job a step at a time.

### Clinton's Civic Calendar

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

#### St. Johns

- American Legion—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 8:30 p.m., Legion Hall
- American Legion Auxiliary—3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Legion Hall
- Banner Rebekah Lodge—1st and 3rd Mondays, 8 p.m., IOOF Hall
- Blue Star Mothers—2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 8 p.m., American Legion Hall
- Child Study Club—3rd Wednesday 8 p.m., in homes of members
- Clinton County Farm Bureau—Committee women meet the 1st Tuesday of each month, 10:30 a.m. at Farm Bureau office room.
- Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary—Board meets the 1st Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., in the hospital sewing room
- DAI—2nd Tuesday, in homes of members
- Disabled American Veterans—1st Friday, 8:30 p.m., Legion Hall
- Exchange Club—2nd and 4th Thursdays, noon, Walker's Cafe.
- Fading-Roses Tops Club—Meets Tuesday afternoons, 1:30, at nurses lounge of nurses home adjacent to Clinton Memorial Hospital.
- Griston WRC—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 2 p.m. in homes of members
- 40 & 8—1st Monday, 8:30 p.m., St. Johns and Breckenridge Legion Halls, alternate months
- IOOF—Every Wednesday, 8 p.m., IOOF Hall
- Jaycees—2nd Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., L & L Restaurant
- Jaycee Auxiliary—4th Thursday, 8 p.m. in homes of members
- Knights of Columbus—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 8 p.m.—K of C Hall
- Knights Templar—1st Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
- Lions Club—2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 8:30 p.m., IOOF Hall
- Masonic Lodge—1st Monday, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
- Morning Musings—2nd and 4th Thursdays, 9:45 a.m. in homes of members
- Order of Eastern Star—1st Wednesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
- Royal Arch—Every Tuesday, noon Walker's Cafe
- Royal Arch Masons—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
- Royal Neighbors of America—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 8 p.m., in homes of members
- Senior Citizens—2nd and 4th Tuesdays, every month, in basement of the Episcopal church.
- St. Johns Woman's Club—1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 1:30 p.m., in homes of members
- St. Johns Honor Guard—2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m., VFW Hall
- Tops Club—Every Thursday, 7:45 p.m., Senior Citizens' Drop-in Center
- VFW Auxiliary—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 8 p.m., VFW Hall
- VFW—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 8 p.m., VFW Hall
- WCU—Mary Smith Union—3rd Monday of the month at 7:30 p.m., in homes of members

#### Bath

- American Legion—2nd and 4th Thursdays, Memorial Hall
- American Legion Auxiliary—2nd Tuesday and 4th Thursday, Memorial Hall
- Bath Shoolin Stars Square Dance Club—Club dances the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of the month from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m., during regular dancing season at the James Cousins Gym
- Club Scout Committee—1st Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., at James Cousins Building
- Club Scout Pack—4th Thursday, 6:30 p.m., school
- Firemen's Auxiliary—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., home of members
- Park Lake Improvement League—4th Wednesday, 8 p.m., Improvement League Hall
- Fast Grand Club—4th Thursday, homes of members
- PTA—2nd Thursday, 8 p.m., Junior high gym
- PTA Executive Board—Monday before Thursday PTA meeting, 8 to 9 p.m., at school
- Sunbeam Rebekah Lodge No. 165—1st and 3rd Thursdays of each month starting at 8 p.m. at the community hall in Main Street in Bath
- Volunteer Firemen—2nd Monday, 8 p.m., fire hall
- WCS—General meeting 4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Methodist church

#### DeWitt

- American Legion—The DeWitt American Legion post holds regular meetings on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month, 8:30 p.m., DeWitt Memorial Building.
- Blue Star Mothers—2nd Thursday afternoon, Memorial building and homes of members
- Boy Scouts—Every Monday, 7 p.m., Memorial building.
- Brownies—Every Wednesday, 3:30 p.m., Memorial building
- Brown Bee Study Group—3rd Tues-

- day evening in homes of members
- Child Study Club—4th Monday evening, homes of members
- Club Scouts—3rd Thursday, 5 p.m., Memorial building
- DeWitt Grange—2nd and 4th Fridays
- Girl Scouts—Every Thursday 3:30 p.m., Memorial building
- Job's Daughters—1st and 3rd Monday evenings, Masonic Temple
- Lions Club—3rd Tuesday evening, Memorial building
- Masonic Lodge—1st Wednesday evening, Masonic Temple
- Merry-Mixers Square Dance—2nd and 4th Saturdays, 8:30 to 11 p.m., at DeWitt Junior High
- Order of Eastern Star—1st Friday evening, Masonic Temple
- PTA—3rd Wednesday, at high school, 8 p.m.
- Royal Neighbors—1st and 3rd Fridays, 8 p.m., Memorial building
- St. Francis Club—1st Monday, 8:30 p.m., Memorial building
- Thursday Afternoon Club—Last Thursday in homes of members
- Veterans Club—2nd Tuesday, 7:30 p.m., Memorial building
- Volunteer Firemen—2nd Tuesday evening, fire hall
- Woman's Society of Christian Service—1st Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
- Priscilla Circle—2nd Tuesday, 8:00 p.m.
- Mary-Martha Circle—3rd Wednesday, 8 p.m.
- Elizabeth Circle—2nd Thursday, 9 a.m.
- Ruth Circle—3rd Thursday, 1:30 p.m.
- Goodwill Circle—2nd Tuesday, 1:30 p.m., in homes of members

#### Eagle

- Helping Hand Club—4th Tuesday evening, in homes of members
- Niles Cemetery Society—2nd Thursday, in homes of members
- North Eagle Cemetery Society—Last Thursday, 3 p.m., Town hall
- WCS—1st Wednesday, Methodist Church basement.

