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Dems want Allen out; 88th split

Essay winners named

Local winners of the American Legion Auxiliary Americanism essay contest were named Thursday by Mrs. Ross Downing, Americanism chairman of the Edwin T. Stiles Unit 153.

The awards were presented to the winners before an assembly held at Rodney B. Wilson Junior High School.

First place in the senior division was awarded to Stephanie Pytlowanyj, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pytlowanyj of 1223 East Centerline Road, St. Johns. Stephanie is a sophomore at St. Johns High School.

Diane Knight, eighth grade student at Rodney B. Wilson Junior High, placed first in the junior division. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Knight of 500 South Kibbee, St. Johns. Second place winner in the junior division was Leanna Bailey and third place was awarded to Diane DeBoer, both eighth grade students at RBW.

Each winner received a certificate of participation, cash awards and a copy of the Book of Freedom.

The two first place winners are now eligible to enter the district contest with judging scheduled to be held in June.

Theme of this year's contest is "What Kind of American Am I?"



News Photo by Annette White

Mrs. Ross Downing, Americanism chairman of the American Legion Auxiliary Edwin T. Stiles Unit 153, presents certificates of participation to essay winners Stephanie Pytlowanyj, Diane Knight, Leanna Bailey and Diane DeBoer.

Trezise district cut back

LANSING—The famous story of the man without a country may become more truth than fiction for one of our local lawmakers if the Michigan Democrats in the House of Representatives have their way.

State Rep. Richard Allen still has his country but he may be minus a district to represent, according to the latest Democrat redistricting proposal.

By law, the Legislature must adopt a new districting formula following a federal census, which took place in 1970. Michigan Atty. Gen. Frank J. Kelley issued an opinion in January claiming the present congressional districting formula unconstitutional due to the change in population from 1960 to 1970. He then ordered the two parties to redraw district lines by Feb. 29 or the Federal Courts will take over the task.

The Democratic plan, officially called House Plan 13, would divide the area currently represented by Allen into six other districts and throw him into the suburban Saginaw 100th District. Most of that new district is represented by Bert Brennan (R-Saginaw), who is a good friend of Allen and the two men currently share an office in Lansing.

House Republicans feel the Gratiot-Clinton area was deliberately torn up to oust the young GOP lawmaker. According to Plan 13, most of Clinton County would fall into the area represented by Stanley M. Powell (R-Ionia) which includes most of Ionia County and a small section of Montcalm County.

Watertown and Eagle townships would fall into the 56th District, an area represented by Dale Warner (R-Charlotte) which includes the

southern townships of Ionia County and all of Eaton County.

Ovid, Elsie and Laingsburg would remain in the 87th District of R. Douglas Trezise (R-Owosso).

House Republicans are also upset since Allen's district now is composed of rural areas and small towns—and he might not be re-elected in a metropolitan area where he is largely unknown.

One capitol observer noted that the apportionment plans drawn by both parties make obvious attempts to replace certain legislators, but the six-way split of the current 88th District is an apparent record.

"It makes me a little proud," Allen said, "I didn't realize I was doing that much damage."

The latest GOP formula, House Plan 15, also removes central Clinton County and the City of St. Johns from the 87th District Trezise represents. However, this plan would place most of Clinton County in Allen's district. He would also represent all of Gratiot County and about one-fourth of Montcalm County.

Ovid, Elsie, Laingsburg, Bath and parts of DeWitt would fall into Trezise's district, and the rest would go to Allen.

Trezise said he would not want to lose the St. Johns district but that it appeared inevitable because of the increase in population in Owosso. He won election by a wide margin in both St. Johns and Owosso in 1970.

Pigs aren't pollution, court rules

ST. JOHNS—It's official. Pigs aren't pollution—just an occupational hazard.

Circuit Court Judge Leo Corkin ruled last week that the odor which results from the operation of a hog farm is not pollution, as long as other sanitary measures are undertaken.

Corkin refused to rule in favor of Mrs. Burtrice Crandall of Eagle who had filed the suit against a nearby resident William Biergan, a hog farmer. Mrs. Crandall said that Biergan's farm violated the state's new air pollution law, which allows for individual citizens to file suit against polluters.

Biergan said his farm operation was built in compliance with the law and advice from Michigan State University farm experts. His operation was also viewed by agents from the Air Pollution Control Commission who gave the farm operation a clean bill of health.

Corkin's ruling sets a precedent, since this is the first court case in which a citizen has filed suit under the new law. Corkin said the pollution was not great enough to demand creation of a common law to control such farms.

Corkin ordered the plaintiffs, Mrs. Crandall and five other neighbors, to pay court costs for the three-year civil suit.

Two face exams in heroin case

ST. JOHNS—A 25-year-old Milwaukee man and his 27-year-old female companion will face examination in District Court here April 18 on charges of possession of heroin.

James Farabee, 25, 3030 H 26th St., Milwaukee, Wis., remains in Clinton County jail after failing to post \$1,500 bond, while his companion, Gwendolyn Nathan, 27, 15361 Sorento St., Detroit, was freed on \$1,500 bond on that charge.

They were arrested Feb. 14 on I-96 in Watertown Township by Michigan State Police troopers. According to a spokesman from the Ionia State Police post, the two were stopped after being followed from Grand Rapids and were apparently traveling south toward Detroit. Police received the information from an undisclosed source in Grand Rapids.

The spokesman said the two were allegedly carrying a small amount of heroin. "We haven't received the lab report, so I cannot give you the exact amount of heroin," the spokesman said. "It was broken down and was not an unusual amount for two persons to have."

Farabee was also charged with possession of marijuana and driving on a suspended license. He demanded examination on both counts and will

GOP picks Vander Jagt for Lincoln Day dinner

ST. JOHNS—The Clinton County Lincoln Day Dinner will be held on Friday March 10 with Congressman Guy Vander Jagt of Michigan's ninth Congressional District as guest speaker. It was announced today by James M. Palmeter, County Republican Chairman. The dinner will be at 7 p.m. in the St. Johns High School cafeteria.

Vander Jagt was born in 1931 in Cadillac. He earned a bachelor of arts degree at Hope College in 1953, a bachelor of divinity degree at Yale Divinity School in 1955 and a doctor of laws degree in 1960 at the University of Michigan. He also studied at Bonn University in Germany under a Rotary Foundation Fellowship in 1956.

Formerly an attorney with a Grand Rapids law firm, he served as a member of the Michigan Senate in 1965-66. In 1966 he was selected by the Lansing Press Corps as "the most outstanding Republican freshman in the State Senate."

He is a member of Rotary International, and an honorary Jaycee, having been selected by the Michigan

Jaycees in 1956 as "one of the five outstanding young men in Michigan."

In the United States Congress, to which he was first elected in November, 1966, with the largest majority of any of 59 Republican freshmen, Vander Jagt serves on the Foreign Affairs and Government Operations Committees. His assignments include the Government Operations Subcommittee on Conservation and Natural Resources, of which he is the ranking minority member, and the Intergovernmental Relations Subcommittee.

Tickets for the Lincoln Day Dinner are now on sale and may be obtained through any member of the County Republican Committee. Cost of the tickets, for the dinner only, is \$15 per couple and the event is expected to draw over 400 people.

In addition, an informal reception will be held before the dinner and is expected to have 100 people in attendance. Tickets for the dinner and reception are \$50 per couple and will be sold on a limited basis.

The annual Lincoln Day fete is the traditional kickoff for the political year and proceeds from the sale of tickets will be used to help state and local candidates in their bid for election in November.

Halt widening plan

LANSING—The State Highway Department has agreed to postpone for at least a year any plans to widen US-27 through St. Johns, State Senator William S. Ballenger announced today.

"As a result of a resolution I introduced in the Legislature as well as citizen pressure in the form of petitions with over 2000 signatures and the decision of the St. Johns City Commission to go on record opposing the widening of US-27, Mr. Gerald McCarthy of the State Highway Department announced on Wednesday that no action will be taken for at least a year," Ballenger explained.

McCarthy, who is the assistant deputy director of the engineering and operations division, made this statement at a meeting of the Senate Business Committee where Senate Concurrent Resolution 231, which Senator Ballenger sponsored along with 20 other Senators, was being discussed. This resolution asks the State Highway Department to "cease and desist from entertaining any plan to widen US-27 within St. Johns."

"I think that questions about the number of trees that would be eliminated and queries about possible alternative routes raised at the meeting convinced Mr. McCarthy that this matter is far from settled," Ballenger said. "The people of St. Johns and I are convinced that an alternative temporary solution to this bottleneck can be found only if we, working with

Road workers sign

ST. JOHNS—After a series of five meetings, which started Jan. 8, Local 794 and the Clinton County Road Commission announced agreement last week on a preliminary contract agreement covering improvements in wages, fringe benefits and contract language for a three-year term.

The agreement was ratified by a membership meeting Feb. 15 and the contract will be signed officially as soon as the document can be prepared and checked, according to officials.

The old contract expired at 12 midnight Dec. 31, 1971. By mutual consent the contract was extended until a new agreement could be reached noting that all applicable changes in the contract be made retroactive to Jan. 1.

The new contract may be reopened in December, 1973 for negotiations on the possibility of cutting the present eight and one-half hours work day by one-half hour, creating a 40 hour week instead of the current 42 1/2 hour work week.

Details of the contract were not immediately available.

Allen urges airport lands remain in townships' hands

LANSING—State Rep. Richard J. Allen (R-Ithaca) urged the State Boundary Commission to deny a request by the City of Lansing to annex the Capitol City Airport, located in DeWitt and Watertown townships.

Allen argued in favor of Clinton County in a letter to the commission Thursday, which was also sent to the township and county officials.

"I believe the crossing of the county line from Ingham to Clinton in this proposed expansion of Lansing is a violation of the territorial instincts of Clinton County residents," Allen said. "The results of such a violation must be considered

in the decision."

Allen said he had attended a public hearing on the annexation proposal in Lansing Feb. 10 and wanted to present his views on the situation.

"As you certainly realize, this is a highly emotional issue with many of my constituents," said the lawmaker, who represents part of Clinton County in the 88th District.

"No doubt it would have been politically expeditious for me to make a passionate public defense of Watertown and DeWitt townships at the meeting.

"But such matters must be settled by reason rather than passion," he said.

Allen told commissioners that he concurs with several points brought out at the hearing by representatives of both sides of the conflict.

He said he agrees with the idea that areas of high concentration of residential, commercial, and/or industrial development require public services in kind or quantity not required in rural or undeveloped areas. The provision of such services requires orderly and advanced planning, sufficient tax base and dedication and desire on the part of local officials.

He added that he also agreed with the ideas that city government is best suited to provide such services and that viable cities need regular expansion in area, at least up to some optimum size. "These points may be open to more debate than others;

certainly at least they would be questioned by the township and county officials," he said.

Allen pointed out that Lansing City officials would like to expand the city limits into Watertown and DeWitt Townships in the area including "but not limited to Lansing City Airport." The airport itself is not critical to either side, Allen said. "The expansion desired by Lansing and the loss feared by the townships is more extensive."

He urged the commission to make a decision that would give those governmental units affected "a basis for planning within the reasonably near future, hopefully for at least a ten-year period."

"If the expansion desired by Lansing in the next few years does in fact include significant territory beyond the airport, such territory should be included at this time in an amount sufficient to include a vote of the people affected. I do not believe the other provisions of the law were provided to avoid a vote where significant populations are meant to be affected."

"If the desired expansion is only the airport, any decision delivered should be in a manner to give as much assurance as possible to the townships that no further piecemeal annexation will be viewed favorably in the near future."

He also asked the commission to

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Delinquent tax notice

The second publication of delinquent tax notices preceding the annual sale appears this week in the Clinton County News. The notice, will also appear March 1, and precedes the sale which is scheduled for May 2, 1972.

Only township fully paid up without delinquent taxes is Westphalia and also fully paid is Westphalia Village.

In previous years numerous requests for additional copies of the tax notices have come from readers and subscribers but, even with extra copies beyond our normal press run, all requests have not always been filled.

If you are interested in extra copies of the Clinton County News on any of the last two dates when tax sale notices appear, you can be sure of receiving the number that you want by contacting us in advance.

Dimondale man bound to Circuit

ST. JOHNS—Kenneth Kuepser, 23, of Dimondale was bound over to Circuit Court following preliminary examination in District Court here Thursday.

He is charged with larceny of more than \$100 and will appear before Judge Leo Corkin in Circuit Court Feb. 28 at 1:30 p.m.

Lutheran Church Sponsors Weekday Bible School

By ANNETTE WHITE
Associate Editor

ST. JOHNS—Since last September, children of the St. Johns Lutheran Church have been participating in a Weekday School which meets each Wednesday from 3:30 p.m. to 6 p.m. at St. Joseph's School.

Plans were set in 1970 when a committee was formed to study the possibilities of such an arrangement. Members of the original committee were Ray Ebert, Barbara Stiffler, Cora Flowers, John Flak, Jerry Prior and Pastor Robert Koeppe.

The committee, through a questionnaire filled out by the congregation of the church, discovered that more than just Sunday School education was desired.

They investigated the concept of the Weekday School through synodical papers and also a study was made of a similar school in process in another town.

Because there were no facilities available at the local Lutheran Church for such a project, committee members enlisted the aid of St. Joseph's Catholic School that had the necessary facilities.

With the organizational work completed, the pro-

gram was launched in conjunction with the regular school year and with a nucleus of experienced Sunday School teachers and helpers. The teaching staff

includes Pastor Koeppe, grades seven and eight; Mrs. Margery Seibert, grade six; Mrs. Judy Korte, grade five; Mrs. Barbara Stiffler, grade four and Mrs. Carolyn Beck,

grade three. Helpers include Janet Thornton, Phyllis Woodbury, Helen Prior and Mildred Magsig.

Sixty-three children are presently enrolled which is 80 per cent of the eligible children of the congregation in grades 3 through 8.

Some children who attend are not members of the congregation.

Because of its location students from Central or Rodney B. Wilson are expected to walk. However, children coming from other schools in the system or from Ovid-Elsie or DeWitt are transported by "car-pool volunteers" who meet the children at the schools upon dismissal.

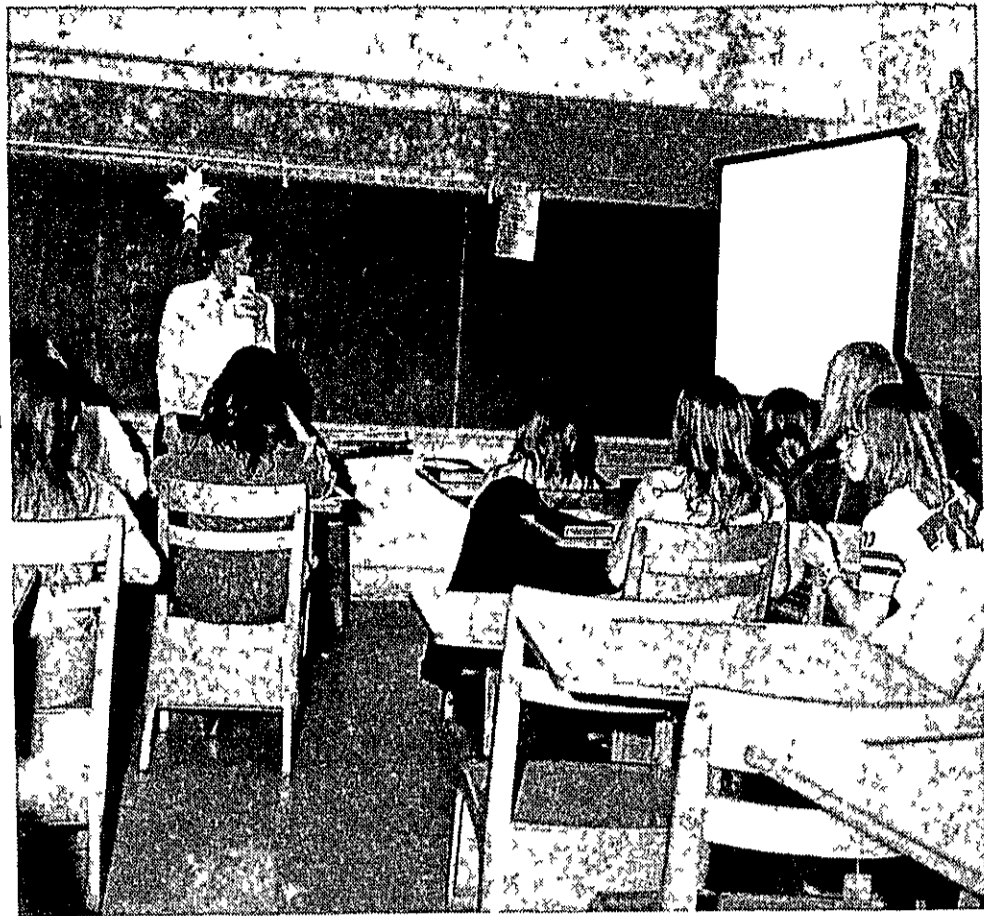
Snacks are provided for the children at 3:30 p.m. and are solicited from the entire congregation through a committee of the Ladies Guild. Volunteers help with the serving.

Music is provided for all classes by Sharon Barnes. A list of substitutes are available if needed to fill in a vacancy.

Proving that this is a workable program, plans are underway to continue the school next year.



Marjorie Seibert, seated, is pictured with her sixth grade class during a Wednesday session of the Lutheran Weekday School. Standing next to Mrs. Seibert is her helper Mrs. Mildred Magsig.



Bible school teacher, Mrs. Arnold Korte explains the weekly lesson to her class of fifth graders.

Village of Fowler Council Meeting

FEBRUARY 23, 1972

Regular meeting called to order by President Spicer. Roll call found all members present. After the reading of the minutes, a motion by Rademacher to accept the minutes, second by Wohlfert, carried.

A discussion followed the reading of the bills. A motion by Rademacher to pay a bills excluding three of the was second by Pettit, carried.

The Dallas Township Board will be invited to attend the March 13 regular meeting.

After a lengthy discussion on Village Employees receiving full salary and workmen's compensation for sickness or injuries, the following motion was presented for vote. Motion by Klein that before any Village Employee receives full salary or pay while receiving Compensation, through Insurance provided by the Village for sickness or injury, the matter be brought before the Village Council for discussion, second by Wohlfert. Roll call vote: Rademacher, yes; McKean, abstained; Smith, yes; Klein, yes; Wohlfert, yes; Pettit, yes; motion carried.

Water wells were again discussed. Improper sewage dumping was also discussed. Motion by Pettit to enforce Ordinance 57, of Village of Fowler, second by Wohlfert. Roll call vote, Rademacher, yes; McKean, yes; Smith, yes; Klein, yes; Wohlfert, yes; Pettit, yes; carried.

Following a discussion on Mayor's Exchange and Ambulance service, the meeting was closed.

RETHA WINANS
Clerk

Rotary club readies youth talent show

ST. JOHNS—The St. Johns Rotary Club announced this week that the 24th annual youth talent and hobby show will be held April 16-22.

The show is open to students attending school in Clinton County who have reached their 9th birthday but not yet reached their 19th birthday by April 19th. The categories are: Science, arts, and manual skills.

Prizes include a \$25 savings certificate for the best entry in each of four age groups: 9-11, 12-14, 15-16, 17-18. Ribbons are awarded for first place in each of the three classifications in each age group, and a \$50 savings certificate will be awarded one boy and one girl who are judged "best of the show".

Entry blanks can be obtained from Clinton County school principals and Belmont Public Library of St. Johns. They should be returned to the schools by the entry deadline which is Thursday, March 30.

Junior high tourney this week

Once again host Ovid-Elsie will sponsor its Junior High basketball tournament, beginning on Feb. 23 with four games, the first one starting at 5 p.m. sharp. The second round on Feb. 24 starting at 5 p.m. and the finals on Saturday, Feb. 26 at 1 p.m.

Schools taking part are Alma, Ovid, Elsie, Ithaca, Corunna, Chesaning, Midland Bullock Creek and St. Johns.

Winners of the tournament have been Elsie, 1968; Chesaning, 1969 and St. Johns 1970 and 1971.

St. Johns will be trying for its third straight tournament championship.

These games are played at the new Ovid-Elsie High School and those attending are urged to come early for a good seat and watch these future varsity boys perform.

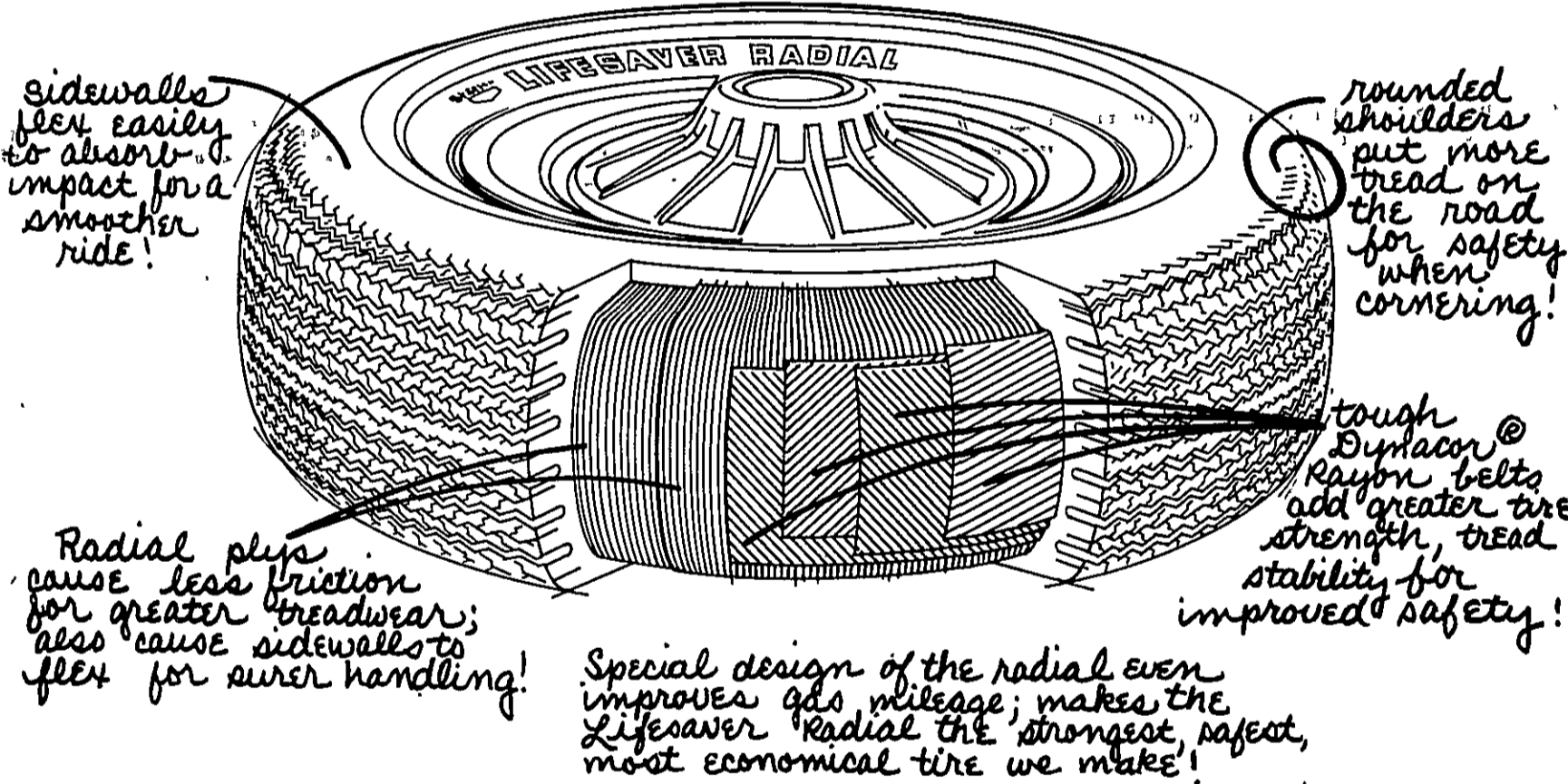
The St. Johns Junior High seventh and eighth grade basketball teams have both rolled along this season with a perfect record of seven straight wins with one game to go. Schools that have fallen to the teams are Alma, Ithaca, St. Louis, Portland, Ionia and Corunna.

The eighth grade has one game left against Alma who they defeated earlier with the "B" game 71-18 and the "A" game 57-25.

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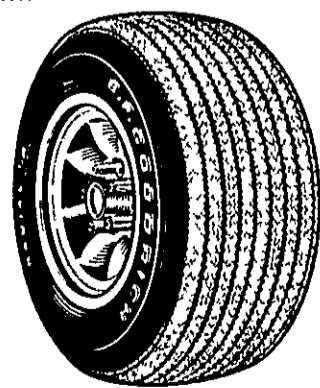


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Jaycee meeting

ST. JOHNS—What's a Jaycee? The St. Johns Jaycees will explain the role of their organization during Membership Information Night, Feb. 28. Anyone interested in attending the meeting should call 224-3106 or contact any Jaycee member.

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District Court

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and serve 15 days in jail. He also pled guilty to malicious destruction of property and was sentenced to 45 days in jail and pay \$100 in fines and costs.

John Andrew Krzeminski, 26, Cutler Road, Eagle was charged with attempted assault of a police officer. He entered a plea Thursday of nolo contendere and was sentenced to 30 days in jail and six months on probation. He was ordered to pay fines and costs of \$104.

Glynn M. Warren, 45, Lansing, pled guilty Friday to charges of being drunk and disorderly. He was ordered to pay \$50 in fines and costs. He was returned to jail for a sentence of not more than 15 days after failing to pay the fines.

James Law, 23, of Lansing entered a plea of guilty on a charge of being drunk and disorderly. He paid \$100 in fines and costs.

O-E kindergarten registration set

OVID-ELSIE — The Ovid-Elsie Area Elementary Schools will have a pre-school registration on Tuesday, Feb. 29 and Wednesday, March 1 for children who will be in the kindergarten classes in the fall.

Children entering the E.E. Knight Elementary in Elsie will register on February 29. Children with last names beginning with A through M will register at 9:30 a.m. Children with last names beginning with N through Z will register at 1:00 p.m.

Children in the Ovid attendance area will register as follows: Those living in Clinton County will register at the North Elementary School at 9 a.m. on March 1. Children living in Shiawassee County and the area east of Park Street in Ovid will register at 1 p.m. on March 1, at the East Elementary School. Parents are urged to bring their child with them when they register him so that he may become acquainted with his room and kindergarten teacher.

The child must be five years old on or before Dec. 1, 1972. Parents are requested to bring a certified

copy of their child's birth certificate with them. If a birth certificate is not available, one may be obtained by contacting the County Clerk in the county where the child was born. There is a small charge for this.

Mrs. Canfield of the County Health Department, will be there to answer health questions and to set pre-school clinics. Parents must comply with the following law before sending their child to school in the fall.

The law states, "All children enrolling in any public, private, parochial or denominational school in Michigan for the first time shall submit either a statement signed by a physician that they have been immunized against smallpox, diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis and poliomyelitis, and tuberculin tested to determine the presence of infection from tuberculosis; or a statement signed by the parent or guardian to the effect that the child has not been immunized and tuberculin tested because of religious convictions or a request signed by one parent or guardian that the local health department give the needed protective injections and diagnostic test."

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review one point that is relevant to the decision. "That is the territorial instinct or territorial imperative. . . This is not just a social prejudice to be done away with by law and reason, but a basic animal and human instinct. It should be recognized and dealt with in a manner that allows accommodation rather than hostility."

Lansing city officials have argued that the city has a right to the airport area since the city already provides fire and police protection and other services. Township officials claim that the airport annexation is just a scheme to grab land in the two

townships that could become a solid base for tax revenue. Clinton officials had said earlier that Lansing is trying for the airport area since few people live in the area which avoids the need of a special election for citizens to decide which government they would prefer.

Once the airport area is part of the City of Lansing, Clinton officials insist, it would be just a matter of time before contiguous areas are also annexed.

The Boundary Commission has not indicated when a decision will be made.

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- If a window breaks, make temporary repairs. Large sheets of plastic stapled to the window frame are best. Make permanent repairs, then, after the wind subsides.

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A critic is a fellow who never outgrows the game of knock-knock.

Push-button telephones available

ST. JOHNS — Push-button telephones, called "Touch Calling" by General Telephone, are now available to customers in the company's Fowler - Pawamo and St. Johns exchanges, according to an announcement by W.F. Graef, district manager for the company.

Recently installed specialized central office equipment makes the modern service available.

"Touch Calling" is available to all of our customers in the two exchanges," Graef said. "This includes customers with prefix numbers 224 (St. Johns) and 593 (Fowler-Pawamo)."

Newest of telephone services offered by the company, "Touch Calling" replaces the traditional telephone dial with a series of 12 buttons.

"Telephone numbers can be punched more rapidly and with less chance of error than they can be dialed," Graef said. "We're also looking toward the day when the telephone instrument will be commonly used to transmit data."

It's not simply a matter of replacing a standard dial instrument with a "Touch Calling" instrument, the manager pointed out.

"Special equipment has to be installed at the central office to translate the electronic pulses created by "Touch Call" into current which will operate the electro-mechanical switching equipment," he said. He added that one day telephone central offices are likely to be completely electronic.

He pointed out that there is a slight additional charge for the push-button service.

General Telephone in Michigan was the first of the nationwide family of GTE telephone operating companies to offer the new service, Graef said. Extensive tests were given the instruments and central office equipment at the company's Muskegon exchange.

The standard deduction is up this year. But maybe you should itemize.

Your best buddy Lenny might have told you to itemize your deductions because it would save you more tax dollars. Your neighbor possibly suggested taking the standard deduction because you'd pay less taxes that way.

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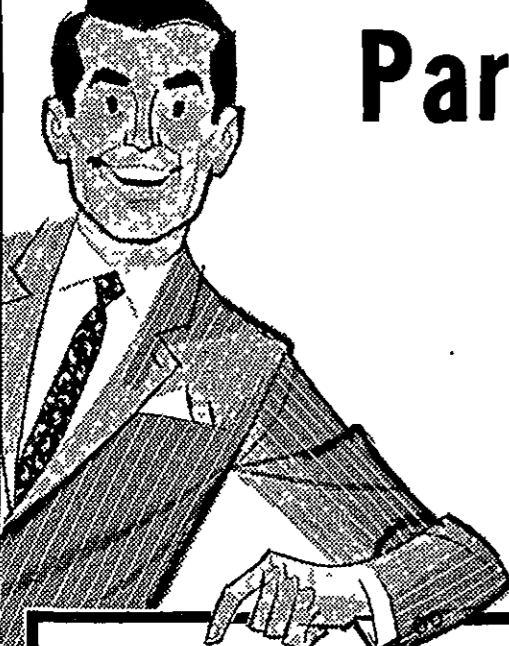
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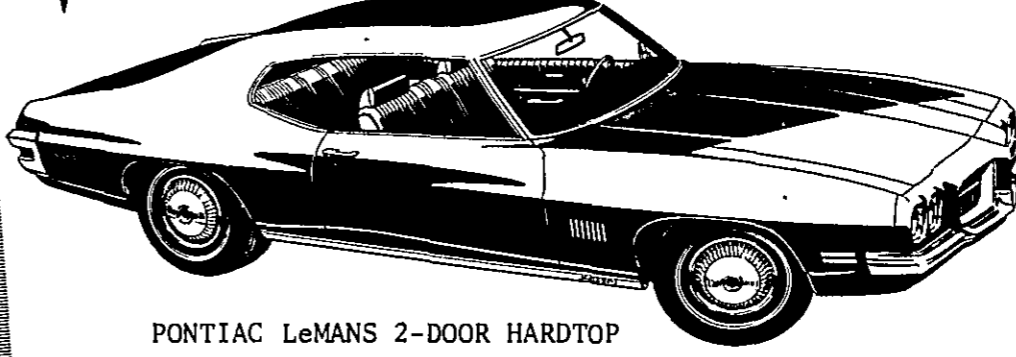
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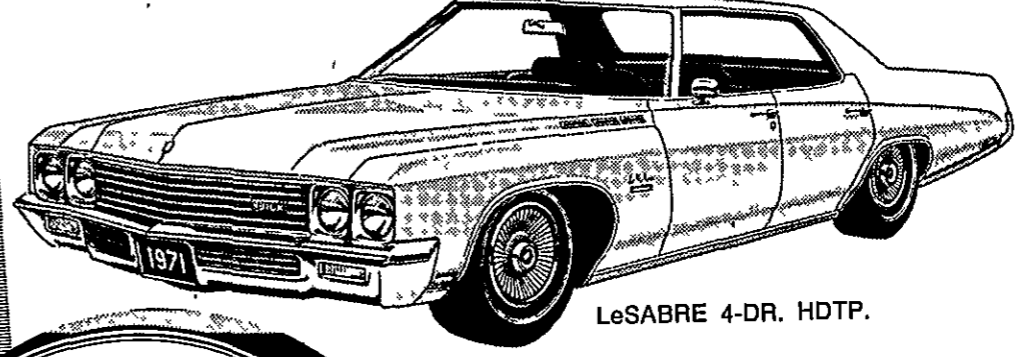
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Clinton area obituaries

Eva Mae Ressler

Mrs. Eva Mae Ressler, 86, of 504 South Mead Street, St. Johns died Wednesday, Feb. 16 at the Clinton Memorial Hospital following a short illness.

Funeral services were held at the Osgood Funeral Home, Maple Rapids, on Friday, Feb. 18 with Rev. Calvin Kaufman and Rev. Lehman Longenecker officiating. Burial was in Union Home Cemetery with Rev. Robert Myers officiating.

He was born in Grattot County on Nov. 22, 1885, the son of William and Mary Brown and had resided most of his life in Essex Township.

Survivors include three sons, Maynard Brown of Sanford Lake, Carl Brown of Higgins Lake and Gerald Brown, of Island of Kwadulane; a daughter, Mrs. Irene Fitzgerald of Pamaona, Calif.; 19 great-grandchildren.

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Clella A. Feazel

WACOSTA — Clella A. Feazel, 80, of Eaton Highway died Saturday, Feb. 12 at a Lansing Hospital following a long illness.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, Feb. 15 at Peters - Murray Funeral Home in Grand Ledge with Rev. Raymond McBarotins. Burial was in Delta Mills Cemetery.

He was born in Eaton County, the daughter of Carson and Mary Chadwick and had been a lifelong resident of the Wacousta and Delta areas.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Wayne Hicks of St. Johns; two sons, Duane Ressler of Park Ridge, Ill. and Bernard Ressler of Okinawa; seven grandchildren; four great-grandchildren.

Peter E. Brown

Peter E. Brown, 86, of 231 East Willow, Perry died Sunday, Feb. 13 at Carson City Hospital following a

R-2, Ithaca died Tuesday, Feb. 15 at his home following a short illness.

Funeral services were held at the Bethel Mennonite Church on Friday, Feb. 18 with Rev. Calvin Kaufman and Rev. Lehman Longenecker officiating. Burial was in Washington Township Collier Cemetery.

He was born in Flanigan, Ill. on March 26, 1914, the son of Samuel and Barbara Zehr Slagell. He married the former Kathryn Fletcher in Fairview on Aug. 28, 1938 and was a member of the Bethel Mennonite Church. He was employed as a pipe fitter at Saylor Beall Corporation and was also engaged in farming.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Mrs. Joan Heckel of Littleton, Pa.; three sons, Glenn, Frank and Lee, all of Grattot County; five grandchildren; three brothers, Earl, Ollie and Harold, all of St. Johns; three sisters, Mrs. Dorothy Whitford of Ashley, Mrs. Marie Kindel of DeWitt and Mrs. Viola Bontrager of Goshen, Ind.

Marvin Blanchard

Marvin Blanchard, 76, of R-1, Muir died Thursday, Feb. 10 at Ionia Memorial Hospital following a short illness.

He was born January 6, 1896 in Osceola County, the son of Irvin and Isadora Hoyt Blanchard. He was married June 29, 1929 to Lucy O'Beirne at her rural Muir home. He graduated from Central Michigan University and received a B.S. degree from Michigan State University, and a M.A. degree from University of Michigan. He then served as superintendent of schools at Hubbardston, from 1924-1928 and superintendent of schools at Edwardsburg from 1929-1955. He then was a vocational agricultural teacher in the Lapeer Public Schools from 1955-1961 when he retired to limited farming at his residence in rural Muir. He was involved in Education for 36 years.

He was a member of the Michigan Education Association, National Education Association, Michigan Association of School Administrators, a life member of St. Peter's Lodge No. 106 F&AM of Edwardsburg, charter member of the Edwardsburg Lions Club, and a member of the First United Methodist Church of Ionia.

He is survived by his wife, Lucy; two sons, Willard Blanchard of Vienna, Va. and Burton Blanchard of Downer's Grove, Ill.; a sister, Mrs. Milton Raab

of Reed City; a brother, Max Blanchard of Hersey; six grandchildren; daughter Alice, preceded him in death.

Funeral services were held from the First United Methodist Church in Ionia at 11 a.m. on Feb. 12. Graveside services and burial were at 4:00 p.m. at the Edwardsburg Cemetery with the Shaw - Rivett - Hull Funeral Home of Muir in charge.

Memorial in Mr. Blanchard's name may be made to either the United Methodist Church of Ionia or Edwardsburg.

Anna G. Scheafer

Anna G. Scheafer, 71, of 858 Chapman St., Ionia died Sunday, Feb. 13 at the Clinton Memorial Hospital following a short illness.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Feb. 16 at St. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Ionia with burial in Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

She was born in Pewamo on Sept. 5, 1900, the daughter of Nicholas and Theresa Wietzel and resided most of her life in Ionia. She married Guttileb Schaefer in Pewamo on Sept. 30, 1919 and was a member of St. Peter and Paul Church and its Altar Society.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Carl Schaefer of Pewamo; three daughters, Rosalind McMillan of Hubbardston, Kathleen Elsler of St. Johns and Monica Howard of Grand Rapids; 15 grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; two brothers, John Wietzel of Ionia and Jacob Wietzel of Greenville.

Esther L. McCormick

Mrs. Esther L. McCormick, 59, of 934 East Jefferson, Pewamo died Monday, Feb. 21, at the Carson City Hospital.

Funeral services will be held Thursday, Feb. 25, at the George Chapel of the Osgood Funeral Homes Inc., Fowler at 1 p.m. with Rev. Robert Myers officiating. Burial will be in East Plains Cemetery.

She was born in Dexter on June 21, 1918, the daughter of William C. and Erma Johnson Hagerer and had moved to Pewamo as a small child. She married Thomas J. McCormick in Morley on Jan. 31, 1941.

Survivors include her husband; four daughters, Patricia Ann McCormick, Diane E. McCormick and Mary Eileen McCormick, all at home and Mrs. Susan Platte of rural Fowler; a granddaughter; one brother, Harold Haarer of Whitley, Ind.

Ernest R. Hoose Jr.

Ernest R. Hoose Jr., 25, of 117 East Pearl Street, Ovid died Saturday, Feb. 19 at his home.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, Feb. 22 at the

Houghton Chapel of the Osgood Funeral Homes, Inc., Ovid with Rev. Larry Warren officiating. Burial was in Maple Grove Cemetery.

He was born in Lansing on June 10, 1946 and moved to Ovid in 1962 from Carland. He married the former Sharon Durrance in Starling Heights on Jan. 14, 1967. He had been employed at Vaughn's Seed Company since December.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Giltget and Sherry L. of Starling Heights; his mother, Mrs. Dorothy Conrad of Ovid; his father, Ernest Hoose Sr., of Merrill; three sisters, Mrs. Patricia Hall of Corunna, Mrs. Margaret Paris of Owosso and Barbara Hoose of Ovid; a half-brother, Mark E. Conrad of Ovid; his stepfather, Alfred Conrad of Ovid; two half sisters, Pam and Lynn of Merrill; a half-brother, Pepl of Merrill.

Elgie Otis Call

Elgie Otis Call, 84, of Tampa, Fla. died Monday, Feb. 21 at his home following a short illness.

Funeral services will be held at the Houghton Chapel of the Osgood Funeral Home Thursday, Feb. 24 at 1:30 p.m. with Rev. Earl Cöpelin officiating. Burial will be in Ford Cemetery. Masonic services will be conducted at the funeral home Wednesday at 8 p.m.

He was born in Elsie on Feb. 14, 1888, the son of Charles and Amanda Call and attended Elsie Schools. He had resided in Elsie, Detroit and for the past 25 years in Tampa, Fla. He was married to the former Josephine Ostrand and was a member of the Redford Masonic Lodge No. 152 F & A M.

Survivors include two sons, Beryl of Tampa and Charles of Westland; three sisters, Mrs. Vina Pearce and Mrs. Blanche Peterson of Tampa and Mrs. Mildred Wells of Montgomery, Ala.; four grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren.



LEONARD A. JUNKER

Airman LEONARD A. JUNKER, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard J. Junker of 7101 Cutler Road, Bath, has completed his U.S. Air Force basic training at the Air Training Command's Lackland AFB, Tex. He has been assigned to Chanute AFB, Ill., for training in the aircraft equipment maintenance field. Airman Junker is a 1971 graduate of Bath High School.

State testing results revealed

ST. JOHNS—Statewide results of the State Board of Education's Michigan Educational Assessment Program (MEAP) were released in compiled form and revealed that students in the St. Johns district achieved an average score that ranked them in the upper 21 percent of the state's districts.

The tests were given to only fourth and seventh graders as a means of measuring basic skills. It was the first time in the three-year history of MEAP that compiled scores for individual districts were made public by the State Department of Education.

"This release of data is in keeping with the philosophy that has been followed throughout the Michigan Educational Assessment Program," said Dr. John W. Porter, Superintendent of Public Instruction.

"Assessment is the third step in the six-step accountability model of the State Board of Education. It comes after the articulation of common goals, which has been achieved at the state level, and the development of performance objectives, which is in progress at the state level. Succeeding steps in the model are analysis of the educational delivery system, evaluation and testing of changes which may be made in the system, and recommendations for improvement."

"Only when each school district, by applying the accountability model, has a clear idea of where it is in relation to where it wants to be—only when all available tools have been used to assess our needs, in other words—only then can we move toward improvement of education for all our children."

"We are in an era when parents and other citizens are demanding accountability from their schools. One of the first efforts that must be made in this regard is providing information about levels of basic skills learning."

"We know that the MEAP does not provide all the information needed to assess the needs of our students and schools, but it does provide some valuable data," Porter said. "We are well aware that there is a great deal more to providing education for children than merely measuring how well public school fourth and seventh graders do in the basic skill areas of reading, mechanics of writing, and mathematics," he said.

"It is important to emphasize and re-emphasize that the MEAP is not to be viewed as an evaluation or testing program of Michigan schools."

The school districts can and should use these data, along with other information and evaluative tools which they may have or can develop locally, to determine the need for or extent of changes in their educational programs and use of resources," Porter said.

He cautioned those who use or interpret the MEAP data contained in the report to consider carefully a section titled "qualifying information."

By far the great bulk of the MEAP data is designed for use only in careful analysis of educational delivery systems and resource allocation, Porter noted. Comparisons between districts, even those of the same community type or in the same geographic area cannot realistically be made using only the MEAP results, he said.

Number scores on the various basic skills measures, educational resource measures and socio-economic measures are truly significant only to the careful analyst, he pointed out. Percentile rankings are also highly useful for a variety of purposes as local school boards and administrators develop and direct steps toward improvement.

"In addition to reporting scores and percentile rankings, the 1970-71 report on the MEAP displays the data collected in a new reporting format: Decile Distribution Tables," Porter said. "It is our belief that this new step will make the data even more useful."

"We have provided the Decile Distribution Tables on the measure of composite achievement to illustrate the range of student performance in the basic skills for each public school district," he said. "Composite achievement is the average of scores on the reading, mechanics of written English and mathematics tests."

"The Decile Distribution Tables show—in percentages—the range of performance of students in each district. They show the number of fourth and seventh graders who took the test in each district, and the per cent of those children who scored in each decile—that is, each 10 per cent from the top 10 per cent to the bottom 10 per cent—of statewide scores."

"In a vastly oversimplified way, it is not totally accurate to say that a district with large percentages of children scoring in the upper deciles must be doing something right in reading, math, and mechanics of written English."

"It may also be stated that virtually every district has some children in the lower decile ranges, and will want to analyze their programs

carefully to determine what might be done to help these students improve their performance," he said.

"And, of course, it is also true that even districts which show somewhat heavier concentrations of children in the lower decile ranges will also have some children scoring in the top deciles," Porter said.

Here are the test results of 25 state districts either near the St. Johns district comparable in size.

District	Percentile 4th	Percentile 7th
St. Johns C	85	79
Ionia C	23	16
Huron Valley	39	11
Howell	67	42
Ithaca	63	79
Eaton Rapids	27	70
Greenville	27	46
Hastings C	56	73
Hillsdale	64	42
Charlotte C	69	50
Cheaning	58	28
Corunna	30	25
Durand	40	46
Alma C	67	81
Owosso	52	56
Mt. Pleasant	58	41
Cadillac	45	67
Waverly C	75	80
Fowler	83	88
Fulton	58	66
Ovid-Elsie	54	89
P-W	40	44
Bath	40	14
DeWitt	42	44
Grand Ledge C	67	68

SERVICE PERSONNEL

Army private RANDY D. WANG, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keck Jr., 113 N. New St., Ashley, is assigned to Ft. Ord, Calif., where he is training under the modern volunteer army field experiment. The new concept, called Volar, combines basic and advanced individual training into a single 16-week program.

Decentralized instruction at the unit level and a reduction of formations and inspections gives the soldier more time to train and increased off-duty time. Fewer restrictions on off-duty travel and improved living facilities are other benefits of the Volar concept. Pvt. Wang began his training on January 24 and is scheduled to complete the first phase on March 17. The soldier is a 1971 graduate of Ashley High School.

Open Letter
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The St. Johns Board of Review will be held March 20 & 21 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. in the auditorium of the Municipal Building.

Thereafter, the Board of Review will continue in session daily until only those persons appearing on March 20 & 21 are heard.

The following ratios and multipliers are the starting 1972 ratios:

PROPERTY	RATIO	MULTIPLIER
Commercial	43.92	1.1382
Industrial	40.94	1.2212
Residential	37.92	1.3185
Personal	50.00	1.00

We anticipate that the final multiplier will be 1:00 for all classes of property.

Board of Review
James McKenzie
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CLINTON COUNTY NEWS PAGE

for Women



RHONDA FAYE WOODBURY



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They're engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Woodbury of 204 North Traver Street, St. Johns announce the engagement of their daughter, Rhonda Faye to Sp/5 William Richard Hambleton. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Hambleton of 221 Moores River Drive, Lansing.

The bride-elect is a 1971 graduate of St. Johns High School and is a student at Central Michigan University.

The prospective groom is a 1969 graduate of Sexton High School, Lansing and is serving a tour of duty in the Army, stationed in Germany.

A Sept. 23 wedding is being planned by the couple.

Jaycees numbers increase

FOWLER — The Fowler Jaycees have experienced a more than 25 per cent growth since their membership campaign began in December according to the group's monthly newsletter.

"This is certainly great, but our challenge has just begun," said a spokesman for the group. "Now, it is our responsibility to help these new members become involved in the Jaycees and the community."

The group now sports 70 members.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blackmer of 2100 Green Road, St. Johns announce the engagement of their daughter, Louetta to John T. McLaren. He is the son of Leola McLaren and the late Thomas J. McLaren of McMillan.

The bride-elect is a senior at St. Johns High School.

The prospective groom is a 1967 graduate of Newberry High School and attends Lansing Community College. He is employed at Oldsmobile.

A June 17 wedding is being planned by the couple.

Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Smith of 708 South Baker Street, St. Johns announce the engagement of their daughter, Betty Ann to Stephen C. Goodman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Goodman of 6861 Debra Drive, Portland.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Rodney B. Wilson High School and Lansing Community College. She is presently employed with the State of Michigan Department of Education.

The prospective groom is a 1966 graduate of St. Patrick's High School, served four years in the Air Force and is employed at Oldsmobile.

A Sept. 9 wedding is being planned by the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence R. Buck of R-1, Elsie announce the engagement of their daughter, Celeste, to Lt. (j.g.) Myron F. Tethal, U.S. Coast Guard. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Myron Tethal of 331 N. 2nd Street, Elsie.

Miss Buck is a 1970 graduate of Central Michigan University where she was affiliated with Alpha Sigma Alpha Sorority. She is presently employed as a teacher in Tranton.

Lt. (j.g.) Tethal graduated from the U.S. Coast Guard Academy in 1970 and is now stationed in Honolulu, Hawaii.

A July wedding is being planned.

BIRTHS

THELEN — A girl, Vicki Lynn, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Thelen of R-2, Portland Feb. 13 at St. Lawrence Hospital. She weighed 8 pounds, 2 ounces. The baby has two brothers. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edward Plunkett of Eagle and Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Thelen of Fowler. The mother is the former Patricia Plunkett.

RADEMACHER — A boy, Daniel, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roman Rademacher of R-2, St. Johns, Feb. 9 at Carson City Hospital. He weighed 9 pounds 11 ounces. The baby has two brothers and three sisters. The mother is the former Roselyn O'Connell.

Marriage Licenses

Alvin Schafer, 20, R-2, Fowler to Jan Davis, 16, R-6, St. Johns.

Thomas Lynn Brown, 20, 1104 Dakin St., Lansing to Wendy Doreen Pfifer, 20, 811 E. State St., St. Johns.

Lynn R. Bolton, 20, 141 E. Pearl St., Ovid to Barbara J. Delaney, 18, 1477 N. Carland Rd., Owosso.

Norman E. McMann Jr., 18, 15965 1/2 Turner Rd., Lansing to Stella L. Kinkle, 18, 15965 1/2 Turner Rd., Lansing.

Lester G. Houghson, 48, 1404 N. Shepardsville Rd., Ovid to Nelva V. Hopper, 39, 1015 Remington Ave., Flint.

Floyd A. Guerrero, 22, 427 West Superior St., Alma to Matilde Martinez, 24, 1201 S. Lansing St., St. Johns.



MRS. DOROTHY SCHOALS

Local woman writes manuscript

The February issue of Hospital Financial Management the Journal of the Hospital Financial Management Association contains a manuscript written by Mrs. Dorothy Schoals, business manager at Clinton Memorial Hospital. The title is "P.I.P. and the Small Hospital". P.I.P. is a method of payment by the Medicare Program and Mrs. Schoals installed this method at Clinton Memorial Hospital, Jan. 1, 1971.

The H.F.M.A. Journal is published monthly by the Association and is made up of papers submitted by its members. The papers are judged on presentation and content which would aid other members in their positions. It is distributed to the Association's 9,200 members in the United States, Canada and other foreign countries. Mrs. Schoals is president of the Central Michigan Chapter of H.F.M.A.

MEETINGS

The American Legion Auxiliary Unit 153 held its regular meeting Feb. 15 at 8 p.m.

Following the opening ritual committee reports were given. Americanism chairman Doris Downing announced the winners of the Americanism Essay contest titles "What Kind of American Am I". Stephanie Pytlowan finished in first place in senior group and Diane Knight placed first in the junior group.

The awards were presented at a school assembly on Feb. 17. The two essays are now eligible for district competition.

Rehabilitation chairman Marge Pardee reported the Auxiliary is being asked to send seven handkerchiefs, cards and stamps for Mother's Day to the Saginaw V.A. Hospital gift shop.

A raise in department mandatory dues has made it necessary to raise the unit membership dues. A raise to \$6 per year was proposed. This proposal will be voted on at the April 16 meeting and all members are urged to attend.

The unit voted to send a letter to the eighth district president endorsing Kay Mishler for the office of eighth district president for the year of 1972-73.

The American Legion annual potluck birthday dinner will be held March 18 at 7 p.m. at the Legion Hall. Those attending should bring a dish to pass and own table service. Coffee and cake will be furnished. A St. Patrick's Day dance will follow in the club rooms.

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MRS. MICHAEL CHAPKO

Couple speak vows in Bannister church

Phyllis Elaine Whitmyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Whitmyer of Laingsburg, and Michael Edwin Chapko, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chapko of Elsie, exchanged nuptial vows Saturday afternoon in ceremonies at St. Cyril's Catholic Church in Bannister.

Rev. Thomas M. Kowalczyk officiated for the double ring ceremony.

Escorted by her father, the bride approached the altar wearing an emerald-style gown of satin peau de sole, trimmed with lace and a chapel length train and veil. She carried a cascade bouquet of orchids and miniature carnations.

Linda Chapko, sister of the groom, and Joyce Whitmyer, sister of the bride attended the bride as maid of honor and bridesmaid. They wore identical gowns featuring a purple velvet bodice and printed skirt. Each carried a single lavender orchid.

Corsages of miniature carnations were presented to the mothers as well as to Mrs. Florence Rogers, a

special guest and grandmother of the bride.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The couple will make their home in Elsie.



JANE ALICE ATKINSON

Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph G. Atkinson, of 1608 Fairway View Drive, Lima, Ohio, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jane Alice, to Stanley John Gromelski, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley J. Gromelski, Sr., of Dansereau Road, Haydenville, Mass.

Miss Atkinson received her B.A. degree from Ohio State University. She studied at Sprach Institut, Vienna, Austria. She will receive a B.S. in Medical Technology from Ohio State University in June.

Dr. Gromelski received his B.S. degree from the University of Massachusetts. He received his Ph.D. in Chemistry from Ohio State University. He is a post-doctoral fellow with the Chemistry Department at Ohio State University.

The wedding will take place in June.

Coming Events

Feb. 24—Lenten Breakfast will be held at the Shlawassee YMCA at 10 a.m. \$1 donation and babysitting will be provided by reservation.

Feb. 24—Father and Son banquet will be held at the St. Johns Congregational Church. Speaker will be Gene Kenney, assistant athletic director at Michigan State University. Tickets are \$1.50 for fathers and \$1 for sons through high school. For reservations call the church office 224-2636.

Feb. 24 — St. Johns Morning Musicals will meet at the home of Mrs. Bruce Fowler. Theme for the 9:45 a.m. meeting is Washington's Birthday.

Feb. 26 — A singspiration will be held at 7 p.m. at St. Johns Baptist Temple featuring the Chuck Brady family and the Crowe family. Rev. Fred Skinner will be the speaker.

Feb. 26 — Riley Elementary School carnival will be held from 7 to 10 p.m. at the school. A 1972 Suzuki snowmobile will be given away to the lucky ticket holder.

Feb. 26 — Masters Quartet will perform at the Free Methodist Church in Ovid at 7 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

March 3—World Day of Prayer will be held at the St. Johns Congregational Church at 1:30 p.m. Speaker will be Rev. David Franzmeier of the Hope Lutheran Church in DeWitt.

Feb. 28—LaLeche League will meet at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. James Kurnez, 289 Dill Road. Topic for discussion will be "Overcoming Difficulties with Breast-feeding". For additional information call 669-9522.

March 5 — St. Therese Parish will sponsor its annual ham dinner with serv-

ing to begin at 11:30 a.m. and continue until 4:30 p.m. The dinner will be held in the cafeteria of the school and will feature a smorgasbord dessert table. Free babysitting will be provided. Adults, \$2 and children, \$1.

BIRTHS

THELEN—A girl, Shelly Lyn, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Alan G. Thelen of 232 N. Maple, Fowler, Feb. 10, 1972 at Carson City Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds, 14 ounces. The baby has two sisters. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Simon and Mr. and Mrs. Julius A. Thelen. The mother is the former Teresa Simon.

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HOSPITAL NOTES

At the monthly meeting on Wednesday, Feb. 16, the Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary Board marked its 46th anniversary. Mrs. John Paradise, vice - chairman presided in the absence of Mrs. Cyrus Waldron.

Plans for the spring theater party were confirmed. Two chartered busses will leave the hospital parking lot on Saturday, April 29, at 8 a.m. bound for the Fisher Theater in Detroit. After a two hour stop over in Northland, the group will attend the matinee performance of "No, No, Nanette". Cost of the excursion is \$17, which covers transportation and matinee ticket.

Reservations are available through Mrs. Virgil Zeeb, 224-4338, and Mrs. Howard Gentry, 224-3751. The busses arrive back in St. Johns about 8 p.m.

The nurses lounge has been painted by auxiliary volunteers and plans were made to reupholster the furniture in the room.

Following the business meeting, Mrs. Rex Strrine gave a history of the Hospital Auxiliary and then served cake and coffee in honor of the occasion.

Diane Halsted bride of Rodney Erickson

MAPLE RAPIDS - Diane C. Halsted became the bride of Rodney Mandus Erickson Saturday, Jan. 15 in a double ring ceremony performed by Rev. Robert Meyers in the Congregational Christian Church.

Organist for the 10 a.m. service was Helen Howe and soloist, Ronald Carpenter rendered "The Lord's Prayer", "Wedding Song" and "Love".

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Valgene Halsted of 10797 Frank Himes Highway, Perrinton and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Mandus Erickson of Carney.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and was attired in a dark blue skirt and matching sleeveless jacket with a long sleeved white blouse. She carried a bouquet of white mums with two white rosebuds. The bride presented her mother and mother-in-law with the rosebuds from her bouquet following the service.

Matron of honor was Nancy Carpenter of Maple Rapids and Rita Halsted of Lansing, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid. The maid of honor wore a red and white



MR. AND MRS. RODNEY M. ERICKSON

knit trimmed in red and the bridesmaid chose a brown and white knit, trimmed in brown. Each carried a bouquet of white mums tipped with blue.

Best man was Raymond Erickson of Carney, brother of the groom, and assisting as groomsman was Richard Blemaster of Maple Rapids. Seating the guests were ushers, Alan Peterson of East Lansing and Richard Blemaster of Maple Rapids. A dinner was served at the reception which was held for 35 guests at the Methodist Church following the service.

Special guests at the wedding and reception were the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Halsted of Maple Rapids.

The couple will be at home at 446 South Maple Street in Maple Rapids.

The bride is a 1968 graduate of Fulton High School and the groom is a 1965 graduate

of Carney Nedeau High School in Carney.

MEETINGS

St. Johns Child Study Club met at the home of Mrs. Jeneeh Needham with 26 members and guests present. Guests for the evening were; Mrs. Susan Labrado, Mrs. Marilyn Brown and Mrs. Kathy Cain.

Mrs. Karen Hundley, program chairman, introduced a panel of three who spoke on "Mother Views the Neighborhood". The panel members included Mrs. Ethlyn Walker, Mrs. Sharon Fitzpatrick and Mrs. Ester Rieker. A discussion, including several types of prejudices was conducted by panel members and club members. The next meeting will be held March 15, at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. James Crowell. The program for the evening will be "Population Explosion". The speaker will be Ed Tucker.

Clinton County Area
CHURCH NEWS

ST. JOHNS—Church Women United in Clinton County will observe World Day of Prayer, the international celebration of faith and unity among Christian women on Friday, March 3, at St. Johns Congregational Church at 1:30 p.m. The theme, to be used in similar gatherings in 169 countries, is "All Joy Be Yours."

Since the first small gatherings in the United States 85 years ago, the idea of united prayer by women around the world from sun to sun has increasingly captured the imagination of community groups. Today, World Day of Prayer can be described as a very important ecumenical occasion during the year. This celebration is the most widely observed activity of Church Women United, which is the ecumenical expression of Protestant, Orthodox and Roman Catholic women who wish to mobilize around common goals and channel their energies into effective action. The goal of Church Women United is to form a visible fellowship of believers in Christ, and move in every community and nation as instruments of reconciling love.

There are 2,300 units of CWU in the United States.

The preparation for the celebration is an internationally far-reaching as the participation in it. Liaison officers from each national committee form a sponsoring International Committee. This committee, which meets every three or four years, met in Bangkok in 1970.

As the women of eastern and western Europe chose what petitions should be included in this year's worldwide prayers, they were aware of three problems affecting the whole world: the plight of displaced peoples, the strained relationships between the generations, and

the unsettling effect of the technological revolution.

The World Day of Prayer offering goes into a fund called Intercontinental Mission—the process by which CWU participates in a ministry to people all over the world. The people and places to whom funds are granted include women and children in need of education and better nutrition, minority women in new careers, thirteen women's colleges in Asia and the Near East, international students, American Indians and Spanish-speaking people, migrants, refugees, people on vacation in National Parks, future church leaders interested in ecology, and women leaders in Africa and Latin America.

The work accomplished by the use of these funds includes the training of health and nutrition workers who then hold workshops in villages, the training of rural women overseas to participate in the social and economic development of their own countries, the preparation of indigenous literature in countries where many people are newly literate, the subsidizing of minority groups seeking self-determination and self-determination, and peace-building through cooperation with the United Nations and international conferences.

Clinton County

Social Events

Celebrate anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Neller were guests of honor at an open house Sunday, Feb. 13 in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary.

The event was held at the Price Methodist Church and was hosted by their children and grandchildren.

Guests were present from Milwaukee, Wis., Bellare, Ann Arbor, Caro, Greenville, Ionia, Farmington, Owosso, Lansing, Elsie, Laingsburg, Ovid, and St. Johns.

Announcements

Anyone interested in being on a committee for the organization of the reunion for the Ovid-Elsie Class of 1967, get in touch with Mary (Ziegs) Bancroft at 834-5906, Kathy (Seconsky) Taylor at 834-5921 or Cynthia (Saxton) Herron at 834-5807 before March 3.

ST. JOHNS

Captain Uldis Dakers and Mrs. Dakers will leave Thursday for England, where he will be stationed with the U.S. Air Force. Captain Dakers was stationed near Tucson, Ariz., for two years and during the past year he has been on active duty in Viet Nam, while his wife has been living in Lansing. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pavlis Dakers of Greenbush Township, and has been visiting his parents as well as his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Karlis Dakers of St. Johns.

Gene Kenney, assistant athletic director of Michigan State University, will be the speaker at the Father and Son Banquet to be held at the First Congregational Church Thursday evening at 6:30 p.m.

Mrs. Jennie Bandt entertained Mrs. Esther Jastram and Mrs. Wilma Bandt at a one p.m. luncheon Thursday, in honor of Mrs. Jastram's birthday.

Mrs. Carl Schutt of Jackson, was a Sunday caller at the home of her sister, Mrs. K.L. Jones.

Spec. 4 Joseph Fosmoe and Mrs. Fosmoe left Friday for Ft. Lee, Va., where he will be stationed with the U.S. Army. He recently completed training as a Licensed Vocational Nurse at Ft. Sam Houston near San Antonio, Texas. While there he also earned and received his high school diploma. The Fosmoes were married at St. Mark's Episcopal Church in San Antonio, Feb. 5. She is the former Mary Margaret McCauley, daughter of Mrs. Margaret McCauley of San Antonio. She has been attending San Antonio College, where she was a drama major. Both of the Fosmoes expect to continue their education while living near Ft. Lee. They have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Fosmoe.

Radiant Chapter No. 79, Order of the Eastern Star, will hold its annual Friends Night at the Masonic Temple, Saturday night, Feb. 26, beginning at 8 p.m. Members are invited to bring friends for this "fun night" occasion. Bingo will be in play and refreshments will be served. The chapter held an initiation ceremony Wednesday evening, Feb. 16, at which Mrs. Daniel Bross was initiated into membership and Mrs. H.M. Bross was reinstated.



DR. AND MRS. ALLEN W. JACOBS

Wyrick-Jacobs vows spoken

EAST LANSING—People's Church was the setting for the 7 p.m. service which united in marriage Kristine S. Wyrick and Dr. Allen W. Jacobs. Dr. Wallace Robertson performed the double ring ceremony on Saturday, Jan. 29 and organist for the service was Dr. Corliss Arnold.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Madison Wyrick of R-5, St. Johns and the groom is the son of Mrs. Wayne Jacobs of Quincy, Ill. and the late Mr. Jacobs.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, approached the altar wearing a gown of rayon beads, sole trimmed with re-embroidered Alencon lace with pearl trim featuring a high collar, long sleeves with a wide cuff, an A-line skirt with an empire-style waistline and a detachable tunnel train. Her elbow-length veil was secured in place by a bow of rayon peau d' sole trimmed with re-embroidered lace and pearl trim and she carried a crescent cascade bouquet of gardenias, stephanotis and English ivy, accented with orange star flowers.

The bride's sister-in-law, Mrs. Roger Wyrick of St.

Johns, was matron of honor and assisting as bridesmaids were Mrs. Richard Mikel of Lansing, Bonnie Mollenkopf and Jo Ellen Chaffee, both of East Lansing. The attendants wore gowns styled with a dark olive green velvet skirt and a pale green bodice. They each carried an arm bouquet of yellow miniature carnations, orange sweetheart roses and orange daisies.

Dan Francisco of Iowa City, Iowa was best man and serving as groomsman and ushers were Tim Jacobs and Curt Jacobs, both of Quincy, Ill., Roger Wyrick of St. Johns and Fred Vincent of East Lansing.

A reception was held for 300 guests at the Country House in Okemos immediately following the ceremony.

Special guest at the wedding and reception was the groom's grandmother, Mrs. Isaac Jacobs of Camp Point, Ill.

Following a skiing trip in Northern Michigan the couple will make their home in Lansing.

The bride is a 1969 graduate of Lansing Community College and the groom is a graduate of Southern Illinois University and the University of Iowa.

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Next Sunday In Clinton County Churches

All Churches in Clinton County are invited to send their weekly announcements to The Clinton County News. They must reach us by 10 a.m. Monday to insure publication in the current week's issue.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Harold E. Homer—Minister
9:30 a.m. Church School, 10:30 a.m. Fellowship, 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship, 7:30 p.m. Community Lenten Service at the Church of God.
Wednesday—9:00 to 11:00 a.m. Women's Study Class, 4:00 p.m. Carol Choir rehearsal, 6:30 p.m. Chapel Choir rehearsal, 8:30 p.m. Prayer Group in the lounge, 7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir.
Thursday—10:00 a.m. Prayer Group, 6:30 p.m. Father-Son Banquet in Niles Hall, 3:30 p.m. Girl Scouts.
Saturday—2:00 to 4:00 p.m. Children's Carnival in Niles Hall.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Averill M. Carson, Minister
Thursday, Feb. 24: 6:30 p.m. Father and Son Banquet.
Saturday, Feb. 26: 12:30 p.m. Junior Choir rehearsal, 1:00 p.m. Children's Choir rehearsal.
Sunday, Feb. 27: 9:45 a.m. Church School, 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship, Monday, Feb. 28: 6:45 p.m. Congregation.
Wednesday, March 1: 6:45 p.m. Boy Scout Troop No. 81, 7:30 p.m. Board of Trustees, 8:00 p.m. Senior Choir rehearsal.