#### Elsie

- American Legion—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 8 p.m., Legion hall
- American Legion Auxiliary—2nd and 4th Thursdays, 8 p.m., Legion hall
- Band Boosters—1st Monday, 7:30 p.m. alternate months, Band room
- B.W.C. 2nd Tuesday, 3:30 p.m., in homes of members
- Lions Club—1st and 3rd Mondays, 7:00 p.m., Legion hall
- Masonic Lodge—2nd Tuesday, 8:00 p.m., Masonic hall
- WCS—1st Wednesday 8:00 p.m., homes of members
- Order of Eastern Star—1st Thursday, 8:00 p.m., Masonic hall
- PTA—2nd Monday, 7:30 p.m., school gym
- Woman's Literary Club—Alternate Tuesdays, 8 p.m., homes of members

#### Fowler

- Boy Scouts—Every Wednesday, 7 p.m., Holy Trinity, gym
- Catholic Order of Foresters—3rd Tuesday, 8:30 p.m., Holy Trinity Hall
- Comfraternity of Christian Mothers—4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Most Holy Trinity church
- Daughters of Isabella—2nd Wednesday, 8 p.m., Most Holy Trinity church
- Fowler Conservation Club—1st Monday, 8 p.m., Conservation Park
- Jaycees—3rd Thursday, 8 p.m., Fire hall
- Knights of Columbus—Monday after the 2nd Sunday, 8 p.m., K of C hall
- Lions Club—3rd Monday, 8:30 p.m., Fowler Hotel
- VFW—4th Thursday, 8 p.m., VFW Hall
- VFW Auxiliary—Last Wednesday 8 p.m., VFW hall

#### Maple Rapids

- Amica Club—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., homes of members
- Band Parents—2nd Wednesday, 8 p.m., students Commons
- Baseball Boosters—3rd Wednesday 8 p.m., at the school



"One thing about Miss Winson... I know what she's doing every minute!"

- Blue Star Mothers—1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 2 p.m., homes of members
- Duo Decum Club—1st Saturday, 8 p.m., homes of members
- High School PTA—1st Monday, 8 p.m., students commons
- IOOF—Every Thursday 8 p.m., IOOF hall
- Maple Rapids Improvement Association—4th Monday, 8 p.m. in Municipal building
- Maple Rapids Twirlers—Meet the 2nd and 4th Friday night of each month at the Maple Rapids School gym with a potluck lunch. Caller is Wendell Law.
- Masonic Lodge—2nd Monday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
- Order of Eastern Star—3rd Monday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
- PTA—3rd Tuesday, school gym
- Rebekah Lodge—Every Saturday, 8 p.m. at IOOF hall
- Sorosis Club—4th Tuesday, 1:30 p.m., homes of members
- St. Martin DePorre Altar Society—1st Thursday, 8 p.m., homes of members
- WCS—Tuesday, 1:30 p.m., homes of members
- Women's Fellowship—Last Friday of month, 1:30 p.m., church dining room
- Council Meeting—1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m.

#### Ovid

- Acme Society—3rd Thursday, 8 p.m., in homes of members
- American Legion—3rd Wednesday, 8:30 p.m., Memorial building
- Businessmen's Association—2nd Tuesday, time and place varies
- Crecent Club—1st and 3rd Mondays, 8 p.m., in homes of members
- Disabled American Veterans—3rd Friday, 8:30 p.m., Memorial building
- Home-makers—2nd and 4th Thursdays, 2 p.m., in homes of members
- IOOF—Every Tuesday, 8 p.m., IOOF hall
- Job's Daughters—2nd and 4th Mondays, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
- Lions Club—2nd and 4th Mondays, 6:30 p.m., Main Street church of United Church
- Laf-a-Lot Club—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 2 p.m., in homes of members
- Loneor-Dennis WCU—2nd Tuesday in homes of members
- Masonic Lodge—1st Monday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
- Order of Eastern Star—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
- Ovid-Duplin Library Club—1st Friday, 12:30 p.m. in homes of members
- Royal Arch Masons—1st Wednesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
- Social Evening—Veterans Memorial Building, 8 p.m., every Wednesday, sponsored by Ovid veterans group
- Town and Country Extension—4th Wednesday, in homes of members
- VFW—4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Memorial building
- VFW Auxiliary—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Memorial building
- Volunteer Firemen—First Thursday, 7:30 at Fire hall
- World War 1 Veterans—1st Thursday p.m., Memorial building