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS
Corner Upton Rd. & Stoll Rd.
Elder—Earl Premoe
Sunday School—10 a.m., Preaching Service—11 a.m., Choir Practice—Wed. 6:30 p.m., Mid-Week Prayer Service—Wed. 7:30 p.m.
Everyone welcome.

PRICE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. David D. Boyd
9:45 a.m.—Church School, 11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
Women's Society meets the last Wednesday of each month, Dinner at 12:30, Meeting at 1:30.
Youth Fellowship meets the first and third Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.
Council of Church Ministries and Administrative Board meets the first Sunday of each month following a potluck dinner at noon.
Youth choir meets each Wednesday at 7 p.m.
Senior choir meets each Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

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

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH
Rev. Raymond G. Harker, Pastor
Associate Pastor
Rectory—109 Linden St.—Ph. 224-3313
Convent—110 S. Oakland—Ph. 224-3789
School—201 E. Cass—Ph. 224-2421
Mass Schedule
Saturday Evening—7 p.m. Sunday—7:30, 9, 10:30 and 12:15.
Weekdays—7:30 and 8:30 a.m. and 7:15 p.m.
Sacrament of Penance—Saturdays, 3:30 to 5 p.m., after 7 p.m., Mass until 9 p.m., Weekday evenings—5 minutes before evening Mass.
First Fridays—Sacrament of Penance, Thursday from 4 to 8 p.m. and after the evening Mass until all are heard, Mass and Prayers of Adoration at 7:15 p.m., Holy Communion on Friday at 6 and 7:15 a.m., Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, 8:30 a.m. on Thursday through 7 p.m. on First Friday.
Devotions—Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena—after 7:15 p.m. Mass each Tuesday.
Religious Instruction Classes—Adult Inquiry Class, Tuesday at 8 p.m., High School CCD, Wednesday at 8 p.m., Public Grade School CCD, Tuesdays from 4 until 5 p.m.
Baptisms—each Sunday at 1:30 by appointment. Other arrangements by appointment.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
South US-27
Paul A. Travis, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Bible School
10:55 a.m. Worship Service
11 a.m. Children's Churches
6 p.m. IN-TIME and HI-TIME
7 p.m. Evening Worship
Each Wed., 7 p.m. The Hour of Power for the whole family, 8 p.m. Choir practice.
First Sunday—Communion Service
First Tuesday—Deacons' Meeting
Second Tuesday—Ladies' Missionary Circle.
Last Tuesday—Trustees' Meeting
Mon., Fri. "Mysteries of Meditation," Radio WRBJ.

ST. JOHNS BAPTIST TEMPLE
400 E. State Street
Rev. Jerry Thomas, Pastor
Sunday School at 10 a.m., with classes for all ages. Teaching from the Book of Revelation.
Morning worship at 11 a.m.
Sunday, 8 p.m., study hour, with adult group, young people's group and J.C. Cadets group.
Sunday, 7 p.m., evangelistic message.
Wednesday at 7, prayer meeting and study hour.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
US-27 at Sturgis
Rev. Robert D. Koepen, Pastor
9:00 a.m. Sunday School and Bible Discussions.
10:15 a.m. Divine Worship.
Holy Communion—1st Sunday each month.
Confirmation Instruction Wednesdays after 3:15 p.m.
7:30 p.m. 1st Tuesdays each month—Ladies Guild-LWML.
7:30 p.m. Wednesdays—Adult Information Classes—beginning each September and February, Call 224-3544 or 224-7400 for specific information.
Church Office Hours—9:00—12:00 a.m., Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday.

COMMUNITY OF ST. JUDE
Catholic Church, Pastor
Father Jerome Schmitt, Pastor
409 Wilson, DeWitt
Daily Mass: Mon. and Thurs.—7:30 p.m., Tues. and Fri. 7:00 a.m.
Sunday Mass: 9:00 and 11:15 a.m.
Services at Middle School, DeWitt.
EAST DEWITT BIBLE CHURCH
(Non-Denominational)
Round Lake Road 1/2 mile East of US-27
Glen J. Farnham, Pastor
Sunday—10 a.m.—Sunday School, Classes for all ages.
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
5:45 p.m.—Youth Fellowship, Senior, 14 and up, get Cadets, 10-13.
7 p.m.—Evening Service
Wednesday—7:30 p.m.—Bible Study and prayer. Supervised nursery for babies and small children in all services.
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ST. THERESE CATHOLIC CHURCH
Theresa Francis Murray, Joseph Drown and Lawrence Delaney
Rectory: 102 W. Randolph, Lansing
Phone 489-0051

Every Sunday, 8 a.m. Holy Communion, 2nd and 4th Sundays, 10:45 a.m. Holy Communion and sermon. Other Sundays, 10:45 a.m. prayer and sermon.
10:45 a.m. Church School and Nursery.
Wed., during Lent—7 a.m., and 7:30 p.m. Holy Communion.
Mon. 3 p.m. Brownies, 7:30 p.m. Senior Citizens (1st and 3rd), Tues. Noon Senior Citizens (2nd and 4th), 7 p.m. Cadet Troop.
Wed. 7:30 p.m. Choir practice.
Thurs. 8 p.m. AA and Alanon.

WEST PILGRIM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Corner of Paris and Grove Rd.
Rev. Brian K. Sheen, Minister
9:30 a.m.—Worship Service
10:45 a.m.—Church School
ASSEMBLY OF GOD
S. US-27 & E. Baldwin
Joseph E. Eger, Jr., Pastor
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p.m.—Youth Service
7:30 p.m.—Sunday Evening
7 p.m.—Wednesday, second and fourth, WMC
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday evening service

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS
650 North Lansing Street
Elder, E. P. Herzog, Pastor
Services held on Saturday
9:15 a.m.—Church Service
10:30 a.m.—Sabbath School Service
JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
Kingdom Hall
1093 N. Lansing St.
Thurs., 7:30 p.m.—Theocratic Ministry School, school designed to improve our speaking habits and increase our Bible knowledge, 8:30 p.m., Service meeting. This meeting is designed to show the proper techniques of our ministry and assist us to become better ministers.
Sun., 9:30 a.m.—Public Lecture. Given each week by a qualified representative of the Watchtower Bible and Tract Society, 10:30 a.m., Watchtower Study, Systematic Study of the Main Article in the current Watchtower Magazine.
Tues., 7:30 p.m.—Congregation Book Study, Text studied: "Then is Finished the Mystery of God."
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FIRST CHURCH OF GOD
Rev. C.A. Stone, Pastor
312 N. U.S. 27
Phone 224-2448
9:45 a.m.—Church School
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
4:00 p.m.—Logos Club
8:00 p.m.—Family Bible Study

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
515 North Lansing Street
Rev. Wesley Manker, Pastor
Phone 224-7890
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
6:15 p.m.—Young People's Service
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship
Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.—Caravan, 8:30 p.m.—Prayer and praise.
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FREE METHODIST CHURCH
305 Church Street
Phone 224-3349
Robert Bentley, Minister
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship
Prayer service as announced.
SALEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Parsonage and Office: US-27 and County Line Road
Pastor—Charles VanLente
Phone 224-6156
Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m. Church School.
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. Choir practice
7:30 p.m. Mid-week Service.
Thursday: 7:30 p.m. WSCS Third Thursday.

DeWitt Area
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14327 Turner Road, DeWitt
Rev. Douglas Beach, Pastor
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11 a.m. Worship Service
6 p.m. Young People
7 p.m. Evening Service
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(Inter-denominational)
Muri J. Eastman, Pastor
Amy Clifford, Sunday School Supt.
Marilyn Krol, Co-Supt.
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Worship
7 p.m.—Youth Fellowship
REDEEMER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
105 N. Bridge St.
H. Forest Crum, Minister
9:30 a.m.—Worship, (nursery provided), 10:30 - 11:00 a.m., Coffee Fellowship, 11 a.m. Church School.
ST. ANNE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Corner US-27 and Webb Road
Rev. Glenn V. Cathey, Jr.
Residence: 3967 Church 860-9308
Rectory: 224-2806 / Office 224-2885
2nd and 4th Sundays—9 a.m., Holy Communion and sermon.
Other Sundays—8 a.m., morning prayer and sermon.
Church school every Sunday, 9:30 a.m.

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MAPLE RAPIDS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Pastor—Charles VanLente
Sunday: 9:45 a.m. Church School, 11:00 a.m. Worship.
Monday: 7:00 p.m. Scouts.
Tuesday: 7:00 p.m. Senior Choir practice, 1:30 p.m. WSCS first Tuesday each month.

GREENBUSH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Scott and Marshall Roads
Pastor—Charles VanLente
Sunday: 9:45 a.m. Church School, 11:00 a.m. Worship.
Thursday: WSCS 4th Thursday at 8:00 p.m.

LOWE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Lowe and North Lowe Road
Pastor—Charles VanLente
Sunday: Church School 11-12, Sunday School 11-12.
Tuesday: Choral Actos 3-4:30.
Wednesday: Bible Study 7:30-8:30, Senior Choir 7:30-8:30.

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11 a.m.—12 Noon—Morning Worship, Junior Church for children through 6th grade.
5:30 p.m.—BYF for both Juniors and Seniors
7:00 p.m.—Evangelistic Service
8:00 p.m.—Morning Choir practices Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.—Mid-week Prayer Service; 8:00 p.m.—Morning Choir practice
Saturday 10:00 a.m.—Jr. Choir practice
1st Thursday 7:30 p.m.—Woman's Mission Society
2nd Saturday 2:00 p.m.—App Judson Guild for Jr. Hl. girls
3rd Tuesday 6:30 p.m.—Men's Fellowship

SOUTH DEWITT CHURCH OF CHRIST
Temporarily Meeting at the DeWitt High School
Evangelist: Richard J. Wolfcale
Telephone: 689-3305
8 a.m.—"Revival Fires," Channel 5 TV; "Revival Fires," 1110 radio.
9:45 a.m.—Bible School
10:30 a.m.—Morning Worship. Sermon: "The Mind of Christ."
Weekly Communion
8:30 p.m.—Youth groups for grades 1 through freshman in college.
8:30 p.m.—Evening Worship. Sermon: "What the Church of Christ Stands For."
Wednesday, 7 p.m.—Hour of Power, classes
Thursday, 7 p.m.—Fishermen's Club

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF DEWITT
Jay T. George, Pastor
The First Baptist Church of DeWitt will begin conducting regular services in the Township Hall No. 1 located at 414 E. Main in DeWitt Sunday, September 20.
Sunday School will begin at 10 a.m. followed by Church Worship service at 11 a.m. There will be an Evening Service at 6:30 p.m.
For more information concerning the First Baptist Church of DeWitt call 669-9763 in DeWitt or 224-4511 in St. Johns.

VALLEY FARMS UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
155 E. State Rd.
Rev. Neil Bolling, Pastor
Phone 489-1705
9:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:40 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m.—Sunday evening Evangelistic.
Wednesday 7:30 p.m.—Youth service
Thursday 7:30 p.m.—Bible Study.
We cordially invite you to attend any or all of these services.
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Fowler Area
MOST HOLY TRINITY CHURCH
Rev. Fr. Albert J. Schmitt, Pastor
classes at 414 E. Main in DeWitt Sunday, September 20.
Sunday School will begin at 10 a.m. followed by Church Worship service at 11 a.m. There will be an Evening Service at 6:30 p.m.
For more information concerning the First Baptist Church of DeWitt call 669-9763 in DeWitt or 224-4511 in St. Johns.

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH
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H.E. Rossow, Pastor
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2 miles west on Church road
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7:00 p.m.—Evening Service
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10 a.m.—Women's Prayer Service
Wednesday
10 a.m.—Men's Prayer Service
7:30 p.m.—Men's Bible School, which is inter-denominational begins Monday, the 17th, and ends Friday, the 21st. The final program is held on the 23rd at 7:30 p.m. Vacation Bible School is for children ranging from four years of age through the eighth grade.

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7:00 p.m.—U.C.M., meals on alternate Sundays
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7:00 p.m.—Youth Service
7:45 p.m.—Evening Service
7:45 p.m.—Thursday, Prayer and praise service

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6:45 p.m.—Wednesday, Jr. Choir; Chancel Choir, 7:30 p.m.

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10 a.m.—Church School
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6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
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11 a.m.—Worship service.

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6 p.m.—Junior and Senior BYF
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3:30 p.m.—Wednesday—Junior and Senior Choir practice
7 p.m., Wednesday—Prayer and Bible Study.

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7 p.m.—Junior and Youth Fellowship
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
7 p.m., Wednesday—Prayer Meeting

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P-W topples Eagles in double overtime

By TIM YOUNKMAN

PEWAMO-WESTPHALIA More than 1,300 screaming fans jammed the tiny gymnasium here Friday night to view one of the wildest games recorded in Central Michigan Athletic Conference history.

P-W and Fowler squared off against each other for a shot at the CMAC championship crown and after regulation time and two overtime periods, the Pirates had outscored the Eagles 92-89.

"It was a wild game," beamed P-W Coach Harry Peacock. "It was really a great victory. If you beat Fowler, that means the whole season. Besides, we had lost earlier in the season to Fowler in an overtime game."

He noted the Pirates were hitting the nets in good shape during the first quarter, but turned cold throughout the second quarter. "And then Fowler started coming on," he said.

Fowler hit for 10 points from the foul line alone in that second quarter. "We had a lot of fouls and had three men in foul trouble," Peacock said.

The Pirates started out with a 23-19 lead, but lost it as they were outscored by Fowler in the second frame 26-16 and trailed by halftime, 45-39. The tables

turned against the Eagles in the third quarter after Fowler had pulled away by 10 points.

P-W encountered some problems early in the third period, when center Mike Thelen, who is 6-1, but a "real jumper," fouled out. Then Junior Roy Piggott slammed home nine points to put P-W back in the game. The Pirates outscored Fowler in that period 20-16 to trail by two points 61-59 at the end of three quarters.

In the cliff-hanging fourth quarter, Doug Walter came in from the P-W bench and made one basket and went four for four at the free throw line. "That got us back into it," Peacock said. P-W had 19 points in that fourth period to Fowler's 17.

The first three-minute overtime period was a pretty even-up affair. P-W's Steve Wirth fouled out, but made one basket for the Pirates. Piggott hit a bucket and then Randy Fedewa collected two free throws.

Fowler matched that with field goals by Al Harr, Mel Pohl and Tony Thelen.

Fowler's Scott Spicer was fouled with two seconds to go in that period but he missed a one-and-one situation shot. The Eagles grabbed the rebound but the shot was blocked and time ran out, with the score still tied 84-84.

In the second overtime period, reserve center Tom Thelen scored two baskets for the Pirates, one with 37 seconds to go in the game.

With a two-point lead for P-W, Fowler got off a shot, but Randy Fedewa was fouled with just seven seconds left. He went to the line and made his first basket. That made it 92-89. Fowler got the ball and missed another shot at the buzzer.

"It was such a large crowd," Peacock said. "The court was filled with fans. It was just wild."

The gym was so packed, that fans were even sitting on the bench with the players, Peacock said. It was one of the largest, if not the largest, ever to see a P-W basketball game.

The Eagles netted 31 of 62 field goal tries for a 50 per cent mark, while Fowler hit 32 of 75 attempts for 43 per cent. Fowler had 25 of 38 charity throws for 66 per cent, and P-W hit on 30 of 43 free throws for 70 per cent.

Piggott led the Pirate attack with 28 points on 11 field goals and six of eight free throws. Mike Cotter had 14 points on four field goals and six of eight free throws. Steve Wirth, Mike Thelen and Doug Walter had 10 points each for the Pirates. Walter had two buckets and six of six free throws, while Thelen hit on four field goals

and two of two free throws and Wirth had five field goals.

Others scoring for P-W were Jim Hengesbach (4), Randy Fedewa (7), Tom Thelen (7) and Allen Nurenberg (2).

Fowler was led by the 23-point performance of Mel Pohl. He hit on six field goals and 11 of 13 free throws. Al Harr added 19 points on eight field goals and three of six free throws, and Bob MacKinnon had 15 points on six field goals and three of five free throws.

Tony Thelen had 13 points for the Eagles on five field goals and three of four free throws, while John Pohl netted 11 points on four field goals and three of four charity throws.

Others scoring for Fowler were Bill Thelen and Glen Thelen, each with four points.

The win dropped Fowler into a second place tie with the Pirates in the CMAC, while Laingsburg is left alone at the top with a 9-2 record. Fowler and P-W sport 8-3 marks.

Both teams will close out CMAC play this week. Fowler will travel to Potterville, while the Pirates will square off in the Panther home grounds.

Should Laingsburg lose to DeWitt, a victory for Fowler or P-W would mean a share of the CMAC title.

Scoring by quarters:
P-W 23 16 20 19 68-92
Fowler 19 26 16 17 65-89

District cage tourney set

March Madness is almost here and to kick things off, area high school coaches and athletic directors took part in drawings to determine opening night opponents. District tourneys begin Monday and Tuesday and run through Saturday.

In Class A action at St. Johns, the Redwings will open district play Tuesday night at 7:30 p.m. against Waverly, while Ionia will go against Grand Ledge on Wednesday and East Lansing will tangle with the St. Johns-Waverly winner on Thursday night, also at 7:30 p.m.

The Class A championship game will be held at St. Johns gym Saturday night beginning at 8 p.m. The District

champion will then travel to Kalamazoo's Western Michigan University fieldhouse the following Tuesday.

In Class B district action, Ovid-Elsie will meet St. Louis for about the fifth year in a row at Ithaca Monday night, at 7:30 p.m. Midland Bullock Creek will tangle with Ithaca Tuesday night, while Hemlock will meet the O-E-St. Louis winner on Wednesday night. Alma will clash with the Midland-Ithaca victor on Thursday night.

The championship round is scheduled for Saturday night at 8 p.m. in the Ithaca gym.

In Class C pairings, Bath and DeWitt find themselves in the same district fight at DeWitt's gym. Bath will take

on Dansville Tuesday night and Williamston will go against DeWitt on Wednesday. The two winners will clash in the championship on Friday night. The district champs will then travel to the Owosso regionals March to take on the Mayville, Perry, and Leslie district winners.

Pewamo-Westphalia will be in the Montabella District Fulton will clash with Montabella Tuesday night and P-W will tangle with Carson City-Crystal on Wednesday night, with the championship round set for Friday evening.

In Class D, Fulton was to hold a drawing Tuesday morning to determine their opponents for the district tourney in Owosso.

Marauders crush Cavs

OVID-ELSIE - The Marauders captured their ninth win of the season Friday night by drubbing winless Corunna 67-45 in a Mid-Michigan B Conference contest here.

The fired-up Marauders jumped off to a 17-12 lead in the first quarter and expanded the margin to 39-23 by halftime. The pace slowed down in the second half, but

Ovid-Elsie still outscored the hapless Cavaliers 28-17.

"It was a good team effort," commented Coach Bob Foreback. "Our Blue and Gold Award for this game went to Rich McCreery." The award is given each week to the best defensive player of the game.

Ovid-Elsie's outshot Corunna by hitting 32 of 87 field goal tries for a 37 per

cent mark, while the Cavaliers had a 33 per cent average.

The game was controlled by the teamwork, defensively, of the Marauders who pulled down 56 rebounds to Corunna's 36.

Gary Groom led the victors with 18 points on eight field goals and two of three free throw shots. Randy Loynes turned a 14-

point performance with seven field goals, while Bill Foran added six field goals for 12 points.

Others scoring for the Marauders included McCreery (8), John Glosney (7), Dan Egbert (2), Ron Mead (2), Doug Keck (2) and Pat Terrell (4).

Groom picked off 16 rebounds and Loynes nailed 18 rebounds to pace the

Marauder defense.

The Marauders are tied for third spot in the MMB with a 5-4 record this season. St. Louis leads the league with an 8-1 mark, followed by Ithaca at 7-2. O-E takes on Chesaning Friday night at the Indians' home court. Chesaning dumped Ithaca by one point last week and are looking for more scalps as the Marauders try for their 10th win of the year.

The Marauders will wind up the 1971-72 season Saturday night against fourth-ranked Bay City All Saints at home. O-E has never lost to the Saints on Marauder territory, but lost an earlier clash this year in Bay City by 12 points.

The Little Marauders walked away with an easy win against the Corunna JV's in the preliminary game Friday night 75-57.

Scoring by quarters:
O-E 17 22 10 16-67
Corunna 12 16 9 9-45

DeWitt title hopes dashed

DEWITT - The DeWitt Panthers missed their chance Friday night to stay in contention for the league title when they lost to the visiting Webberville Spartans 73-70.

Things started out normally for the Panthers as they led at the end of one quarter 22-15, but the Spartans fought back to outscore DeWitt in the second quarter 29-19 and take a slim halftime lead 44-41.

DeWitt dropped back by eight more points in the third quarter, being outscored 18-10 and a late comeback wasn't enough to shake off the Spartan lead.

Pat Botke led DeWitt with 19 points on eight field goals and three of six free throw tries. Ron Wilcox added 15 points on four buckets and seven of eight charitys. Doug Klaver chipped in with 12 points on six field goals.

Others scoring for DeWitt were Tom Ashley (3), Randy Lankford (8), Jim Smith (4), Chris McNeilly (2), Mark Simon (6) and Steve Dalman (1).

The big gun for Webberville was Todd Coe who nailed down 33 points on 15 field goals, and three of nine free throws.

The DeWitt varsity loss

dropped the Panthers from the running in the Central Michigan Athletic Conference.

DeWitt had the edge in the JV game, topping the Spartans 76-65.

Scoring by quarters:
DeWitt 22 19 10 19-70
Webberville 15 29 18 11-73

Bath rolls past Perry

PERRY - It took almost a quarter to get rolling, but when the steam built up, Bath's Bees demolished Perry 94-64 here Friday night.

The Bees jumped off to a crushing 11-2 lead in the first quarter, but momentarily stalled and the Ramblers ended up a basket ahead 19-17.

From then on it was Bath's ball game. They shattered Perry's defense with a 24-16 second quarter to take a half-time lead 41-35. The Bees then mounted a 53-point attack and limited Perry to only 29.

Paul Stoll led the Bees with 23 points on 10 field goals and three of seven free

throw tries. He also pulled down 29 rebounds, four more than his season average of 25 which keeps him in second place in that category in the Ingham County League stats.

Both Roy Dobson and Fritz Ordway netted 19 points, Dobson hit for five field goals and nine of 10 free throws, while Ordway hit nine field goals and one of two charitys. Ordway also grabbed 18 rebounds and Dobson pulled down 16 rebounds.

Randy Markham picked up 14 points on six field goals and two of three free throws. Other Bath scorers were Joe Mitchell (7), Tom Townsend (8), Ray Truman (2), Larry Anderson (2), and Henry (2).

The Bees hit 38 of 81 from the field for 47 per cent and out rebounded the Ramblers 78-50.

"We hit the boards real hard in the last half," Coach Richard Witt said. "We were shooting real well. In fact, the last half we hit 55 per cent."

The Bees must still face Leslie and Dansville to close out the 1971-72 season. Bath, Leslie and Fowlerville are all tied for second spot in the Ingham County League.

In the preliminary JV game, Bath slipped past Perry 82-78 in two overtimes.

Scoring by quarters:
Bath 17 24 26 27-94
Perry 19 16 18 11-64

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JC I	13
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Lundy	8
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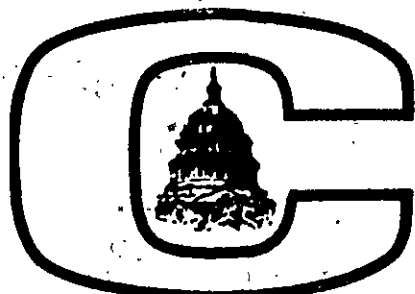
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Charlotte nips Redwings 78-75

ST. JOHNS—It wasn't a happy week for St. Johns Coach Doug Japinga and his Redwing cagers.

The Redwings dropped their Tuesday night cage tilt to Mason 102-78 then Charlotte slipped past St. Johns Friday night 78-75 in West Central League action.

The Redwings would have liked to play the first quarter over again against Charlotte. They managed to out-score the Orioles in the other three quarters, but a first period cold streak spelled doom for Redwing hopes of winning their fourth game of the season.

Charlotte came out with a 22-11 lead in the first quarter, but the Redwings came back with 24 points in the second quarter, giving up 19 to Charlotte, St. Johns trailed 41-35 by halftime.

The two teams kept close pace in the third quarter as St. Johns held a slight 17-16 edge, but the Orioles still led 57-42 after three quarters. In the last period, St. Johns tied the game up with about one minute to go, but the Charlotte defense stiffened and the Redwings could only manage four more points while giving up seven.

Mike Sutherland led the Redwings with 24 points on six field goals and 12 of 14 free throws. Alex MacKinnon popped for 17 points with five field goals and seven of eight free throw attempts.

Others scoring for the Redwings include Mike Grost (6), Rick Hudson (6), Ken Schueller (8), Bruce Irish (2), Dan Mohnke (1), Chuck Falvor (9), and Ed Jorae (2).

The Redwings hit 22 buckets and added 31 of 41

free throws, while Charlotte connected on 27 field goals and added 24 of 40 free throws.

Rocco Morre paced Charlotte with 33 points on 13 field goals and seven of 14 free throw tosses. Tim Mohre added 24 points on six field goals and 12 of 17 charity tries.

In the Tuesday night contest, the Redwings and

Mason had big first quarters but St. Johns couldn't keep that pace as the Bulldogs poured in more than 22 points each quarter to take the non-conference win.

St. Johns trailed by only three points 24-21 in the first quarter but was out-scored 23-13 in the second quarter to fall behind 47-34 at halftime. The Bulldogs poured on the steam in the

third period scoring 26 points and added 29 more in the fourth quarter despite the Redwings' 42 points in the second half.

Mike Sutherland had a good night for the Redwings hitting for 30 points on seven field goals and 16 of 18 free throws. Alex MacKinnon added 13 points on four buckets and two of six charities, while Ken Schuel-

ler netted 11 points on four field goals and three of five free throw tries.

The Bulldogs netted 42 field goals and 18 free throws while the Redwings had 22 field goals and 32 free throw points.

Scoring by quarters: St. Johns 21 13 18 24—76 Mason 24 23 26 29—102 St. Johns 11 24 27 23—75 Charlotte 22 19 16 21—78

Four grapplers advance after district

LOWELL—Four Marauder wrestlers have advanced into the regional competition after winning their division titles in the district wrestling tournament here Saturday.

In the 105-pound group, Fred Enos pinned Craig Tester of Central Montcalm at 3:40 before being pinned by Chesaning's Mark Fortenberry.

Jay Southwell pinned Ken Shattuck of Portland at 1:40 in the first match but went down to defeat 4-2 to Max Truax of Lowell, in the 119-

heavyweight division. Members of Marauder squad had good showings in some events, even though all did not qualify for regional competition.

In the 145-pound class, Frank Enos decisively Paul Hendee of Comstock Park 13-0 but was upended by Cedar Springs' Pat Karasinski 8-6.

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heavyweight division. Members of Marauder squad had good showings in some events, even though all did not qualify for regional competition.

In the 145-pound class, Frank Enos decisively Paul Hendee of Comstock Park 13-0 but was upended by Cedar Springs' Pat Karasinski 8-6.

Lowell won the tourney with 31 points, followed by O-E and Sparta, each with 22 1/2.

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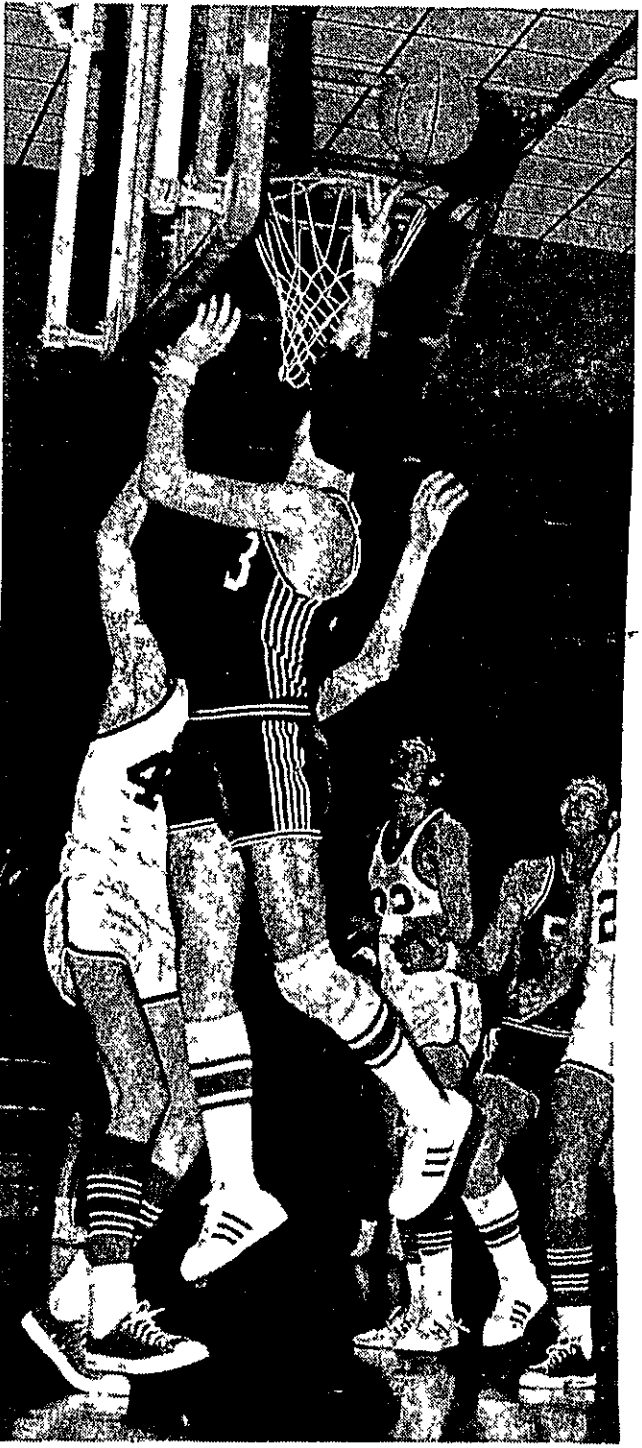
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By MIKE PREVILE
 News Advertising Manager

Take a thousand-pound grizzly and put him in one of the few remaining wilderness areas of the country, the high Uintah Mountains of Utah; then add about twenty other North American wild animals, a fine performance by Leon Ames, and you have TOKLAT, an extraordinary new family film.

TOKLAT has been in the making for over five years, and required 125,000 feet of footage to come up with the right 4000 feet necessary for the picture. Now in 35mm Technicolor, it's playing at

the Clinton Theater. The film is about a gigantic grizzly bear (whose name, TOKLAT, is derived from an Indian tongue meaning ferocious). And a grizzly, one of the world's largest land-dwelling carnivores, is an amazing animal indeed.

The film follows the development of TOKLAT from a cub to a giant, during which time one enjoys rare glimpses of a grizzly living, thriving, surviving, in a natural mountain wilderness.

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crime of self-defense, is a social statement on man's way and nature's way. Ames' commentary is amusing, educational and poignant as he describes how he witnessed TOKLAT's growth for the years he knew him.

The picture also gorgeously captures the natural beauty of the wilderness and its changing seasons.

The picture was a labor of love. Its gentle plea to consider the possibility that wild animals have an inalienable right to the wilderness is well made.

It is important as a family film, because its message is important to everyone. TOKLAT—a beautiful movie.

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High game individual — Carl Pierson, 233. High series individual — Dick Cornwell, 618. High game team — Schmitt's, 907. High series game — Bruno's, 2599
 200 Games — B. Boettger, 227; G. Dunkel, 201; J. Martin, 206; R. Kridner, 208; D. Cornwell, 203, 213, 202; N. Keys, 201; C. Pierson, 202; V. Myers, 204.

High game individual — J. Greer, 215. High series individual — H. Schmid, 593. High game team — Legion, 888 with a 2487 series. 200 games — J. Greer, 215; H. Schmid, 211; D. Cornwell, 210; P. Bishop, 209; L. Grennell, 203.

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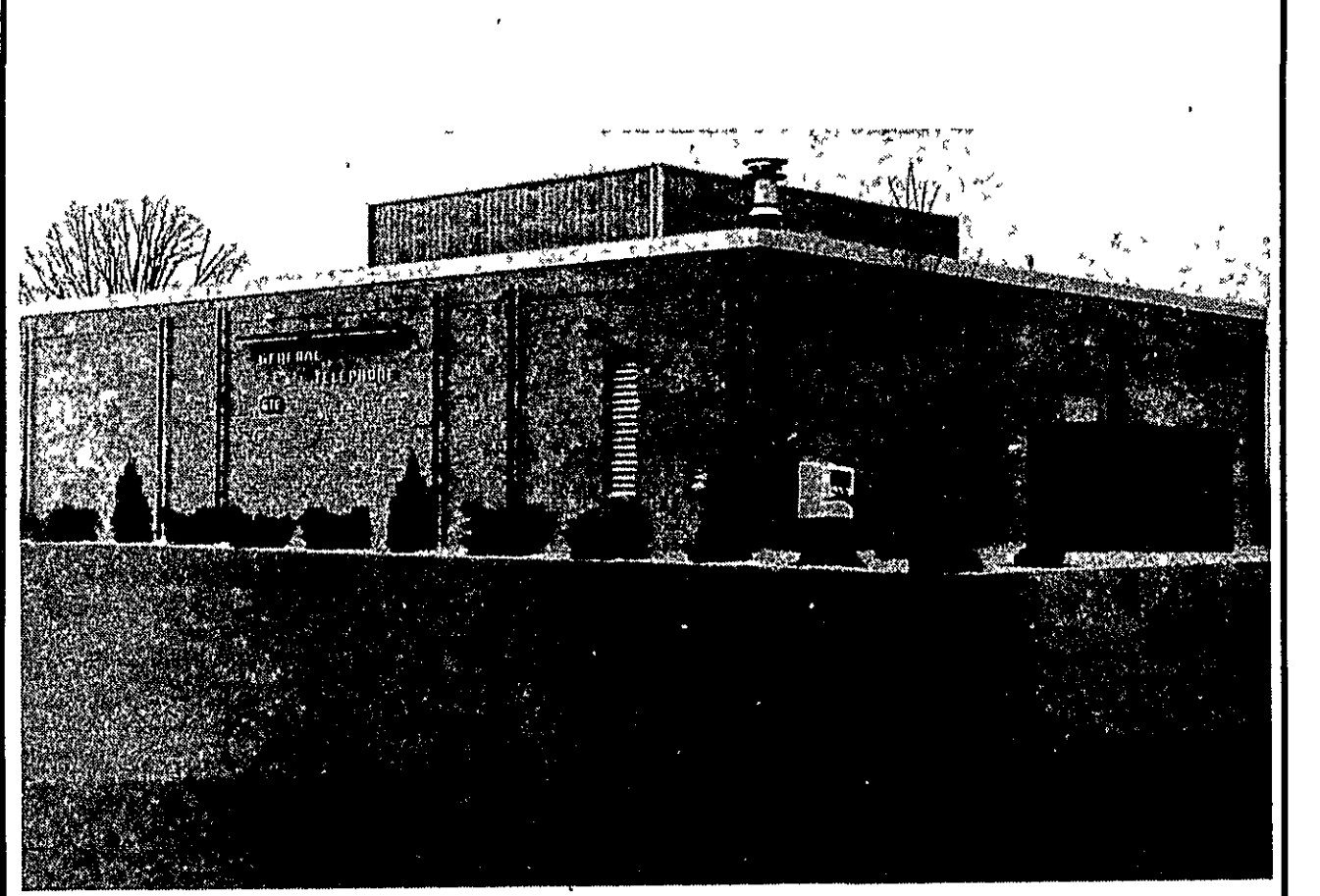
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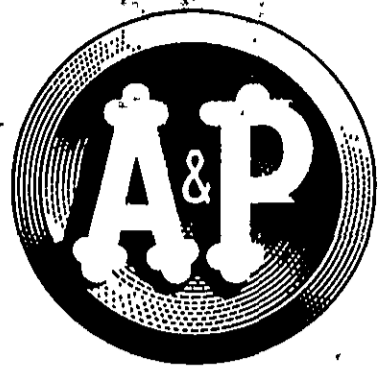
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1971 was busy for St. Johns

By FFA CHAPTER ST. JOHNS

ST. JOHNS—The St. Johns F.F.A. had a busy summer in 1971.

The F.F.A. Chapter participated in various activities, some of which were building the pole shed behind the school which will be used for storage of the F.F.A. farm machinery and customer's equipment which we work on as a money making project.

Also another one of our summer activities is raising beef steers. At Glen Pung's farm we feed out steers and came out well on the financial end. We raised hogs at Wayne Bishop's and at Mr. Munger's and on a farm rented from Mrs. Redman. During the summer our officers attended Leadership Training at Camp Kett. Those attending were Dave Bishop, Wayne Bishop, Bruce Seyfried, Mike Kobylarz, Dave Miller and Mr. Munger.

In the spring, St. Johns took two state championships in soil judging and

livestock judging. The members of the soil judging team were Dennis Smith, Don Cuthbert and Bruce Seyfried. The members of the livestock team were Ted Ashley, Paul Lerg and John Castle.

John was unable to attend the National Convention in October so Chris Chant took his place. The Livestock Team studied and prepared for the National Contest in Kansas City, Mo.

The State F.F.A. sale came in August. The purpose of this sale is to give students an opportunity to get on hand experience with beef grading, hog and lamb grading. Classes were held to show how livestock is graded and then the students took a shot at it. Prizes were given out for the person with highest score. Also the sale gave other Chapters in the state a chance to sell their beef, hogs or lambs and a chance at winning the George Brown Trophy. With this combination St. Johns won the George Brown Trophy for the third time in a row. The sale was held at the Wolverine Stockyards

in St. Johns. We would also like to thank those boys and fathers for their time the night before the sale for hauling the livestock.

A new school year started and the F.F.A. was busy preparing the three boys for the Important National Convention. It was now the time to show their knowledge of livestock. St. Johns was waiting for the moment and it happened we placed 20th out of the entire Nation, we were sure proud of Chris Chant, Ted Ashley and Paul Lerg for doing such an outstanding job. Also, while they were out there Wayne

and Dave Bishop both took the Silver Award for National Showmanship.

Not that cold weather is here and not much is happening we decided to have a steak banquet. Two loins of steak were ordered and everybody brought a dish to

pass. Everyone went home full. Our guest speaker was the Reverend J. T. George. Also, that night Chapter Farmers were handed out. Out of the boys receiving Chapter Farmers one boy was picked out as the Star Chapter Farmer, this person was chosen for his skill in Leadership, Farming

Activities and Ability to get along with others. This person was Bruce Seyfried. We plan to hold this event annually as everyone enjoyed it.

The St. Johns F.F.A. brought a little Florida sunshine into some of the homes by selling Florida grown oranges.

It is now a new year and people are looking toward spring and what do farmers do in spring? They plant corn. That's just what the St. Johns F.F.A. thought so they decided to sell King Row Seed Corn. This is a Michigan Grown hybrid corn made for Michigan weather.

Our Chapter is selling this corn and anyone interested in buying some should contact the St. Johns F.F.A. at the high school.

Our next project we are working on is a Donkey Basketball Game. The date for this is March 18, at the St. Johns High School Gym. F.F.A. is not all farming work. We like to have fun too, so all you fun filled people get out and see your favorite donkey.

We are also working on our beef and hog project for the State F.F.A. sale this year. We are figuring feed rations and where we plan to purchase the feed.

O-E FFA: One of best

This year the Ovid-Elsie FFA Chapter has combined the old with the new to come up with another unique award winning vocational agriculture program. It is a firm belief of the advisers, Joe Shaltry and Larry Sprague, and of the students that without a strong FFA program the Ovid-Elsie High School vocational agriculture class would be like any other high school course.

Through the use of the FFA students are required to take the knowledge which they learn in the classroom and put it to practical use on their own projects or their agricultural jobs. The students handle all of the managing and record keeping of their own projects using the knowledge which they learned in the classroom.

Besides the individual projects of the students, the FFA has many group projects. Some of the projects of this year were 32 acres of corn part of which won for the chapter the district Funk's 200 Project and the State award of \$100 for the Funk's 304 bushel challenge project and seven beef steers which are presently on feed.

Other group projects are not so related to production agriculture. One of such projects included the State Farm Safety award campaign which the Ovid-Elsie chapter won. Another new project for the chapter was the conducting of a slave auction. At this auction many area residents purchased FFA's to do a day's work on an agricultural job. The money from the sale was put into the chapter treasury.

Our biggest money making group project was that of selling citrus fruit. In this project the students did more than just make money for themselves and the chapter. They learned how to meet customers' and sell an agricultural product. Also, the students are currently selling garden seeds.

One of our two largest group projects of this year is the development of a community wide recreation center which will include a large figure eight fish pond, picnic tables and barbecues, and demonstration plots of many different shrubs and trees and other agricultural crops. Also included will be a natural trail through the school woodlot.

The second large group project is the construction of a brooder coop which will house our new broiler project. The brooder coop will be an educational laboratory for the agriculture classes and also for the school's other science classes. The broilers will be used for the FFA Spring Banquet as well as for sale to the public and the FFA State Poultry Improvement Project. The brooder coop will also serve as a means for some students to raise their own broilers for projects.

Some other small group projects included the designing and building of 40 ft. trusses for a students' pole barn, a tandem axle trailer for the school to use for equipment transportation, and the building of educa-

tion exhibits for public display.

All of the above large group projects were built with FFA funds from the chapter's \$8,500 budget which it made from the money making projects.

The FFA also sponsors leadership development. The Ovid-Elsie FFA's take full advantage of leadership development projects. Recently, the O-E FFA won three out of five district leadership contests. They also lead other FFA chapters in winning and placing in the top percentage in the yearly judging contests.

The Meat's Team went to the National FFA Convention and received a very respectable bronze award by placing in the top 20 of all participants. The leadership learned in the FFA is transferred to other organizations. Many of the FFA students hold high offices in school and community organizations.

Some future plans of the Ovid-Elsie FFA's which have been discussed with Donald Kenney, Ovid-Elsie Superintendent, are the raising, selling and stocking of pheasants and the building of a large pole barn to house the FFA's and some of the student's animal projects.

It is because of the ambitious program which the Ovid-Elsie FFA has undertaken, that the chapter was awarded the Gold rating in both the State and National Chapter Award Program.

It is now quite evident that the FFA is a viable instrument in maintaining an exceptionally successful and an active vocational agriculture program in the Ovid-Elsie School System. It gives the students a chance to be awarded for their knowledge and ambition while still in high school.

The students more than welcome the challenge of the FFA program and continually strive for leader-

ship and excellence in the many fields of agriculture. This was borne out by the fact that 108 FFA members earned \$110,000 last year in their own FFA projects.

O-E wins

PHEASANT RUN, Ill.—Ovid-Elsie High School received a special award here recently for winning the district competition in the Funk Bros. Seed Company's Project 200 corn growing contest in 1971.

Joe Shaltry, FFA advisor at O-E, accepted the award from D. D. Walker, the firm's president.

The chapter's official yield was 178 bushels per acre of Funk's G-4444 hybrid.

Project 200 is a high-yield corn growing program aimed at increasing corn yields and per acre profits. In 1971, more than 5,500 corn growers throughout the U.S. and Canada participated.

Under the national Project 200 rules, a minimum of two acres must be machine harvested from not less than four adjacent rows running the full length of the field, shelled and converted to No. 2 corn. All figures must be validated by a disinterested witness.

ACTIVITIES OF THE ST. JOHNS F.F.A.

- State Livestock Sale
- Steak Banquet
- Leadership Contest
- National Contest
- Spring Contest
- Leadership Training Camp
- Selling Oranges
- Selling Seed Corn
- Skills Contest
- State Championships Livestock-Soil
- Donkey Basketball



P-W window Games

By VAL HILL

I can't recite Pewamo-Westphalia's game points against Fowler point by point but I can tell you of the people there. Friday, Feb. 18, I observed the jam-packed P-W game of spectators.

The easiest people to watch were the players. The tension was high. Everyone saw it Friday afternoon, and again Friday evening. But more than tension was seen on the ballplayers faces. Hope that the opponent would miss that foul shot, and hope that ours would sink. Flery determination to get the ball out of their court, and into ours. Anger, when a foul was declared against us, and it was felt that it wasn't our fault. The humor on a ballplayer's face, when no evidence of anything funny occurred. But, not even once, did I see anyone with the face of a defeated Pirate. The boys fought, and gave all, for the school.

They fought for the graduates, present students, and students yet to come. In standing room only, far out into the halls, were the faces of people, one year to 85 years.

The spectators were the most fun to watch. Approximately 3/4 of the people there, were rooting for the Pirates. Both teams had defeated DeWitt, so the excitement was high.

ment was unquestionably high strung. I could safely wager that a few of P-W's former players would have given anything to be on the court, as the center of the excitement.

Girl spectators were the most enthusiastic of all. Screaming at the top of their lungs when a basket was made, near crying when the other team got one or two points ahead.

The cheerleaders really showed how much faith they had in P-W's boys. Their leading of the cheer, "Power to the Pirates" was perhaps the best example of unification in the P-W fight. P-W won, in triple overtime, 91-89.

St. Johns wins two

ST. JOHNS—The St. Johns FFA team walked away with two first place gold medals in the district leadership contests held at the high school auditorium.

St. Johns won a first place medal in the parliamentary procedure contest and another in the farm forum contest.

Members of the parliamentary procedure team in-

clude Dave Bishop, Wayne Bishop, Steve Thelen, Dennis Smith, Bob Miller and Don Cuthbert. Members of the farm forum team are Brenda Russell, Paul Lerg, Bruce Seyfried, Dick Cuthbert, Jack Cuthbert, Glen Pung and Ted Ashley.

Both teams will be competing this week for the regional contests Feb. 24 at Charlotte.

Enthusiastic describes FFA

The Fulton FFA chapter is busy under the direction of new chapter advisor, Craig Edgerly.

The chapter initiated 24 new members this year. This makes the chapter membership stand at 74.

The chapter sold fresh Florida grapefruit, oranges, and tangelos around Christmas time for a money making project.

Attending the Chicago Livestock Show and Sale from Fulton this year were Dick Smith, Jim Whitford, Mark Sali, Terry Zamarron, Dan Sattler, Gary Cumberworth, David Johnson, Kipp Braman, and Gerald Reaume. This event was held from November 27-29, 1971.

The Fulton Chapter of the FFA is now selling Vitality Seeds. The chapter is split into two teams with \$700 goals per team. The chapter hopes to reach and to exceed their chapter goal of \$1,400.

The Fulton FFA chapter sent teams to the February 8, District Leadership Contests. Other schools competing were St. Louis, Ithaca, and Breckenridge.

The contests are designed to improve the leadership

abilities of FFA members. They are held at district, regional, and state levels, with the state winners competing at the FFA national convention in October.

Teams sent were: Terry Zamarron, Public Speaking; Gary Cumberworth and Gerard Reaume, Demonstration; Randy Fockler, Roger Wiseman, Jim Henry, Mark Sali, and Dick Smith, Ag. Forum; and Kelvin Gable, Kirk Litwiler, Sandy Shook, Marvin Coleman, and Doug Wesenburg, Parliamentary Procedure. The demonstration team took a Silver award.

The election for officers of 1972-73 were held at the last meeting.

The annual FFA and FHA Sweetheart Dance was held in the Fulton Gym on Feb. 12, 1972. Charlie Tuna from WVIC was the Disc Jockey.

In the future the chapter plans to work on the Perrinton Park for a community service project, plant the chapter seedbed, hold their annual Chicken Bar-B-Que, and hopes to do something during Earth Week. The chapter will plant their acreage again this year, and go to Farmer's Week and Spring Judging Contests at M.S.U. They are also going to M.S.U. on Feb. 26, 1972, for the M.S.U. rodeo.

3 Nights of Jr. High Basketball at its Best

Fifth Annual Ovid-Elsie Jr. High Basketball Tournament

Place: Ovid - Elsie High School Gym

Time: Wed., Thurs. & Sat., February 23-24-26

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Students - 50¢

Tournament Game Schedule

- Wednesday Night 5:00 P.M. Ithaca vs. Alma
- Wednesday Night 8:15 P.M. Corunna vs. Elsie
- Wednesday Night 7:30 P.M. Bullock Creek vs. Ovid
- Wednesday Night 8:45 P.M. St. Johns vs. Chesaning

Losers from Wed. games play first 2 games Thursday night

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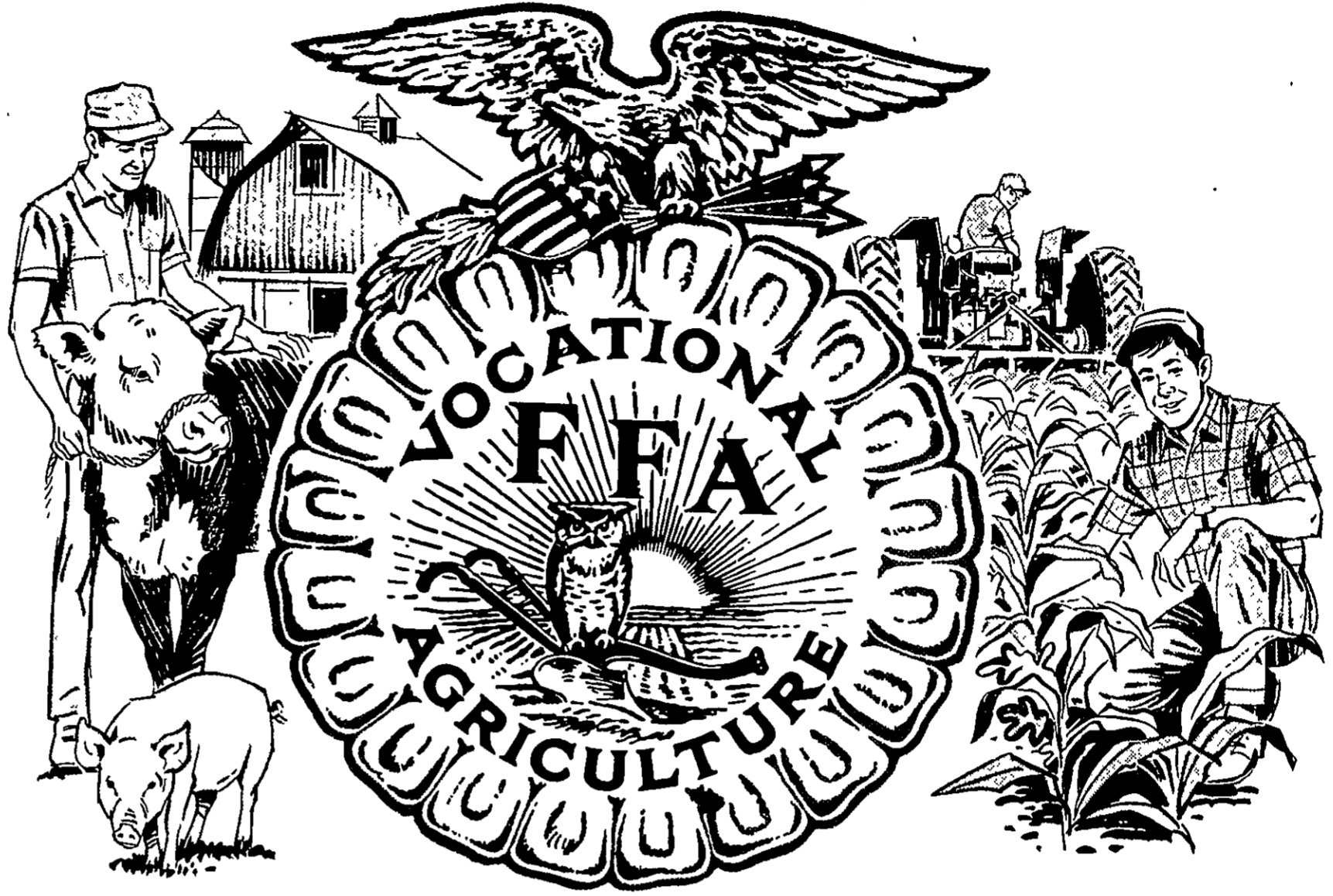
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FOR SALE: Chest type freezer, new at \$138.95, cash and carry. Gower's, Eureka. Ph. 224-2953. 40-8

1971 Select-O-Stitch \$46.50 left in layaway. comes with a walnut sew table. Beautiful pastel color, full size head, all built-in to zig-zag, buttonhole, overcast, make fancy stitches, wind the bobbin automatically only \$46.50 cash or terms arranged, trade-ins accepted. Call Lansing collect 372-3324 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Electro Grand. 43-1

FOR SALE: Manure Spreaders, New Idea 155 bushel International 175 bushel. Both single beater. Ph. 626-6464. 43-3p

FOR SALE: AC wd-tractor 3 bottom plow and culti-

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FOR SALE: camping oven for Coleman Stove, \$2; 2-wood gluing clamps with pipe, \$5; Hi-standard pistol Supermatic citation-22 cal., 11 inch barrel-muzzle brake weights and carrying case, \$75; 36" bucksaw-like new, \$2; L.P.G. burner head, with controls, for travel trailer furnace, \$5; Delco AM radio for Chevrolet, like new, \$15; 5-gallon wood barrel, stand and spigot, \$10; 1650 watt electric heater with thermostat and fan, \$5; pump that will pump water, gas or oil with foot valve, \$5. Call 224-2574 after 5:00 p.m. 43-dh-nc

FOR SALE: 200 bales of straw, 3 1/4 miles north of Wright Rd. of Fowler. Ph. 593-2177. 42-3p

FOR SALE: 400 bales of hay and 1200 bales of straw. Can be seen at 1240 Jason Rd., 1/2 mile west of US-27. 42-3p-nc

FOR SALE: 1st and 2nd cutting alfalfa hay. Call 628-6424 after 6 p.m. 42-3p

FOR SALE: shelled corn, very good quality, will deliver if desired, Albert J. Schaefer, 5103 E. M-21, Ph. 224-2219. 43-3p

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Horses

ATTENTION: Horsemen. Complete line of Western wear and Saddlery. G-Bar-A Ranch, St. Louis 463-4122, 8 miles west of St. Louis on M 46. 11f

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REDUCE excess fluids with FLUIDEX, \$1.69 — LOSE WEIGHT safely with Dex-A-Diet, 98¢ at Parr's Pharmacy. 42-6p

I WILL NOT be responsible for any debts made by other than myself after Feb. 12, 1972. William Michalek 42-3p

Dr. Terpstra will not be in his office March 26 through April 2. The office will remain open for routine business only. 43-6p-nc

FOR SALE: Duroc boar, weight 275 lbs. Joe Schueller, Ph. 587-6642. 43-1p

FOR SALE: 5 Bushnell farrowing crates, good condition, call Ken Eldridge 224-2506. 43-3p-nc

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Automotive

FOR SALE: 1969 Chevy pickup, stepside box, new 350 engine, new tires, chrome wheels, excellent condition, like new, fancy, \$1,850. Ph. 224-4067. 42-3p-nc

FOR SALE: 1963 Pontiac Bonneville. Body is fair. Motor and transmission overhauled. \$400 or best offer. Phone 847-4941 before 11 a.m. 41-3p

Thinking new car? See Stan Cowan at RIVERSIDE LINCOLN MERCURY, 408 E. Superior, ALMA, MICH. Phone 463-6128, Alma; 224-3685, St. Johns. 42-3p

FOR SALE: 1966 pickup F 100, low mileage, excellent condition. Ph. 593-3611, after 4 p.m. 41-3p-nc

F-100 1968 Ford Pickup - 1 owner. Chevrolet 1968 Camaro with 327 engine, Chevrolet 1961 2 ton truck, 2 Noble Realty, 1516 E. Michigan, Lansing, Ph. 517-4822. Lester Hughson, 1404 N. Shepardsville Ph. 834-5901. 1276. 33-1f

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Real Estate

3 EXCELLENT building sites on blacktop road south of St. Johns...

JUST OFF US 27, north of St. Johns. Nice older 3-bedroom home on large lot...

GET OUT INTO the country. See this nice 3 bedroom ranch on blacktop road south of St. Johns...

GIBBS Street - 4-bedroom home with 2 car attached garage. Carpeted living room. Full basement...

RAINBOW LAKE - 100x100 lot overlooking Big Rainbow. Full lake privileges. Priced under \$4,000...

HOUSE FOR SALE: 1006 Hampshire Dr., 4 bedrooms and bath up, living, formal dining, kitchen and eating area...

CHOICE COUNTRY LOTS available. Will build on these using your plans or ours. Financing available...

FOR SALE: by owner a large 4-bedroom home in Ovid, carpeted front room, dining room and bedroom...

YOU CAN build a new home and finance it at 7 1/4% interest with low monthly payments...

COZY Cape Cod to snuggle around your family, all for under \$19,000. Pamper yourself! Isn't it time you had a home to be really proud of?

FOR SALE: 9 acres, 450 feet of frontage on blacktopped Francis Rd., 10 miles NW of Lansing \$7,500...

FOR SALE: 40 acres, excellent soil, beautiful building site, would make excellent mobile home park...

NICE starter home for newlyweds; finish the interior in your own decor. Priced under \$10,000...

2 NEW LISTINGS - take your pick of these sharp 3-bedroom ranches. Both have outstanding features...

SAVE! SAVE! - payments less than rent, 2 bedroom home, new kitchen. Can be purchased FHA or VA...

pointment to see, call Ruth Nostrant 224-3614 or FURMAN - DAY REALTY 224-3236 or 485-0225.

SHARPI 3-bedroom ranch, 1 1/2 baths, 2 car attached garage. Beautiful setting on an acre of land...

60 ACRES-north of St. Johns. Nice older 5 bedroom home with 2 car garage. Land is all tillable and completely tilled...

TWO NEW homes for sale in St. Johns. Low down payment and low interest financing available...

FOR SALE: 9 acres, 450 feet of frontage on blacktopped Francis Rd., 10 miles NW of Lansing \$7,500...

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Auction Sale

GENERAL AUCTION: every Friday, 7:30 p.m. Ovid Bargain Store, antiques, TV, furniture, tools, books, bottles, glass, odds and ends...

Card of Thanks

HECKMAN-With deepest appreciation the family of Joseph Heckman would like to thank Mrs. Bolger, Tassano and Fox for their visits and prayers...

Mobile Homes

FOR SALE 1969 American Mobile Home 12x56 with a 10x22 annex, electric pole, fuel oil tank and aluminum skirts...

For Rent

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

Business Opportunity

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES Investment from \$2,000 to \$5,000 will gross you \$50,000 a year. Send resume to Barry Croft, R-1, Eagle, 42-3p-nc

cards and prayers and masses given for the loss of my dear wife and mother. Special thanks to the ladies and others for the dinner. Also Father Hankerd and Goehring for their calls and prayers...

WALDRON - A sincere thank you to Drs. Russell and Grost, and the staff of Clinton Memorial Hospital for the excellent care I received while I was a patient at the hospital...

DARNELL - We wish to thank all the relatives, neighbors and friends for their visits, cards and gifts and flowers sent me during my illness...

ROSSOW-The family of Christ Rossow wish to express their appreciation to Dr. Cook, Dr. Russell, the Jackson Nursing Home and staff for wonderful care given him...

FOGELSON-We wish to extend many thanks and deep appreciation to neighbors, friends and relatives for offerings of food, money, flowers and comforting words and prayers...

NELLER - We wish to thank our family for the money tree, and all the wonderful things they did, relatives and friends for the lovely gifts, cards, flowers, plants and money they gave us...

KRAUSS-The family of Frank Krauss wishes to thank everyone who was so kind at the time of his passing; Dr. Oppy of Roscommon the Osgoods, Rev. Myers and the many, many friends who

SCHAEFER-We wish to thank Drs. Russell and Grost, nurses and aides of Clinton Memorial Hospital for their wonderful care. Thanks to our neighbors, friends and relatives and ladies of the Beauty shop for their flowers, food,

remembered him with beautiful flowers, and who contributed so generously to the Michigan Heart Fund in his memory. - Mrs. G. Frank Krauss, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bozing, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Matheson, Mrs. Ralph G. Hewitt, Mrs. John J. Howay. 43-1p

WIEBER-The family of Rose Wieber wishes to thank the doctors and nurses at Carson City Hospital and Provincial House West, Lansing for their excellent care and also the relatives, friends, neighbors, priests and sisters for their prayers, visits, flowers, cards and letters, food and all other acts of kindness before and since her death. 43-1p

HEMPSTED - I wish to thank Dr. Grost and the staff of Clinton Memorial Hospital for the excellent care I received while a patient there. Fr. Goehring for his calls, relatives, friends and neighbors for cards, flowers, prayers and visits. All was greatly appreciated, thank you. - Margie Hempsted. 43-1p

DIETRICH-The family of Charles W. Dietrich wish to thank our many friends, relatives and neighbors, also all others who gave a helping hand with food, flowers and their many acts of kindness during the illness and death of our husband, father and grandfather. 43-1p

BRAY-The family of Ina B. Bray would like to thank Drs. Russell and Grost, nurses, aides and entire staff of Clinton Memorial Hospital for their care during her long illness. Thanks to Rev. Carson for his visits and comforting words at time of loss of our beloved Mother. To staff at Hoag Funeral Home for their kindness and understanding. To W.R.C. Band of Workers, and special appreciation to ladies of Rebekah Lodge for preparation of food and serving of luncheon after the funeral. Many thanks to relatives, pall bearers, friends and neighbors for prayers, lovely flowers, cards, money and food. May God bless you all. - Mr. and Mrs. Gale Perry and Family, Mrs. Eva B. Kias and Family. 43-1p

ERNST-I wish to thank Drs. Russell, Grost and Stephenson, nurses and aides at Clinton Memorial for the wonderful care. Friends and relatives for their visits, cards, flowers and gifts of food while there and after my return home. Also Rev. Homer and Carmen Tranchell for their calls. Everything was greatly appreciated. - Beth Ernst. 43-1p

Real Estate

REAL ESTATE IN FOWLER-House for sale 309 N. Main, 3 bedrooms upstairs, 1 down. Inquire 508 N. Main. 43-3p

Pets

FOR SALE: male Schnauzer 4 months old, AKC registered, had puppy shots, \$75. Ph. 372-3770 between 6 - 9 p.m. 43-3p

Farm Produce

FOR SALE: 400 bales alfalfa brome and timothy mix. 85¢ a bale, also 400 bales June clover, 75¢. Roy Frechen, 2 north and 2 3/4 west of Fowler, 593-2657, after 4 p.m. 43-3p



walk on LEFT FACE traffic

Elsie has two new Centennial farms

LANSING-Two Clinton County farms in Elsie have been designated as Centennial Farms by the Michigan Historical Commission. One farm, owned by Dale Levey, R-1, Elsie, is located in Duplain Township and has been owned by the family since 1866...

Three finish course

ST. JOHNS-Three Plant department employees of General Telephone at St. Johns, Luke Witgen, Charles M. Swender and Russell C. Slagel recently completed courses at Gen Tel's Plant Training School in Owosso. Witgen completed the one week course on installation and maintenance of coin (paystation) telephones. He was first employed as frameman in St. Johns in 1968, transferred to lineman in 1969 and promoted to combinationman a year ago. Luke and his wife Lucy reside on West Kinley Road. Swender completed a two weeks course in AC/DC Theory and a one week course in telephone installation. Charles (Mike) was hired as a lineman in June last year and promoted to combinationman in November. He resides with his wife Vicki and son Scott on Leeland Road, Ovid. Slagel completed the two weeks course in AC/DC Theory, Russell, an Air Force veteran, joined General Telephone in April last year as a lineman and lives at 108 Lewis, St. Johns with his wife Priscilla, son Gregory, 2 and twin daughters Bonnie and Brenda, three months old.