#### Pewamo

- Allar Society—4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Parish hall
- Band Boosters—3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m., school
- Blue Star Mothers—3rd Wednesday, 8 p.m., elementary school
- Lions Club—3rd Tuesday, elementary school
- Masonic Lodge—3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Masonic hall
- Order of Eastern Star—1st Wednesday 8 p.m., Masonic hall
- 21 Club—3rd Thursday, 7:30 p.m., at club house
- WCS—3rd Thursday, 2 p.m., home of members

#### Wacousta

- Breakfast Club—Last Thursday, 9 a.m., in homes of members
- Child Study Club—2nd Tuesday, evening, in homes of members
- Masonic Order No. 359—Regular meetings first Thursday of the month at 8 p.m., at People
- Methodist Men's Club—First Wednesday of each month, potluck at 6:30 p.m., Methodist church
- Neighborhood Society—3rd Thursday, in homes of members
- Order of Eastern Star—1st Tuesday evening, Masonic Temple

#### Westphalia

- Catholic Order of Foresters—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., St. Mary's parish hall
- Daughters of Isabella—3rd Thursday, 8 p.m., St. Mary's parish hall
- Knights of Columbus—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., K of C rooms
- Young Ladies Socially—3rd Sunday afternoon, every 2 months, St. Mary's parish hall



JERRY SHERWOOD

E-2 Jerry L. Sherwood, son of Mr and Mrs Sam Sherwood of R-0, St. Johns recently completed damage control school on Treasure Island in San Francisco, Calif. He spent 20 days at home with his family and friends and returned Jan. 30, to Key West, Fla., where he is assigned to the USS Bushnell. His present address is E2 Jerry L. Sherwood, DCFB 5 541553, USS Bushnell, (AE-15) FPO New York, N. Y. 09501.



DANIEL R. RITTER

AIC Daniel R. Ritter has been assigned to 18 months duty in the Philippine Islands. He will work in the communications center at Clark Air Force Base. Ritter is a graduate of Rodney B. Wilson High School. His wife Linda resides on East Price Road. He is the son of Mr and Mrs Roland Ritter of 205 N. Kibbee Street. His complete address is, AIC Daniel R. Ritter, AF1694229 H.Q. S.E. Asla, Comman. Rgn (Ar.) APO San Francisco, Calif. 96274.



LEON THOMPSON

Leon Thompson, son of Mrs Marlan Thompson of 211 W. Higham Street, was promoted to T/Sgt recently while serving with the 388th Munitions Maintenance Squad at Khorat, Thailand. Sgt. Thompson, his wife

Tech. Sgt. RAY S. SNYDER, son of Mr and Mrs Lyle M. Snyder of R-1, St. Johns, is on duty at Cam Ranh Bay, Viet Nam. Sergeant Snyder, a dental laboratory technician, is in a unit of the Pacific Air Forces. Before his arrival in Southeast Asia, he was assigned to the 67th Tactical Hospital at Mountain Home AFB, Idaho. The sergeant, a graduate of Fulton High School at Middleton is married to the former Elaine K. Baxter, daughter of Mr and Mrs Walter Baxter of Maple Rapids.

Seaman Apprentice WALTER R. GREGORY, USN, son of Mrs Betty L. Gregory of Lowell Road, St. Johns, is serving aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Shangri-La in the Mediterranean.

While deployed Shangri-La will participate in Sixth Fleet exercises with navies of other



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SCHEDULE "A"

Taxes of 1966 and Prior Years

STATE OF MICHIGAN, In the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton...

On reading and filing the complaint of the State Treasurer of the State of Michigan... Allison Green, State Treasurer...

Witness the Honorable Leo W. Corbin, Circuit Judge, and the seal of said Circuit Court of Clinton County this 17th day of January A.D. 1969.

STATE OF MICHIGAN In the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton...

In the Matter of the Complaint of Allison Green, State Treasurer of the State of Michigan, for and in behalf of said State...

1. That he is the State Treasurer of the State of Michigan and makes and files this Complaint under, by virtue of and in accordance with the provisions of Act No. 206 of the Public Acts of 1963...

2. That Schedule A annexed hereto is the tax record required by the act first above mentioned...

3. That extended separately in said schedule against each description of said lands therein contained are (a) the total amount of delinquent taxes upon said description for the non-payment of which the same may lawfully be sold at public sale...

4. That all of the aforesaid taxes, interest and charges are valid, sufficient and unpaid for delinquent time to authorize and require, as provided by the foregoing act...

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County Line News

By Mrs Doris Fisher

SPECIAL SERVICE

Special bulletins for a service of thanksgiving and commitment were used at Salem United Methodist Church Feb. 2.

The service was for the presentation of gifts and pledges to the Fund of Reconciliation, of the United Methodist Churches.

The combined adult and youth choir sang Scripture readings was Isaiah 42, Mrs Mary Scharf was organist. Greeters were Mr and Mrs Maynard Beck.

At the close of the service Mrs Mary Scharf was presented a gift for her service to the church. She has been church organist seven years.

Salem United Methodist WCS will be held Feb. 13, at the home of Mrs Margaret Conine. Mrs Harriet Schmidt will be co-hostess.

Salem United Methodist family night will be held in the church basement Feb. 15.

Mrs Fred Strauser and friend of Lansing called Feb. 2, on Mr. and Mrs Harry Paterson. She was a former resident of County Line.