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Cleaners: ANTES DRY CLEANERS, pickup and delivery, 108 W. Walker, phone 224-4529.
Drugs: Parr's Rexall Drugs, Open daily 7:30 a.m. to 9 p.m., Sunday 8:30-12:30 & 5 to 7 p.m.
Electricians: Maintenance Elect. Service Residential, Commercial, Industrial Ph. 224-7966, 507 E. Higham
Florists: Watt Florist, Flowers for all occasions. 121 E. Pine, Elsie-862-5257.
Party Supplies: D&B Party Shoppe, Package Liquor-9 a.m. - 10 p.m. Mon.-Thurs. Fri. & Sat. 9 a.m. - 11 p.m., 224 N. Clinton.
Plumbing: Dunkel Plumbing & Heating, Licensed Master Plumber, Ph. 224-3372, 807 E. State St.
Real Estate: Burion Abstract and Title Co. Abstract and Title Services, 119 N. Clinton. Ph. 224-3294.
Restaurant: DALEY'S FINE FOOD, Dining & Cocktails, Ph. 224-3072, S. U.S. 27-1/2 mile S. M 21.
Western: Tom's Western Store, 1 mi. W. Ovid, 9 - 5:30 Mon. - Sat., Fri. till 9. Anytime by Appt., 834-5446.
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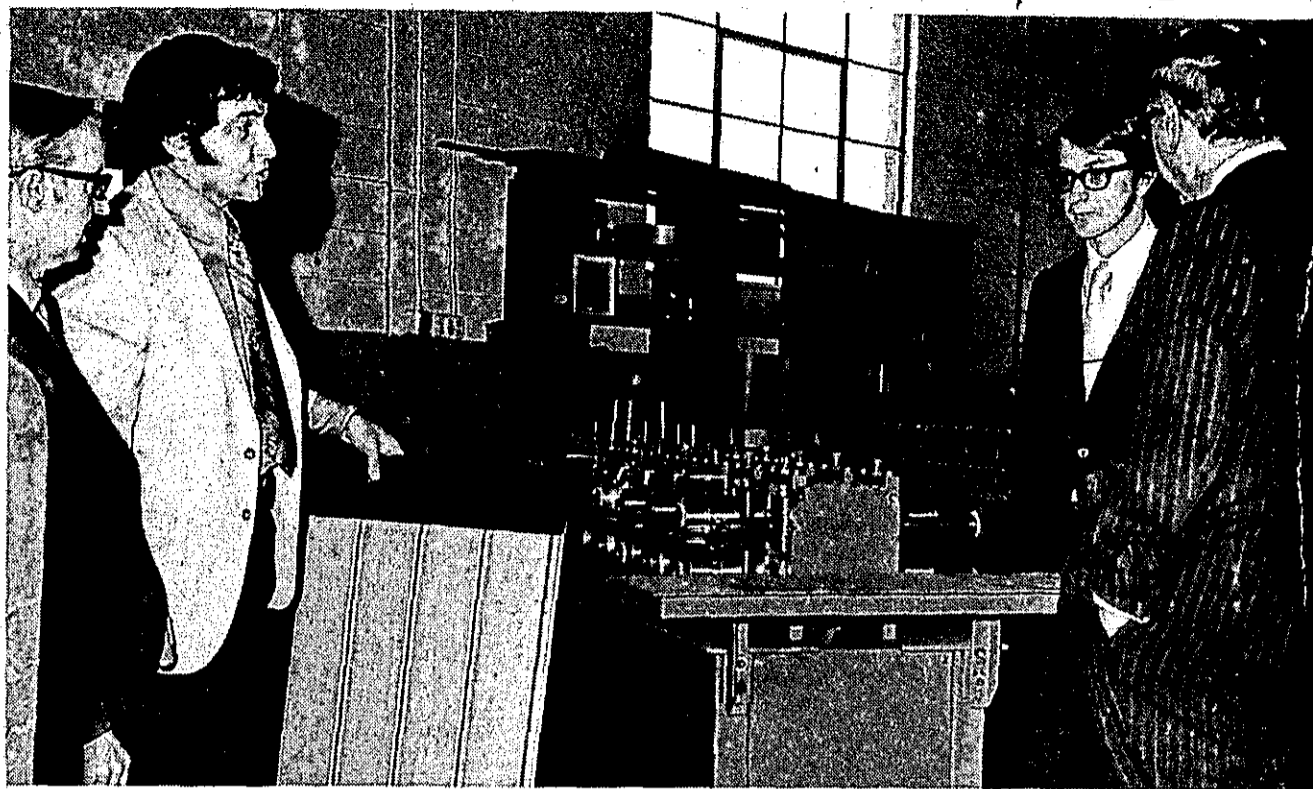
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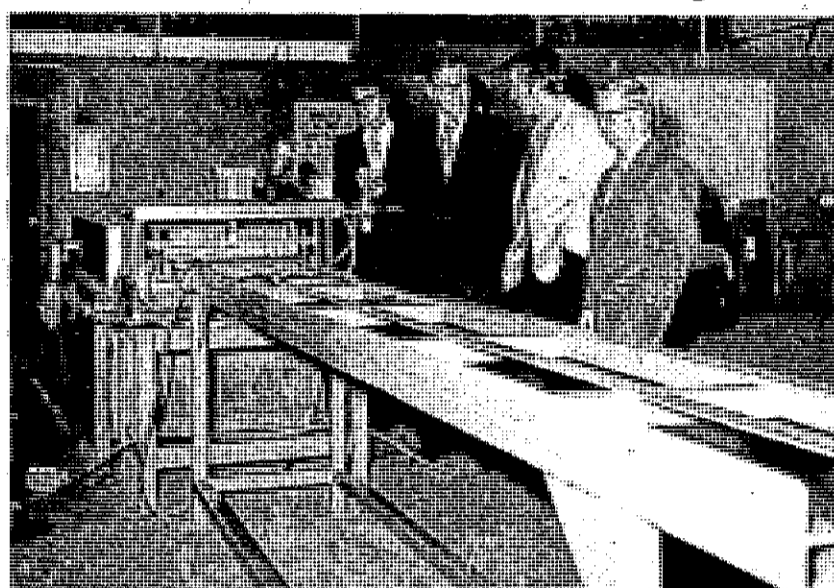
Edward Loznak, white coat, inspects part of the Clinton Machine equipment with George Burkitt, financial vice-president of the firm, left; Harold Wellman, president, Central National Bank; and Wayne Hicks, vice-president and auditor of the bank.



Loznak explains various parts that can be made by using the Clinton Machine equipment his firm produces.



Loznak and Wellman view a milling operation run by worker Tap Evitts.



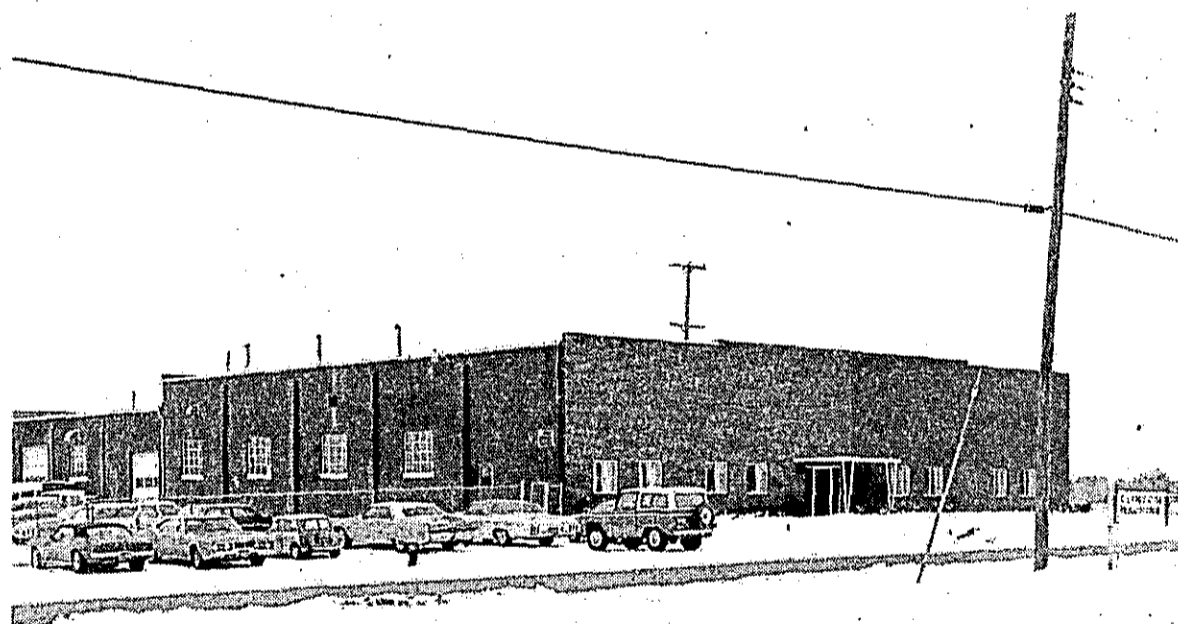
Here they view one of the finished products at Clinton Machine, ready for outside production.



Workmen Louis J. Sipka, John Jelinek and Eric Sullivan display a finishing machine.

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Edward Loznak, Clinton Machine Company president, displays a unique steel beam produced on machines his firm builds that could revolutionize mobile home construction. Looking on are Harold Wellman, Central National Bank president, left, Wayne Hicks, Central National vice-president and auditor and George Burkitt, Clinton Machine financial vice-president.

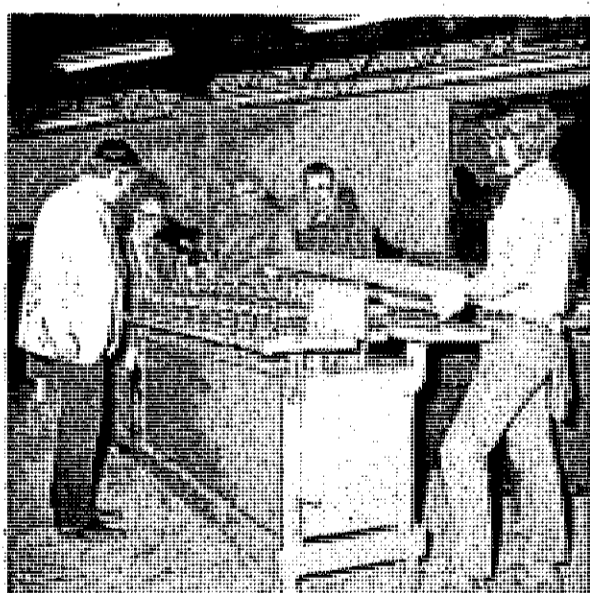
See a display of materials made with equipment manufactured by Clinton Machine in the lobby of Central National Bank.



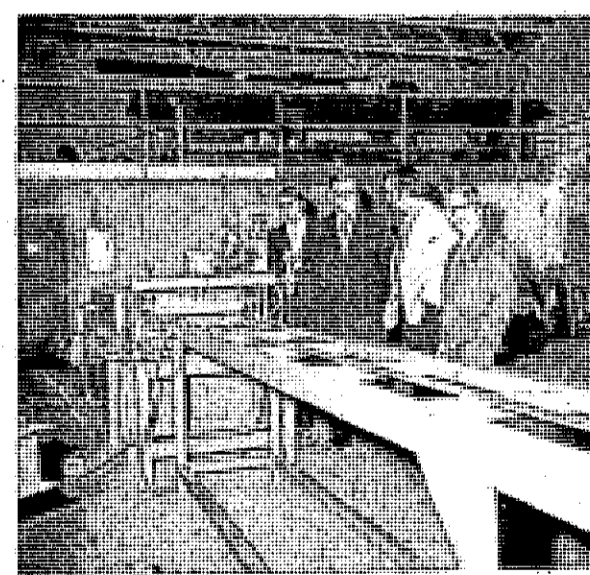
A metal forming machine is started, Harold Wellman, president of Central National watches as Les Bottimer constructs the machines base.



The bank's president, Harold Wellman views Roger Schultz as the steel pattern roll is turned to exact specifications.

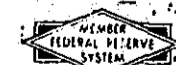


Clinton Machine's president Ed Loznak and the bank's Wayne Hicks watch as a completed roll forming machine is given the final inspection before shipping. Louis J. Sipka, John Jelinek and Eric Sullivan prepare to place a protective shield over the roller stations.



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'Promotion' keynotes Holstein owner meeting

OVID-ELSIE — "Promoting Registered Holsteins" was the theme of the featured speaker, John E. Cooper, secretary of the Missouri Holstein-Friesian Association, at the Michigan Holstein-Friesian Association annual meeting Feb. 5, at Ovid-Elsie High School. Cooper pointed out that in promoting registered dairy cattle, dairymen need to have a superior product; tell people about it; and make the product available for sale. Other areas covered by Cooper were methods of promoting cattle the Mis-

souri Association were using changing Black and White Shows to Registered Holstein Shows due to Red and White Holsteins, and how representation of the National Holstein-Friesian Board needs improving. Also he suggested that the group consider the idea of registering of purebred grade holstein cattle in some way.

Kathy Hazle of St. Johns and Donald Jewell of Ionia received plaques for being Michigan's Distinguished Holstein Girl and Boy for 1972. They were selected following reviewing their

reports and interviews by the state committee earlier this year. Charles Green of Elsie was recognized for his outstanding showing at the State 4-H Dairy Show held last August at Michigan State University.

Entertainment was provided by Clinton County youth including an instrumental selection by Jeff and Greg Hazle and Lisa Bissell of St. Johns, Keyboard Kapers by Charles Green of Elsie and several vocal selections by the St. Johns High School girls ensemble.



Duane Green, right, of Elsie, who organized the state meeting at Ovid-Elsie last week, presents Distinguished Holstein Boy and Girl awards to Donald Jewell of Ionia and Kathy Hazle of St. Johns.

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SECTION B

FEBRUARY 23, 1972

Highway commission to offer projects for small contractors

LANSING — A special bidding to attract small and minority contractors will be held at 2 p.m. Feb. 24 (Thursday) in Lansing, the State Highway Commission announced.

Commission Chairman Charles H. Hewitt said the Commission hoped the bidding would be the first of a continuing program intended to attract many individuals and smaller companies who have not entered into the competitive bidding process and not shared in construction of Michigan's highway system.

Cost of all the projects, totaling an estimated \$600,000 ranges from an estimated \$6,000 to an estimated

\$65,000. They include inter-section widening, roadside mowing, bridge abutment repair and general highway safety and maintenance work.

One of the projects to be included is the chemical weed spraying along portions of M 11, M 21, M 37, M 44, M 45, M 46, M 57, M 66, US 31, US 31 Business Route, US 131, I 96 Business Route, and I 96 in Gratiot, Clinton, Ionia, Kent, Mecosta, Montcalm, Muskegon, Newaygo, Oceana and Ottawa counties.

The Project involves a total of 6,630 acres on 533 miles of highway, at estimated cost of \$24,000. The completion date for the project is June of 1972.



John Cooper of Ozark, Mo., was the featured speaker at the State Holstein-Friesian Association meeting held at Ovid-Elsie High School.



Charles Green of Elsie receives an award from George Hazle of St. Johns at the state meeting. Green was named top showman at the state 4-H Dairy Show and was honored by the Holstein association.

North Bengal

By Mrs. Wm. Ernst

On Saturday evening, Feb. 12 Carol Clark and David Fox of Lansing were united in marriage at St. Paul Lutheran Church at Fowler. Their ceremony was witnessed by their immediate families and a few close friends. The wedding was followed by a wedding supper served in the Lutheran Parish Hall. Davis is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo C. Fox of this community. The newlyweds will live in Lansing where both are employed.

An ounce of prevention

Rearing children in foreign lands

By JOSE J. LLINAS, M.D., Director of Community Mental Health for Clinton, Eaton and Ingham

There are, at any particular time, about 250,000 American children living outside the United States. Some of these families live or have lived in our tri-county area, and I thought it would be of some interest to discuss this problem, and what can be done about it. De. Sidney L. Werkman, a psychiatrist formerly with the U.S. State Department, has written an interesting article dealing with it.

Last year at a kindergarten meeting in Central School in Okemos, a group of parents were discussing this. One couple was concerned about their oncoming assignment in Italy, because they were taking their two-year-old son. The mother was particularly concerned about school materials she could take with her that would "stimulate" the child. My wife and I smiled, as we thought how much more stimulating a new and foreign environment can be to a youngster than all the school materials one could ever collect.

Dr. Werhman agrees with this point of view, recognizing that living outside the country offers many opportunities for vivid experiences and healthy character development.

He cautions, however, that, as with most great opportunities in life, there are also psychological hazards to ward against. Overseas living, he points out, may foster a mixture of fears, unusual child care practices and a sense of alienation.

The main problem in these cases seems to be the placing of the child overseas in the hands of a caretaker, rather than the parents. Though the basic needs of the youngster may be satisfied, he may feel, for all practical pur-

poses, that those whom he cares the most about have abandoned him.

This occurs often in families in this country, if the father is so involved in his work that he has no time for the children, and the mother has so many social obligations that the day to day supervision and care of the youngster are in the hands of servants and relatives.

Dr. Werkman gives the example of a ten-year-old girl who appeared frightened and depressed, constantly sucking her thumb.

She was the daughter of a young couple in the diplomatic service, and had lived her first nine years outside of the United States.

The nursemaid, who was a foreign national, encouraged

the child to suck her thumb, thinking that it was a good thing, because it gave her comfort. This apparently was part of a tendency in the area to infantilize children, treat them like babies, when they really are clearly over the infancy years.

When the parents again resumed taking care of the child, she improved very

rapidly. Separation from a caretaker, however, if done too abruptly after the child has gotten use to her, particularly if she is a competent, warm and concerned person, may create problems of its own.

THE OUNECE OF PREVENTION

If a family with children needs to live outside the States for a period of time, the parents should be aware of the opportunities as well as the hazards involved.

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Service Personnel

Army Private BLAINE L. STEVENS, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Loyal A. Stevens, 709 S. Baker St., St. Johns, recently completed eight weeks of basic training at the U.S. Army Training Center, Armor, Ft. Knox, Ky. He received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, combat tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and army history and traditions. Pvt. Stevens is a 1971 graduate of St. Johns High School.

Kincaid

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Parks and girls visited Mr. and Mrs. Porter Parks. Norman Davis of St. Johns visited Mr. and Mrs. Porter Parks, Sunday.

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Editorial Page

Less talk, please

This being an election year, it is hoped that by the time all of the campaigning is through, we haven't all become physically sick over it all. An example, early in the "season": Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey, running for the Democratic presidential nomination, says that "the American tax system is unfair and unjust. It is rigged against work, against wages, against salaries. It is rigged against the elderly. It is rigged against the middle income workers. It is rigged against the poor. And it is rigged in favor of unearned income."

Now we all know that Congress writes the tax laws. Democrats have held control of the U.S. Congress since 1955. So, it doesn't take much thought process to accept the fact that responsibility for the American tax system being unfairly and unjustly rigged rests smack on Humphrey's party. It brings us to the crux: Instead of talking about tax reform, let's see Humphrey and the rest of the congressional herd galloping after the Democratic nomination do something about it. Congress writes the tax laws. The Democrats control Congress. What are we waiting for?



Voting against primary

Rep. Douglas Trezise 87th District

So Michigan is going to have a presidential primary election. By popular demand of almost no one except the political professionals, Michigan voters will be going to the polls on May 16 to indicate their preferences from among the candidates for president in both parties and elect new precinct delegates to manage the affairs of their parties for the next two years. Just a few weeks ago, I wrote in this column that I thought the idea of the presidential primary was a good one. It brought the widest possible participation into the selection process for presidential nominees and provided the Democratic party with a way to meet the requirement of its national convention that all delegates to this year's convention must be selected through a process which took place entirely in this year. But I voted against conducting this election when the subject was up for final passage in the House of Representatives last week. My reasons are complex. They involve some technicalities in the election law and some proposals in the new bill which, in my mind at least, make the new process very difficult to understand. I personally doubt whether many people who are voting in the election will have workable knowledge of what they are doing. To my thinking, it results from the effort to combine a new precinct delegate election with the presidential primary. In May we will be facing a ballot which will include not only the names of the potential candidates for the presidency but also the names of local people seeking election as delegates to the county convention of the respective parties. These delegates may or may not be listed as in support of a particular presidential candidate. If they are, they must remain pledged to the support of that candidate throughout the process of selecting delegates to the state and national conventions. Yet, the final result of this process must, under the new law, be a delegation to the national convention made up of persons committed to presidential candidates according to the percentage of the state-wide popular vote. Thus, it would be possible for a delegate, committed to Congressman John Ashbrook, for instance, to be elected to the county and state conventions. If Representative Ashbrook did not receive enough of the state wide vote and thus was not entitled to any delegates from Michigan at the national convention, that delegate who was selected pledged to him would have no one to vote for. Or, a delegate elected as a backer of President Nixon might be told to vote for Representative Ashbrook if the Congressman was entitled to a vote. You can see the conflicts which could arise and for which, as far as I can see, there are no answers. In addition, the precincts from which we will elect delegates in May are due for change immediately afterwards. The boundaries may be changed to meet the population requirements of the law. So, it is possible that many delegates elected in May from one precinct will reside in another within a month of their election. They say politics is the act of compromise. But in my thinking, this compromise from the pure presidential primary went too far. I was unable to justify the expenditure of a million dollars of state money for this kind of election. But maybe it can be salvaged. We have before us in the legislature many questions concerning amendments to the State Constitution. Among these is a proposed change in the constitutional language concerning lotteries which would legalize bingo, raffles and even a state operated lottery. I feel certain this question will also be on the May 16 ballot. There are other possibilities including educational questions, questions concerning the courts and several others which could well be placed before the voters at this election. If we can come up with about five of these referendum issues to fill out the ballot and encourage a large voter turnout, the entire election could be worthwhile. Among other things it would do would be to settle these issues in advance and keep them from being lost on a giant ballot in the August or November elections.

Cars sell at auction

LANSING -- More than 75 used 1970 and 1969 model passenger automobiles are among approximately 100 State-owned motor vehicles to be sold at public auction near Lansing Saturday, Feb. 26, according to William N. Hettiger, director of the Michigan Department of Administration. The sale will begin at 10 a.m. in the State Highway Department Garage on M-43 (West Saginaw Street) at the interchange with Interstate Highway 96. The vehicles may be inspected Friday, Feb. 25, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., and the morning of sale. Payment in full, by cash or check will be required of each successful bidder.

New worlds

It used to be a winter's work In days of long ago, To keep enough wood cut ahead 'N shovel out the snow; The livestock must be housed 'n fed Colts needed exercise 'N frozen water pipes were not So off a big surprise. A winter recreation stint Wuz trappin' 'n ice skates, 'N dominoes or checkers When we could find play-mates; There wasn't any thought back then Of calories 'n vitamin pills It kept us too blamed busy Tryin' to stave off winter's chills. We have no livestock anymore, We cut no winter fuel, We pay steen thousand busses To transport "kids" to school; We eat 'n sleep hard by Tee Vee Pre-heat our closed sedans,

'N spout about pollution While sittin' on our hands. We're now full circle on our sports, Winter tennis outfits flutter, From countless bowling alleys now Slick balls roll down the gutter; The football season has no end Baseballers take to the air, And now a million snowmobiles Complete the winter fare. We used to dodge the wintry snow, But now we take to skis, 'N travel over land or lake Most any way we please; There's skads of ways to spend our dough, If we follow modern trend The trouble out at our house Is to find the stuff to spend!

By WARREN E. DOBSON 1972

Back Through the Years



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

ONE YEAR AGO Feb. 24, 1971

A group of Bath Township residents intend to continue efforts to recall Duane Smith from his township supervisor post despite a recent State Election Board ruling that the petitions circulated were not valid. The second annual DeWitt High School Art Show is scheduled to be held in the DeWitt High School cafeteria. The show is sponsored by the students and will feature works done in oil, water colors, ceramics, silk and collages. A group of Clinton County residents will meet for an organizational meeting to discuss the possibilities of forming a Clinton County Keep America Beautiful Committee. Gerald Shepard is acting as temporary chairman until permanent officers can be selected. Engineering Graphics, Inc. of DeWitt Township has been acquired by the William C. Reichenbach Company of Lansing. The plant produces precision photo reproductions of engineering drawings, maps and documents.

Funeral services were held this week for Gerald R. Danley at the Osgood Funeral Home in St. Johns. Mr. Danley, 77, died at the Clinton Memorial Hospital following a short illness. Before his retirement in 1952 he was owner of B. Danley and Sons in St. Johns. Reports presented to stockholders at the annual meeting of Clinton National Bank and Trust Company this week showed an approximate 160 per cent increase in the bank's assets over the past ten years.

10 YEARS AGO Feb. 22, 1962

Fire swept through the 24-hour laundrette at 105 East High Street destroying about \$15,000 worth of laundry and dry cleaning equipment and doing about \$3,000 worth of damage to the cement block building. The blaze was raging out of control when firemen arrived on the scene and flames were shooting through the roof to a height of some 20 or 30 feet. Its origin was traced to one of the dryers. Five service clubs in St. Johns have chosen representatives to attend the 25th



From the state house

By DICK ALLEN 88th District Representative

My mother warned me! (And my dad, too) Politics is not always played nice. Perhaps you have heard by now that Dick Allen is apparently one of the intended victims of reapportionment. Plans have been submitted by both parties to the Supreme Court. Since the Court is clearly dominated by Democrats it is assumed their plan will be selected. And their number one plan splits my present 88th District into six new ones. The line goes down the road I live on separating me from the major population of my home county, splitting Graiot into three districts.

The members of the apportionment commission who did the districting claim it was done "without knowledge of, or respect to, the residences of present incumbents." A high sounding statement but not one likely to be believed by innocent school children (school children are not so innocent as they used to be) let alone astute political observers.

The reasons for the obvious effort to eliminate me are open to speculation. My stand on abortion law reform is generally mentioned first in Lansing. This has obviously put me in conflict with a powerful church group and especially with Democratic Speaker Ryan, an ardent supporter of aid to non-public schools and foe of the abortion law reform.

Strike abuse

By TIM YOUNGMAN



Remember the days when you were a true revolutionary (and sometimes labeled a Bolshevik) when your union declared a strike? Some readers will remember that feeling of exuberance and righteousness that swept over the crowd as they sat down and refused to work until conditions were met and pay increased. Others may remember the bloody days when swarms of police helped usher in strike breakers to do the work the rigors refused. Those riots—they were clashes of self-defense. The workers were on one side and the police, scabs and company men on the other. Those days, fortunately, are over.

For the most part, there is no real need for two-fisted, riot-geared strikers to march up and down in front of a factory, defying anyone to cross their line. The tragedy is it still happens. From the late 1800's to the middle 1950's, strikes were an essential part of checking the monopolistic advantages held by company bargainers. Little was offered to the workers and it took an army of takers to get what they needed. The average pay of a post-war factory worker, even in the better plants, amounted to something like \$47 take-home.

However, while there was a need for drastic action to improve that kind of income and condition—there seems little need to follow the same

harsh trends today. We are far from the economy of 1947—yet union leaders continue to pursue policies geared to that era. And that type of leadership will kill the workers in this country for sure. Strikes, for the most part in 1972, are unnecessary. The one who suffers most is the worker himself. For example, last year the City of Muskegon suffered one of its worst times in history due to workers going out on strike without a good reason. Unemployment was at 12 per cent, with four or five plants almost closed due to the poor economy, while at two others, workers demanded pay increases and a huge jump in fringe benefits.

Both plants decided that a strike would ruin them, and told the union bargainers the same. The workers refused to listen. They went out. The result? Continental Motors Corp., which had employed 4,000 workers, closed its doors for good. That puts 4,000 more on the unemployment rolls.

Instead of working for \$3.25 an hour (after wanting \$3.50) the strike now has them staying at home for \$0.00 an hour. Lakey Foundry, another factory employing 1,000 in that city, went on strike a year ago, despite company warnings that the firm was on the verge of bankruptcy. The workers thought that the warnings were just talk. They weren't. The factory

filled bankruptcy two weeks ago and 1,000 men are idle. Sealed Power Corp. advised union leaders to talk the workers away from an impending strike last year, or else the company would be forced out of town. They scoffed at the idea—and the company announced two weeks that they were building two new plants (one in Kentucky and another in Belgium). It is possible that another 1,000 men will be out of work there shortly.

The irony of that was a company official told me Sealed Power was planning more than \$1 million in expansion programs before the strike was called. That would have meant more work and more jobs—instead it meant no jobs at all.

Other plants in the area are cutting back due to poor labor relations. This scene can be retraced in many areas throughout Michigan and the country. Owosso faces high unemployment for the same reason, as an example. It is time the union leadership and company bargainers come to some sort of agreement without depending on the useless "threat" of strike. It should be a tool of last resort, to be used only in extreme instances of gross neglect by a company for the union workers.

Without this in mind, the company may still prosper elsewhere, but the worker will not be so lucky.

"If It Fitz . . .

Our changing times

Editor, Lapeer County Press

By Jim Fitzgerald



As a leg man from way back (Betty Grable), I cannot get excited about the no-bra look. I mean, I am terribly worried about the gradual disappearance of the miniskirt and the growing popularity of elephant pants (although I must confess to a split opinion about some trousers now being worn by women. I like the way they hug the hips low, hinting to slip lower. But then there are great billows of cloth beneath the knees and there is no way to judge the shape of things underneath. The gal could actually have elephant legs and not even another elephant would know).

With all this on my mind, I really don't have time to fret about braless women, one way or another, up or down. Except that on a moralistic level, I will admit no-bra is a step toward honesty. There has always been a lot of deceit packed into bras. This has never been true of legs. A woman has always had to stand on her own two, with no help from the rubber industry or balled-up Kleenex. The braless fashion forces women to be as honest about their breasts as they must be about their legs. Every God-fearing man must welcome this return to the Christian principles which made National Geographic such fascinating reading when I was a boy. Whatever. My purpose here is to assure you the braless question is not going unanswered, even if such an esteemed girl-watcher as myself has no time for it. Relax, the American Medical Association (AMA)

is on the job. In a recent issue of the medical journal, Dr. John Wulsin of the University of Cincinnati College of Medicine had this to say about women holding their own: "Once lengthened by tensions these fibrous connections . . . do not resume youthful dimensions, and despite hopeful legend, no amount of exercise will restore pristine mammary profile."

Translation: they droop forever. Well then, should the AMA advise women to remain in harness? Dr. Wulsin gave this answer: "This calls for special finesse of judgment in the realm social rather than scientific . . . To the unfettered female of today her unbuttoned breast may evoke greater peace of mind and cosmetic elan than the traditional projecting hemisphere so idealized by artist and female fantasy."

Translation: who cares if they droop, it's stylish. Or: the hemisphere has lost out to the pendulum. Or: If Dr. Welby talked like Dr. Wulsin, there would be time for nothing else on channel 7 Tuesday nights.

Anyway: I'm glad I'm a leg man. I realize my anatomical selection makes me no less a male chauvinistic pig who regards females as sex objects. But at least I don't have to worry about unbuttoned knees being unleashed upon unsuspecting ankles. Onward and Upward . . . er, Downward? Geez.



Amendment having problems

By SEN. WILLIAM S. BALLENGER

While it's by no means a foregone conclusion that Governor William G. Milliken's proposed property tax relief amendment will fall to qualify for the November General Election ballot, some storm signals already are flying that seem to indicate the sledding may not be nearly as smooth as expected.

To qualify for a place on the ballot for a vote of the people, the Governor's proposal must have some 266,000 signatures on petitions now being circulated. Latest word is that the drive has fallen about 1,000 names short of its January 31 goal of 11,000, but an office will be opened in Lansing soon and the Governor hopes it will re-spark his sputtering drive. The drive is running into

several problems. One is that people are beginning to get satiated with petition and the resulting apathy hasn't helped.

Another problem is that the Democrats are launching a separate drive to not only cut property taxes but also amend the State Constitution to permit a graduated income tax, which is now prohibited by the Constitution. The two drives appear to clash on this issue, although there is some feeling that the Governor's proposal could be interpreted to permit a graduated tax. One sentence in the proposal authorizes an income tax to provide funds for public education "notwithstanding any limitation as to rate or amount that may be imposed in this Constitution with respect to an income tax."

Still another problem is the fear of many citizens that any plan to "reform" the tax structure inevitably means more, not less, taxes for them.

To make matters more difficult, the Michigan State Chamber of Commerce has come out strongly against what it calls a "disproportionate" shifting of taxes to business and industry. Senator Harry DeMaso, chairman of the Senate Taxation Committee, last week warned Michigan residents to "make an extremely careful study" of the proposed property tax amendment because, he said, "in many instances it will increase taxes, rather than decrease them." He contended the proposal (Continued on page 3B)

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would permit levying of 52 mills on business property, rather than the 30-mill limit now in effect, and warned:

"THIS ADDITIONAL burden on an already heavily tax - burdened business structure in Michigan could well force some businesses out of the state and cost Michigan the loss of many jobs, which we can ill afford to lose right now. We should be thinking of how we can improve our economy, not make it worse by adding to business's already heavy tax burden."

Noting that an income tax increase and either a state-wide property tax or a new value added tax (in reality, a hidden sales tax) would have to be levied to make up the loss of property tax revenue, Senator DeMaso said: "I am in favor of reducing property taxes but I wouldn't want anyone to work for this proposal unless he first ascertains the costs involved and he realizes it will result in increased overall taxes to a great many Michigan residents. If people desire property tax relief urgently enough to risk paying higher taxes of other kinds, then they should have no qualms about the Governor's proposal. However, if they vote for it, they shouldn't complain when they find sharp increases in other taxes they may have to pay."

Senator DeMaso's warnings notwithstanding, two corollaries of the Governor's property tax relief petition drive are irrefutable: 1) Retirees, senior citizens, and others on fixed incomes will undoubtedly end up paying far less, not more, in overall taxes if there is eventually a shift in taxation away from property toward income. No hike in the income tax rate will ever soak the aged retiree as he's being soaked now by the property tax;

2) A shift from the locally-levied property tax to either a statewide property tax or an increased income tax (the revenue from which would be redistributed around the state on an equal per capita basis) will mean that school districts in Shiawassee, Eaton, Montcalm, and Gratiot Counties would get many more dollars per child than they get now or ever will be able to get under our current lousy system of funding education.

For these reasons, I hope the Governor's petition drive begins to pick up steam in my 30th Senatorial District. If the Legislature and the court's can't resolve this issue, I hope you, the people, can.

Know Your Michigan Law

By Attorney General Frank J. Kelley

(This is a public service article explaining in general terms a provision of Michigan law. Individuals who wish to determine the effect of any law upon their private legal affairs should consult a private attorney.)

Perhaps one of the most heart breaking and emotionally charged areas of the law is that involving disputes over the custody of minor children, especially where the disputes are between a parent and a third person, such as a grandparent, or one who has raised the child for an extended period without having legally adopted him.

At common law, the father was favored in custody cases but as early as the year 1873, the Michigan legislature enacted a law veering away from the common law view and establishing guidelines for the assistance of the courts in deciding custody disputes.