Mrs Harmon Baregood of St. Louis spent Feb. 2, with Mr and Mrs Gill Baker and family.

Mrs Dorothy Moon, Mrs Doris Fisher and Susan, Mrs Judy Moon, Mrs Pat Pattison, and Mrs Mary Lou Moor, attended a pink and blue shower at the home of Mrs Donna Harnack in Flint Feb. 2, honoring Mrs Jerry Jolley of Melvindale.

The fellow who's really worth buying seldom finds a taker who can pay the asking price.

Clinton County News

Editorial Page

Wednesday, February 12, 1969

Conserving farm land

The problems of zoning which Clinton County and the City of St. Johns are experiencing these days are probably typical of the problems which society in general is going to have in years to come.

The legalities of zoning appear to be so intricate that it will be impossible to put together an ordinance which is entirely proper and which can be interpreted in only one way. But it goes without saying that zoning will become more important as population grows, because it will play a big role in a big job that faces us here in Clinton County and all across the nation.

The job will be to conserve prime agricultural land. Technology is ever improving on the yield per acre of grain, the output per cow of dairy products and the rate of growth for meat animals, but we are only kidding ourselves if we think that these advances will offset the need to conserve our land.

It is not too early for us here in this county, and in this state and nation, to insist that good agricultural land be retained for that purpose and not be covered with concrete, blacktop and building materials. There is enough marginal land available for such construction; it may not be as well located, and it may be more costly to develop, but it will conserve land on which will someday depend the very survival of humanity—our children and grandchildren.

Certainly residential and commercial development on only agriculturally-marginal land will cost money, but certainly, also, American can afford it. A booming population needs to be fed, and food cannot be raised on concrete and blacktop. We need all the good farm land there is.

Week to remember

The week of Feb. 15 to 22 has been set aside as National Future Farmers of America Week. The theme of this observance is "FFA—An Opportunity For Youth."

The Future Farmers of America is a national organization of high school students studying vocational agriculture in our public school. It is an educational, non-profit, nonpolitical organization of, by and for these students. The foundation upon which it is built includes leadership, character development, sportsmanship, cooperation, community service, thrift, scholarship, improved agriculture, organized recreation, citizenship and patriotism. The FFA itself does not make its members outstanding, but, instead, provides the opportunity for them to excel, grow and become outstanding. Young people in FFA learn the meaning of local initiative. Local FFA chapters provide the strength of the organization. In the local chapters, student officers and members develop into agricultural leaders.

As long as we have youth organizations such as the FFA, we may rest assured that the violence and lawlessness of the dissenters, whose only aim is destruction, will represent the acts of a minority—and a small minority at that.

**BOOTHBAY HARBOR, ME., REGISTER:** "We Americans can best celebrate our inherited abundance, and remember our own beginning, by giving others the simple help they need to get started toward a better life."

**COLUMBIA, TENN., HERALD:** "If talk is cheap, they haven't heard about it in Washington. From Jan. 15 through July 31 of the last session of Congress, a total of 25,098 pages of proceedings and 'extensions of remarks' were printed in the Congressional Record. At \$113 a page, this monument to political baffle-gab cost the taxpayers about \$2.84 million. A lot of it was devoted to speeches lamenting excessive government spending."

**LAUREL, DEL., STATE REGISTER:** "The people are the great losers when the press is not free. Censorship is frustrating to journalists. But it forges chains of oppression for the people. Newspapers are only suppressed by tyranny. People are enslaved by it. Newspapers will continue to fight when necessary—as they have fought before—to preserve freedom of the press. But freedom of the press is more than the life-blood of free newspapers—it is the life-blood of free America."



HAS AMERICA LOST HER WAY?

We don't believe it. We don't believe that our nation, conceived in liberty and dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equal, has lost her way. The question has been raised by Dr. Sterling W. Brown, president of the National Conference of Christians and Jews. Dr. Brown puts it this way: "Members of ethnic groups are becoming embattled against blacks whom they fear threaten their hard-won economic position. The lack of brotherhood among Americans and our posture on the international scene have encouraged our nation's enemies and many of our own pessimists to characterize our nation as decadent. They say that the United States is declining and after a convulsive death will join the ancient Roman Empire and other civilizations that passed away. "If America appears to have lost her way, it is not because the basic decency and generosity of our people have vanished. On the contrary, we have come to a new era, when red men, black men, yellow men—people

RAMBLIN' WITH RINK

A real puzzler

By LOWELL G. RINKER



I have just returned from a frustrating half-hour in front of a 750-piece jigsaw puzzle. What made it so frustrating was that I had to give it up after a half hour and come back to work. I haven't been hooked on any spare time activity like this in years. It all started quite innocently with my wife's birthday on Monday of last week. She had mentioned that she'd like a couple of jigsaw puzzles to help her over those "boring" hours around the house after her work was done. I have always like to frog around with jigsaw puzzles, so I bought her a couple of the 750-piece jobs. (Some day I'm going to buy my daughter that electric train I know she'd like.) Such detailed ones brought to mind the New Year's Eve in 1949-50 where my dad, mother, brother and myself pored over a puzzle showing four steam locomotive trains converging on separate tracks through an Appalachian mountain pass. We put it together in one night. I let the good wife get started on it, because it was her puzzle. I'm considerate that way. Getting one of those puzzles started, however, is rough, so I casually volunteered to lend a hand. That was the same night, Monday, after I got home late after my evening stint. A person can lose track of time in the nooks and crannies of a jigsaw puzzle. The minute hand of the clock swept away, way past midnight before the good wife roused me from my stupor in front of the table and told me politely that I had to get up early Tuesday morning and that it was her puzzle. Tuesday noon I bolted for home as soon as lunch time arrived, gulped a sandwich and some soup and bent down over the puzzle again. My wife, like most women, is a real puzzler, and she had made good progress despite the fact I hadn't been there that morning to lend a hand. The picture was beginning to shape up. It was the harbor of a small Norwegian fishing village, with boats, docks and neat frame houses

backdropped by wooded mountain foothills. There is a lot of water, a big expanse of blue sky and a literal jungle of little puzzling pieces that form the woods on the hillside. Tuesday night and Wednesday afternoon after work found us filling in the harbor, the boats and the dock, and things were going well. I had to tear myself away from the puzzle to go bowling (I might better have stayed home, as it turned out), and when I got back shortly after midnight, the houses of the village had been built by the good wife. Now, we're lost in the woods, so to speak. I worked on it for over a half hour after bowling and a gain Thursday noon and made progress the equivalent of only a couple of trees out of a whole forest. So, friends, if my bleary-eyed appearance puzzles you, it is only that I have had too much puzzling. By now we have probably finished putting together the harbor scene (I hope) and will probably be working on the second of the two puzzles I bought. It is a time-consuming and mind-involving thing, this jigsaw puzzling, but I am not sure but what it is better than the boob tube. —rink

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Reader voices opinions on race, religion

Dear Editor: It is with much interest and appreciation that my husband and I also read Mr Fitzgerald's column, especially when he touches on racial and political prejudice. The Feb. 5 paper with his column and the letter to the editor from Kelly Tzhene prompted my writing. Mr Fitzgerald is admirable as he is not afraid to speak out for what he believes to be right (The letter by Kelly Tzhene was like a shot in the arm to us. Sometimes when we are in association with people, including one's own relatives, we feel we are almost alone in our convictions, so it's wonderful to find there are others out in society who share our feelings. One thing about Kelly Tzhene's letter that impressed me along with my admiration for her doing as she did was that even though she lost her job over her action, she found a better one through it. I also wonder if she knew that Mr Fitzgerald is at the Lapeer County Press at Lapeer, Mich. I think he would appreciate her letter, so I'm going to mail her article to him, to be sure he reads it. I have no idea how much good it does making our thoughts known to the public, but it's well worth the effort as there may be many people encouraged to take a stand also, knowing they are not alone in what they think and believe. This may in time knock down our barriers between people, and maybe eventually this world will be free of prejudice. Small things can grow into big things. Letter writing may be one of the means; I hope so. I would like to take this opportunity to comment on a talk given by Walter Nickel at the East Essex School at the eighth grade graduation exercises last year. Among other admirable things, he told the group "When you believe something to be right, don't be afraid to stand up for it, even fight for it." Fighting doesn't always mean with fists or guns, but by speaking out and making our thoughts known. Mr Nickel gave one the distinct impression he didn't try to elevate himself over anyone (even if their skin wasn't the same shade as his). If we believe in the "Good Book" then we must also believe we are all, no matter what race or color from one set of parents, making us all brother and sisters. The account of the creation in Genesis and the book of Acts 17:26 verifies this. And by the way, my quoting from the Bible may not go over so well either, as many people are instantly "insulted" when you bring up the scriptures, because even though they profess to believe the words' written, they prefer to keep them hidden as you might an unclean thing! Acts 17:26 might be one of the verses a prejudiced person would prefer to overlook. Another good account to read also is at Numbers 12:1-10, where Miriam is struck with leprosy after speaking against Moses for marrying an Ethiopian woman. The sister of God's chosen servant, Moses, wasn't looked at favorably by God for this act, so is this God's thought to look down on a dark skinned person? God's own son, Christ Jesus, thought that speaking his father's word was worth dying for. It couldn't have been a personal

Will it be a forced change? They have to be of that mind to begin with, I would think. I want to thank the Clinton County News for Mr Fitzgerald's column and Kelly Tzhene for her letter. It means so much to know there are others who believe in justice and freedom. May there be many more like them. Sincerely, MRS CLARE MATTER St. Johns

'IF IT FITZ ...'