The law declared that the mother should be entitled to the care and custody of children under 12 and the father, those 12 or over, subject, however, to the judicial determination of the courts

Allen plans snowmobile law meeting

LANSING — State Rep. Richard J. Allen (R-Ithaca) today announced that he has arranged a meeting for people interested on both sides of the controversial new snowmobile law.

The meeting will take place on Feb. 22 at 8 p.m. in the Alma High School auditorium. Along with Allen, representatives from both the State Police and Department of Natural Resources will be present to discuss the snowmobile law and to answer questions.

Literature on snowmobiling will be available at the meeting, including the 1972 Snowmobile Guide. This sixteen page booklet contains excerpts from the snowmobile law, a listing of State Forest snowmobile trails and State Parks open to snowmobilers, and some safety tips. Snowmobile enthusiasts who are not able to attend the meeting may obtain copies by writing Rep. Richard J. Allen, c/o State Capitol, Lansing, 48901.

"I feel this will be a most beneficial meeting and a good opportunity for people to express their views, both pro and con, to their state officials. I urge everyone interested in the snowmobile issue to attend this very worthwhile meeting," Allen said.

as to the fitness of the parties and the best interest of the child. This was the situation until July 20, 1970, when the former law was repealed and the "child custody act of 1970" became effective.

The act provides that when a custody dispute arises between parents, between agencies, or between third persons, the best interests of the child shall control, and when the dispute is between a parent or parents, and an agency or a third person, it is presumed that the best interests of the child are served by awarding custody to the parent, or parents, unless the contrary is established by clear and convincing evidence.

The statute defines "best interest of the child" as meaning the sum total of the following factors which are to be considered, evaluated and determined by the court: emotional ties; religious background; economic situation; length and desirability of existing custody; family stability; morals; health; home; school; and community record of the child; child's preference, if old enough to express one, and any other relevant factors.

Based upon the foregoing, the court must establish the inherent rights of the child and the rights and duties of the parties involved.

The act applies to all circuit court child custody suits and the judge may award the child to any part or others and provide for the amount of support for the child until he reaches 18.

In addition, he may provide for visitation, legal counsel for the child and may amend or modify prior judgments or orders for cause.

Allen's district could disappear

LANSING — The famous story of the man without a country may be coming more truth than fiction for one of our local lawmakers if the Michigan Democrats in the House of Representatives have their way.

State Rep. Richard Allen still has his country but he may be minus a district to represent, according to the latest Democrat redistricting proposal.

By law, the Legislature must adopt a new districting formula following a federal census, which took place in 1970. Michigan Atty. Gen. Frank J. Kelley issued an opinion in January claiming the present congressional districting formula unconstitutional due to the change in population from 1960 to 1970. He then ordered the two parties to redraw district lines by Feb. 29 or the Federal Courts will take over the task.

The Democratic plan, officially called House Plan 13, would divide the area currently represented by Allen into six other districts and throw him into the suburban Saginaw 100th District. Most of that new district is represented by Bert Brennan (R-Saginaw), who is a good friend of Allen and the two men currently share an office in Lansing.

House Republicans feel the Gratiot-Clinton area was deliberately torn up to oust the young GOP lawmaker.

Brown says law will end tie-ups

WASHINGTON, D.C.—Third District Congressman Garry Brown (R-Mich.) announced today that he has introduced legislation to expedite settlement of the West Coast dock strike and similar transportation industry tie-ups.

Brown's bill would amend the Taft-Hartley Act so as to provide the President with several alternative approaches to achieving a strike settlement and require the President to use the alternatives until a settlement is reached.

A separate title of the Brown bill would similarly amend the Railway Labor Act, providing the President with the means to settle railroad and airline strikes as well.

Brown noted that by including two separate titles in his bill—one to amend the Taft-Hartley Act and the other to amend the Railway Labor Act—it is possible to maintain the legal divisions that already exist in labor legislation in the transportation industry.

"A blanket approach is simply not feasible," Brown said.

During recent, extensive hearings held by the Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics of the Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee on similar Brown legislation, witnesses for both labor and management in the railroad and airline industries testified that the many advantages incorporated in various pieces of labor legislation now on the books could be undercut or destroyed by including all transportation industries under one emergency strike bill.

Brown's bill would under both the Taft-Hartley Act and the Railway Labor Act provide the President with the option of final offer selection, a method also being proposed by the Administration.

"Final offer selection differs from compulsory arbitration," Brown explained, "in that it tends to encourage settlement on the part of the disputants."

Critics of compulsory arbitration have long contended that the system encourages the parties involved to stake out extreme positions in the hope that the arbitration board's final compromise decision will be close to what they reasonably might expect.

Under final offer selection, the board does not draw up its own compromise solution but must instead review two proposed solutions submitted by the parties and pick one of the two.

"Final offer selection thus encourages labor and management to make a real effort to submit a reasonable and fair solution at the risk of having the other's chosen by the board," Brown said. Another approach available to the President under Brown's amendatory legislation would be that of a 90-day cooling off period, which would freeze the terms of employment unless a mutual agreement is reached by labor and management. Presumably, the President would use this approach when a settlement appeared imminent and only more time was needed.

Title I of Brown's bill would further amend the Railway Labor Act to allow the President the option of a

"selective strike," that is, limiting the scope of any strike to ensure that the national health or safety is not imperiled. (The U.S. Supreme Court has upheld "selective strikes" by Railroad unions called at the point of impasse in national bargaining with a multiemployer association under the Railway Labor Act.)

For instance, should railway labor and management not be able to reach agreement, the President might upon a finding that it was in the national interest, rule that labor could only employ a "selective strike." This would limit any strike to not more than two carriers or groups of carriers operating in any one of the eastern, western, or southwestern regions and provide that the aggregate revenue ton-miles transported by all such carriers in any one region could not exceed 20 per cent of that for the preceding year.

A fourth alternative would under the Taft-Hartley Act allow the President a "partial operations" option. "In effect, this is a more flexible approach to a 'selective strike' with limits and public safeguards can be made for the railroad industry, for example, similar attempts in any of the industries covered by Taft-Hartley would result in confusion and invite disaster," Brown said.

Currently, some 45,000 longshoremen on the East and Gulf Coasts are working under a Taft-Hartley anti-strike injunction that expires Feb. 14. Meanwhile, the strike of 15,000 dockers on the West Coast continues.

Labor Secretary James D. Hodgson has told a congressional hearing that prospects of settling the West Coast strike, which began Jan. 17, were hopeless unless legislation is enacted. "This crippling labor dispute has already wrought irreparable harm to the Nation's health, safety and economic well-being. Millions of dollars are being lost daily by American farmers as crops for export pile up in closed ports. Businesses engaging directly or indirectly in foreign trade are suffering disastrous losses. Such tie-ups are inexcusable," Brown said.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Some flaws Mr. B?

Dear Mr. Ballenger, This letter is regarding your weekly column in the January 26 edition of the Clinton County News, entitled MAY NEED THE SST. In it you exhibited several misconceptions or perhaps the paper edited a more comprehensive article for reasons of space. The first flaw crops up when you state "Judge Roth has given several indications that he may be about to fly in the face of what a majority of the people seem to want by ordering inter-city busing of school children". The role of the judiciary is not to hold general referendums. Theirs is to interpret the law.

should be considered one unit, Lansing, Owosso, Charlotte, etc. are all independent of Detroit and would not be involved in any Detroit desegregation plans.

The most disturbing aspect of your article is your implying that busing exists "to curb white flight from the inner city". Busing's purpose is to correct the effects of de jure and de facto segregation and is meant as only a temporary and transitory solution. The real solution lies in the enforcement of civil rights legislation already on the books. When that is accomplished there will be no more need of busing. Curbing white flight from the inner city" is an admitted side effect of busing but please don't confuse it with the cause.

Louie Thelen
Louie Thelen
U.S. Naval Hospital,
San Francisco, Calif.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION

Village of Fowler

MARCH 13, 1972

at the
Township Hall
for the purpose
of electing the
following officers:

- VILLAGE PRESIDENT
- VILLAGE CLERK
- VILLAGE TREASURER
- VILLAGE ASSESSOR
- THREE (3) TRUSTEES

(for two-year terms)

Signed
Retha Winans,
Village Clerk

Notes From The Teachers

The teachers of the St. Johns Education Association invite you to listen to "Viewpoint", a weekly five minute radio program on W.R.B.J. Radio, Wednesdays at 3:55. This week's "Viewpoint" will feature an interview with Anne Fox, Beth Stork, and Bruce Caesar who were chosen by the Michigan Education Association to tour Europe with its "Suitcase Theater" Group. The teachers of the S.J.E.A. are proud of Anne, Beth, and Bruce. The students are one more reason why teachers choose St. Johns as their place to teach.

Paid for by the teachers of the St. Johns Education Association

PUBLIC NOTICE

The St. Johns Planning Commission will hold their regular Planning Commission Meetings for 1972 at 7:30 p.m. in the City Commission Chambers, Municipal-Building, on each of the following dates:

January	6	July	6
February	3	August	3
March	2	September	7
April	6	October	5
May	4	November	2
June	1	December	7

James A. Moore,
Chairman

According to Plan 13, most of Clinton County would fall into the area represented by Stanley M. Powell (R-Ionia) which includes most of Ionia County and a small section of Montcalm County.

Watertown and Eagle townships would fall into the 56th District, an area represented by Dale Werner (R-Charlotte) which includes the southern townships of Ionia County and all of Eaton County.

Ovid, Elsie and Laingsburg would remain in the 87th District of R. Douglas Trezise (R-Owosso).

House Republicans are also upset since Allen's district now is composed of rural areas and small towns—and he might not be re-elected in a metropolitan area where he is largely unknown.

One capitol observer noted that the apportionment plans drawn by both parties make obvious attempts to

Watertown Charter Township

February meeting called to order by the Supervisor with all Board members present. Commissioner Montgomery also present. January meeting minutes approved as submitted.

Treasurer's report accepted as submitted. Correspondence read. Resignation of Leon Clark as Chairman and member of Planning Commission accepted, with regret.

Commissioner Montgomery made a brief report that a new health director had been hired for Mid-Michigan Health; that Darwin Root and his Assistant have resigned as County Sanitarian, that the Lions Club and Bath Township have a leader dog training project and that the Apportionment Committee have not approved the redistricting of Clinton County as yet.

Vaughn Montgomery, Doris Rhoades and Don Garlock were elected to another three year term on the Planning Commission. Keith Ingalls was elected to fill the unexpired term of Leon Clark.

The dry hydrant installation at Wacousta and Francis Road bridges has not been accomplished yet.

Mr. Thingstad gave a report on meeting of Park No.

replace certain legislators, but the six way split of the current 88th District is an apparent record.

"It makes me a little proud," Allen said. "I didn't realize I was doing that much damage."

The latest GOP formula, House Plan 15, also removes central Clinton County and the City of St. Johns from the 87th District. Trezise represents. However, this plan would place most of Clinton County in Allen's district. He would also represent all of Gratiot County and about one-fourth of Montcalm County.

Ovid, Elsie, Laingsburg, Bath and parts of DeWitt would fall into Trezise's district, and the rest would go to Allen.

Trezise said he would not want to lose the St. Johns district but that it appeared inevitable because of the increase in population in Owosso in 1970.

2. He also attended a Turf Conference at MSU.

A letter from Snell Engineering Company was read to the Board setting up the costs of Planning Services re Zoning, Landuse, etc. This matter will come before the Planning Commission first.

Mr. Al Ashari is making a request of the Planning Commission for a subdivision on Francis Road.

Motion made to have Lowell Road Bridge rebuilt.

The DeWitt Fire Contract discussed and Supervisor given authority to sign same when several matters have been corrected.

Rollin Noble gave a report on a meeting with the Grand Ledge Fire Department.

Jon Trimmer made request for a tavern license. Motion made that this be deferred until exact location of I-69 through Watertown Charter Township is known.

The MYF will be hired at a cost of \$100 to help trim in the cemetery again this year for Memorial Day.

Leon Garlock asked to be excused from the March meeting. Request granted. Meeting adjourned.

MILDRED McDONOUGH, Clerk
HERMAN OPENLANDER, Supervisor

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January	24	July	10
February	14	August	24
March	28	September	14
April	13	October	28
May	27	November	11
June	10	December	25
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Robert H. Wood,
Mayor

Annual Tax Sale

premises as to this court may seem just and equitable. And your plaintiff will ever pray, etc. Dated: January 10, 1972. State Treasurer of the State of Michigan, for and in behalf of said State.

SCHEDULE "A" Taxes of 1969 And Prior Years

On reading and filing the complaint of the State Treasurer of the State of Michigan praying for a judgment in favor of the State of Michigan, against each parcel of land therein described, claimed to be due for taxes, interest and charges on each parcel of land, and that such lands be sold for the amounts so claimed by the State of Michigan.

It is ordered that said complaint will be brought on for hearing and judgment at the March term of this Court, to be held at St. Johns, in the County of Clinton, State of Michigan, on the 13th day of March A.D. 1972, at the opening of the Court, and that all persons interested in such lands or any part thereof, desiring to contest the lien claimed thereon by the State of Michigan, for such taxes, interest and charges, or any part thereof, shall appear in said Court, and file with the clerk thereof their objections thereto on or before the first day of the term of this Court above mentioned, and that in default thereof the same will be taken as confessed and a judgment will be taken and entered as prayed for in said complaint, and it is further ordered that in pursuance of said judgment the lands described in said complaint for which a judgment of sale shall be made, will be sold for the several taxes, interest and charges thereon as determined by such judgment, on the first Tuesday in May thereafter, beginning at 10 o'clock a.m., on said day, or on the day or days subsequent thereto as may be necessary to complete the sale of said lands and of each and every parcel thereof, and to the effect of the County Treasurer, or at such convenient time as shall be selected by him at the county seat of the county of Clinton, State of Michigan; and that the sale hereon and there made will be a public sale, and each parcel described in the judgment of sale shall be separately exposed for sale for the total taxes, interest and charges, and the sale shall be made to the person paying the full amount of such taxes, interest and charges against such parcel, and the purchaser of any such parcel shall be deemed to have purchased the same free and clear of all taxes, interest and charges thereon, and shall be bound to pay the same as if they were his own.

Witness to Hon. Leo W. Corkin, Circuit Judge, and the seal of said Circuit Court of Clinton County this 18th day of January, A.D. 1972. LEO W. CORKIN, Circuit Judge, Ernest E. Carter, Clerk

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, for the sale of certain lands for taxes assessed thereon.

To the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton: Allison Green, State Treasurer of the State of Michigan, respectfully shows unto the Court: 1. That he is the State Treasurer of the State of Michigan and makes and files this complaint under, by virtue of and pursuant to the provisions of Act No. 206 of the Public Acts of 1893, as amended, Act No. 126 of the Public Acts of 1923, as amended, and Act No. 380 of P.A. 1965, as amended; 2. That schedule annexed hereto is the tax record required by the act first above mentioned and contains the description of all lands in the aforesaid county upon which taxes, which were assessed for the year 1969 and prior years, have remained unpaid for more than one year after they were returned as delinquent, the description of all lands in said county heretofore bid off in the name of the State and have held and upon which taxes which were assessed subsequent to the tax for which such lands were sold to the State have remained unpaid for more than one year after they were returned as delinquent, and the description of all lands in said county which are delinquent for any installment of taxes upon the provisions of Act 126, P.A. 1923, as amended.

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VICTOR TOWNSHIP
Town 6 N Range 1 W
Rt 1/2 W to a pt 474 ft pl of beg, th Nly to pt of beg being a strip of land 100 ft wide from rd to RR, part of N 1/2 of Sec. 25, T6N-R1W
25 1969 220.88
Com. 20 rods S of NE cor of Sec. 26, T6N-R1W, Th W 48 rods, S 10 rods, N 48 rods, N 10 rd to beg.
28 1969 19.01
All the W 1/2 of NW 1/4 N of road, except E 32 acres, Sec. 26-T6N-R1W
26 1969 75.73
Com. on E sec. line of Sec. 26-T6N-R1W 11 rods S of intersection of Grand River Rd. & Sec. line, th W 11 rods, S to N bank of Looking Glass River, E along river to Sec. line, N 10 rods
1969 211.07
Com. at NE corner of NE 1/4 of Sec. 27-T6N-R1W, S 49 rods, W 56 rods, N 49 rods, E to beg.
27 1969 28.49
Com. at high water mark 9 rods W of high water mark on E line of W 1/2 of NE 1/4 th N to center of highway, W-11 rods, S to high water mark, E to low water mark of Round Lake, th around shore line at low water mark, Nly to low water mark directly S of place of beg. N to beg, Sec. 29-T6N-R1W
29 1969 357.58
W 1/2 of SE 1/4 and SE 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sec. 30-T6N-R1W
30 1969 420.19
Com. at SW cor of SW 1/4, Sec. 30-T6N-R1W, th E 10 rods, th N 16 rods, th W 10 rods, th S 10 rods to beg.
30 1969 196.53
N 62.22 acres of NW 1/4, Sec. 32-T6N-R1W
32 1969 77.14
N 1/2 of NE 1/4 & E 1/2 of NW 1/4, Sec. 35-T6N-R1W, except M.C. Railroad right-of-way
35 1969 709.07
HICKORY HILLS SUDD.
Lots 11-20 inclusive & Lots 42, 43 and 44 and E 40 ft of Sec. 29-T6N-R1W
29 1969 390.01
Com. at point on S line of highway S 75 degrees 30' E 39.3 ft from point of beg. of Hickory Hill Subd., thence S 75 degrees 30' E along highway 100' S 0' E parallel to E line of Hickory Hill Subd., 75' to shore of Round Lake, NW along said shore 94' S 6 degrees W parallel with E line of Hickory Hill 108.9' to beg.
29 1969 348.21
HIGHLAND HILLS SUDD.
Lot 84, Highland Hills, a subd on SE 1/4 of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 53.97
Lot 89, Highland Hills, a subd on SE 1/4 of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 53.97
Lot 90, Highland Hills, a subd on SE 1/4 of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 49.34
IMPERIAL SHORES SUDD.
Lot 28, Imperial Shores, a subd on part of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 98.04
ROYAL SHORES SUDD.
Lot 4, Royal Shores, a subd on part of the N 1/2 of Sec. 13, T6N-R1W
13 1969 34.30
Lot 5, Royal Shores, a subd on part of the N 1/2 of Sec. 13, T6N-R1W
13 1969 34.30
Lot 12, Royal Shores, a subd on part of the N 1/2 of Sec. 13, T6N-R1W
13 1969 34.30
Lot 107, Royal Shores, a subd on part of N 1/2 of Sec. 13, T6N-R1W
13 1969 153.85
Lot 129, Royal Shores, a subd on part of N 1/2 of Sec. 13, T6N-R1W
13 1969 84.10
Lot 144, Royal Shores, a subd on part of N 1/2 of Sec. 13, T6N-R1W
13 1969 47.04
Lot 146, Royal Shores, a subd on part of N 1/2 of Sec. 13, T6N-R1W
13 1969 40.07
Lot 192, Royal Shores, a subd on part of N 1/2 of Sec. 13, T6N-R1W
13 1969 37.76
Lot 202, Royal Shores, a subd on part of N 1/2 of Sec. 13, T6N-R1W
13 1969 40.07
Lot 203, Royal Shores, a subd on part of N 1/2 of Sec. 13, T6N-R1W
13 1969 40.07
Lot 217, Royal Shores, a subd on part of N 1/2 of Sec. 13, T6N-R1W
13 1969 44.71
VICTORIA HILLS SUDD.
Lot 27, Victoria Hills, part of the S 1/2 of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 116.58
Lot 29, Victoria Hills, part of the S 1/2 of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 116.58
Lot 50, Victoria Hills, part of the S 1/2 of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 33.13
Lot 75, Victoria Hills, part of the S 1/2 of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 33.13
WESTCHESTER HEIGHTS SUDD.
Lot 1, Westchester Heights, part of the W 1/2 of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 26.17
Lot 40, Westchester Heights, part of the W 1/2 of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 79.47
Lot 75, Westchester Heights, part of the W 1/2 of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 42.39
Lot 77, Westchester Heights, part of the W 1/2 of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 40.07
Lot 79, Westchester Heights, part of the W 1/2 of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 42.39
Lot 82, Westchester Heights, part of the W 1/2 of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 42.39
Lot 111, Westchester Heights, part of the W 1/2 of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 42.39
Lot 113, Westchester Heights, part of the W 1/2 of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 42.39
Lot 137, Westchester Heights, part of the W 1/2 of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 31.13
Lot 174, Westchester Heights, part of the W 1/2 of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 35.43
Lot 190, Westchester Heights, part of the W 1/2 of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 26.17
Lot 191, Westchester Heights, part of the W 1/2 of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 26.17
Lot 192, Westchester Heights, part of the W 1/2 of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 26.17
Lot 211, Westchester Heights, part of the W 1/2 of Sec. 12, T6N-R1W
12 1969 26.17
WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP
Town 5 N Range 3 W
N 1/2 of W 1/4 of SW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sec. 3-T6N-R3W, th S 329 ft thereof
1969 72.40
Com. 40 rods N of SW cor of NW 1/4 of Sec. 3, T6N-R3W, th N 155 ft, E 20 rods, S 155 ft, th W 20 rods to pt of beg.
3 1969 35.66
Com. 24 rods S of 1/4 post on E line of Sec. 6-T6N-R3W, thence W 33 & 3/5 rods S 14 1/2 rods, E 33 2/5 rods, N 14 1/2 rods to beg.
6 1969 176.73
Com. 47 rods W of 1/4 post on S line of Sec. 8-T6N-R3W, th N 60 rods.


WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP
Town 5 N Range 3 W
W to E bank of Looking Glass River, SW along river to Sec. line, E 8 rods to beg.
1969 14.61
Com. 827.2 ft W of NE cor Sec. 19, T6N-R3W, th W alg cent of hwy 285 ft, th S 152.5 ft, th E 285 ft, th N 152.5 ft to beg.
19 1969 176.75
Beg 800 ft N of SW cor of Sec. 21, T6N-R3W, th N 330 ft, E 1315.7 ft, S 330 ft, W 1315.7 ft to pt of beg
21 1969 88.31
E 3/4 of SE 1/4 of Sec 23-T6N-R3W, exc 200' E&W by 217.8' N&S out of SW cor thereof; also exc N 185' of E 1/2 of W 1/2 of SE 1/4 of ad sec; also exc com 1355' E of S 1/4 cor, th 415' N&S by 627' E&W; also exc the E 1/4 of SE 1/4 of ad sec.
23 1969 640.15
Com. 660' N of E 1/4 post on Sec. 25-T6N-R3W, W 1320', N 60', E 1320', to E line, S 60' to beg.
25 1969 234.59
Com. 725' N of E 1/4 post on Sec. 25-T6N-R3W, 1320' W, then N 99', E 1320' to E sec. line, S 90' to beg.
25 3m/1 1969 62.47
Com. at SW corner of NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sec. 25-T6N-R3W, N on Sec. 25, E 204', S 90', W 204' to beg.
25 1969 224.88
Com. SE corner Sec. 29-T6N-R3W, th W on Sec. line 1320 ft, N on 1/8 line 1969 ft to center of M 16, S 75 degrees 15' E 1265.1 ft, on center of M 16, to E line of Sec. 29 on E line of Sec. 1024 ft to beg.
29 1969 485.30
N 3 acres of NE 1/4 of NE 1/4, Sec. 32-T6N-R3W
32 1969 20.59
Part of E 1/2 of W 1/2 of NW 1/4 Sec 34, T6N-R3W, S of US-16 desc as beg on E&W 1/4 in 40 rods S of W 1/4 cor of sd sec 34, th N 125.75 rods to cent in US-16, th SE 1/4 alg cent in US-16 25.49 rods, th S 120.44 rods to E&W 1/4 beg, th W alg sd 1/4 in 24.69 rods to beg.
34 1969 200.12
Part of W 1/2 of W 1/2 of NW 1/4, Sec. 34, T6N-R3W, S of US-16 desc as beg on E&W 1/4 in 20 rods E of W 1/4 post sd sec 34, th N 80 rods, E 20 rods, S 40 rods to E&W 1/4 beg, th W alg 1/4 in 20 rods to beg.
34 25.07 1969 200.12
CITY OF ST JOHNS
Original Plat
Town 7 N Range 2 W
Lot 5 less N 6 1/2 ft of Lot 6, Also lots 7 and 8 less W 111 ft thereof, Orig. Plat, Bk. 3
1969 2071.33
W 110 ft of Lot 8 less S 6 ft. Also W 110 ft of S 6 ft of Lot 9, Orig. Plat Bk. 5
1969 271.50
Lot 223, City of DeWitt
1969 648.51
Lot 239, City of DeWitt
1969 871.92
Lot 242, City of DeWitt
1969 604.97
Lot 249 City of DeWitt
1969 512.38
Beg. at SE corner of Outlet L, then N 32 rods, W 45 rods, N 13 rods, W 12 rods, S to Webb Road, then SE along said road to beg, City of DeWitt
1969 240.26
Beg 350' N & 33' W of center of Sec. 8 T6N-R2W in City of DeWitt th W 197' N 237.2' E 197' S 238' to P.O.B.
1969 702.04
Beg 140' N & 33' W of center of Sec. 8 T6N-R2W in City of DeWitt th W 197' N 70' E 337' S 70' to P.O.B. Lot 5 prep Ballard subd.
1969 112.32
Beg 70' N & 33' W of cor of Sec 8 T6N-R2W in City of DeWitt th W 337' N 70' E 337' S 70' to P.O.B. Lot 6 proposed Ballard subd.
1969 176.79
GENEVA SHORES
Lot 1, Geneva Shores, a subd on a part of the S 1/2 of Sec. 7, T6N-R2W
7 1969 96.13
Lot 20, Geneva Shores, a subd on a part of S 1/2 of Sec. 7, T6N-R2W
7 1969 140.73
Lot 40, Geneva Shores, a subd on a part of S 1/2 of Sec. 7, T6N-R2W
7 1969 178.98
Lot 73, Geneva Shores, a subd on a part of S 1/2 of Sec. 7, T6N-R2W
7 1969 117.80
GENEVA SHORES NO. 1
Lot 113, Geneva Shores No. 1, a subd on part of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 8, T6N-R2W
8 1969 79.54
Lot 126, Geneva Shores No. 1, a subd on part of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 8, T6N-R2W
8 1969 94.82
Lot 132, Geneva Shores No. 1, a subd on part of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 8, T6N-R2W
8 1969 87.16
Lot 149, Geneva Shores No. 1, a subd on part of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 8, T6N-R2W
8 1969 87.16
GENEVA SHORES NO. 2
Geneva Shores No. 2, being a subd of part of the E 1/2 of Sec. 7, T6N-R2W, Lot 170
1969 108.57
Geneva Shores No. 2, being a subd of part of the E 1/2 of Sec. 7, T6N-R2W Lot 183
7 1969 120.94
Geneva Shores No. 2, being a subd of part of the E 1/2 of Sec. 7, T6N-R2W Lot 196
7 1969 110.12
Geneva Shores No. 2, being a subd of part of the E 1/2 of Sec. 7, T6N-R2W Lot 203
7 1969 48.89
VIEWCREST RIVER ADDITION
S 62' of Lot 1, Viewcrest River Add.
1969 239.86
Lot 20, exc N 210 ft thereof, Viewcrest River Add.
1969 522.64
Lot 24, Viewcrest River Add.
1969 381.31
Lot 25, Viewcrest River Add.
1969 381.30
Lot 27, Viewcrest River Add.
1969 388.99
Lot 29, Viewcrest River Add.
1969 388.99
Lot 30, Viewcrest River Add.
1969 358.40
EAGLE TOWNSHIP
Town 5 N Range 4 W
VILLAGE OF EAGLE
ORIGINAL PLAT
Lot 5, Bk. 11, Eagle
1969 38.01
W 1/2 of Lots 6 & 10, Bk. 11, Eagle
17 1969 11.00
Com 11.81 ch S of N 1/4 post Sec. 21 T6N-R4W, th S alg 1/4 line 194.7 ft, W 245 ft, N 104.7 ft, th E 245 ft to beg.
21 1m/1 1969 103.04
Beg in cent of Grand Rd 840 ft S of N 1/4 cor of Sec. 21, T6N-R4W, th E 250 ft, th N 155 ft, th E havng an interior angle of 270 de-

VILLAGE OF EAGLE
Town 5 N Range 4 W
greets 437.36 ft, th N 60 degrees 13' W 50.25 ft, th 87 degrees 07'30" W 641.06 ft to cent of Orange Ind., also being the 1/4 204.94 ft to beg exc Deg 645.2' S of N 1/4 Cor Sec 21 Th N 51 degrees 24'44" W 400' Th S 0 degree 21'15" W 402.2' N 89 degrees 57' 1/2' E 313.1' Th N 0 degree 19' 160.3' to pt of beg.
21 1969 223.08
DUPLAIN TOWNSHIP
Town 8 N Range 1 W
VILLAGE OF ELSIE
TILLOTSON'S ADDITION
Lot 6, Block 1, Tililtson's Add. to Elsie
1969 288.34
VANDUSENS ADDITION
Lot 5, Dk. H Vandusens Add. to Village of Elsie
1969 117.14
SECTION 12
Beg. 26 rods 6 links South of 1/4 post on West side of Sec. 12-T6N-R1W, th East 13 rods, North 138 ft, West 13 rods, South 138 ft to beg.
12 1969 55.24
DALLAS TOWNSHIP
Town 7 N Range 4 W
VILLAGE OF FOWLER
Com at a pt 66 rods 6 ft E & 190 ft N of SW cor of Sec. 12, th E 66 ft, th N to D, G H & M RR, th W alg S line of RR 66 ft, th S 207 ft to beg.
12 1969 21.19
LANCER'S ADDITION
N 70 ft of Lots 10 and 11 Bk. 1
1969 323.90
Lots 11 and 12 Block G
1969 293.00
ESSEX TOWNSHIP
Town 8 N Range 3 W
VILLAGE OF MAPLE RAPIDS
Original Plat
Lot 6, Block 2, Maple Rapids
2 1969 44.54
Lot 2, Block 5, Maple Rapids
5 1969 98.31
Lot 3, Block 5, Maple Rapids
5 1969 12.78
Lot 5, Bk. 16, Maple Rapids
16 1969 69.37
Lot 8 and the E 12' of Lot 7, Block 23, Maple Rapids
23 1969 169.11
The S 64' of Lot 5, Block 26, Maple Rapids
26 1969 127.59
B. P. HUTCHINSONS ADD.
Lots 1 and 2, Block 1, B. P. Hutchinson's Addition, Maple Rapids
1 1969 149.57
Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 2, B. P. Hutchinson's Addition, Maple Rapids
2 1969 227.75
Lots 2 and 3, Block 7, B. P. Hutchinson's Addition, Maple Rapids
7 1969 122.70
Lot 3, Block 2, B. P. Hutchinson's Add. Maple Rapids
2 1969 110.40
Com. at NW corner of lot 3 in Block 4, Maple Rapids, then NW to center of Maple River, then SWly down center of Maple River to S line of Sec. 5-T6N-R3W, then E to a point directly South of starting point, N to beg. Village of Maple Rapids
5 1969 144.98
Com. 52 rods N of SE corner of SW 1/4 of Sec. 5-T6N-R3W, then W 18 rods, N to center of Maple River, E on center of Maple River to a point directly N of starting point, S to starting point
5 1969 266.82
Com. 42 rods N of SE corner of SW 1/4 of Sec. 5-T6N-R3W, W 16 rods, N 10 rods, E 16 rods, S 10 rods, all in the Village of Maple Rapids
5 1969 345.00
Com at the NE cor of W 1/2 of NE 1/4 Section 8, S 20 rods, E 4 rods, N 20 rods, E 4 rods Village of Maple Rapids
8 20 1969 130.64
Com. 90 rods S of NW corner of NE 1/4 of Sec. 8-T6N-R3W, S 10 rods, W 14 rods, N 10 rods, E 14 rods, Village of Maple Rapids
8 1969 145.27
Com. 58 rods W and 80 rods S of NE corner of NW 1/4 of Sec. 8-T6N-R3W, W 6 rods, S 10 rods, E 6 rods, N 10 rods, Village of Maple Rapids
8 1969 130.03
Com. 66 rods W and 80 rods S of NE corner of NW 1/4 of Sec. 8-T6N-R3W, W 2 rods, S 10 rods, E 2 rods, N 10 rods, Village of Maple Rapids
8 1969 5.45
OVID TOWNSHIP
Town 7 N Range 1 W
VILLAGE OF OVID
Original Plat
Lot 0, Block 1, Ovid
1969 143.43
Lot 7 and W 1/2 of Lot 8, Block 3, Ovid
3 1969 192.29
S 62' of Lots 1 and 2, Block 4, Ovid
4 1969 192.29
Lots 19 & 20, Bk. 5, Ovid
1969 222.82
E 3/4 of Lot 5 and W 1/2 of Lot 6, Bk. 5, Ovid
5 1969 180.04
Lot 1 & 2, Bk. 6, Ovid
6 1969 143.98
S 66' of Lots 8 & 9 & 10, Bk. 6, Ovid
6 1969 87.57
Lots 4 & 5, Bk. 12, Ovid
12 1969 74.04
Lot 17 except E 15' thereof, Block 16, Ovid
16 1969 50.01
Lot 15 and E 1/2 of Lot 16, Block 19, Ovid
19 1969 283.85
E 1/2 of Lot 7, all of Lot 8, & W 15 ft. of N 102 ft, Lot 9, all in Block 20, Ovid
20 1969 237.65
Lot 5, Bk. 26, Ovid
26 1969 143.44
Lots 5 & 9, Bk. 26, Ovid
26 1969 143.56
Lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12, Bk. D, Ovid
D 1969 331.94
Lot 2 & W 1/2 of Lot 1; also E 40' of Lot 3, Bk. 1, Ovid
1 1969 299.03
S 100' of Bk. N, Ovid
N 1969 74.73
SECTION 13
Com 395 ft E of cent in of Mn. St Ovid on S in rt of way known as M-21, th Easterly alg S side to Meridian, th S to cent of Maple River th NWly alg cent of M. Riv. to P.O.B.
13 1969 390.64
P. C. BASSETTS SUDD.
Lots 18 and E 11' of Lot 17, Out Lot 2, P. C. Bassett's Subd., Ovid.
1969 182.29

Bits and Pieces

'Tackling a claim'

By HAROLD SCHMALTZ



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News About Clinton County

Service Personnel

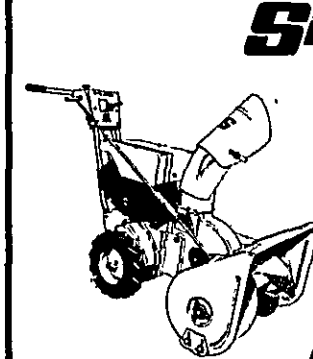


RECEIVES MEDAL FOR VALOR

Melvin L. Carter of Laingsburg was recently awarded the Medal for Valor for showing exceptional and meritorious service. Specialist Carter was performing organizational maintenance on an aircraft when an unforecast thunderstorm of high intensity struck the Grayling Army Airfield. As winds increased to 80 miles per hour the aircraft began to gyrate wildly. Disregarding his personal safety Specialist Carter made his way to the flight deck of the endangered aircraft, applied both wheel and rotor breaks and manned the flight controls until the storm subsided. Carter's expeditious actions were instrumental in preventing serious damage of the aircraft.