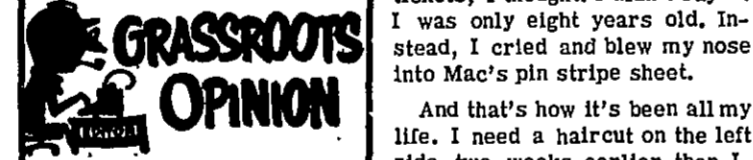
Why I don't grow sideburns

By JIM FITZGERALD



It was my 12-year old teenage daughter who complained that I am the only man in the nation who is not letting his sideburns grow. There is a reason. I have queer sideburns. So far, only my barber has known for sure. Why should I let the whole world see? Honest. I think those other guys look great with hair down their cheeks. They look like Scarlett O'Hara is waiting for them to come home—and they're not sure they'll go, the dogs. But such cavalier grooming is not for me. You see, ever since I can remember, I've had this thing...

was "next," the haircut money was gone. I would pull the cap over both ears and have two earaches until the next payday. After World War II, when I was a crusty veteran, I discovered the barbershop in the ancient Harrington Hotel in Port Huron. It was across a basement hall from the taproom. A guy could wait his turn at the bar. I used to go downtown for a haircut on Saturday morning and get back home Sunday morning. I kept generously allowing people to go ahead of me. "I'm waiting for my right side to catch up with my left side." But I digress. I started to explain to my daughter why her square old man doesn't let his sideburns grow. It is because I would look lopsided. The left sideburn would grow down toward my chin while the right sideburn grew across my ear. To compensate, I would have to lower the heel on my right shoe. It is bad enough that I must buy a whole haircut when I only need half of it. I cannot also afford special shoes. Because she started it all, I am going to make my daughter read all this wisdom. And she'll say, "Boy, what a dumb column." Well, I can't save the world every week. Onward and upward.



**GREENFIELD, IND., REPORTER:** "Today, what a strange world it is. We continue to succor freedom abroad, but we let it be abused at home. And we restrict it; we let it erode. To every disaster, no matter how distant, we respond with compassion. But all too often ingratitude flows back as our reward. Boldly we moved to save the pound sterling and the mark and the lira, and then we let our own currency dribble down the drain." **FARIBAULT, Minn., NEWS:** "Shoplifting isn't a 'game' or anything very funny. It's a crime and... a very serious crime. When a shoplifter steals for 'kicks' he risks a criminal record that may haunt him throughout life. It may bar him from a good job. It may be the start of a life of crime. It may bar his entry into a business or profession. He may find the door closed to a position of trust in city, state or federal government. His stupid act will bring shame to his parents, to his brothers and sisters and to his friends. Stealing is foolish business. Its costs are high in shattered reputations and loss of personal happiness and respect." **FREEMONT, Ind., REPUBLICAN:** "We little fellows have discovered that the big fellows can lose money for us faster than we can lose it for ourselves."

The stranger just next door

Officially we've never met, Though I see him come and go, 'N often think perhaps he is Someone that I should know; Just now I'm really busy, but The future holds in store, A time to get acquainted with The stranger just next door. The churches we attend are not Of the same creed or name, He goes his way and I go mine— So how am I to blame? Some time our paths will cross I know And I'll attempt once more, To make up for neglecting The stranger just next door. The world grows ever more complex So much is left undone! While we excuse our failures with New Laurels we have won! Why is initiative mine Where it's not been before? Can't I now escape the blame For strangers just next door? We ne'er accomplish much alone, At solving this world's need, So long we seek solutions In terms of self and greed; Could it be the key ingredient To finding our life's score, Lies in a friendly word or deed To strangers just next door? W. E. DOBSON

NRA president responds to letter on guns

Dear Editor: I seldom, if ever, write or answer a "letter to the editor" in any newspaper. However, because I am a very long time resident of Clinton County and a subscriber to your fine paper, I feel constrained to reply to a letter entitled "Gun Control" in your Jan. 29 issue. I was a bit surprised and a little disappointed that your paper would publish such an in-temperate and intolerant letter. I believe not many of your readers will subscribe to the classification of the nation's approximately 20 million citizens who hunt game, including nearly a million citizens of Michigan and likewise including several hundred good citizens of Clinton County, as "disorganized rabble." Similarly I doubt that many of your readers approve of the appellation of more than one million members of the National Rifle Assn. of America and those other millions who believe as they do as suffering from some "defect of the mind." Neither do I believe many readers will approve that writer's assertion that "the acceptance of Billy Graham's pious Bible" as being irrelevant to this nation's survival. I know not what book the letter-writer may have read, but it is difficult to answer anyone with that type of mind—mind who accepts as truth everything he reads in a book. The letter-writer's statement that the N.R.A. opposes "any meaning" (Continued on Page 15-B) Letters to the editor for publication must bear name and address of the writer, but these will be withheld from publication only on request. The Clinton County News reserves the right to edit for grammar, spelling and punctuation. Letters on all topics are welcome but should not be of excessive length. Letters must be received by Friday noon preceding date of publication.

NEXT DAY BUSINESS

# Letters to the Editor

N.R.A. PRESIDENT  
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ful gun control legislation," which incidentally is a favorite phrase of those extremists who seek abolition of all private ownership of firearms and who seek the ultimate confiscation thereof, is ridiculously untrue. Both the National Firearms Act and the Federal Firearms Act were supported by the N.R.A. We cooperated in preparation of the original version of the Dodd Bill which provided for control of all-or-none shipment of concealable firearms. But we vigorously opposed the later Johnson administration bills substituted for the original bill mentioned and which later bills also bore Senator Dodd's name, because it became all too apparent that these anti-gun people wanted not control but confiscation.

The other assertions made in the letter referred to are equally erroneous.

The National Rifle Association of America, founded in 1871, is an independent non-profit organization supported by membership fees. Its purposes are to educate public-spirited citizens in the safe and efficient use of small arms for pleasure and protection; to foster firearms accuracy and safety in law - en-

forcement agencies, in the Armed Services, and among citizens subject to military duty; and to further the public welfare and national defense.

"The NRA takes the bedrock stand that law-abiding Americans are constitutionally entitled to the ownership and legal use of firearms."

It is most difficult for me to believe that the more than one million members of NRA, which membership includes many of the most respected, prominent and important Americans in government, in business and in all walks of life and the millions of other good Americans who follow our policies, suffer a "defect of the mind" and that only the writer of said letter and the unknown author of an unknown book are mentally normal.

Perhaps the survival of the NRA and perhaps the survival of Billy Graham are not essential to the nation's survival but the principles espoused by NRA and the teachings in "Billy Graham's pious Bible" had best not be ignored.

Yours very truly,

H. W. GLASSEN,  
President, National Rifle Assn. of America

Lansing

Liked column on bare facts, says Hitz fan

(To columnist Jim Fitzgerald)

Dear Jim:

I just read "Upset by Bare facts" in the Jan. 22 issue of the Clinton County News. Great! Hilarious! I especially liked your final sentence. It's the "bare" truth!

Sincerely,  
JOHN GOEBEL

Ovid.

Famous Pigeon  
The courier pigeon who saved survivors of the "Lost Battalion" in 1918 is stuffed and mounted in the National Museum. For carrying a message 25 miles in 30 minutes, Cher Ami, the pigeon, received the French Croix de Guerre



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## Clinton County News Features & Comment

### Back Thru the Years

★ Interesting Items from the Files of The Clinton County News

10 YEARS AGO  
(Feb. 12, 1959)

Prompt action by an alert elevator man and the speedy answering of the St. Johns Fire Department prevented what could have been one of the worst fires in this area in many years. Don Devereaux, who heads the feed grinding operations at the St. Johns Co-Operative Co. on West Railroad Street, noticed smoke coming from the bean room. He closed the door to the lavatory thus preventing the spread of the fire. Damage was estimated at \$3,000.

A vote on the annexation of Pewamo-Westphalia school district is likely to take place sometime in early March.

The annual SCD meet was called a big success when approximately 200 people attended the dinner and program held at Smith Hall.

25 YEARS AGO  
(Feb. 17, 1944)

A service to insure a permanent record being made of servicemen's discharge papers has been in effect in the county clerk's office for over a year, Miss Edna Love said Wednesday. A photostatic copy is made of the original discharge papers which is kept in the clerk's office. Should the man's papers become lost or destroyed he can be sure of a certified copy of it by applying to the county clerk.

Mrs. George Heller was doing very well in singing a \$200 solo last Friday evening at the Gunnisonville Community Hall, when her husband spent \$200 more to have her stop. The money involved was the pledges for War Bonds which was part of a bond drive program.



### From the state house

By DICK ALLEN  
88th District Representative

Much of the excitement in Lansing this week centers around the formation of the House committees. A good deal of the work here, and many important decisions, take place in committee meetings.

This is a time of partisan politics. The majority party controls all committees by appointing the chairmen and stipulating the number from each party that will serve on the committees.

I feel this arrangement is necessary. One party must be given the responsibility so the voters can fix the credit, or criticism, on the basis of overall performance. My main objection is it isn't my party that has the responsibility!

Major controversies have centered around the Appropriations, Taxation and Education committees where the Democratic leadership broke with tradition by assigning the members of both parties. (Generally, the minority leadership is told how many committee assignments they have and are allowed to place their own membership.)

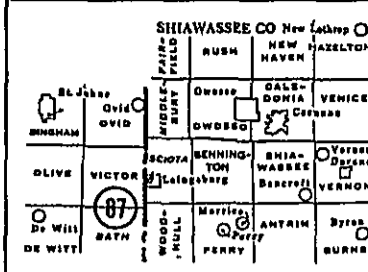
This year the membership of the House Committee on Appropriations was increased from 13 to 15. Eleven Democrats and four Republicans comprise this committee while taxation has seven Democrats and six Repub-

licans. This has led to the accusation that the Democrats intend to spend a lot of money, then, force the Republicans to bail them out with more taxes. I don't believe this is true. With the two Houses split so closely between Republicans and Democrats, any spending bills must have agreement from both parties.

I hope the rather even split on the Taxation Committee is in recognition of the need for a bipartisan approach to the problem of educational finance and property tax relief!

The speaker, having appointed all the members of the Education Committee, has led to speculation that it may be stacked in regard to non-public school aid. I don't know the members well enough to have an opinion at this time.

So, how am I faring? I think I'm going to be on the Agriculture Committee! I have requested it because I think my background suits me for it. Also, it would give me a good chance to serve the people of the highly rural 88th District. However, as a new legislator, and a member of the minority party, I have my doubts. It's still not for sure, but perhaps, if I sneak it into print this week, they'll be embarrassed not to give it to me. Does that sound like a good plan? I'll let you know next week.



### View from the 87th

By WILLIAM S. BALLENGER  
State Representative



It is no secret that potentially the most explosive issue facing the Legislature this year is "Parochialism"—the concept of state aid to non-public schools, be they religious or nondenominational.