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Rev. William Cox and the Junior Choir of the Bannister United Methodist Church was in charge of a worship service Sunday afternoon at the Maple Valley Nursing Home in Ashley. Rev. Cox served the sacrament of communion to the patients. The Junior Choir supported him in song with Mrs. Walter Miller at the piano.

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Elsie Jr. High honor roll

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EIGHT GRADE
Debra Baletine, Tracy Badish, Clara Cernak, Louis Chapko, James Crowe, Torrie Darggett, Christine Erickson, Vickie Forrester, Chris Gimgrich, Beverly Hammond, Cindy Hehrer, Melody Jewell, Nancy Kusmler, Marjorie LaRowe, Nancy Latz, (All A's), Steve Latz, Steve Ludwick, Brenda Miller, Susan Mitchell, Robert Moore, Debra Pokorny, Karen Porubsky, Debra Pumphord, Pandali Raymer, Susan Rudi, Peggy Salibury, Greg Schultz, Ray Truitt, Pamela Williams and Anne-Zeuschwerdt.

SEVENTH GRADE
Brian Acre, Janice Baese, Lisa Baese, Richard Betz, Cindy Black, Cindy Brewbaker, Karen Brichan, Karen Chapko, Brenda Cox, Clark, Joe Coon, Donna Davis, Melissa Demovick, Beatrice Finch, Terri Furstenau, Anne Glowney, (All A's), Debra Green, David Hammond, Gerald Hammond, Darlene Hardaker, Sharon Helms, Margaret Horak, Kathy Hunt, Patrick Jewell, John Kvalveg, Mark Latz, Roger Lovar, Cindy Moore, Ellen Personous, Stacy Schoendorf, Patti Shanley, Douglas Sturges, Mark Voztrizansky, Robert Warner, Kimberly Waters and Richard Zemla.

SIXTH GRADE
Cynthia Freed, Valde Garcia, Roger Gilbert, Rhonda Gither, Tina Gleason, Bryan Gruesbeck, Lynn Gruesbeck, Julie Greenhorn, Amy Hart, Dwayne Hunt, Terri Jones, Jean Larkins, Russell Leslie, Debra Long.

Pewamo

Several from this area attended the card party at St. Mary's Hall in Westphalia Sunday evening.

Sunday visitors at the home of Arnold Hattis were his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams of rural Maltr.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Silverman attended the funeral of his cousin, Rudolph A. Silverman, 66, of Matheron, Services were Tuesday at 1 p.m. at Estep Funeral Home north of Maltr. Brother Michael Stiegel and Grand Rapids officiated. Interment was at East Plains Cemetery. Bearers were Douglas Campbell, Richard Osborne, James Kitcherman, Robert Harold Jr., Wilbur Hersh and Robert Silverman.

Maude Doane and Ralph Doane were visitors of their sister, Mrs. Florence Calkins.

P-W window

On Wednesday, February 9, a traveling troupe of Westphalia Men's Faculty, The Cuties, are men dressed as women. They feature one of the shortest players in basketball. He was 30 inches of real mid-weight, Suzie. Antics, such as carrying Mr. Doug Kilborne, our wrestling coach, out on the shoulders of a big "Cutie" or the dousing of our principal, Mr. Alvar Kurin, with a bucket of water, were typical of the night's fun.

Also on Wednesday the 9th, P-W sent his FHA officer to a Region 8 meeting, Valerie Hill is the Vice-President of the region and she brought back a mission for P-W's FHA chapter. Nine chapters need financial and moral support and our girls will try to help them.



Joe Pohl, center, receives his first place trophy after sweeping aside the competition during the annual Westphalia Knights of Columbus bowling tournament. Congratulating him are Bud Thelen, left, Grand Knight and Herm Thelen, tourney manager.

Each year the Betty Crocker Homemakers of the Year Award is given out to one girl in the Senior Class. The recipient of this year's award was Kathy Smith.

On the elementary scene, the fifth and sixth grades of Pewamo Elementary went to the Ranch Roller Rink in St. Johns.

The Ovid-Elsie Report
College-bound seniors are busy filling in applications for scholarships. Two local scholarships are the Bryon Green Scholarship and the Jack E. Kelley Scholarship. The Bryon Green Scholarship is for those seniors going to college. It is based on academic need. It equals \$400 and is renewable for a second year.

The Jack E. Kelley Scholarship is for those girls going to college who plan to take up coaching or for girls planning to teach physical education. It is for \$100.

The O-E CO-OP program

Bath High honor roll

Seniors
Susan Black*, Lorin Beagle, Jack Brown, Carl Cornell, Patty Decker, Linda Green, Norma Hagerman, Richard Hawkins, Rose Johnson, Rosta Lehmann, Heidi Perhoshilli, Joel Seeger, Mary Shaw, Suzanne Smith*, Marilyn Verette*, Gary Viaches, Doug West.

Juniors
LARRY Anderson, Nancy Barks, Debbie Barr, Bonnie Benda, James Black, Dan Bragdon, Sharon Brown*, LuAnn Doerner, Darl Haslick, Patricia Higbee, Elaine Ketchum, Dixie Knoebel, Susan LaPratt, Karen Lehman, Gene McAdams, Mark Rebin, Richard Reed, Cheryl Schaefer*, Jeannine Seeger*, Carla Seibert, Muriel Simmons, Irene Sney, Laurel Vioetke, Cheryl Wresinski.

Sophomores
Dawn Alward, Sara Barks, Sam Bass, Susan Bos, Brian Brook, Brown Scott, Peter Carlson, Rosanne Davies, Patrick Diamond, Debbie Fines, Richard Floika, Karen Loomis, Karen Munson, Audrey Schaefer, Sandra Smith, Luwanna Stull, Dawn Ward.

Freshmen

Eagle etchings

YOUTH FOR AMERICA
The J.C.'s are organizing a new club, for the high school students at Fowler, called Youth For America. The club is organized for students who are concerned about their school, community and their country. The students will participate in school projects, and team projects which will contribute a great deal and make an impact upon the country. And while participating, they will be competing for scholarships and awards which will be presented to students, (sometime in May) whose projects have been outstanding.

The club members will work on projects in groups of five. Projects will include such areas as: Environmental and Pollution Control; Beautification Environment; Social Relations; School Assistance Projects; Community Assistance Projects; Foreign Relations Projects; Government or Political Projects and Educational Projects.

The scholarships awarded may be used for post-graduate school, business, beauty, trade and computer schools, as well as colleges. Although the first couple of meetings will be held in school, the club is not a school organization. Once the club gets going, the meetings will be set up outside of school. Probably after school or at night.

At the first meeting offices were set up, but only enough time was allowed to choose the president, Brian Benjamin. Other offices will be first vice-president, second vice-president, secretary and treasurer.

Joe Koenigskech, a member of the J.C.'s, will be the middleman between the club and the J.C. organization.

So far there are 25 members in our new club, Youth For America.

SPANISH CLUB
The 25 members of the Spanish Club met for its first meeting of the year Monday, January 31. This year's officers are Vern Thelen, president; Patti Schrauben, vice-president; Monte Klein, treasurer-secretary.

The club discussed first, the amount of the dues, 50¢ was decided upon. They also discussed such activities as a cake walk, scheduled for Feb. 25, a tobogganing party and at a later date a swimming party.

DeWitt High School honor roll

Seniors
Dawn Berkimer, Chuck Berkimer, Gary Becker, Dave Blossey, Pat Boike, Cindy Burke, Penny Coon, Robin Cole, Karla Courtland, Dan Davis, Lois Eastman*, Doug Edgewise, Carl Ell, Harmon Ewert, Joyce Felke, Cheryl Fines, Roger Gemmill, Beth Greene, Stephanie Hall, Brad Hills, Karen Kirchen, Doug Klaver, Jeff Kristin, Debbie Krohn, Ray McNeilly, Gayle Martin, Halia Mey, Mike Moody, Judy Norris, Sharon Pardo, Jacki Pelkey, Tom Reed, Gary Sanford, Debbie Schultz, James Smith, Peggy Spindler, Pam Stone, Kathy Tuleston, Lisa Wham, Ron Wilcox, Vicki Willis, Cindy Wise, Mark Wood.

Juniors
Sherry Becker, Martha Botke, Gary Bouts, Murray Brockway, Kristie Cohoon*, Debbie DeBow, Kathy DeLine, Karen Penda, Kathy Esterline, Jane Fowler, Pam Fox, Archie Gibbs, Mike Haley, Dawn Hills, Sue Jackson, Cindy Jaskiewicz, Steve Jenkins, Karen LeMachla, Randy Lakford, Sandy Lewis, Chris McNeilly, Yvonne Mazur, Pam Nettleton, Lynn Ordway, Mary Jo Pierson, Randy Pitts, Roxanne Rice, Linda Rohrbacher, Diann Scott, Pamela Shaw, Sue Shoelitz, Patricia Shultz, Debra Smith, Sue Stevens*, Cathy Stevens, Don Strait, Gall Swan, Robin Tallman, Kathy Taylor, Doreen Theroux*, Valerie Uschak, Jamie VanDyke, Jenny Wisser*, Kent Wolfe, Dale Young, Debra Young.

Sophomores
Randy Berkimer, Steve Chelbina, Chris Corr, Robin Davis, Dianne Dennis, Cathy DaSmith, Pat Ely, Cathy Gubank, Terry Faust, Shelle Finch, Deborah Haynor, Debby Hudson, Tom Jensen, Mike Klaver, Michael Krohn, Brian Post, Jeff Pratt, Anna Reed, Teresa Rhines, Steve Ruble, Sandy Schultz, Paul Simon, Brian Smith, David Steffens, Michael Svendsen, Sue Weston, Debbie White, Brenda Wood, Shelly Ziegler, et al.

MIDDLEBURY NEWS
The Middlebury WCS will meet Tuesday, February 22 at the Church with Ellabeth Putnam, Rita Whitmyer and Esther Semans as hostesses. Cooperative dinner at 12 noon. Thora Austin will be program leader and Margaret Potter will have devotionals.

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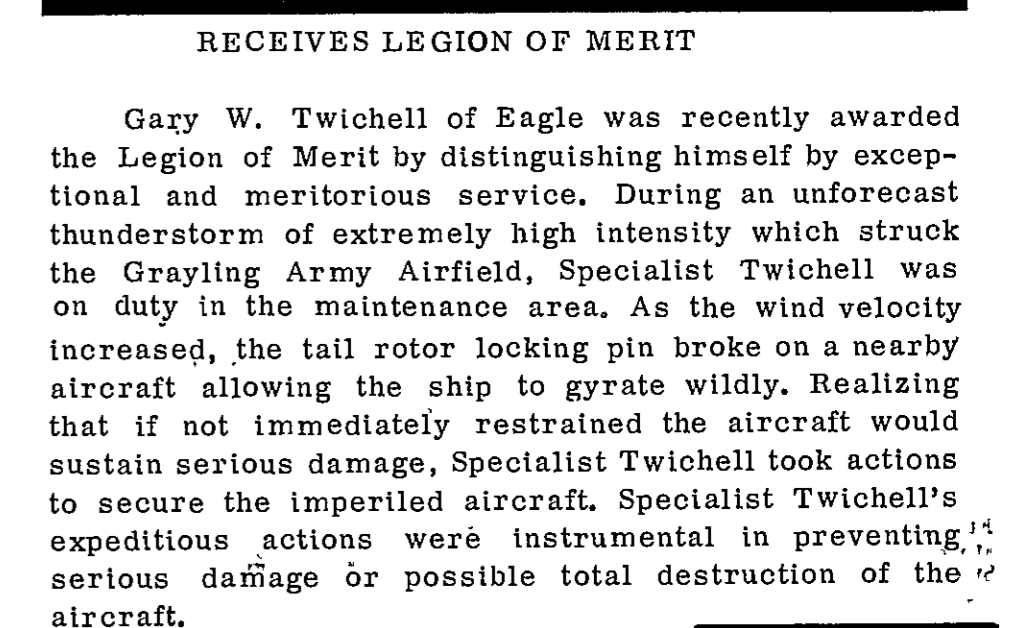
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Gary W. Twichell of Eagle was recently awarded the Legion of Merit by distinguishing himself by exceptional and meritorious service. During an unforecast thunderstorm of extremely high intensity which struck the Grayling Army Airfield, Specialist Twichell was on duty in the maintenance area. As the wind velocity increased, the tail rotor locking pin broke on a nearby aircraft allowing the ship to gyrate wildly. Realizing that if not immediately restrained the aircraft would sustain serious damage, Specialist Twichell took actions to secure the imperiled aircraft. Specialist Twichell's expeditious actions were instrumental in preventing serious damage or possible total destruction of the aircraft.

St. Johns elementary menu

MONDAY, March 6
Chickapoon Steak
Golden Potatoes
Butter Green Beans
Bread
Margarine
Milk
Cookie

TUESDAY, March 7
Cheeseburger
Tater Tots
Rosy Applesauce
Hamburger Bun
Margarine
Milk

WEDNESDAY, March 8
Hot Dog
Tater Tots
Buttered Carrots
Hot Dog Bun
Margarine
Milk
Cookie

THURSDAY, March 9
Salisbury Steak
Mashed Potatoes
Corn, Peas & Carrots
Bread
Margarine
Milk
Cookie

FRIDAY, March 10
Surfcake Pattie
Golden Potatoes
Corn, Peas & Carrots
Hamburger Bun
Margarine
Milk
Cookie

MONDAY, March 13
Spaghetti w/Meatballs
Buttered Green Beans
Applesauce
Bread
Margarine
Milk

TUESDAY, March 14
Chicken on a Stick
Tater Tots
Rosy Applesauce
Bread
Margarine
Milk

WEDNESDAY, March 15
Turkey w/Grey
Mashed Potatoes
Carrots
Bread
Margarine
Milk
Cookie

THURSDAY, March 16
Pizzaburger
French Fries
Buttered Shamrock Corn
Hamburger Bun
Margarine
Milk
Cookie

FRIDAY, March 17
Cheeseburger
Golden Potatoes
Buttered Carrots
Hamburger Bun
Margarine
Milk
Cookie

MONDAY, March 20
John's Original Pizza
French Fries
Applesauce
Margarine
Milk
Cookie

TUESDAY, March 21
Hot Dog w/Baked Beans
Tater Tots
Buttered Carrots
Hot Dog Bun
Margarine
Milk
Cookie

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Real Estate Transfers

From records in office of Register of Deeds)

Feb. 9: Granger, Kenneth L. and Dorothy L. to James and Judith Hepphinstal, Lot 24, Whispering Winds.

Feb. 9: Lake Geneva Land Company to Dean M. and Ardath L. Abbey, Lot 161 Geneva Shores No. 2.

Feb. 9: Price, Kenneth L. and Vernetta E. to Ransom Ahr and Carol H. Briggs, Lot 23, 24, 25, Blk. 1 Avenue Add., St. Johns.

Feb. 9: Doty, Alfred N. and Beatrice L. to Richard N. and Connie M. Smith, Lot 1, Blk. 8, Hutchinson's Add., Maple Rapids.

Feb. 9: Beecher, Thomas W. and Carol L.; Beecher, Geraldine I. to Theodore K. and Betty A. Hallitsky, Lot 6, Blk. 71, St. Johns.

Feb. 10: Kimmel, Lydia Jastram, Gerald E. and Dorothy A.; Koeppen, Gerald D. and Vera L. to Edward L. and Sallie M. Slocum, Property in Sec. 21, Riley.

Feb. 10: Keeler, Frank R. and Elsie M. to Forrest J. and Diane E. Keeler, property in Sec. 10, DeWitt.

Feb. 10: Metzger, Mildred H. to Robert M. and V. Maxine Lorenz, Lot 245 Clinton Village No. 3.

Feb. 11: Coe, Milton L. and Kathleen M. to Benjamin F. and Helen C. Watson, property in Sec. 4, Watertown.

Feb. 11: Lischke, Carroll K. and Irene C. to Robert Carroll and Peggy Lischke, property in Sec. 28, Riley.

Feb. 11: Briggs, Roy F. and Pauline Ahr to Terry L. and Mary E. Foote, Lot 3, 2, Briggs Stoller Sub.

Feb. 14: Fitzpatrick, Leo Gordon and Rosemary Fitzpatrick, property in Sec. 9, Lebanon.

Feb. 14: Kosloski, Adeline to Fred A. and Lottie Mae Zemke, Lot 77 Valley Farms No. 2.

Feb. 14: Lash, Franklin and Wanda F. to Larry T. Schaefer Inc., property in Sec. 36, Olive.

Feb. 14: Hallead, Ralph V. and Alice to Barry and Cathy Hallead, property in Sec. 10, Olive.

Feb. 14: Morris, Jay and Mildred to Glen E. and Doris M. Reagle, property in Sec. 26, Eagle.

Feb. 14: Redmond, Alice E. to Fedewa Builders Inc. property in Sec. 20, Bath.

Feb. 15: Halmhuber, Ethel F. to Claude and Edna Ruth Cummings, Lot 1, Blk. D Stone Add., Ovid.

Feb. 15: Thelen, Jerome J. and Genevieve to Luke R. Thelen, property in Sec. 20, Dallas.

Feb. 15: Dilley, Russell E. and Elsie L. to Terry A. and Kathy J. Walker, Lot 68, Ivycrest No. 3.

Feb. 16: Wade, Franklin V. and Betty to Maureen Jean Flegler and Roger Lee Durbin, Lot 4, Blk 37, St. Johns.

Feb. 16: Clinton National Bank and Trust Co. to Raymond G. and Elma E. Parr, Lot 6, Blk. 6, St. Johns.

Feb. 16: Rey, Robert R. and Dorothy M. to Edward J. Adams, property in Sec. 28, Victor.

Feb. 16: Larry T. Schaefer Inc., to Larry J. and Marlene I. Fitzpatrick, property in Sec. 9, Watertown.

Probate Court

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

WEDNESDAY, March 1, 1972
Paul Minnich, claims.
Herman M. Pline, license to sell real estate.
Fred W. Martens, probate of will.
Donald E. Fairchild, appointment of administrator.
Robert LeValley, probate of will.
Howard E. Sperry, probate of will.

LEGAL NOTICES

License to sell
Michels—March 15
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
HELEN M. MICHELS,
Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 15, 1972, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Alba F. Wert for License to sell real estate of said deceased. Persons interested in said estate are

directed to appear at said hearing to show cause why such license should not be granted.

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

Dated: February 10, 1972.
Robert H. Wood
Attorney for Estate
200 W. State St.
St. Johns, Michigan 42-3

Final Account
McCoy—March 15
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
MINNIE A. MCCOY,
Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 15, 1972, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the Petition of Derrill Shinabery, Successor Administrator, for allowance of his Final Account.

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

Dated: February 7, 1972
Robert H. Wood
Attorney for Estate
200 W. State St.
St. Johns, Michigan 42-3

Will
LeValley—Mar. 1
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
ROBERT M. LEVALLEY,
Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 1, 1972, at 10 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Clinton National Bank & Trust Company for probate of a purported Will, for granting of administration to the executor named, or some other suitable person, and for a determination of heirs.

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

Dated: February 2, 1972
Walker & Moore
By: James A. Moore
Attorney for Estate
115 E. Walker Street
St. Johns, Michigan 43-3

Claims
Arntz—May 3
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
GORDON ARNTZ,
Deceased

It is Ordered that on May 3, 1972, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Elizabeth M. Thelen, Executrix, Route 1, Fowler, Michigan 48835, prior to said hearing.

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

Dated: February 16, 1972
Walker & Moore
By: Jack Walker
Attorney for Estate
115 E. Walker Street
St. Johns, Michigan 41-3

License to sell
Pasch—March 15
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
EDWARD PASCH,
Deceased

It is Ordered that on March 15, 1972, at 11:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Thomas P. Strgar for license to sell real estate of said deceased. Persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing to show cause why such license should not be granted.

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

Dated: February 18, 1972
Kemper, Wells & Lewis
By: William C. Kemper
Attorneys for the Estate
103 East State Street
St. Johns, Michigan 43-3

Final account
Brooke—April 8
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
THURMAN A. BROOKE,
Deceased

It is Ordered that on Thursday, April 8, 1972, 9:30 a.m. in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held upon the Petition of Alice Brooke, Administratrix W/W/A for allowance of her Final Account.

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

Dated: February 18, 1972
Robert H. Wood
Attorney for Estate
200 W. State,
St. Johns, Michigan 43-3

Claims
Hurl—May 10
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
VERN E. HURL, Deceased

It is Ordered that on May 10, 1972, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the Hearing on

Claims, at which all claims against said estate will be heard. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Bernard L. Deyarmond, Sr., 15800 Chandler Road, Bath, Michigan 48808, Executor, prior to said hearing.

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

Dated: February 17, 1972
Warner, Hart & Morgan
Ronald G. Morgan
Attorney for
Bernard L. Deyarmond, Sr.
Lansing, Michigan 43-3

Claims
Thelen—May 10
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
JOHN THELEN,
Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, May 10, 1972, at 9:30 a.m. in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Elizabeth M. Thelen, Executrix, Route 1, Fowler, Michigan 48835, prior to said hearing.

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

Dated: February 16, 1972
Walker & Moore
By: James A. Moore
Attorney for Estate
115 E. Walker Street
St. Johns, Michigan 43-3

Claims
Arntz—May 3
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TIMOTHY M. GREEN
Judge of Probate

Dated: February 16, 1972
Walker & Moore
By: James A. Moore
Attorney for Estate
115 E. Walker Street
St. Johns, Michigan 43-3

Claims
Arntz—May 3
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
GORDON ARNTZ,
Deceased

It is Ordered that on May 3, 1972, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Elizabeth M. Thelen, Executrix, Route 1, Fowler, Michigan 48835, prior to said hearing.

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

Dated: February 16, 1972
Walker & Moore
By: Jack Walker
Attorney for Estate
115 E. Walker Street
St. Johns, Michigan 41-3

License to sell
Pasch—March 15
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
EDWARD PASCH,
Deceased

It is Ordered that on March 15, 1972, at 11:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Thomas P. Strgar for license to sell real estate of said deceased. Persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing to show cause why such license should not be granted.

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

Dated: February 18, 1972
Kemper, Wells & Lewis
By: William C. Kemper
Attorneys for the Estate
103 East State Street
St. Johns, Michigan 43-3

Final account
Brooke—April 8
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
THURMAN A. BROOKE,
Deceased

It is Ordered that on Thursday, April 8, 1972, 9:30 a.m. in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held upon the Petition of Alice Brooke, Administratrix W/W/A for allowance of her Final Account.

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

Dated: February 18, 1972
Robert H. Wood
Attorney for Estate
200 W. State,
St. Johns, Michigan 43-3

Claims
Hurl—May 10
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
VERN E. HURL, Deceased

It is Ordered that on May 10, 1972, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the Hearing on

Hels Klein—March 29
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of
CLARA KLEIN, Deceased

It is Ordered that on March 29, 1972, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Theodora Trierweller for Probate of a purported Will and Codicil, for granting of administration to the executor named, and for a determination of heirs.

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

Dated: February 9, 1972
Kemper, Wells and Lewis
By: Frederick M. Lewis
Attorneys for the Estate
103 East State Street
St. Johns, Michigan 42-3

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Johns, in said County, on the 3rd day of February, A.D. 1972.

PRESENT: Hon Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate.
IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF James Randolph Baker to have his name changed to J.R. Baker.

IT IS ORDERED that the 15th day of March 1972 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon at said Probate Court be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ORDERED that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this ORDER for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Clinton County News newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN
Judge of Probate
A True Copy.
Helena M. Burk
Register of Probate 41-3

NOTICE OF MORTGAGESALE
—Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage executed by DARRAN LEE GRAHAM AND LORETTA M. GRAHAM, his wife to CITIZENS MORTGAGE CORPORATION, a Michigan Corporation dated 20th day of December, 1968, and recorded on 26th day of December, 1968, in Liber 254, Page 631, Clinton County, Michigan Records, which mortgage was assigned by said Mortgagee to FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION, a National Mortgage Association, by assignment dated the 13th day of January, 1969, and recorded on the 17th day of January, 1969, in Liber 264, Page 797, Clinton County, Michigan Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, the sum of THIRTEEN THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED FORTY-ONE AND 26/100 DOLLARS (\$13,941.26).

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

Said premises are situated in the city of DeWitt, Clinton County, Michigan, and are described as follows:
The North 11 feet of Lot 35 and the South 59 feet of Lot 36 of Evelyn Cutler Replat of Lots 21 and 22 of Viewcrest River Addition to the Village of DeWitt on the South fraction of the NW 1/4 of Section 8, and replat of part of Outlot G, Assessor's Plat of Village of DeWitt, Town 5 North, Range 2 West, now City of DeWitt, Clinton County, Michigan.

The length of the period of redemption from such sale will be 6 months.
Dated: December 28, 1971
FIRST SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF JERSEY CITY, N.J.
Assignee of Mortgage
SHAHEEN & SHAHEEN
By: Joseph Shaheen
Attorney,
2526 Guardian Building,
Detroit, Michigan 48226 36-13

NOTICE OF MORTGAGESALE
—Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage executed by the City of Detroit, Michigan, on October 1, 1963, between Arlo Thrush and Elizabeth Thrush, husband and wife, Mortgagees, and CAPITOL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION, Mortgagee, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan on October 7, 1963, in Liber 238 of Mortgages, pages 411 and 412, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice for principal and interest, the sum of Four Thousand Two Hundred Seventy-eight and 00/100 (\$4,278.00) Dollars and an attorney fee of Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars allowed by law, as provided in said Mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

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

Commencing at a point on the West side of Section 3 which is North 815 feet of the SW corner of the NW 1/4 of said Section 3, T9N, R3W, Watertown Town-

ship, Clinton County, Michigan; thence N 174 feet on the West side of Section 3; thence E 330 feet; thence S 174 feet parallel to the West side of Section 3; thence W 330 feet to the place of beginning. Subject to easements and restrictions of record. The length of the redemption period as provided by law is one (1) year from the time of sale.

CAPITOL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION
Dated: January 20, 1972
Cummings, Butler & Thorburn
301 Capitol Savings & Loan Bldg.
Lansing, Michigan 48933
Attorneys for Mortgagee 36-13

Will
Pearson—Mar. 15
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
DELIA ETHEL PEARSON
Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 15, 1972, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Pauline May for probate of a purported will, that administration be granted to William May, and for determination of heirs.

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

Dated: Feb. 3, 1972
Daniel C. Matson
Attorney for Estate
122 East Washington Street
DeWitt, Michigan 41-3

Final Account
Fenby—March 15
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
GLADYS R. FENBY,
Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 15, 1972, at 11:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Robert Fenby, Administrator, for the allowance of his final account.

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

Dated: Feb. 4, 1972
Robert Fenby
Lansing, Michigan 41-3

Will
Novak—Mar. 18
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
ANNA NOVAK, Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 15, 1972, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the Petition of Elma Klockzlem for probate of a purported will, and for granting of administration to the executor named, or some other suitable person and for determination of heirs.

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

Dated: February 1, 1972
Robert H. Wood
Attorney for Estate
200 W. State St.
St. Johns, Michigan 41-3

TIMOTHY M. GREEN
Judge of Probate
Dated: February 2, 1972
Kemper, Wells & Lewis
By: William C. Kemper
Attorneys for the Estate
103 East State Street
St. Johns, Michigan 41-3

Final Account
White—March 15
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
BESSIE E. WHITE, Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 15, 1972, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the Petition of Verl Schwartz, Executor, for allowance of his Final Account and for assignment of residue.

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

Dated: February 4, 1972
Arnold & Arnold
By: Jack T. Arnold
Attorney for the Estate
100 East Center Street
Ithaca, Michigan 41-3

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

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

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Assignee of Mortgage
SHAHEEN & SHAHEEN
By: Joseph Shaheen
Attorney,
2526 Guardian Building,
Detroit, Michigan 48226 36-13

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Will
Pearson—Mar. 15
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton
Estate of
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Deceased

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TIMOTHY M. GREEN
Judge of Probate

Dated: Feb. 3, 19

Area Bowling

NIGHT HAWK
Feb. 8 W L

Dunkle's	44	25
Zeeb's	43	26
Roadhouse	41	28
Legion	39 1/2	29 1/2
Beck's	39	30
Randolph's	36	33
Coca Cola	35	34
Farm Bureau	32	37
Paul's	31 1/2	37 1/2
Rupp	31 1/2	37 1/2
Hettler's	21 1/2	47 1/2
Egg Station	20	49

High game individual - Sean Meyers, 220 with a 571 series. High game team - Roadhouse, 919 with a 2599 series. 200 games - S. Meyers, 205; P. Bishop, 209; J. Lundy, 201; M. Rademacher, 200.

THE GOODTIMERS
Feb. 6 W L

Top Cats	55	33
Balls & Chains	50	38
Happy Hustlers	49 1/2	38 1/2
Jolly Jesters	49 1/2	38 1/2
Polecats	45	43
Fearless Four	42	46
Kool Kats	41	47
Dreamers	41	47
Merry Mixers	40 1/2	47 1/2
Hepcats	40	48
Humdingers	37 1/2	50 1/2
Penney's Paint	37	51

High game individual - Julia Silvestri, 201 with a 548 series; Ted Silvestri, 211 with a 576 series. High team game - Balls & Chains 641. High series team - Penney's Paint, 200 games - J. Craig, 201; L. Floate, 204.

TUESDAY TEATIME
LEAGUE
Feb. 8 W L

Paradise's	21	3
Redwing Lanes	16	8
Aloha Drive-In	16	8
Gratiot Farmers	13	11
Val's Pizzeria	13	11
Clinton Mach.	13	11
St. Johns Furn.	11	13
Go-Getters	10	14
Central National	9	15
Furman-Day	8	16
Art's Refinery	7	17
Randolph's	7	17

High game individual - Marge Higgins, 223 with a 550 series. High game team - St. Johns Furniturg, 844

with a 2476 series. Splits converted - L. Urbanlak, 5-6; L. Tiedt, 5-6; J. Shepard, 5-7-9; Iya Kees, 5-10; L. Clark, 5-7; D. Hopp, 5-7; M. Boettger, 5-7; D. Pung, 3-10; H. Dinkel, 3-10; A. Walker, 2-7; J. Woodhams, 6-7.

TEN PIN KEGLERS
Feb. 9 W L

Ludwick's	18	6
Parr's	17	7
Roadhouse	16	8
Hallenbeck's	15	9
McKenzie's	14	10

American Legion
Julie K. 12 12
Hub Tire 11 13
Martin's 9 15
Masarik's 9 15
Allaby & Brewbaker 7 17
Clinton National 6 18

High game individual - Harriet Cornwell, 202. High series individual - Kay Penix, 535. High game team - Schmitt Electric, 870. High series team - American Legion and Masarik's Shell, 2444. Other 500 games - D. King, 524; D. Hopp, 512; J. Henning, 501. Other 200 games - Kay Penix, 201. Splits converted - E. Kuhns, 5-7; A. Helbeck, 2-7; E. Bell, 2-7.

NITE OWLS
Feb. 10 W L

F. C. Mason's	22	2
Kurt's	14	10
Cent. Mich. Lumber	14	10
Rivard's	14	10
St. Johns Co-op	13	11
Beck's	13	11
Gen. Tel.	12	12
Wheel Inn	10	14
Schwans	9	15
Foobars	8	16
Smith-Douglas	8	16
Gutter Dusters	7	17

High individual game - Hazel Pearson, 209. High series individual - Lela Clark, 535. High game team - F. C. Mason, 867 with a 2513 series. Other 500 games - S. Spencer, 519; J. Heathman, 506. Conversions - J. Smit, 5-6-10; P. Munger, 4-7-10; B. Knight 3-10; C. Rhynard, 5-7; M. Parker, 4-7-9.

COMMERCIAL
Jan. 25 W L

Daley's	40	23
Schmitt's	39	24
Jim's Ins.	38	25
Demmer's	37	26
Redwing Lanes	37	26
Bruno's	35	28
Galloway's	35	28
Rehmann's	34	29
Sprite	32	31
McKenzie's	27	36
Aloha	12	51
Style-Master	12	51

High game individual - K. Penix, 232. High series individual - T. Martin, 609. High game team - Schmitt's, 935 with a 2637 series. 200 games - K. Penix, 205; T. Martin, 221, 206; J. Boyce, 218; A. Thelen, 205; L. Kuhns 205; E. Feldpausch, 204; L. Childress, 221.

COMMERCIAL
Feb. 1 W L

Schmitt's	42	24
Demmer's	40	26
Daley's	40	26
Jim's	38	28
Redwing Lanes	38	28
Bruno's	38	28
Galloway's	37	29
Rehmann's	37	29
Sprite	33	33
McKenzie's	29	37
Aloha	12	54
Style-Master	12	54

High game individual - Keith Barrett, 255 with a 650 series. High game team - Demmer's, 982 with a 2864 series. 200 games - M. Ludwick, 205; K. Barrett, 255. R. Myers, 216; R. G. Becker, 200; M. Durbin, 201; E. Feldpausch, 203; W. Dush, 214; L. Neiler, 233; T. Bulard, 211; D. Urban, 202, 226; R. Dunkle, 202; A. Tiedt 204, 210; A. Thelen, 222; G. Dunkle, 203, 201; L. Kuhns 211; R. Kentfield, 206; C. Watson, 211; D. Cornwell, 201.

COMMERCIAL
Feb. 8 W L

Schmitt's	44	25
Demmer's	42	27
Daley's	41	28
Jim's	41	28
Redwing Lanes	40	29
Bruno's	39	30
Galloway's	38	31
Rehmann's	38	31
Sprite	34	35
McKenzie's	31	38

Style-Master	14	55
Aloha	12	57

High game individual - Gene Dunkle, 232. High series individual - Bob Boettger, 588. High game team - Jim's Ins., 943 with a 2634 series. 200 games - K. Barrett, 206; R. Kentfield, 204; L. Childress, 223; D. Cornwell, 216; R. Dunkle, 202; B. Boettger, 225; R. Heathman, 204; D. Bashore, 201; J. Spousta, 206.

REDWINGS
Feb. 11 W L

WPA	53	31
Jale's	48 1/2	35 1/2
MP's	47	37
Nite Hawks	47	37
Fearsome 4	45	39
Sandbaggers	43 1/2	40 1/2
Honeymooners	42	42
Sunshine Group	39 1/2	44 1/2
Ten Pins	36 1/2	47 1/2
King Pins	35	49
Shannon & Davis	34	50
Four Aces	33	51

High game individual - Glen Pearson, 229. High series individual - Bernie Wawczyk, 582; Hazel Pearson, 570. High game team - WPA, 705 with a 2042 series.

North Bengal

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beckhorn of Ionia were callers on Wednesday evening, Feb. 9 of Mr. and Mrs. William Ernst.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Pasch attended a neighborhood card party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Feldpausch on Saturday evening, Feb. 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Noller of rural Hubbardston visited Mr. and Mrs. William Ernst on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 10.

On Wednesday, Feb. 9, Rev. and Mrs. H. E. Rossow and Mrs. Herman Rossow visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rossow and baby, Justin of Flint. Mrs. H. E. Rossow remained to spend several days with her son and family.

Mrs. William Ernst and Maxine called on Mrs. Edward Moritz, Mrs. Herman Taege and Mrs. Pearl Sillman at the Jackson Nursing home at St. Johns on Sunday afternoon, Feb. 13.

Ovid

The annual meeting of the United Church was held on Thursday evening, Feb. 3 at the Main Street Building with a potluck supper.

Rev. William Wiltse of Mt. Pleasant, district superintendent of the United Methodist Church was the first speaker. He said laymen were much more active than a year ago and young people were more evident in his trips around the district. He recommended the book "Listening to the Church" by Virgil Saxton which is a survey of what young people think of the church.

Dr. Dwayne Vore, head of the State United Church of Christ was the second speaker. He said not all of us work at the same time nor in the same way but we all try to do the will of God. Christians together are not necessarily stereotypes and he said "I don't always agree with you but I can work with you."

Rev. Walter Kargus finished the evening's program by telling the goals and strategies for the coming year. He also mentioned the pageant during Holy Week and several weeks of Bible study during March.

During the business meeting the following officers were elected: Chairman of the Official Board, Cyril Tremblay; Vice-Chairman, Richard DePond; Treasurer, Doris Crawford; Financial Secretary, Josephine Smith; Church School Superintendent, Vera Tremblay.

The Commission on Education, Beverly Kargus, Joanne Wiegell, Bonna Austin, Janet McCreery, Ena Baker, Diane Hill, Janet Herblet. Commission on Music and Worship, Carol Bashore, Dorothy Yerrick, Janet Bates, Kathy Conner, Bud Casler, Marie Elliott, Edna Whittemore, Doris Martin, Mary Ridsdale and Sonja Page.

Pastoral Relations Commission, Robert Beach, Mitch Das, Ken Parmenter and Audrey Bancroft. Commission on Mission,

Doris Darling, Ann Das, Ethel Conn, Alice Sherwin, Edna Austin, Helen Richards, Esther Wilson and Vivian Wyrick.

Social Concerns, Audrey Bancroft, Jerry Herblet, Luella Canfield, Marie DePond, Bill Case, Marge Parmenter, Jerry Ross, Charles Bracey and Dave Hill.

Membership and Evangelism, Kathleen Sterba, Lena Trowbridge, Peggy Shaver, Kathy Huss, Vada Stedmen, Eleanor Ackley, Stewardship and Finance, Harold Beardslee, Clare Crawford, John Baker, Lyle Yerrick, Rena Mack, Clifford Squier, Bob Parmenter and Larry Bashore. Board of Trustees, David Houghton, Harold Beardslee, Harry Mathiers, George Austin, Jack Bates, Ellis Watson, Bruce Wiegell, Robert Shipley, John Maron and Dorothy Sauber (Communion).

Building and Grounds, Dale Bancroft, Hans Bossel, Felix Ridsdale, Bill Serviss, Raymond Page, Harold Green, Warner Briggs, Larry Bakke, Porter Martin, Ken Parmenter and Harold Frisbie.

Memorial Committee, Joan Eastlick, Barbara Willett, Rosemary Valko, Betty Jones and Essie Frisbie.

Communion Stewards - Josephine Jackson, Jane Beach, Norma Ross and Diane Attenberger.

Ushering and reception - Clifford Squier, Albert Ackley, Bernon Willett, Mitch Das, Leroy Maurer, Bob Parmenter and Dale Willett. Receptionists are Betty Jones and Beverly Bovan.

Wacousta

Mrs. Edward Kraft - 626-6944

Raymond Jessup a former resident here passed away the past week at his home in California following a long illness.

Mrs. Luella Deering of St. Ignace is spending some time with Mrs. Myrl Stoll.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Doyle and daughter of Lansing were Wednesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Hodges.

Dewitt Township Board Minutes

Synopsis of the Regular Board meeting of the DeWitt Township Board held on Feb. 14, 1972 at DeWitt Township Hall, 780 E. Wieland Road, Lansing, Michigan.

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor King at 8:01 p.m.

Board members present: Powell, Johns, Purves, King, Syverson, Zeeb and Pline.

The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Approved the minutes of the Regular Board meeting of January 10, 1972 as mailed. Communications were read.

Fire Committee minutes and Chief Fancher's report were given by Purves. Approved reimbursing Hobson for his glasses that were lost in a fire.

Planning Commission minutes were given by Johns. Approved transfer of \$4,000 from the General Fund to get a Future Land Use Study started. Voted to recommend approval of rezoning from B-1 to B-2 for the parcel located on State Road owned by Horvath.

Chief Angell's report and the minutes of the Police Committee were given by Pline. Bids were opened and accepted for marking the patrol car. There was a discussion by the audience as to whether the patrol car should be marked.

Transportation report was given by Powell. There will be a Transportation meeting Wednesday night.

Reconsidered the resolution of Phase II of the sewer system. This was adopted with the vote of yes 5 and no 2.

Tabled any action on CAPACOG.

Wyble recommended that the Township wait to adopt an Ordinance about Topless Dancing until after decision of the court case in Detroit. There was a discussion about the North-side Drive-In Theater. Liquor license renewal objections will be on the agenda next month.

Tabled any action on the application of Ralph Lenti for a new full year Class C liquor license.

Adopted a resolution to sign a pole license agreement with Consumers Power Co.

Accepted Lars Syverson's resignation from the Police Committee.

Voted to have the Supervisor check with the State Plumbing Board about Duane Cross being hooked into the sewer system without a permit. Also voted to have the Supervisor contact Hammell concerning enforcement of the six months to hook into the sewer system.

Adopted proposed budgets for the Cemetery, Planning Commission, Fire and Police Funds. The General Fund Budget was not presented.

Approved \$500.00 for park maintenance.

Powell suggested that two things should be considered at Annual meeting on April 1. First would be the Supervisor's salary if he were not a certified assessor and second would be a manager for the sewer system. The Supervisor should check with MTA how other Townships are hiring their assessors.

The Clerk should check about hospitalization for Township employees.

Resolution to put Charter Township on the ballot will be on the agenda next month.

Approved all Vouchers. A general discussion took place.

Adjournment at 11:45 p.m. Respectfully submitted, DONNA B. SYVERSON, DeWitt Township Clerk

Approved: MILTON J. KING, Supervisor

PEWAMO NEWS

Mrs. Charles Cook returned home Monday after spending two and a half weeks with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Knoll and family at L'Anse.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Fox and Arnold Hattis were visitors at the Ionia Manor Friday afternoon.

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4-H CHATTER



Teen leader weekend

4-H Teen Leaders from Clinton, Gratiot and Shawassee counties will have the opportunity to attend the 4-H Teen Leader Weekend Feb. 26-27 at the Casino in Corunna.

Registration begins at 9:30 Feb. 26 and the program will finish by 1 p.m. on Feb. 27. The quota for each county is 25 members and cost is \$5 each. Reservations are

due by Feb. 18. Members will need to bring their own sleeping bag or cot, clothes, personal items, ice skates and musical instruments if any. Reservations and money should be sent to the County Extension Office, 1003 S. Oakland, St. Johns.

A LETTER HAS been received from Mr. E. M. Welch, 4-H Officer of Grenada, West Indies, thanking Clinton County 4-H Teen Leaders, Country Cousins 4-H Klub, Happy Hustlers 4-H Club for the \$150 donated to the Grenada 4-H program. They have set up sister 4-H Clubs matching their St. Patrick's 4-H Club with our Jolly Knitters Club and their LaFayette and Crochu 4-H Clubs with our Country Cousins 4-H Klub, Mr. Jim Marrast, who was in Clinton County last fall, will keep in close touch with these groups as they fall within his district. The clubs should receive a letter from the leaders in the Grenada 4-H Clubs soon.

MICHIGAN STATE hosts the third Intercollegiate Rodeo on Feb. 25-27 at the Livestock Pavilion at MSU

campus in East Lansing. The MSU rodeo team will be joined by college teams from Kansas State, Wisconsin State, Iowa State, Black Hills State and several other colleges. This will be an excellent chance for Michigan youth to learn about the growing sport of rodeo. The cost of each performance (Feb. 25, 8 p.m.; Feb. 26, 1 p.m. and 8 p.m.; and Feb. 27, 2 p.m.) is \$2. Tickets may be secured from the MSU Rodeo Club, Miss Jeanette Hogarth, 454 W. Wilson, MSU, East Lansing, Mich. 48823.

THE CLINTON County 4-H horse judging team members held their second workout Wednesday evening with 13 members present. Mrs. Judith Williamson of DeWitt reviewed a number of horse classes and reasons with the members, what to expect at the state contest and stressed terms to be used in judging. The members participated in the Ingham County session Feb. 12 at the Tambark Stables on Shaftsbury Road. The team's next practice will be Feb. 16, 7 p.m. at Joyce Hoover's near DeWitt.

THE FOLLOWING Clinton County 4-H Clubs have reservations for the 4-H Roller Skating Activity Thursday, Feb. 17, 7-10 p.m. at the Ranch Roller Rink in St. Johns: Olive 4-H Projects, Knit 'n' Stitch, Prairie Swinging' Bingham's, Termite's, Lucky Riders, 4-H Wonders, French's Corners, County Farm Cut-Ups, Countryside, Maple River Craftsmen, Double M, and Victor 4-H.

THE EAR FLOPPERS 4-H Dog Club had three members representing the club at "Leader Dog" night at the Meridian Mall east of Lansing. The members demonstrated with their dogs and what they were doing to train the dogs for the Leader Dog School For The Blind. Other members of the club attended as a group to watch the program. There was a blind man and his dog there, also, from the Leader Dog School at Rochester who demonstrated his dog. Also he picked a person from the audience to lead his dog around so people could see what it would be like to be blind. The club leaders, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Robertson, met with the County Commissioners to get 4-H members with leader dog projects exempt from purchasing dog licenses. THE DOUBLE M 4-H Horse Club members met to make plans for the year. These plans include 4-H roller skating in February and April, attend the MSU Block & Bridle Show on April 1 as a group, have three trail rides this year, sell candy as a money making project as a winter project and have Mrs. McFadden speak at their February meeting.

THE JOLLY KNITTERS 4-H members voted to have an Open House on Sunday, March 12, 1:30 - 3:30 p.m. at the Robert Tait home on Price Road. Mrs. Luella Canfield of the Mid-Michigan Health Department was the guest speaker for the meeting. Mrs. Canfield spoke on the topic, "Health, What is it?" Demonstrations were given by Jennifer Rowe on "How to Make Tassels"; Charles Tait on "How to Make Popcorn Stitches"; and Julie Tait on "How to Carry Yarn." Officers of the County Farm Cut-Ups 4-H Club were guests at this meeting.

THE OLIVE 4-H Projects members heard reports from Colleen Wood on her 4-H trip to Chicago and Debbie Price on her 4-H trip to Traverse City Snow Camp. The members will go roller skating at St. Johns on Thursday, Feb. 17.

THE TRAIL BREAKERS 4-H horse club discussed



Mrs. Charles Hazle of St. Johns, second from right, was elected vice-president of the state 4-H Youth Council for 1972. Shown with her are Eugene Schmidt, left, of Mendon, president; Mrs. Agnes Curtiss of Blanchard, secretary; Mrs. Kenneth Cranmer of Grand Rapids, executive committee member; and Lansing Gilbert of Hastings, executive committee member.

Mrs. Hazle elected 4H Council VP

their ice skating party held Feb. 4. Ellen Hundt reported on the "Arabian and Half Arabian Horse." The members voted to attend the MSU Block & Bridle Show on April 1 as a club. Plans were made to visit the Harold Howard Quarter Horse Farm in the near future. The club will have three entries in the county 4-H Poster Contest.

EAST LANSING - Mrs. Charles Hazle, St. Johns, was recently elected vice president of the State 4-H Youth Council for 1972. The state council, composed of leaders representing each of 31 extension areas throughout the state, meet with the state 4-H professional staff twice each year to help plan the Michigan 4-H program. At the February meeting plans were finalized for Leader-mate, an inspirational leader training conference held at Michigan State University each spring.

Mrs. Hazle, a local 4-H leader, represents Clinton, Gratiot and Shawassee counties on the council.

Middlebury

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Ryon of Grand Rapids and Mrs. and Mrs. Clare Ryon and Sally of Bay City were recent weekend guests of their mother, Mrs. Nina Ryon. The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Middlebury United Methodist Church met recently in the dining room of the church with Gladys Warren and Frieda Warren as hostesses for the cooperative dinner which preceded the meeting. The program, "A Call to Prayer and Self-Denial" was presented by Ilfen VanDyne with other members taking part.

The business session opened with prayer by Letha Furnish as acting chairman. Routine reports were read and accepted. Thank-yous were read from Rev. Ferris, Florence Thornburg with a donation, Nina Ryon. Also a letter, was read from Helen Hubbard, Margaret Potter reported that Pleasant View would like bids and lightweight laprobes. They also need old nylon hose. A motion was made that the members make these items and have them ready by the next meeting.

East Victor

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jeffers of Livonia spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Perkins. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Ketchum and sons of Wacousta were recent callers of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ketchum and also called on his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Ketchum and family. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mathena and family of Portage, Ind. were recent guests of her brother Mr. and Mrs. Orval White. They were called here by the death of her father, Ray White of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Morrill and son of Caro, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Morrill and family and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Morrill of Lalsburg and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Barrett were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Morrill. The occasion was in honor of Mrs. Morrill's mother, Mrs. Barrett's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ketchum spent Saturday evening with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Whitney of Round Lake.

Of every ten acres of corn grown today, 8.8 acres are grown for grain, and 1.2 are chopped for silage.



Elsie

MRS. NEVA KEYS Ph. 862-4301

Worthy Matron Mrs. Robert Baker presided at the regular chapter meeting Thursday evening at the Masonic Hall.

Mrs. Baker opened with a silent prayer by all for the late William G. Ferris of Bannister, who had been a member of the Elsie Masonic Lodge and Order of Eastern Star for over 40 years. He was a past master of the Lodge Serving in 1931, and a past patron of OES from 1932 to 1934.

There were several letters and thank-you notes from members who have been hospitalized or home-bound by illness.

Among them were Vera Teare, who recently underwent eye surgery in Florida, went eye surgery in Florida, Mrs. Mary Randall of Bradenton, Fla, Mrs. Leafy Garrett of Milford who sustained injuries in a fall and Mrs. Ida Stanley, Mrs. Gladys Purves, Mrs. Mae Goodrich and the family of the late Stanley Loznak. Mrs. Lella Wilson and Mrs. Anna Dunay reported a visit to the Carson City Hospital to see Mrs. Goodrich who was taken there last week for treatment.

A joint letter from WGM Florence Adair and WGP Cleland Russell was read and expressed their thanks for the fine way the Michigan Chapters have responded to the Fraternal Sunshine Project of the Grand Chapter. Mrs. Lella Wilson plans to visit the Masonic Home and Hospital in Alma Wednesday with the Grand Family of which she is Chairman of the Fraternal Sunshine Grand Committee. She will help distribute decorated bars of soap to each resident in the Home. Mrs. Archie J. Moore decorated the soap sent from the local chapter and most Chapters cooperated in their share. Various social events were announced for the month: Feb. 15, Friends' Night at Wacousta to honor Clinton County Association OES officers; Feb. 15, dinner and reception at St. Charles, honoring Robert Bondi, Special Grand Committee Chairman of Masonic Relations which will be attended by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baker, Mrs. Lella Wilson and Mrs. Anna Dunay representing Elsie Chapter Feb. 16, Arbutus Chapter Lansing, honoring the Grand Family; Feb. 18, Swa Creek, dinner and reception honoring Austin VanNeswick, 2nd vice-president of the Genesee County Association OES and also Friends' Night.

Other dates of importance being planned are March 14, Elsie Chapter will honor Mrs. Lella Wilson of the local chapter and host the Grand Family with reception, dinner and exemption of initiatory degrees; March 17, Myrtle Chapter will host the Grand Family at Ithaca; April 22, Elsie Friends' Night; and April 30 Estar Vesper Service for the six Clinton County chapters at Wacousta. Mrs. Isolda Irving, Mrs. Rosemary Moore, Mrs. Elisabeth Levey, Mrs. Anne Pray and Miss Era Vincent were in charge of the evening's social hour following the regular business session. Scattered Valentines decorated the long table while a smaller serving table featured two heart-shaped cakes decorated in red and white with "Happy Valentine" inscribed on the tops. Tall lighted red candles were placed at the sides of the cake together with bowls of nuts and mints.

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In Wells Hall, the agricultural economics department display will feature an audio-visual presentation describing important research and extension work in rural development, state and local government, farm management, international development, rural manpower and public affairs.

Electric power exhibits located in Room 102 Agricultural Engineering Building will feature new equipment for labor saving, convenience, comfort and safety.

Families will be interested in exhibits on historic costumes, art, packaging ecology, food buying, home design layouts and space age technology. All will be open to the public from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Tuesday through Thursday.

Livestock displays will feature beef cattle, swine, sheep, horses and rabbits.

Visitors will find many additional attractions listed in the official Farmers' Week program which will be available on campus during the event.

County Line News

By Mrs. Doris Fisher

Salem United Methodist WSCS will meet for a 12:30 p.m. luncheon Feb. 17 at the home of Mrs. Claribel Nieman. Bring a sandwich. Business meeting will follow. Mrs. Eileen Gillespie is co-hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Gill Baker visited Mr. and Mrs. William Burnham of Pompeii Thursday evening.

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

Labels a must



By LORRAINE SPRAGUE
Extension Home Economist

Effective July 3, 1972 is a new Federal Trade Commission ruling which is of tremendous importance to consumers. On that date, all garments and hosiery, both those made in the United States and those imported, will carry permanent labels regarding care of the article. This will include information concerning washing, drying, dry cleaning, etc. Also included on the labels must be warnings against any ordinary refurbishing methods which would "substantially diminish the ordinary use and enjoyment" of the garment.

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By Mrs. Irene Fox

Friday afternoon visitors of Mrs. Bertha Martin were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Simon of Fowler, Mrs. Ann Bower and Mrs. Pauline Cook. Cards furnished the entertainment.

Mrs. Barbara Alexander spent the weekend Feb. 5 through Feb. 8 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mary Albers of St. Johns.

Mrs. Leone Hillbrandt was admitted at the Carson City Hospital Thursday Feb. 10 as a medical patient. She is still a patient as of Monday, Feb. 14.

Thum completes dealer course



E. J. THUM

DETROIT—E. J. Thum, the new Standard Oil dealer at M-21 and US-27 in St. Johns, has received a diploma from the oil industry's most comprehensive course in service station operation.

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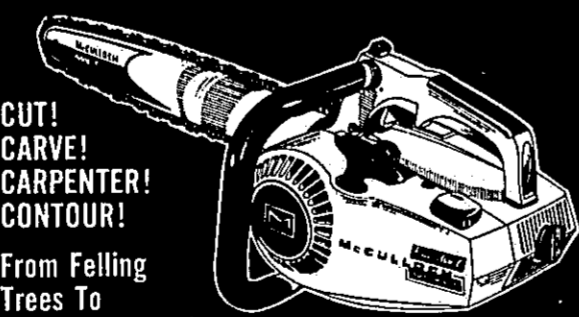
Beginning the course January 10, Thum was schooled in all phases of service station operation and care of customers' automobiles. Especially stressed were maintenance of a clean, attractive station, management of money, manpower and materials, and knowledge of Standard's broad line of quality products.

Since American Oil was the first company to begin a nationwide distribution program of a pollution-fighting fuel, Lead Free Amoco, the dealer training course now includes comprehensive training on the benefits the new product gives the motorist.

Thum attended Ithaca public schools and has spent the past seven years as a diemaker at the Oldsmobile plant in Lansing.

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Howard, who resides at R-3, St. Johns, has been employed at S and H Farms for 11 years. He has extensive background in farming and mechanics.

Wacousta

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Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Brandell are the proud grandparents of twins, a daughter and a son born to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brandell of Lansing Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kraft called on Faye Walker of Sunfield Sunday.

Mrs. Ivan Bancroft and Mrs. Louis Koepen were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Koepen and family near Maple Rapids. They all attended a basketball game in Maple Rapids later in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Burnett spent the weekend with their sister, Linda and hubby in Big Rapids.

W.S.C.S. will meet Wednesday noon at the Wacousta Community United Methodist Church for lunch and meeting.

The WXYZ Club spent Friday afternoon at Lansing

Fowler

By Miss Cecilia Thelen
Phone 593-2613

The community wishes to express their sympathy to the Frank Wieber family and relatives and friends for the death of their mother, Mrs. Rose Wieber.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Goerge and family were given a surprise farewell party Friday evening by their neighbors. Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Goerge have sold their farm and will move to Fowler in the near future. They will reside on Elm St.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Thelen attended the K of C banquet at Westphalia Saturday evening.

Bannister

The annual Birthday Supper was held Monday evening at the Bannister United Methodist Church with approximately 70 persons in attendance. A bountiful potluck supper was served with beautifully decorated cakes as centerpieces for each table. Each cake was decorated to represent two months of the year. Judges Mrs. Robert Valentine, Walter Miller and David Green gave first prize to Mrs. Ray Peck for her cake decorated in the shape of Michigan with several points of interest throughout the state. Second prize when to Lillian Terrell for her Easter bonnet cake. Other prizes went to Mrs. John Schlarf, Mrs. Ken Swanson, Mrs. Raymond Stewart and Mrs. William Cox. The program was presented by the young people of the church. It was a take-off on the Laugh-in program and was enjoyed by all. Mrs. Walter Miller and Mrs. David Green were in charge of the evening.

The Senior and Junior United Methodist Youth Fellowship met Sunday evening for a special meeting to make posters and plan the bake sale to be held Saturday, Feb. 12 at Hofferbert's in Bannister and the Pizza Bake to be held at the church on February 19. Refreshments were served by Cathy Ensign and Anne Glowney.

Kincaid District

Mrs. Porter C. Parks

Mrs. Donovan Henning of DeWitt visited Mr. and Mrs. Eldoris Hahn and daughter Sunday afternoon.

Roger Balmer retired from Oldsmobile after 37 years of service in December.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Witt and Judy of DeWitt visited Clare Witt Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Dickinson visited Mr. and Mrs. John Dickinson and family of Williamston, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Potts and son visited Mrs. Rose Potts of Lansing, Friday night.

Mrs. William Fosnight of Lansing was a dinner guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Lang.

Mrs. Dell Schmidtman and boys visited Mrs. Harvey Hoerner and daughters, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sanchez of Lansing visited Mrs. Ed Fuhr, Wednesday.

Mrs. Marion Lynde and children of Lansing visited Mrs. Ed Fuhr last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Pyle and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pyle of St. Johns were Thursday night supper guests and spent the evening with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scarborough of DeWitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Potts and Mike were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Potts of Holt.

Russ Sullivan spent Wednesday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sullivan and family.

Mrs. Harold Hoerner was a Thursday night supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Potts and Mike.

Stuart Hardenburg visited Mrs. Harold Hoerner Friday afternoon.

Friday night, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hoerner and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Potts and Mike were guests of Mrs. Harold Hoerner at the Wacousta fish fry.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jenks Jr. and Billy of Lansing visited Mr. and Mrs. Porter Parks, Sunday.

Mrs. Grace Sullivan, Mrs. Raymond Sherman and Kevin attended a stork shower for Mrs. Sharon Schneider at the Gerald Pontius home, Thursday morning.

August Solid of Grand Ledge visited Garry Sullivan Sunday.

Kris Parks visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Schavey Friday evening and Saturday.

AGRICULTURE in ACTION

Once again attempts are being made to suck the United States into international commodity agreements in spite of the complete failure of these schemes.

An official of the European Common Market, Pierre Malve, the Common Market's economic counselor, Washington D.C., says that such agreements are the only way that the Common Market and the U.S. could settle their many agricultural trade differences.

Malve proposes a series of international farm commodity pacts on a number of products ranging from grains to dairy products. He suggests price floors, limits on national price supports, indirect production controls and export subsidies.

Too many U.S. farmers

remember the disastrous effects of the 1967 International Wheat Agreement which contributed to a drop in exports and saw July wheat futures plunge to a 28-year low of \$1.26 per bushel in June, 1968, on the Chicago Board of Trade.

It also will be remembered that many of the European signers of the Wheat Agreement failed to abide by the minimum price schedule and in July, 1969, the agreement for all practical purposes was in a state of total collapse.

When the 1967 agreement expired on June 30, 1971, a new International Wheat Agreement was signed by the U.S. and other participating governments, but it did not contain minimum and maximum prices, nor other price provisions.

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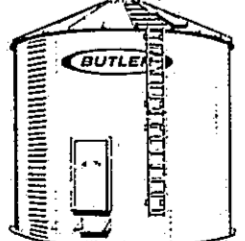
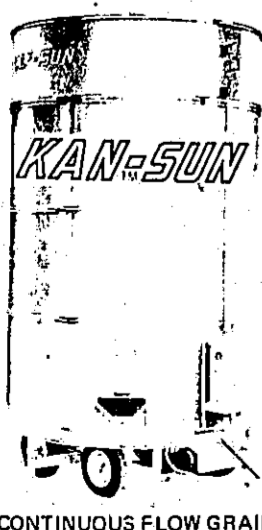
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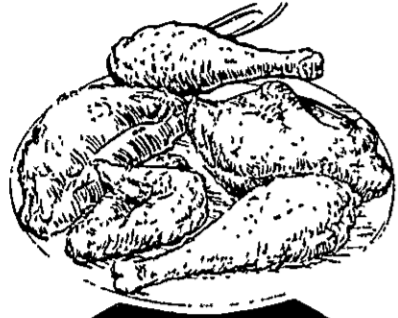


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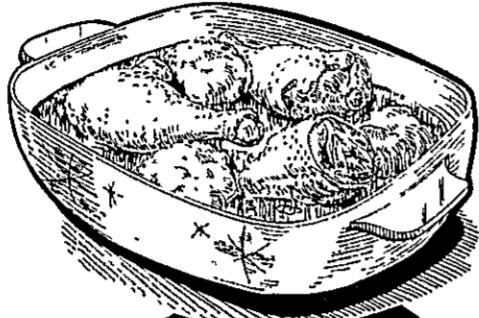
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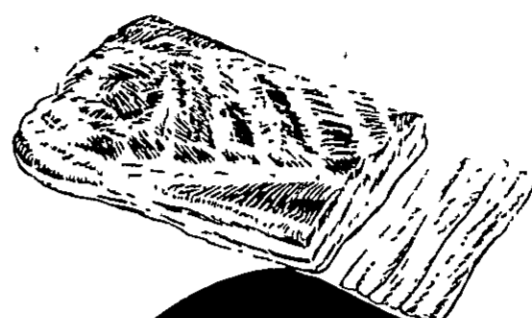
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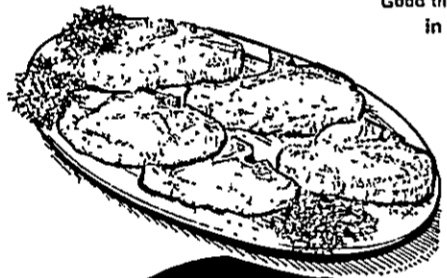
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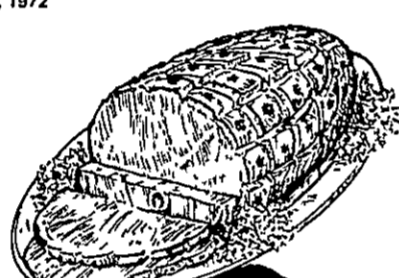
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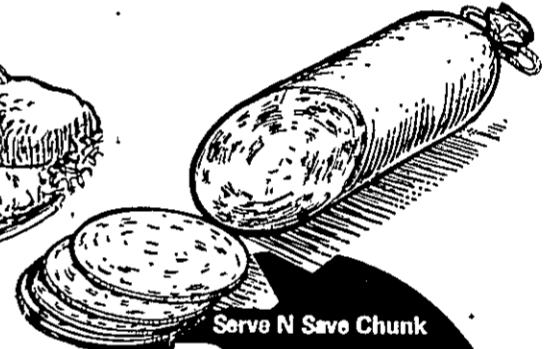


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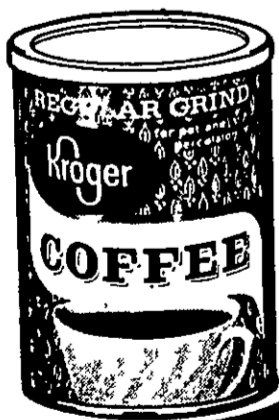
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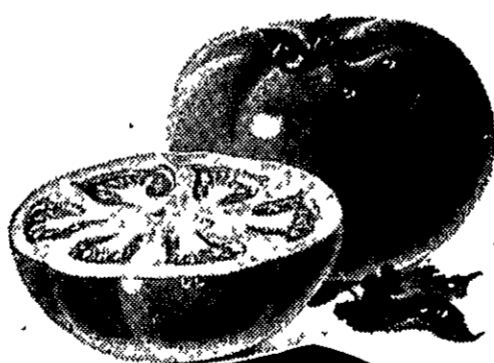
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