Two of the most emotional human concerns are involved: religion and children. Anytime you put the two together, the result is bound to be incendiary. Feelings on both sides of the "Parochialism" question are so strong that, in discussing it, I would like to turn to the magnificently researched, meticulously objective \$200,000 study of Michigan School Finances by a high-powered team of educational experts headed by Dr. J. Alan Thomas of the University of Chicago.

Although Thomas' weighty tome, now a year old, was sponsored by the State Department of Education and funded by the Legislature ostensibly to study in depth the problems of public education, Thomas devotes nearly 100 pages of his 418-page work to non-public education in Michigan. Thomas begins by examining the three "rationales" employed by advocates of state aid to non-public education:

(1) The Rationale of Education Freedom (or religious neutrality) which holds that public aid to non-public schools could be used to broaden the scope of parental choice, that educational freedom can be preserved only if the state takes positive steps to ensure that competing groups (in this case, public and non-public schools) are treated equally;

(2) The Child Benefit Rationale, which holds that the state does not disburse its funds for private purposes or risk an establishment of religion so long as it is making no attempt to aid non-public schools per se, but merely extending nondiscriminatory benefits to children wherever they may be found; and

(3) The General Welfare Rationale, which holds that it is proper for the state to aid a non-public school if the primary purpose of such aid is not to aid the parochial school, per se, but to accomplish a broad and legitimate public purpose, in which aid to the non-public school is a necessary ingredient. This rationale would justify state aid to non-public schools on the grounds that these schools provide a function that would otherwise have to be provided entirely at public expense.

THE THOMAS REPORT re-

fuses to predict which of these three rationales, as variously elaborated and modified, is most likely to be accepted by state or federal courts as a justification for direct or indirect support of non-public schools.

But Thomas rightfully points out that when laws in this area are challenged as unconstitutional, attorneys, not legislators, will have the task of determining which formulations represent the most promising defense. And judges, not lawmakers, will then have the job of deciding which formulations hold water and which don't.

Questions of constitutionality, notes Thomas, are not identical with questions of "advisability," and the objective of the Legislature should be to suggest guidelines for beneficial public policy, not for litigation. In other words, the Legislature should debate the Parochialism issue on its "advisability" and leave it to the courts to decide whether or not it's constitutional.

It is true that Gov. Milliken stressed in his State of the State message on Jan. 9 that if the Legislature chooses to enact aid to non-public schools, it should "make certain that such legislation conforms with our constitutional restrictions, and... must also find a source for the funds which would be required."

I would agree it is important that if the Legislature chooses to venture into these dangerous waters, that we not ignore completely certain sensitive constitutional considerations. But Dr. Thomas would agree even more emphatically with the governor, and so would I and many other legislators, that the "advisability" aspect of the governor's message—namely, where we would get the funds for such a program—is more germane to the function of the legislative branch of government. Make no mistake about it: the 1969-70 state budget is extremely tight, and at this point it seems virtually impossible to imagine how the Legislature could initiate a substantive program of state aid to non-public schools without raising taxes.

IT IS THE CONCLUSION of the Thomas report that, at least for the next decade, any legislative debate over the advisability of extending state aid to non-public schools should involve the following inter-related objectives in approximately the following order of priority:

—To conserve and utilize the capabilities of the non-public schools to provide effective programs for disadvantaged children;

—To protect the public school system from "dumping ground" status, maintaining it as a strong, highly reputable alternative for all families;

—To reduce racial, socioeconomic, and academic selectivity in non-public schools;

—To create greater competition among schools as a way of encouraging diversity, experimentation unfettered by orthodoxy, and broad-ranging research;

—To enlarge the scope of educational choice for low-income parents;

—To give the parents and pupils some protection against ill-conceived programs; and

—To avoid dissipation of resources through unnecessary duplication of state-supported programs and facilities.

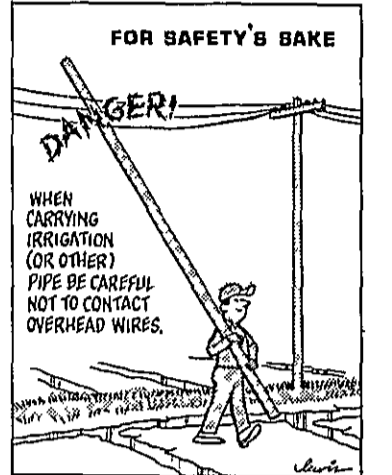
According to Thomas, only to the extent that these objectives need not be seriously compromised should funds be used to ease the fiscal burden of patrons of non-public schools and to make levels of school revenue.

more responsive to consumer demand.

It is my conclusion, too, that patrons of non-public schools should not expect the Legislature to assent to the sacrifices implied in any rationale unless rather sweeping reforms are instituted in the financing of public education as well.

Let me add also that I need to hear from more citizens of the 87th District on the subject of Parochialism. So far I have received little more than a baker's dozen letters on this key issue since I took office on Jan. 1. Please write me c/o the State Capitol in Lansing or drop by my office in St. Johns on Monday afternoons or Friday afternoons or evenings.

If you're shy about writing, I hope you'll take the time to answer the questionnaire I'll be mailing out to area residents in about two weeks.



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